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## EDITORIAL.

In retrospect the big events of a term will often recede and leave one with a few small incidents, which, trivial in themselves, seem to sum up the spirit of the time as a whole. Thus on looking through the records of the term before last—the bold accounts given to house matches, society meetings and the like—it seems that all the really important things have been left out. The austere commentary of the Barrovian can give nothing of those personal reminiscences that form the best part of everybody's recollections; an old Barrovian must often give pleasure more from what it calls to mind than from the things written in it.

It is hard to get two terms into perspective when their events are published together, and at the end of a long summer term the wind and snow of the first months of the year seem a long way back. One remembers some hilarious hockey, the finish of the steeplechase, one or two lecturers from the services whose lectures were astonishingly alike, and, of course, the snow fights.

The summer term saw what was probably the peak season of the recent but powerful field of non-cricketers. Next year its members are to be more rigorously selected. Of historic interest, too, was the passing of the School Song, which like the old Long Range 'bus, had dragged its slow length along for quite a while and seemed to become more and more unserviceable. We would welcome a new edition of both of them.

Let us hope that not many more summer terms will of necessity lack such pleasant things like the Long Range 'bus, and Barrovian Day, and the chime of the tower clock.

### RANDOM NOTES.

The Editors wish to thank all those who have taken the trouble to supply information for the "Barrovian", and particularly the Norris Press for their help and guidance in drastically cutting down material to meet war-time conditions.



Congratulations to Colbourne on retaining the Senior Rugger Shield ; to Walters on winning the Fives Shield ; to Hunt House on winning the Sports and Junior Cricket Shields ; to School House on winning the Steeplechase, Shooting and Senior Cricket Shields.



Congratulations to J. D. MacCarthy on winning the Steeplechase, and to G. B. Read, who was second.



Congratulations to P. Arends on winning the Half Mile swim in Derbyhaven Bay.



The Lord Bishop held a Confirmation Service in the College Chapel on March 27th.



Miss Constance Carrodus again entertained the College on March 22nd.



Half holidays were given on February 9th, March 20th and June 29th. There was a choir half on March 22nd, and a whole holiday for choir and orchestra on July 24th.



Farewell, with our best wishes, to Miss MacSherry, Mrs. Price, Mr. Rann and Mr. Macmillan.

### SCHOOL NEWS.

School Officers were:—

**Head of School and Hostel :** D. J. Watson.

**Præpositors :** D. J. Watson, J. H. Radcliffe, M. S. Green, P. R. G. Cowley, H. P. Qualtrough, A. E. Chapman, G. B. Read.

**Captain of Football :** J. H. Radcliffe.

**Captain of Sports :** D. J. Watson.

**Captain of Hockey :** J. H. Radcliffe.

**Captain of Fives :** J. H. Radcliffe.

**Captain of Shooting :** L. V. Corkill.

**Captain of Cricket :** D. J. Watson.

**Captain of Swimming :** P. R. G. Cowley.

**Sports Committee :** D. J. Watson, J. H. Radcliffe, P. R. G. Cowley, H. P. Qualtrough, E. B. Galloway, D. J. Cregeen, G. B. Read.

**Fereman of Fire Brigade :** J. H. Radcliffe.

**Editors of "Barrovian" :** L. V. Corkill, P. S. Gelling.

**Librarians :** D. J. Watson, L. V. Corkill, P. S. Gelling, I. B. Kerrison, J. Lyson, G. B. Read.

**Fiction Librarians :** E. Martin, J. Buckley, D. J. Cregeen, J. K. Hill, T. A. H. Hodson, D. J. Holt, J. D. MacCarthy.

**1st. XI Colours :** D. J. Watson, D. J. Cregeen, G. E. Heald, D. A. K. Christian, J. H. Radcliffe, D. J. Holt, H. P. Qualtrough, A. V. Aston, R. K. Black.

**Second XI Colours :** A. Watson, M. E. C. Bemrose, J. D. Costain, T. A. H. Hodson, L. Earnshaw, H. S. Thomas, E. D. Brown, P. Worsley.

**Non-Commissioned Officers in the J.T.C.**

**C.S.M.:** P. R. G. Cowley.

**C.Q.M.S.:** H. P. Qualtrough.

**Sergeants :** E. Martin, G. B. Read.

**D/Major :** L. V. Corkill.

**L/Cpls.:** M. E. C. Bemrose, H. J. E. Buckley, D. A. K. Christian, G. E. Heald, T. A. H. Hodson, I. B. Kerrison, W. P. Lumley, J. D. Lyson, D. G. Whittaker, K. R. R. Wilson.

**Certificate A. 1942—March :** H. J. E. Buckley, P. S. Gelling, D. J. Holt, F. H. L. Jones, G. A. Kermeen, I. B. Kerrison, I. J. Qualtrough, A. H. Vick, Q. Watterson. **July—A. F. Cleverley, P. G. Daniel, L. Earnshaw, P. B. Farrer, R. Hague, J. P. Heron, J. K. Hill, K. R. Imlach, E. H. Maley, M. M. Stuart.**

**Non-Commissioned Officers in the A.T.C.**

**Flt./Sergt.:** D. J. Watson.

**Sergeants :** J. H. Radcliffe, M. S. Green.

**Corporals :** W. M. Crellin, A. E. Chapman.

**Acting Corporals :** R. W. Corlett, E. B. Galloway, J. M. Hough, A. R. Muir, J. P. Wilkie.

**Proficiency Certificates awarded this year :** A. V. Aston, E. Caine, D. J. Cregeen, J. C. Crellin, M. Green, W. Watkins.

## VALETE.

K. C. BUCHANAN, Hunt House.

H. W. CALLOW, Dickson House.

A. E. CHAPMAN, 1937-42.—Hunt-School House; Upper Vith; Præpositor; 2nd. XV Colours, 1941-'42; Colts Colours, 1940-'41; XL Colours, 1939-'40; House Crest for Football; Captain of House Swimming, 1942; House Fives IV, 1942; G.T., 1939-'42; Corporal in A.T.C.; Proficiency Cert.; King's Scout, 1939; Committee Member, Scientific and Photographic Societies; Beatson and Kewley Science Prizes, 1942; School Certificate, 1939; Higher Certificate, 1941-1942; H. B. Noble University Scholarship, 1942.

Gone to Downing College, Cambridge.

Home Address: Belle Vue Hotel, Port Erin, I.O.M.

