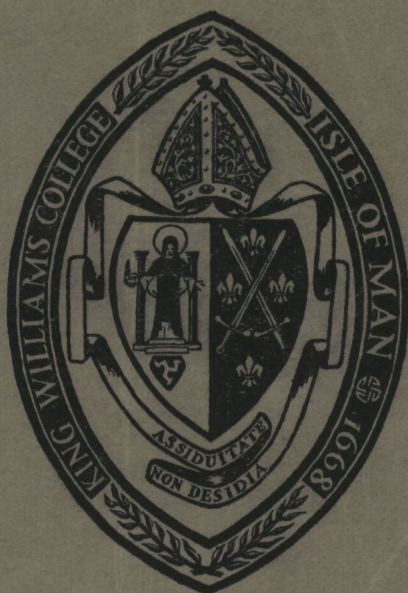


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RANDOM NOTES

The "Barrovian" Cover

Turning to the correspondence column you may well be surprised to find no further letters about the "Barrovian" cover. In fact, the editor has received several since the last issue (including ones from the secretaries of the King William's College Society and the Manchester O.K.W. Society, and Mr. W. T. Anderson), which make it quite plain that there is considerable disapproval of the new design and particularly the revised crest. Among the letters was one from an O.K.W. who wishes to remain anonymous, enclosing two very attractive designs of his own which include the old crest. One of these has been chosen, and will make its first appearance at the front of our next issue. We are most grateful to the artist for his constructive criticism, and for finding a happy solution to what had become, quite unintentionally, an unpleasant affair. We apologise for causing unwitting pain to so many O.K.W.'s and sincerely hope that with the next issue they will be generous enough to forgive and forget.

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We welcome this term the Rev. D. Keyte, of St. John's College, Cambridge, who is filling the gap in the classical faculty left by Mr. Usherwood and helping Mr. Parkinson with the chapel services.

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The "Barrovian" office at the top of the Hostel stairs is normally a haven of peace high above the hurly-burly of college life. This

term, however, it has been far from quiet, with builders at work *fortissimo* on all sides. To the left the attic destroyed by the fire is being replaced by matrons' quarters; to the right of the Colbourne dormitories are almost completed (the new first floor rooms were occupied near the beginning of term); across the passage they are building the editor a new bedroom; while just outside the masters' entrance a little cement mixer chugs away in happy and maddeningly erratic syncopation. Bad weather has inevitably made the rebuilding a lengthier process than was anticipated, but with any luck the editor's siestas will soon be unaccompanied by the noise of hammer on concrete and the cry of the bricklayer calling to his mate.

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We congratulate Mr. Cash on his marriage in September to Miss Jane Craggs-Simpson and hope that they will both have a long and happy stay on the Island.

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There has been one half holiday this term, on October 11th, to celebrate Brig. H. H. C. Sugden's promotion to Major-General and his being appointed C.B.

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We congratulate D. F. Paul-Jones (School), who has been awarded a State Scholarship as a result of his 'A' level certificate, and also the John Patterson scholarship to Liverpool University.

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We are very grateful to G. D. Hanson (1918-25) for his generous gift of a handsome oak seat which is used for watching both rugger and cricket. This brings the number of benches presented in the last three or four years by O.K.W.'s and others to nine.

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On Saturday, the 30th October, we were entertained by Miss Joan Taylor, soprano, who sang a programme entitled 'Characters in Song' with great versatility and charm. She was accompanied, at short notice and with self-effacing skill, by Mr. Watkins.

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There have been three films on Saturday evenings so far this term: 'Folly to Be Wise,' 'No Room for the Groom,' and 'Desperate Moment.' Before the second film we saw the first newsreel of the King William's College Film Unit, which included shots of the annual inspection, the Derbyhaven swim, and the swimming finals. On 13th November, the film unit's first story film, 'Boys Will Be Girls,' was given its world première and was a great success.