J. G. CORKILL, Junior House.

P. R. G. COWLEY, Dickson House.

J. F. CRELLIN, 1934-'42.—Junior-Dickson House; Lower VIth; House Præpositor; Captain of House Steeplechase and Shooting; House Colours for Football, Shooting and Swimming; Marksman at Long and Short Ranges; Shooting VIII, 1938, 1939; G.T., 1937-'41; Sergeant in A.T.C.; Proficiency Cert.; School Certificate, 1940; Lynam Drawing Prize.

Gone to Royal Navy (Fleet Air Arm).

Home Address: Ballachurry, Andreas, I.O.M.

P. G. DANIEL, School House.

M. S. GREEN, 1934-'42.—Junior-School House; Lower VIth; Præpositor; 1st. XV Colours, 1941, 1942; Captain of House Fives; House Steeplechase team, 1941, 1942; House Crest for Football; Committee Member, Scientific Society; School Certificate; Sergeant in A.T.C.; Proficiency Cert.; Certificate A. 1940; G.T., 1941, 1942; Head of House.

Gone to R.A.F.

Home Address: "Heilly," Waterloo Road, Burslem, Stoke-on-Trent.

J. M. HOUGH, School House.

I. B. KERRISON, Colbourne House.

A. G. R. KNEEN, Junior House.

D. G. KNEEN, Junior House.

W. P. KNEEN, Dickson House.

J. D. LYSON, 1939-'42.—Hunt House; House Præpositor; Upper VIth; School Certificate, 1940; Higher School Certificate, 1942; Certificate "A", 1941; Lance-Corporal in J.T.C.

Gone to Downing College, Cambridge (State Bursary).

Home Address: 229, Ryebank Road, Chorlton-cum-Hardy, Manchester 21.

A. R. MUIR, 1938-'42.—Dickson House; Upper VIth; Higher Certificate, 1942; Beatson Science Prize, 1942; House Fives, Shooting and Steeplechase IV; Hon. Sec., Scientific Society; G.T., 1940-'42; Acting Corporal in A.T.C.; Proficiency Cert., 1940.

Gone to Edinburgh University.

Home Address: Alavid, Brockhurst Hill, Northwich, Cheshire.

H. P. QUALTROUGH, Hunt House.

H. H. SLACK, School House.

M. R. STRANKS, Dickson House.

W. D. E. SWINDELL, School House.

- D. J. WATSON, 1937-'42.—Dickson House; Upper VIth, Head of School; Head of Hostel; Captain of School Cricket, Athletics; Captain of House Football, Cricket, Athletics, Fives, Shooting; 1st. XV Colours, 1939-'42; 1st XI Colours, 1940-'42; Sports Colours, 1940-'42; Open 880 yds., 1940; Open Long Jump, 1941, 1942; Marksman at Short Range; Hon. Sec., Debating and Musical Societies; Member of Sports Committee; Walker History Prize, 1940 and 1942; Kempson Theology Prize, 1942; Head Librarian; Lance-Corporal J.T.C.; Flight-Sergeant A.T.C.; Certificate A; Proficiency Cert.; Higher Certificate, 1941; G.T.; Governors' University Exhibition.

Gone to R.A.F.

Home Address: Westray, The Horseshoe, Alderley Edge, Cheshire.

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### SALVETE.

- UVb.—Nash, L. H. (S)  
 MIV.—Butterworth, T. M.; Osborn, M. W. (D)  
 III.—Watson, N. R. (J)  
 II.—Carr, C. B. (H); Corlett, W. J. (J); Christian, E. C. (J);  
 Gelling, R. C. (J); Rosenberger, G. H. (J); van Issum, B. E.  
 (J)

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### FOUNDER'S DAY.

Founder's Day was held on July 27th. Prizes were distributed in the presence of a considerable war-time gathering, by Captain T. E. Halsey, D.S.O., R.N. After the Principal had read his annual report His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor introduced Captain Halsey, who spoke briefly and distributed the prizes. A vote of thanks was proposed by the Lord Bishop. The prize list was as follows:—

#### BEQUEST PRIZES.

1. The Kempson Divinity Prize: D. J. Watson.
2. The Bishop Drury Divinity Prize: J. D. Gelling.
3. The Walker History and Historical Geography Prize:  
D. J. Watson
4. The Mitchell Prize for General Knowledge:  
Unprepared: P. S. Gelling.  
Prepared: L. Earnshaw.
5. The Walker Greek Prize: P. S. Gelling.
6. The Canon James William Kewley Science Prize:  
A. E. Chapman.
7. The Beatson Science Prizes:  
Biology: A. R. Muir.  
Chemistry: A. E. Chapman.  
Physics: A. E. Chapman.
8. The Kelly Manx Prize: (Not awarded.)

9. The Sir Frederick Clucas Choir Prizes:  
R. Q. Crellin, D. J. White, C. A. R. Wilson, altos.  
G. E. Heald, tenor. L. V. Corkill, D. J. Watson, basses.
10. The Charles Cotteril Lynam Drawing Prizes:  
Upper School: (divided between) P. G. Daniel and  
E. Martin.  
Middle School: W. K. Bazett.  
Lower School: H. G. Colebourn.

## SPECIAL PRIZES.

11. Latin Prose Prize (Senior): P. S. Gelling.
12. Latin Prose Prize (Junior): D. M. Saunderson.
13. Greek Prose Prize: (Not awarded.)
14. Classical Essay Prize: P. B. Farrer.
15. French Prose Prize: P. S. Gelling.
16. English Essay Prize: (Not awarded.)
17. English Poem Prize: L. V. Corkill.
18. English Speaking Prizes:  
Upper School: 1, P. B. Farrer; 2, K. R. R. Wilson.  
Middle School: 1, R. K. Black; 2, H. Thomas and P. D. Boyce.  
Lower School: 1, L. W. P. Dodgson; 2, A. G. R. Kneen;  
3, G. T. Davy.
19. Mathematical Problem Prize:  
"Reginald Walter Smith Prize": D. J. Cregeen.
20. Music Prize: K. D. Lewis.
21. Workshop Prizes: W. P. Lumley (UV), J. H. Gordon (LV),  
H. E. Moore (MIV), P. Bruce (UIV).
22. Junior Science Prize: D. M. Saunderson.

## GENERAL FORM PRIZES.

## UPPER V.—

English Subjects: G. A. Higham.  
 Latin: D. M. Saunderson.  
 French: P. G. M. Gaffikin.  
 Mathematics: "Algernon Richard Prestwich Prize":  
 G. A. Higham.  
 Science: P. G. M. Gaffikin.

## LOWER V.—

English Subjects: L. R. Smith.  
 Latin—"George Mercer Tandy Prize": P. B. Jones.  
 French: P. B. Jones.  
 Mathematics: P. B. Jones.  
 Science: D. G. Muir.