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At the end of parade on 16th November, the C.C.F. bade its formal farewell to R.S.M. Henderson. On other pages you will find tributes to his work with the Corps, the Band and the Shooting VIII. We should only like to mention here his great friendliness off duty, and to hope that he will be very happy in his new post in Trinidad. In his place we welcome Mr. Fenton, and hope that he will be as happy here.

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It's a bad workman who blames his tools and Mr. Watkins has been very forbearing about the organ. But no one, we are sure,

can have been happier than he to see it renovated. At the time of writing the inwards of the instrument are spread out all over the junior house pews, but it is hoped the pipes will be restored and the death watch beetle massacred in time for the carol service. Then the trebles will be able to sing with more than usual vigour,

" Let the merry organ go—
Benedicamus Domino! "

SCHOOL OFFICERS

- Head of School* : S. G. S. Scott
Praepositors: S. G. S. Scott, B. K. Colvin, W. R. Kneen,
 G. K. Maddrell, J. A. Wallis.
Sub-Praepositors: E. Q. Bashforth, R. Q. Cannell, M. Faruque,
 D. B. George, J. E. Goldsmith, S. Quirk, D. M. Taggart,
 J. D. Wightman.
C.S.M.: J. A. Wallis.
Senior Scout: G. K. Maddrell.
Captain of Rugby: S. G. S. Scott.
Captain of Swimming: D. M. Taggart.
Captain of Fives: B. K. Colvin.
Assistant Editor of the Barrovian: J. A. Wallis.
Senior Librarian: J. A. Wallis.
Tuckshop Manager: G. K. Maddrell.
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VALETE

- D. L. BAIRSTOW (1947-54). Junior-School. UVh. 2nd Athletics Colours. Inter-School Cross Country 1954. House Crests for Steeplechase and Athletics. Occupation in the near future—farming.
 Home address: Lezayre Lodge, Lezayre, Ramsey.
- J. C. D. BRAY (1954)—Dickson. UIVa. Colts XI Colours 1954. House XI.
 Home address: St. Mary's Uplyme, Devon.
- P. K. BREGAZZI (1947-1954). Colbourne. UVI. School praepositor. Captain of Shooting. 1st Athletics Colours 1954. 2nd XV Colours 1952-53. Shooting VIII 1951, 52, 53, 54. 1st Hockey XI 1954. Captain of House Rugger. Shooting. House Crests for Rugger, Athletics, Shooting. Hon. Sec. Scientific Sociey. Committee member Dramatic Society and Music Club. G.C.E. at "A" level in Chemistry, Zoology, Botany. Sgt. in Army Section C.C.F. Cert A. I and II. Marksman at short range, 1st Class shot at long range.
 Gone to National Service.
 Home address: Glentruan, Quarter Bridge Road, Douglas, Isle of Man.
- D. J. CALLIN (1947-54). Junior-Walters. LVI. Colts Colours for Athletics 1953. House Senior Cricket XI 1953-4. Rugger XV 1953-4. Steeplechase VIII. Shooting IV. Fives IV. G.C.E. at "O" level 4 passes. Cert. "A" parts I and II. Marksman at short range. 1st Class shot at long range.
 Gone to business.
 Home address: Boreen, Cronkbourn Road, Douglas, Isle of Man.
- J. D. CARR (1947-54) Walters. Major Scholar 1949. UVI. Praepositor. Head of Hostel. Head of House. Captain of School Hockey 1954. 1st XV Colours 1953. 1st XI cap 1953-54. School Fives IV. 1st Hockey XI 1953-54.

Member of Games Committee. Member of Cricket Sub-Committee. House Captain of Cricket, Fives, Hockey. House Crests for Rugger, Cricket, Fives. House Shooting IV 1954. House Steeplechase VIII 1953-54. G.T. 1951-2-3-4. Assistant Editor of "Barrovian." Hon. Sec. Dramatic Society. Hon. Treasurer Music Club. English Speaking Prize 1951-54. English Reading Prize 1952-54. Sir Frederick Clucas Choir Prize 1952. Music Prize 1953. G.C.E. at "A" level in Latin, Greek, Ancient History. Queen's Scout. Petty Officer in C.C.F. R.N. Section. Cert. "A" Part I. Proficiency parts I and II (R.N. Section). 1st Class Shot.

Gone to National Service.

Home address: Glenburn, Hilary Road, Douglas, Isle of Man.

- J. CORRAN (1947-54). Junior-School. UVI. House praepositor. Captain of House Hockey 1953-54. House Senior Rugger 1952-3-4. House Senior Cricket 1954. House Swimming 1953. Class II Swimming v. Douglas High School 1951. G.C.E. at "O" level 1952. Leading Seaman in R.N. Section C.C.F. Cert. "A" Part I Royal Naval Proficiency Part I.

Gone to Trinity College, Dublin University.

Home address: Niarhyl, New Road, Roscrea, Co. Tipperary, R.O.I.

- F. COWIN (1946-54). Junior-Dickson. UVI. Sub. praepositor. 1st XV Colours 1952-53. Colts Colours Athletics 1951. House Captain Steeplechase and Athletics. House Crest Rugger. G.T. 1950-51-52-53-54. Hon. Treasurer Photographic Society. G.C.E. "A" level with passes in Mathematics, Physics. Queen's Scout 1952. A.S.M.'s Warrant 1953.

Gone to Queen Mary College, London.

Home address: Eaglehurst, Belmont Hill, Douglas.

- D. J. COWLEY (1943-54). Junior-Dickson. UVI. School praepositor. Head of House. 2nd XV Colours 1953. Shooting VIII 1951-2-3. 1st Hockey XI 1954. Member of Games Committee. House Captain of Swimming, Shooting. House Crests for Rugger, Shooting. G.T. 1953. Committee Member of Scientific Society. Colonel H. S. Wood Ornithological Prize 1954. G.C.E. at "A" level 1953 (2 subjects). Sergeant in C.C.F. (Army Section). Cert. "A." 1st Class Shot.

Gone to St. Andrew's University.

Home address: The Turrets, Ballaquane, Peel, Isle of Man.

- P. A. CROWE (1946-54). Colbourne. House Praepositor. 2nd XV Rugger Colours 1952-53. House Crest for Rugger. G.T. 1951-2-3. Sir Frederick Clucas Choir Prize—Tenor 1953. G.C.E. at "O" level with passes in 6 subjects. Petty Officer in Royal Naval Section of C.C.F. Cert. "A" Part I. 1st Class Shot.

Gone to National Service in Royal Navy.

Home address: Cronkville, Union Mills, Isle of Man.

- A. R. W. de VILLIERS (1949-54). Dickson. UVI. House praepositor. Shooting VIII 1953-54. House Shooting IV 1952-53-54. House Open Rugger 1952-53. Hon. Secretary Boxing Club. H. G. W. Hughes-Games Prize for English Essay 1953; 2nd in English Reading 1951, English Speaking 1952. G.C.E. "A" level French, German (1953); English, Latin (1954). Sergeant in C.C.F. Cert. "A" Parts I and II. Marksman.

Gone to South Africa.

Home address: c/o 175 Joubert Street, Sunnyside, Pretoria, South Africa.

- J. F. DODSWORTH (1950-54). Junior Walters. UVA. G.C.E. at "O" level with passes in 5 subjects.

Gone to business.

Home address: 11 Metropole Mansions, Queen's Promenade, Douglas, Isle of Man.

- J. A. DUNCAN (1950-54). Hunt-Colbourne. UVA. Colts Rugger Colours 1952. Junior Rugger 1950, 1952. Junior Cricket 1953. Senior Rugger 1954. G.C.E. at "O" level 1954 with passes in 3 subjects. Cert "A" 1953.

Gone to business.

Home address: Ashman's Cottage, Beccles, Suffolk.