## UPPER IV.—

English Subjects: K. A. Arends.  
 Latin: M. L. Stuart.  
 French: J. J. Garside.  
 Mathematics and Science: J. J. Garside.

## MIDDLE IV.—

English Subjects: P. S. Nelson.

Latin: P. S. Nelson.

French: J. L. Quine.

Mathematics: W. R. Costain.

## LOWER IV.—

English Subjects: R. F. Hudson.

Latin and French: W. G. Hughes.

Mathematics: D. N. Markham.

Improvement Prize: D. M. Watterson.

## LOWER SCHOOL.

The Hon. William Cain Endowment.

## FORM III—

English Subjects: A. G. R. Kneen.

Mathematics: H. J. Halfon.

Improvement Prize: R. G. Kneale.

## FORM II—

English Subjects: M. H. Lay.

Arithmetic: M. H. Lay.

Improvement Prize: A. M. B. Crookall.

## ASSOCIATED BOARD OF THE ROYAL SCHOOLS OF MUSIC.

## Violin—

Preliminary: R. C. Gelling, pass.

Grade I: D. Clay, pass; C. A. R. Wilson, credit.

Grade V: D. C. Greenfield, distinction; K. D. Lewis, distinction.

## Piano—

Grade I: D. M. Andrews, credit; K. A. Arends, pass; J. A. Ratcliffe, pass.

## CERTIFICATE RESULTS, JULY, 1942.

Higher Certificates (Northern Universities) were gained by: Chapman, A. E.; Corkill, L. V.; Cregeen, D. J.; Gelling, P. S.; Heald, G. E.; Hough, J. M.; Lyson, J. D.; Muir, A. R.; Stuart, R. A. G.; Wilkie, J. P.

School Certificates (Oxford and Cambridge) by: Aston, A. V.; Bemrose, M. E. C.; Brown, E. D.; Buchanan, K. C.; Callow, H. W.; Christian, D. A. K.; Clague, A. D.; Coles, R. R. A.; Costain, J. D.; Crellin, R. Q.; Gaffikin, P. G. M.; Hack, A. H.; Higham, G. A.; Hulme, R. W.; Imlach, K. R.; Lumley, W. P.; Moore, B. E.; Quattrough, D. J.; Roberts, D. B.; Saunderson, D. M.; Slack, H. H.; Stuart, M. M.; Watson, A. F.; Whyman, P. J. M.

The University Scholarship of £100 per annum for three years was awarded by the Henry Bloom Noble Trust to A. E. Chapman. It is three years since this scholarship was last won by a College boy.

### O.K.W. NEWS.

Capt. J. D. Clague (1931-'34) has escaped from Japanese hands after being imprisoned for 107 days.

Col. M. E. Dopping-Hepenstal (1884-'90) has been awarded the order of the Silver Wolf.

M. S. Fraser (1931-'37) has completed his fourth year of Medicine at Edinburgh University.

J. Kewley's (1924-'28) essay on "Evolution in the Petroleum Industry" was published in the Journal of the Royal Society of Arts.

Pilot-Officer R. C. Kitchen (1925-'30) tied with two others in shooting down the 900th plane of his fighter command station.

Rev. H. D. Peel (1902-'04) has been appointed Rector of Donhead St. Mary, Shaftesbury.

### SIR WILLIAM BRAGG, O.M.

The severe restriction in the quantity of paper allowed for printing has prevented the appearance of obituaries, but the death, at the age of 79, of the most famous man who owed his early education to K.W.C. cannot pass unnoticed.

It is impossible to recount the many and varied distinctions won by William Henry Bragg, ranging from a scholarship to Trinity College, Cambridge, and all manner of doctors' degrees, to a knighthood, the Order of Merit and the Presidency of the Royal Society. Moreover he did valuable work in connection with submarine warfare during the last war and later shared the Nobel Prize for Physics with his son, Sir Lawrence Bragg. He performed three services of immense national value which have been deservedly and widely recognized. First, in the realm of pure science, where his greatest contributions were in the field of crystalline analysis and X-ray spectroscopy; secondly, in relation to industry he was a consistent and effective advocate and exponent of the value of scientific research; thirdly, he was a master of popular exposition of scientific principles, which he demonstrated in his famous Christmas lectures to children. He was a man of great friendliness and like many great scientists, an earnest Christian.

In mourning his passing we take pride that he should have owed his great achievements in some measure to King William's College, to which he remained to the end a loyal alumnus.

### SERVICE HONOURS.

Wing-Commander J. J. Bennett (1927-'31), D.F.C.—Bar to D.F.C.

Major-General A. Galloway (1908-'14), C.B.E., M.C.—D.S.O., Military Medal of Greece (1st. class).

Flight-lieutenant T. L. Hogg (1929-'33)—D.F.C.

Flying-Officer W. N. Lepine (1932-'35)—mentioned in despatches.

Lieut.-Colonel E. L. Parkes (1907-'15)—O.B.E.

Lieut.-Colonel H. H. C. Sugden (1917-'21)—O.B.E.

Lieut. A. R. Taudevin (1931-'34)—D.S.C.

**ACADEMIC.**

H. C. Chambers (1933-'39)—Class 2, Mechanical Sciences Tripos Part 2, Cambridge.

J. S. Douglas (1936-'41)—Class 2, Shortened History Hons., Oxford.

R. H. Ginger (1934-'38)—Class 2, Mech. Eng. Hons., Liverpool.

J. D. Qualtrough (1932-39)—Class 1, Elect. Eng. Hons., Manchester.

**WILLIAM HENRY BRAGG (1875-'81) .**

**EDMUND BOTELER BURTON (1874-'78) .**

**WILLIAM HAY (1888-'89) .**

**EDWIN YATE PITTS (1866-'72) .**

**KILLED ON ACTIVE SERVICE.**

**FRANK GRAHAM ANDERSON (1917-'25) .**

**JOHN HENRY KITCHEN (1930-'34) .**

**MICHAEL BREE HORATIO MARSHALL (1924-'29) .**

**DALY CHARLES GARTON STONE (1930-'35) .**

**MISSING ON ACTIVE SERVICE.**

**Flying-Officer JOHN CYRIL BUCKLEY (1931-'34) .**

**Sergeant JAMES MARCUS D'ARCY (1926-'31) .**

**Gunner ROBERT BOWES FREER (1932-'39) .**

**Wing-Commander ALBERT GOLDING, D.F.C. (1924-'30) .**

**Lieutenant JOHN MOORE (1933-'37) .**

**Captain BRUCE TOOTHILL (1919-'24) .**

**BIRTHS.**

To:

J. St. J. Baxter (1927-'30)—a daughter.

R. G. B. Booth (1927-'31)—a daughter.

The Rev. E. B. Glass (1928-32)—a daughter.