- A. G. DUNKERLEY (1946-54). Junior-Colbourne. UVI. School praepositor. Captain of Swimming 1954. 1st Athletics Colours 1953-54. 1st Colours Swimming 1951-52-53-54. 2nd XV Colours Rugger 1952-53. Member of Games Committee. House Captain of Swimming, Athletics, Cross-Country. House Crest for Rugger. G.T.'s 1947-54. G.C.E. at "A" level in Physics and Biology 1953. Flight Sergeant in R.A.F. Section C.C.F. Cert. "A" Parts I and II and Proficiency Certificate. Marksman at Long and Short Ranges. Gone to Manchester University.
Home address: Innisfree, Croston Lane, Garstang, Nr. Preston, Lancs.
- D. C. FOULDS (1950-54). Colbourne. UVb. 2nd XI 1953. House Crest Cricket 1953-54. House Crest Rugger 1954. Junior Rugger 1951-52. Junior Cricket 1950-51-52. House Steeplechase VIII 1952-53-54. Cert. "A" 1952. 1st Class Shot. Gone to business.
Home address: 82, Arundel Avenue, Sanderstead, Surrey.
- R. T. FOULDS (1950-54). Colbourne. UVb. 1st Cricket Colours 1953-54. 1st Rugger Colours 1953. Athletics (Colts). Seven-a-side Team 1953-54. 1st Hockey XI 1954. House Crests for Cricket, Rugger, Athletics. G.C.E. at "O" level with passes in 3 subjects. Corporal C.C.F. Cert. "A." 1st Class Shot.
Gone to business.
Home address: 82, Arundel Avenue, Sanderstead, Surrey.
- T. E. GALLACHER (1945-54) Junior-Walters. UVb. 1st XI Colours 1954. XL Co.ours 1950. House Crest for Cricket. Senior Rugger 1954. House Steeplechase 1954. House Fives 1952. G.T. 1952-53-54. Cert. "A" Part I. 1st Class Shot
Gone to business.
Home address: 14, Chorley Road, Boars Head, Wigan, Lancs.
- J. D. GIBB (1948-1954). Hunt-Walters. UVb. 1st XV Colours, 1953. 2nd Colours Athletics 1954. Seven-a-Side 1954. Senior House Cricket 1954. Junior House Cricket 1953. G.T. 1953-54 Queen's Scout G.C.E. at "O" level with passes in 7 subjects.
Merchant Navy.
Home address: Creglea, Seabank, Port Erin, Isle of Man.
- J. S. GILLESPIE (1948-54) School. UVI. School praepositor. 2nd XV Colours 1953. 2nd Athletics Colours 1953. Member of Games Committee. House Captain of Fives. House Crests for Rugger and Athletics. G.T. 1951-52-53-54. Tuckshop Manager. 1st Prize English Reading 1952. G.C.E. at "O" level 1952. Queen's Scout. Assistant Scoutmaster.
Gone to business.
Home address: 12, Osborne Gardens, Belfast, Northern Ireland.
- D. GRIFFIN (1948-54). Hunt-Colbourne. UVI. Sub. praepositor. 1st XI Cricket Colours 1952. 2nd XV 1953. School Fives IV. 1st XI Hockey 1953-54. House Crests for Rugger and Cricket. Hon. Sec. Badminton Club. Walker Greek Prize 1953. Greek Prose Prize 1953. G.C.E. at "A" level in Latin, Greek and Ancient History. Corporal in R.A.F. Section of C.C.F. Cert. "A" Parts I and II. Proficiency Cert. Marksman.
Gone to Manchester University.
Home address: The Winston, Church Road, Douglas, Isle of Man.
- M. F. GRIMSHAW (1950-54). Hunt. UIVb. School Steeplechase VIII Class II 1954.
Home address: Moorlands Private Hotel, Four Roads, Port St. Mary.
- R. G. HARPER (1945-54). Junior-Hunt. UVI School Praepositor. Head of House. 1st XV Colours 1952. 1st Colours for Athletics 1953-54. Member of Games Committee. Member of Athletics Sub-Committee. House Captain of Rugger and Athletics. House Cricket and Steeplechase Teams. 1st in Open High Jump and Long Jump 1954. Mathematical Problem Prize 1954. G.C.E. at "A" level in Higher Mathematics and Physics. King's Scout. Rover Scout.
Gone to St. Peter's Hall, Oxford.
Home address: 22, Bowling Green Road, Castletown, Isle of Man.