O. B. Wallis (1927-'32)—a son.

D. C. Wheeler (1929-'33)—a son.

**MARRIAGES.**

F. N. Chell (1920-'23) to Barbara Hills, of Chatham.

G. F. Harnden (1928-'31) to Muriel Dixon (W.R.N.S.), of Liverpool.

H. D. Lay (1912-'13) to Florence Lilian Wiltshire, of Bradford-on-Avon, Wiltshire.

R. H. Payne (1925-'31) to Peggy Eileen, of Bristol.

D. P. B. Turner (1929-'32) to Dorothy Ghena, of Maghull, Lancs.

T. D. Wilson (1923-'28) to Mary Carey, of Cooraclare, Co. Clare.

## ENGAGEMENTS.

T. E. Brownsdon (1923-'27) to Margaret Kirkpatrick, of Douglas, I.O.M.

E. Corteen (1929-'34) to Elizabeth Joyce, of Wallasey.

J. S. Fraser (1929-'34) to Dr. Ellis Mary Matthew, of Carlisle.

T. A. Stewart (1928-'35) to Lilian Patricia Sykes, of Bury.

J. P. Griffiths (1932-'34) to Helen Bell Calder, of Coldstream.

L. F. Wolsey (1936-'39) to Eleanor Mary Corkill, of Douglas.

## THE CONCERT.

The March Concert provided more than good entertainment; it created an atmosphere of homely intimacy, the warmth of which left little room for the cold calculating assessment of relative values, inviting rather a cosy fireside acceptance of the varied fare provided for us. If any failed to appreciate its comforting warmth the fault lay in themselves alone.

For this happy state of affairs we were indebted in no small degree to the orchestra. Under Miss Ryding's inspiring guidance it was in confident mood and gave a cheery exhibition of whole-hearted teamwork. The result was invigorating and pleasing. A good musical level was maintained throughout, and any trifling lack of balance was more than compensated by the cumulative effect of sympathetic and capable leadership, combined with a willing, happy response and an interpretation at once colourful and expressive. Miss Rydings and her orchestra are to be congratulated on a success which aroused the enthusiasm of an audience which was exhibiting no mere formal politeness to an institution but a genuine appreciation of sound workmanship.

It would be difficult to imagine anything more charmingly rendered than the two part songs, "The Spanish Guitar" and "Juanita." P. Gelling, G. Heald, V. Corkill and D. Watson made a good team. Their voices blended admirably. Tone, balance and expression were as near perfection as one dares to expect from young singers. Later in the evening they gave us "The Lorelei" and "Skye Boat Song." Here again they excelled and left us with the satisfying realisation that we had enjoyed a musical feast.

Mr. Stenning delighted us with a full-bodied rendering of Edward German's "Big Steamers." He was in excellent voice and as usual "brought down the house." We were disappointed, however, that he failed to give us as an encore one of those charmingly-rendered tit-bits which we all enjoy so much, for whatever Mr. Stenning's mood, be it grave or gay, he is a bountiful giver of good things.

An equally pleasing performance was given by L. V. Corkill. His is a fine, free, tender voice of pleasant tone and quality, and in his rendering of two Hebridean songs, "Eriskay Lilt" and "The Peat-fire Flame", he kept it under good control. He sang with ease and smoothness yet with adequate expression. A nice lilting rhythm added all that was needed to make his performance sweet and enjoyable.

It was a pleasant surprise to find on the programme an old favourite which has gladdened the hearts and roused the enthusiasm of less sophisticated generations. "Excelsior" is not an easy duet to "put over." G. Heald and P. Gelling aspired to great heights. They reached them and their spirited effort earned them enthusiastic appreciation.

L. Dodgson's first appearance at these concerts stamps him as a promising young singer. He sang "The Nightingale" and "The Cuckoo" with composure and confidence in a nice natural style and with a fine sense of rhythm. His singing was sweet and pleasing and won him a well-earned encore. We congratulate him on a fine performance.

T. Hodson gave a confident rendering of Edward German's "Glorious Devon." His production was smooth and flexible but lacking a little in contrast. He has a rich voice and when the "fire" comes and maturity gives an added power he will be a fine singer.

Mr. Thompson at the piano did his usual splendid work for all parties. His playing was unobtrusive and pleasingly effective, and he has our sincere gratitude for his share in providing us with a very happy hour.

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### THE SCHOOL CONCERT, JULY, 1942.

The Concert was thoroughly enjoyed by all. When regarded in its proper perspective—as a concert given by the College for the College—the standard attained was a high one.

The Orchestra was quite good and the items well chosen to suit the players available. Effective use was made of the clarinet, saxophone, trumpet and tympani. What a pity there was not a double-bass. Apart from the good effect of its deep tones, it would be invaluable in aiding the attack. It was missed badly in the Mazurka and the March. Much pleasure was derived from the players keeping so well in tune; but that was to be expected as Miss Rydings attends to the tuning personally, and "on the spot"!

As a vocalist P. Gelling is improving. His song was well chosen, but he would have scored better had he taken a central position and "put it over" without that little note-book.

K. Lewis impressed deeply. Apart from his playing, which was very good, his attack and posturing throughout were delightful. He was a feast for the eye as well as the ear.

Whatever the Rev. E. H. Stenning sings invariably gives pleasure. What a disappointment it was, however, when he did not give something in the "Madam, will you walk" style as encore.

Mr. Macmillan's two piano solos were very agreeable hearing. His touch was exceptionally good, the melody was always in the foreground and he made Chopin's Chordal Accompaniment really effective.

The Erl King was not a wise choice. Unless every listener knows the story or the singer can adequately convey the story, it is better left alone. Even the pianist dare not do justice to the dramatic accompaniment unless the vocalists are getting the story over.

A boy at a party when asked how he liked the cake said "It was very good, what there was of it!" Realising the faux pas he tried to cover up by saying what he meant was "There was plenty of it, such as it was!" Now L. Corkill's voice was very good, what there was of it. If he had come forward and discarded his music-sheet there would have been more of it, if not plenty. If he had played the solo on his trumpet, not only would it have "got over", but it would have been well played, too—in fact, it would have been quite a feature of the evening's entertainment.

The Violin Trio proved very effective and nicely played. There is ample room for more of such instrumental trios.

T. Hodson's solo, like Corkill's, suffered from being sung too near the side wall and from being screened too much by his music-sheet. The same could not be said about L. Dodgson, who took up a good position, and essayed an astonishingly difficult song for a boy of his age. With such a chromatic melody, it is a wonder that he kept in the key. He obviously tired before the end. Perhaps an easier diatonic melody would have been preferable, as it would have brought his excellent tone into greater prominence.

The Cantata was well rendered and gave a fitting climax to the concert. The attack was excellent and due attention was given to expression. Balanced four-part vocal harmony from young people is unusual. Though not strong the basses were in good tone, but the tenors were more robust and a little raw when they let themselves go. The trebles were particularly good. It was grand to see all members of the choir singing with spirit and evident enjoyment. Like all good conductors the Principal knew what he wanted and he got it.

Last but not least comes Mr. Thompson, the strong reliable man in the background, the man whose serenity cannot be disturbed, and who is equal to all occasions as organist and accompanist, whatever the idiosyncrasies of those whom he is accompanying or piloting—as the case may be.

If future programmes provide a greater variety and a wiser choice of items, and the soloist studied the best positions from which to get their items over the footlights, College Musical Society would gain a high reputation in musical circles throughout the Island.

The programme was as follows:—

- |  |     |     |     |                      |
|--|-----|-----|-----|----------------------|
| Overture—"La Couronne d'or,"                         | ... | ... | ... | <i>Herman</i>        |
| The Orchestra.                                       |     |     |     |                      |
| Solo—"So, Sir Page" (from "The Marriage of Figaro"), |     |     |     | <i>Mozart</i>        |
| P. S. Gelling.                                       |     |     |     |                      |
| Violin Solo—"Country Dance,"                         | ... | ... |     | <i>Frank Bridge</i>  |
| K. Lewis.  |     |     |     |                      |
| Solo—"London Town,"                                  | ... | ... |     | <i>Edward German</i> |
| Rev. E. H. Stenning.                                 |     |     |     |                      |
| Piano Solo—Nocturne in E flat,                       | ... | ... |     | <i>Chopin</i>        |
| Mr. J. Macmillan.                                    |     |     |     |                      |
| Trio—"The Erl King,"                                 | ... | ... | ... | <i>Schubert</i>      |
| P. S. Gelling, G. Heald, L. Dodgson.                 |     |     |     |                      |

Ballet Music—Mazurka from "Coppélia,"	...	...	<i>Delibes</i>
The Orchestra.			
Solo—"O Lovely Night"	...	...	<i>Landon Ronald</i>
L. V. Corkill.			
Violin Trio—"Bourrée,"	...	...	<i>Sweeting</i>
H. Callow, K. Lewis, D. Greenfield.			
Solo—"The Blind Ploughman,"	...		<i>Coningsby Clarke</i>
T. Hodson.			
Solo—"Hindoo Song,"	...	...	<i>Rimsky Korsakov</i>
L. Dodgson.			
Orchestral Items—Largo in D.	...	...	} <i>Handel</i>
March from "Hercules,"	...		
The Orchestra.			
Cantata—"The Ballad of the Clampherdown,"			<i>J. F. Bridge</i>
The Choir.			

### MANX SOCIETY.

*President* : THE PRINCIPAL.

*Chairman* : REV. E. H. STENNING.

*Hon. Secretary* : P. S. GELLING.

The Easter term was one of comparative inactivity. The brighter prospects of the Summer term, however, led the Society to arrange a lecture and several expeditions.

The lecture was by J. M. Hough who, on May 27th., spoke on "Ghosts." Without venturing, in view of the diversity of his audience, to discuss any deep psychical problems, the lecturer contrived to make his talk interesting and amusing, quite apart from the flow of anecdote, reminiscence and polemic which arose from the company. The Society were grateful to Mrs. Wilson for providing once again the now traditional meeting-place.

Although ill-luck dogged the expeditions as a whole, the first was an undoubted success. It included tours of the Castletown Brewery—an annual attraction—and Bridge House, ending up with tea at Duggan's café.

The second project was more ambitious. It was proposed that the Society should visit the Calf of Man, and arrangements were made for the necessary transport. On arriving at the Sound it was soon realized that our boatman was going to fail us; nevertheless, the Society basked peacefully and contentedly enough, and eventually returned for tea in Port St. Mary. After tea the party was disbanded, and all went their several and various ways homewards.

More complete failure attended the proposed excursion to scour Glen Rushen. After waiting all morning for the downpour to cease, an informal committee meeting decided to abandon the attempt, and proceeded to console itself in Duggan's Café.

Although success was limited, there is no doubt that the Society enjoyed such possibilities as were open to them.

### PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY.

*President* : REV. E. H. STENNING.

*Chairman* : W. ROSENBURG, Esq.

*Hon. Secretary* : P. G. DANIELL.

*Committee* : A. E. CHAPMAN.

#### MARCH.

The Society was fortunate during the term in acquiring a limited amount of printing paper, and members were able to use the dark room and enlarger frequently.

A competition arranged for the end of term was won by A. E. Chapman, and we are grateful to Mr. Thompson for presenting a prize.

#### JULY.

The Summer term provides plenty of opportunity for photography and the dark room was again put to good use. A competition has been arranged for the beginning of next term, and it is hoped that a number of good prints will be obtained during the holidays.

### MUSICAL SOCIETY.

*President* : THE PRINCIPAL.

*Vice-President* : D. THOMPSON.

*Hon. Secretary* : D. J. WATSON.

*Hon. Treasurer* : L. V. CORKHILL.

*Committee* : Messrs. P. S. GELLING, G. E. HEALD, H. P. QUALTROUGH.

The first meeting of the Easter term was entertained by G. Heald who delivered a lecture on "Negro Music." His conversational manner and easy treatment were ideally suited to his subject, and there was an atmosphere of pleasant informality. The lecture was illustrated by Messrs. Watson, Corkhill, Gelling and the lecturer himself. There were some good solos, but the high-light of the evening was perhaps a vocal quartet formed by these singers. Their singing, coupled with the lecturer's interesting commentary, made a most enjoyable evening. An interesting unofficial meeting took place on Saturday, March 14th, when the President and Hon. Treasurer played alternately records of classical and jazz music. There was a very large attendance.

An account of the end of term concert is given elsewhere.

### SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY.

*President* : REV. E. H. STENNING.

*Chairman* : W. ROSENBURG, Esq.

*Hon. Secretary* : A. R. MUIR.

*Hon. Treasurer* : A. E. CHAPMAN.

*Committee* : M. S. GREEN, G. E. HEALD.