- J. R. HOWARTH (1945-1954). Junior-Walters. UVI Sub. Praepositor. 1st XV Colours 1953. Inter-School Steeplechase team 1953. House Crests for Rugger and Steeplechasing. House Team Cricket and Shooting. Foreman of the Fire Brigade. G.C.E. at "A" level in Mathematics and Physics. Corporal C.C.F. Cert. "A." Marksman.
Gone to National Service.
Home address: 2, Arlington Road, Cheshire.
- G. D. KINLEY (1946-54). Hunt. UVI Mitchell Prize for General Knowledge 1951-52-53. Edgar Heald Prizes for General Knowledge 1949-53. Bishop Drury Divinity Prize 1951. G.C.E. at "A" level in Latin, Greek and Ancient History. P/O R.N. Section C.C.F. Cert. "A" Proficiency R.N. Part I and II. 1st Class Shot.
Gone to University of Liverpool.
Home address: Beacon View, High Street, Port St. Mary, Isle of Man
- B. C. KNEEN (1947-54). Hunt-Walters. UVI Sub. Praepositor. 1st Colours Rugby 1953. 1st Colours Athletics 1953-54. Seven-a-Side Tour 1953-54. 1st Hockey XI. House Captain of Athletics. House Crests for Athletics. Steeplechasing and Rugby. 1st Steeplechase 1953. School Steeplechasing VIII 1953-54. Mile and 880 yards 1954. G.C.E. at "A" level in Physics and Biology. R.A.F. advanced proficiency Cert. A.
Gone to business after National Service.
Home address: Hilary Mount, Poplar Road, Douglas, Isle of Man.
- R. M. KNEEN (1949-54). Junior-Dickson. G.C.E. at "O" level 1954 with 6 passes.
Gone to Army.
Home address: 14, Boilley Spittal, Peel, Isle of Man.
- M. J. LORD (1949-54). Colbourne-Hunt. UVb XL Colours. Open House Cricket 1954. Open House Rugger 1953. House Steeplechase VIII 1951-52. School Steeplechase VIII 1951. G.T. 1954. Cert. "A" Parts I and II. 1st Class Shot. G.C.E. at "O" level 1954 with 4 passes.
Gone to business.
Home address: Braaid Cottage, The Braaid, Isle of Man.
- J. H. S. MARRIS (1951-54). Colbourne. LVI. Colts Colours Athletics and Swimming 1953. House Crest for Athletics 1954. House Steeplechase VIII 1954. House Junior Rugger XV 1952-53. House Junior Cricket XI 1953. G.T. 1952-53-54. G.C.E. at "O" level 1953. Cert. "A." 1st Class Shot.
Gone to business.
Home address: 45, Lowther Street, Great Lever, Bolton, Lancs.
- T. N. McDONALD (1950-54). Colbourne. LVI. 1st Colours Cricket 1954. 2nd Colours Swimming 1953-54. House Crests for Swimming and Cricket. Senior Rugger 1951. G.T. 1951-52-53-54. 1st place Class I Plunge 1953-54. G.C.E. at "O" level 1953. Cert. A. 1st Class Shot.
Student for Chartered Accountancy.
Home address: 2, Uppingham Road, Liverpool, 13.
- D. PAUL-JONES (1947-54). Junior-School. Major Scholar 1949. UVI. House Praepositor. Senior Rugger Team 1953-54. House Steeplechase Team 1953-54. G.T. 1952-53. Secretary of Chess Club. Committee Member of Music Club. G.C.E. at "A" and Scholarship level with passes in Mathematics, Physics (Distinction) Chemistry. Cert "A" Parts I and II. R.A.F. Proficiency.
Gone to Liverpool University.
Home address: Sandfield House, 24, Grange Road, West Kirby, Cheshire.
- J. F. PEACOP (1952-54) Walters. LVb. Junior House Rugger and Cricket. Cert. "A" Part I.
Agriculture—Edinburgh University.
Home address: Easter Cowden Farm, Dalkeith, Midlothian, Scotland.