Owing to the fact that the Beatson and Kewley Science Prizes are for the most part beyond the scope of boys below the VIth form, the Society decided to present a Junior Science Prize. The prize was

awarded for an essay written under examination conditions during the Summer term and was won by D. M. Saunderson. The standard of the essays written was very high and all the entrants are to be congratulated. It is hoped to be able to continue to award this prize, as it will encourage members of the VIth form to enter for the senior prizes in their first year.

### J.T.C. NOTES—January—July, 1942.

During the year 44 cadets (out of 52) passed Part I of the new Certificate A examination and 19 (out of 26) passed Part II as well. Cadets must be over 15 years of age to take the Part I examination and over 16 for Part II. The examining officers were provided by the 166th O.C.T.U.

Lieut.-Col. P. C. Bull, D.S.O., T.D., again carried out the annual inspection, and despite the set-backs the contingent has suffered during the year, was able to give a more-than-satisfactory report.

The contingent again provided part of the Guard of Honour for the Lieutenant-Governor at Tynwald, and the Band, which practised with customary zest during the summer term, gave a good account of itself at an R.A.F. Church parade at Castletown.

As last year, valuable help was provided by N.C.O.s of the 166th O.C.T.U., by the courtesy of its Commanding Officer, Colonel Bull, whose interest and help were of great encouragement to the new (and ignorant) C.O.

There was a field day in March, when combined manœuvres with the A.T.C. took place first in the area between Barrule and Lower Foxdale, and in the afternoon between Ballamodha and College. The day brought to light many weaknesses, and gave considerable scope to the platoon commanders and section leaders.

Another exercise in June had as its scene of operation the valley between Mount Murray and Crogga, and was followed in the afternoon by an interesting and instructive demonstration given by Captain Campbell Adamson, of the Black Watch, and his squad, on the subject "Reconnaissance Patrol."

Both these field days were enjoyed by all (or nearly all) but two great weaknesses were discovered. The first was the parochial attitude of some of the N.C.O.s (acting or otherwise), and the second the Sunday-school-treat attitude of many of the rank and file. Field days depend for their success—and for their interest—on the serious outlook of everybody taking part.

Mr. Nelson has continued to take charge of map-reading with the skill and enthusiasm which we always associate with him. As his labours will be transferred to the A.T.C. next term we seize the opportunity of thanking him for his work on our behalf and congratulating the A.T.C. on their latest recruit.

### AIR TRAINING CORPS.

A full programme has again been carried out with regular visits to the R.A.F. Station (South). We are very grateful to Squadron-Leader Haywood, Flight-Lieutenant Splatt and the Officers and men for giving us so much help.

There are now 44 Cadets in the Flight, including the local Cadets from the South of the Island. Eighteen are Proficient and 42 are efficient. Ten more Proficiency Certificates have been obtained this year.

We are sorry to be losing our Adjutant, Mr. J. H. Macmillan, who is going to Ampleforth College: he has done great work in his, the most unenviable, job of the Corps.

### CRICKET, 1942.

Owing to the war we have been unable to play any school matches. We have been fortunate in finding very worthy and sportsmanlike opponents in the Service establishments of the Island. We have had a most enjoyable season and have received requests for more fixtures than we could accept. Some of the Service teams have brought with them players of league and even county standard. Their skill has added to the pleasure of the games, even though it contributed, on occasions, to our discomfort.

With a few exceptions the wickets have been dry. However, owing to the texture of the surface, though dry the wickets have not been hard, and consequently both fast and spin bowlers have been able to exploit their skill on the same day.

The 1st. XI, ably led by D. J. Watson, can look back on the season with satisfaction. Out of 14 matches played, 7 have been won, 5 lost, 1 drawn, and 1 abandoned. The total scores have been rather small. In six matches only has the team made more than 100 runs; and even in some of these, only valiant stands by the tail-enders have enabled that figure to be passed. There has been a lack of consistent scoring by the reputed batsmen. This lack of runs has thrown a lot of hard work on the bowlers, who, nevertheless, have frequently risen to the occasion. They have been backed up by very good fielding. The XI can be well satisfied in this respect. The work of Christian, Radcliffe, Watson and Cregeen has been outstanding. Heald has been a sound wicket-keeper throughout.

The 2nd. XI has also had a successful season. Out of thirteen matches played, seven have been won, five lost, and one drawn. The team has been in charge of Mr. Grant, who has spent a good deal of time coaching them. Some of the players should be useful members of the 1st. XI next year.

The Colts XI, in the charge of Mr. Rosenberg, has suffered from lack of suitable fixtures. This team contains some young and keen cricketers who will have benefited by this year's experience.

Thanks are due to Kerrison for the very efficient way in which he scored for the first XI, and to Broadbent, Naylor and Hague, who have shared the scoring for the second XI.

Finally, appreciation must be expressed to those boys who have worked on the field preparing pitches and getting ready other things in connection with the matches. Their help has been invaluable.

### TEAM CHARACTERS.

D. J. WATSON.—As captain he has led the team skilfully and well. He has bowled with great determination, and on more than one occasion has had some deadly spells. His four wickets in one

over against the Navy Officers was an outstanding achievement. As a batsman he is rather too impatient and gets himself out before he has time to settle down. He has been a good example to his colleagues in the field.

- D. J. CREGEEN.—A good all-round cricketer who has had success with both bat and ball—including a hat-trick. He is a quick-scoring batsman, being particularly partial to leg-side strokes. He can bowl both leg and off-breaks equally well. He is also good in the field.
- G. E. HEALD.—A stylish batsman and a good wicket-keeper. He would get more runs if he developed a more solid defence until he has settled down.
- D. A. CHRISTIAN.—A stylish batsman who has obtained some useful scores. His work in the field has been brilliant.
- J. H. RADCLIFFE.—A hard-hitting batsman who, having been persuaded to adopt some measures of defence, has obtained some good scores. His 56 not out against Jurby was probably the best innings of the season.
- D. J. HOLT.—A keen cricketer who has improved as the season progressed. As opening batsman he has obtained some good scores. A useful fielder.
- H. P. QUALTROUGH.—A left-arm break bowler who has shown rather erratic form. He has had some good spells and some expensive ones. A very good fielder. As a batsman he is too impetuous.
- A. V. ASTON.—A medium-paced bowler who has done well in some matches but has lacked consistency. As a batsman he has taken part in some valuable tail-end stands. His work in the field has been reasonably sound.
- R. BLACK.—He has improved as the season has progressed. As a batsman he has a sound defence and, on more than one occasion, has taken a prominent part in tail-end stands. His position in the averages indicates his worth. He is also a good fielder.
- E. B. GALLOWAY.—A medium-paced bowler with a good easy action. He has, however, failed to produce the form that earned him his cap last season.
- J. M. HOUGH.—As an opening bat he has not realized his early promise. He lacks a sound defence, and his weakness for swinging his bat at off-side balls has been the cause of him losing his wicket on a number of occasions. Rather slow in the field.

## 1st. XI BATTING AVERAGES.

	Innings	Times not out	Runs	H.S.	Average
J. H. Radcliffe .....	9	3	140	56N.O.	28.3
R. K. Black .....	9	3	114	37N.O.	19.0
D. J. Cregeen .....	12	1	183	86N.O.	16.5
D. J. Holt .....	13	0	127	35	9.9
D. A. K. Christian .....	13	0	120	27	9.1
G. E. Heald .....	13	0	109	35	7.23
A. V. Aston .....	11	1	72	17	7.2
H. P. Qualtrough .....	11	4	41	9N.O.	5.8
D. J. Watson .....	12	0	48	10	4.0
J. M. Hough .....	10	0	39	13	3.9
E. B. Galloway .....	8	0	26	14	3.2

## 1st. XI BOWLING AVERAGES.

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average
D. J. Watson .....	134	32	276	34	8.1
R. K. Black .....	16	1	41	5	8.2
D. J. Cregeen .....	111	16	304	37	8.2
H. P. Qualtrough ...	44	10	157	18	8.7
A. V. Aston .....	54	9	129	12	10.7
E. B. Galloway .....	46	9	139	11	12.6

In the 2nd. XI the best averages were:—Batting: M. Bemrose;  
Bowling: A. Watson.

## HOUSE MATCHES.

The Senior House matches were on the knock-out system, and the Under 16 on the league system. In the Senior games a maximum batting time of two hours was allowed to each team. Next season this will be changed to a maximum of 40 overs each. The under 16 games were limited to a total time of three hours.

School House won the Senior competition after an exciting final with Walters, and Hunt succeeded in beating School House in the play-off of the Under 16 after a tie in the league.

## HOCKEY, 1942.

The standard of hockey suffered from lack of practice and time. It must be realized that hockey does not consist of hitting the ball as hard and as far as possible, but in skilful stick-work and combination among the players. We are hoping that next season we will be allowed more opportunities of developing these necessary acquirements, so that the hockey may be both enjoyable and successful.

Two fixtures only were played, one by the first XI and one by an "A" XI. On each occasion our opponents were O.C.T.U., who proved to be far too good for us. We hope for better results next season.

### HOUSE MATCHES (RUGGER).

The Senior House matches, played on the knock-out system during the Easter term, resulted in Colbourne House retaining the Shield with School House runners-up.

The scores were:—

First round: School 6, Hunt 0; Colbourne 25, Dickson 15.

Final: Colbourne 11, School 9.

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### RUGGER, 1941-2.

#### Easter Tour.

A team from College took part in the English Public Schools Seven-a-sides Tournament organised by the Rosslyn Park R.U.F.C. and managed to distinguish itself. We are most grateful to the Club for its hospitality and the excellent arrangements made for us. In reply to a letter of thanks which we sent to the President, we received this tribute: "I assure you that it was a great pleasure to have you all here and we were only too happy to render what little service we could and greatly admired the sporting spirit which brought you so far and which was so ably demonstrated on the field of play during the games."

Of the games "The Sunday Observer" wrote: "Several other sevens played very well. King William's, from the Isle of Man, seemed well set for the final when, having beaten St. Edward's, Oxford, they were leading Stonyhurst 8—6 with only seconds to go. Then a silly mistake gave Stonyhurst their chance."

Congratulations to Radcliffe and his team for the splendid show which they put up and for the good name they gave College in London on this the first visit of any College side to the South.

It was a pity that owing to illness G. Heald (half) and H. P. Qualtrough (forward) could not play. For the same reason we had no reserves.

Team: J. H. Radcliffe (full-back), J. D. MacCarthy and A. F. Watson (three-quarters), E. B. Galloway (half), D. J. Watson, I. J. Qualtrough and G. B. Read (forwards).

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### ATHLETIC SPORTS, 1942.

The weather played its usual tricks, and snow, rain and wind all conspired to wreck arranged programmes.

The Shield was won by Hunt House by a narrow margin over Walters.

In Class I Watson A., and in Class II Farrer were prominent with three wins each.

No records were broken and the weakness in Field Events, which permeates all classes, is growing more serious. It is clear that some re-organization of the sports routine is urgently needed, and in particular that house captains should take more interest in the organization of practices.

## RESULTS.

*Open (over 16 on April 1st.).*

Mile—1, H. Qualtrough (H); 2, Read (S); 3, I. Qualtrough (H).

Time: 5 min. 6.8 sec.

Time ruined by very slow first two laps.

880 yards—1, A. Watson (D); 2, H. Qualtrough; 3, Read.

Time: 2 min. 21.2 sec.

Watson won by 2 yards in virtue of a stronger finish, but his time was no better than his winning time for this event in Class II last year.

440 yards—1, A. Watson; 2, D. Watson (D); 3, M. Green (S).

Time: 57.6 sec.

Good time on a fairly windy day.

100 yards—1, A. Watson; 2, D. Watson; 3, I. Qualtrough.

Time: 11.2 sec.

A fair following wind. Time  $\frac{1}{2}$  sec. faster than last year.

120 yards hurdles (3' 3")—1, H. Qualtrough; 2, Martin (D); 3, Galloway (C).

Time: 19.4 sec.

The only hurdler was in the sanatorium.

Long Jump—1, D. Watson; 2, Buckley (H); 3, J. Bruce (H).

16' 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

Watson took off well behind the board. Distance very poor.

High Jump—1, Galloway; 2, J. Bruce; 3, Bemrose (S).

Height: 4' 10".

A bad height but the wind troubled the competitors. Bruce and Galloway tied at this height with one jump each but Galloway had fewer previous failures.

Weight (12 lbs.)—1, Radcliffe (C); 2, D. Watson; 3, Aston (H).

Distance: 32' 7".

Discus (1.5 Kilograms)—1, Aston; 2, J. Bruce; 3, Gelling (S).

Distance: 108' 5".

Aston shows promise. The best result of the sports.

*Class II (over 14 and under 16 on April 1st.).*

Mile—1, Farrer (H); 2, P. Arends (S); 3, Brown (S).

Time: 5 min. 27.8 sec.

Farrer in a strong finish passed Arends almost on the tape.

880 yards—1, Brown; 2, Farrer; 3, Lewis (C).

Time: 2 min. 29 sec.

440 yards—1, Lewis; 2, P. Arends; 3, Brown.

Time: 61 sec.

Only one second outside the record.

100 yards—1, Lewis; 2, R. Black (W); 3, R. Quine (C).