- S. G. T. PRICE (1951-54). Hunt. UIVb. G.T. 1954. Senior Rugger. Cert. "A" Part I. 1st Class Shot.
Gone to business.
Home address : Seaview Villa, Port Soderick, Isle of Man.
- T. W. SHILLINGLAW (1948-54). Dickson. Major Scholar 1949. UVI. Praepositor. 2nd Colours Athletics 1954. Captain of House Hockey. House Crest for Athletics 1954. House Steeplechasing VIII 1949-54. G.T. 1954. Open 100 yards 1954. Senior Librarian. Walker History Prize 1953-54. G.C.E. at "A" level with passes in English, History and Latin. Sergeant in C.C.F. Cert. "A".
Gone to National Service.
Home address: 139, Knutsford Road, Wilmslow, Cheshire.
- J. E. SKELLY (1953-54). Walters. UIVb. Junior House Rugger XV 1953. Died in hospital at Liverpool, September 21st, 1954.
- I. O. SKILLICORN (1945-54). Hunt. UVI. House Praepositor. House Steeplechase 1949. Senior House Rugger 1954. English Reading Prize 1947. G.C.E. at "A" and "S" levels 1954 with passes in Mathematics, Physics (distinction), Chemistry. Corporal in C.C.F. Cert. "A" Parts I and II. 1st Class Shot. Signals Classification 1954.
Gone to The Imperial College of Science and Technology.
Home address: Falga, Clifton Road, Port St. Mary. Isle of Man.
- R. T. D. STOTT (1946-54). Hunt-School. UVI. Praepositor. Head of School. Head of House, 1952-4. Captain of School Rugger 1953. School Cricket 1953-54. School Crosscountry and Athletics 1953. School Fives 1952-54. 1st XV Colours 1951-52-53. 1st XI Colours 1951-52-53-54. 1st Athletics Colours 1952-53-54. School Shooting VIII 1951-52-53-54. School Fives IV. Seven-a-Side Team 1952-53-54. 1st Hockey XI 1951-52-53-54. Member of Games Committee. Member of Rugger, Cricket and Athletics Sub-Committees. House Captain of Rugger, Cricket, Athletics, Cross-Country and Shooting. House Crests for Rugger, Cricket, Athletics, Fives, Cross-country and Shooting. Hon. Sergeant-at-Arms Literary and Debating Society. Hon. Sec. Manx Society. G.C.E. at "A" level with passes in Zoology and Botany. C.S.M. in C.C.F. Cert. "A". Marksman
Going to Magdalene College, Cambridge after National Service.
Home address: Birchfield Villa, Strathallan Road, Onchan, Isle of Man.
- J. C. STREET (1949-54). School. LVI. House Crest for Rugger 1954. Cricket 1953-54. Steeplechase VIII 1954. G.T. 1951-54. Committee Chess Club G.C.E. at "O" level in 1953. Cert. "A" Parts I and II. 1st Class Shot.
Gone to business.
Home address: 23, Grange Road, West Kirby, Wirral, Cheshire.
- M. H. TURNER (1948-54). Dickson. UVI. Praepositor. 2nd Colours for Rugger and Cricket. 2nd Shooting VIII. Member of Rugger Sub-Committee. House Captain of Rugger and Cricket. House Crests for Rugger, Cricket and Shooting. Hon. Secretary of Photographic Society. Hon. Treasurer of Scientific Society. G.C.E. at "A" level with passes in Mathematics, Physics and Chemistry. Corporal in C.C.F. Cert. "A". 1st Class Shot.
Gone to Liverpool University.
Home address: 137, Liverpool Road South, Maghull, Lanes.
- N. J. C. WHITE (1946-54). Hunt-Junior-Dickson. UVb. 1st Colours for Swimming 1953-54. House Crest for Swimming 1953. House Steeplechase 1950 and 1954. G.T. 1950-51-52-53-54. G.C.E. at "O" level with passes in 3 subjects. Leading Cadet in R.A.F. Section C.C.F. Cert. "A" Part I 1950. R.A.F. Proficiency I 1952 1st Class Shot 1954
Home address: Medstead Rectory, Nr. Alton, Hampshire.
- P. W. WHITE (1944-54) Hunt-Junior-Colbourne. Major Scholar 1948. UVI. Praepositor. Head of House. 2nd Shooting VIII. Member of Games Committee. House Steeplechase VIII. Shooting IV. G.T. 1952-54. Hon. Secretary Gramophone Society. Mathematical Problem Prize 1953-54 (ties).