Time: 12 sec.

110 yards hurdles (3')—1, Hack (W); 2, R. Quine; 3, —————

Time: 20.4 sec.

A very disappointing entry, a reflection of the poor standard.

Long Jump—1, Farrer; 2, Lewis; 3, Roberts (W).

Distance: 16' 4".

Farrer has the makings of a reasonable jumper.

High Jump—1, Roberts; 2, Greenfield (C); 3, R. Black.

Height: 4' 7 $\frac{3}{4}$ ".

Roberts jumped well. Greenfield also cleared the bar easily but was judged to be diving over. He is very young and should make a good high jumper.

Weight (8 lbs.)—1, Farrer; 2, P. Arends; 3, Hulme (C).

Distance: 35' 8".

Discus (1 Kilogram)—1, Roberts; 2, Majewski (C); 3, Hulme.

Distance: 72' 3".

### *Class III (over 12 and under 14 on April 1st.).*

In the following events, the result in brackets is the best recorded in the past six years.

880 yards—1, P. Black (J); 2, Garside (S); 3, Hughes (H).

Time: 2 min. 54.8 sec. (2—32.8).

440 yards—1, G. White (J); 2, Garside; 3, V. Rycroft (S).

Time: 70 sec. (63.8).

220 yards—1, G. White; 2, Callin (W).

Time: 31.8 sec. (28).

100 yards—1, P. Black (J); 2, Holmes (H); 3, G. White.

Time: 12.6 sec. (11.8).

95 yards hurdles (2' 6")—1, P. Black; 2, Holmes; 3, Levick (J).

Time: 18.2 sec. (16).

Long Jump—1, Garside; 2, Levick; 3, P. Black.

Height: 4' 1" (4—4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ).

Weight (6 lbs.)—1, Holmes; 2, T. Kelly (H); 3, N. Scott (H).

Distance: 30' 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ " (34—4).

### *Class IV (over 10 and under 12 on April 1st.).*

440 yards—1, Halfon (J); 2, W. Hudson (H); 3, J. Caine (J).

Time: 1 min. 18.8 sec. (1—13).

220 yards—1, Halfon and W. Hudson (dead heat); 3, G. Davy (H).

Time: 34.6 sec. (32.5).

75 yards—1, W. Hudson; 2, Halfon; 3, G. Davy.

Time: 11 sec. (9.9).

Long Jump—1, W. Hudson; 2, G. Davy.

Distance: 11' 6" (13—4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ).

High Jump—1, G. Davy; 2, W. Hudson.

Height: 3' 7" (3—10½).

Weight (4 lbs.)—1, G. Davy; 2, Halfon; 3, J. Caine.

Distance: 24' 4½" (27—2).

*Class V (under 10 on April 1st.).*

330 yards—1, Lay (H); 2, Fuchs (J); 3, M. Radcliffe (J).

Time: 61 sec. (56.2).

60 yards—Only one competitor (Lay) appeared.

*Relay Races.*

4 x 110 yards (in lanes on track with staggered start and take-overs)  
—1, Hunt; 2, School; 3, Colbourne.

Time: 51.4 sec. (49.3).

4 x 880 yards—1, Hunt; 2, Dickson; 3, School.

Time: 9 min. 25 sec. (9—6.8).

## SWIMMING, 1942.

Swimming Sports were organized this year on the lines of Athletic Sports, with A and B standards for the different events. Only standards (scaled) counted in the competition for the House Shield, in which Walters House were successful.

The general standard of swimming was not so good as a year ago. Arends was in a class by himself, but Cowley (captain of swimming) had not improved during the year. He and Mr. Macmillan put in some excellent work in getting the swimming going on its new lines. Arends' time for the 100 yards was very good. His turning at this distance has greatly improved, but in longer distances it is poor. Turning is a weakness with nearly all College swimmers, who seem unwilling to spend time in practising this most important part of swimming. Results:—

Half-Mile (Derbyhaven Bay)—1, P. Arends (S), 16 min. 30 sec.; 2, Watkins (S), 17 min. 33 sec.

In the swimming bath Arends swam the half-mile in 13 min. 52 sec. His time for the G.T. was 7 min. 21 sec.

*Open:—*

220 yards—1, P. Arends; 2, Cowley (D); 3, Watkins. Time: 2 min. 51 sec.

100 yards—1, Cowley; 2, Galloway (C); 3, Watkins. Time: 70.5 sec.

50 yards—1, Cowley; 2, Swindell (S); 3, A. Muir (D). Time: 30.5 sec.

50 yards (back)—Only two A standards—D. Christian (C) and Galloway.

Plunge—1, A. Watson (D); 2, G. Heald (S); 3, Watkins. Distance: 48 feet 7 inches.

Dive—I, F. Jones (S), 76%; 2, E. Maley (W), 43%; 3, W. Black (W), 37%.

Squadron—I, School House; 2, Colbourne House; 3, Dickson House; 4, Walters House. Time: 2 min. 36.5 sec.

*Under 16:—*

100 yards—I, P. Arends; 2, Saunderson (S); 3, Worsley (W). Time: 64 sec.

50 yards—I, P. Arends; 2, Saunderson; 3, Worsley. Time: 29 sec.

50 yards (back)—I, P. Arends; 2, P. Heald (S); 3, Roberts (W). Time: 35 sec.

Plunge—I, P. Arends; 22 Worsley; 3, Curran (C). Distance: 57 feet 2½ inches.

Dive—I, Roberts, 73%; 2, Brown, 59% (S); 3, P. Arends, 58%.

### CONTEMPORARIES.

We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the following magazines: The Bromsgrovian (2), The Cliftonian (2), The Dog Watch, The Dovorian (2), The Draconian (2), The Edinburgh Academy Chronicle (2), The Edwardian, The Excelsior, The Framlinghamian (2), The Gresham, The Jeppe High School Magazine, The Journal of the Manx Museum (2), The Laxtonian, The Limit, The Log of the Nautical College, Pangbourne (2), The Lower Canada College Magazine, The St. Bees School Magazine (2), The Sedberghian (2), The Stonyhurst Magazine, The Worksopian, Zamorin's College Magazine.

### NOTICE TO O.K.W's.

There is a growing shortage of material for College colours, and before long none will be available. Perhaps some O.K.W's. may feel disposed to sell, lend or give their blazers and the like for the use of the present generation. Mr. C. W. Jackson will gratefully receive them for cricketers and Mr. J. L. Ryder for footballers.

The shortage of football shorts, jerseys, etc., is also beginning to grow serious and the help of O.K.W's. in this respect is earnestly solicited.