G.C.E. "A" level 1951-53 with distinction in Higher Mathematics. Corporal in C.C.F. Cert. "A." Signals Classification 1954. 1st Class Shot.

Gone to National Service.

Home address: 34, Buttrills Road, Barry, Glamorgan.

- D. L. WILKINS (1951-54). Colbourne. UVa. G.T. 1952-53-54. G.C.E. at "O" level in 1954 with passes in 7 subjects. Cert. "A" Parts I and II. 1st Class Shot.

Gone to business.

Home address: 36, Lea Road, Lea, Nr. Preston, Lancs.

- J. R. WILKINS (1950-54). Colbourne. UVa. House Crest for Swimming 1954. Junior Rugger 1951-52. House Steeplechase VIII 1951-52-53. House Relay Team Swimming 1954. G.T. 1951-52-53-54. Hon. Secretary and Treasurer Golf Society 1954. G.C.E. at "O" level with passes in 6 subjects. Cert. "A" Part II 1953. Signals Classification 1954. 1st Class Shot.

Gone to business.

Home address: The Chase, Lea Road, Lea, Nr. Preston, Lancs.

- C. Y. WOODHEAD (1952-54). Dickson. UVa. G.C.E. at "O" level with passes in 6 subjects. Cert. "A" Part I.

Gone to business.

Home address: Sunny Bank, Meltham, Nr. Huddersfield, Yorks.

- W. A. WOODS (1948-54). Colbourne. UVb. 2nd XV. 1953. Colts Colours in Swimming. XL Colours. House Crests for Rugger, Athletics and Swimming. House Cricket XI. G.C.E. at "O" level with passes in 4 subjects. Cert. "A" Parts I and II. 1st Class Shot.

Gone to business.

Home address: Dartry, Devonshire Road, Douglas, Isle of Man.

SALVETE

SEPTEMBER, 1954

SCHOOL HOUSE: Appleby, A. J. (LIVa); Fachiri, D. A. R. (LVa); Thompson, J. B. (MIVb).

COLBOURNE HOUSE: Atkinson, J. B. (UIVa); Best, G. A. (UIVa); Cookson, D. A. (LIVa); Kissack, H. E. R. (UIVa); Skillicorn, N. P. (III).

DICKSON HOUSE: Butterworth, D. M. (LIVb); Dolan, A. H. (UIVb); Kinley, P. E. (LVb); MacLachlan, C. R. (UIVb); Walley, C. M. (LVa).

WALTERS HOUSE: Corlett, P. N. (UIVa); Jones, B. P. A. (UIVa); Kegg, C. J. (UIVa); Osbaldeston, G. (UVa).

JUNIOR HOUSE: Alder, S. G. (III); Bimson, A. R. (III); Bowman, A. R. (III); Corlett, E. B. (III); Cowley, C. (II); Crook, P. B. (II); Elder, W. N. P. (III); Hodson, C. McM. (III); Killen, J. A. (II); MacLachlan, R. E. (II); Noble, G. C. (II); Radcliffe, A. D. (LIVb); Shimmin, E. G. (III); Solly, M. W. (MIVa); Weale, J. (LIVa).

HUNT HOUSE: Baker, P. W. J. (II); Clague, J. F. G. (II); Dyer, R. C. (III); Heath, M. L. (LIVa); Ingram, R. E. B. (II); Kissack, B. (LIVa); McFee, G. (III); Scott, N. S. (UIVa); Standen, P. G. (II); Thompson, G. A. (II); Thompson, L. C. (II).

CHAPEL NOTES

Special Preachers

June 27	Rev. W. E. J. Cringle, Vicar of Foxdale.
July 4	Rev. F. M. Cubbon.
July 11	Archdeacon Stockwood.
July 18	Rev. E. B. Glass, Vicar of St. Olave's.
July 25	The Lord Bishop.
Oct. 17	Rev. G. G. Greswell, Vicar of Rushen.
Oct. 24	Rev. W. E. J. Cringle, Vicar of Foxdale.
Nov. 7	Bishop Strickland Taylor

Special Collections

June 20	English Cathedrals Restoration Fund	£17	1	5
July 25	Merchant Navy Convalescent Homes	£17	18	7
Nov. 7	Earl Haig Poppy Fund	£19	0	6

LIBRARY NOTES

Over two hundred books on various topics were bequeathed to College by Mr. Harold Hughes Games at the beginning of term. We were very grateful to Mr. R. J. Kenna, O.K.W., who presented some books on Science and Art at the beginning of term, and to Mr. F. R. Shimmmin, who provided many books for the fiction library some weeks later. An anonymous donor has presented College with the Royal Philatelic Society's book on George V's collection, which is perhaps one of the most beautiful books the Library possesses.

At the end of term there are plans for a complete reorganisation of the Walker Library. Now that some new shelves have been installed, there is more space to expand some sections. Five books have been bought this term with library funds for the classical section and more new books are on the way.

CAREERS NOTES

College was visited during the Summer term by Mr. Richardson, who interviewed several people. We shall not, unfortunately, see him again, as he has found another job—for himself. We were glad this term to welcome his successor as Northern Secretary, Mr. F. H. Anderson, who has entered into his task with energy and enthusiasm. It is becoming increasingly apparent that the Bureau is most helpful and efficient in its declared role, that of helping boys who have the necessary academic and personal qualifications to make contact with firms who are in need of their services. It must be repeated that the Bureau is not in any sense an employment agency which undertakes to find a job for anyone, however difficult to place. It is surely obvious that neither the Bureau nor College can afford to jeopardise the reputation that they have won with firms by recommending good candidates, by putting forward boys who are unlikely to maintain that reputation. The success of the Bureau's work is shown by a number of letters from O.K.W.'s expressing their appreciation of

the career to which it has led them. It is, of course, no kindness to anyone to manoeuvre him into a job he is not capable of holding down, and this we must not do.

The Careers Master spent four days during the holidays at a Convention where we were the guests of Esso Petroleum, visiting various other firms in the Oxford-Reading area, a visit which was both valuable and enjoyable, and on which he made contacts which it is hoped will be useful to future generations. Again, wherever we went, the same note was sounded. Paper qualifications get you your interview; the interview gets you the job. You need your G.C.E., but what a prospective employer is really looking for is character and personality, and especially, as they all repeat, Integrity—which is to-day in rather short supply.

One thing you must realise: to-day, in most employments, you will have to start at the bottom. If you are the right type, you will not stay there long; but if you are not, you will not get promotion just because you have been at a Public School. The rewards that industry offers for ability and really hard work are very large, but, as in a pyramid, there is a great deal more room at the bottom than at the top, and the higher you go the harder it becomes. How far you climb depends entirely on yourself and on no one else. In this connexion, a simple sum may interest the mathematically minded: in the Services, you may, if you do not succeed in reaching exalted rank, find yourself on retired pay of round about £500 a year in your late forties. Taking $2\frac{1}{2}\%$ as reasonable return after paying taxes and so on, how much would you have to save to get this as interest?

Again, many thanks to those who have written about their jobs. Any such information is most valuable, and it is always a great pleasure to hear from old friends.

W.K.S.

CORRESPONDENCE

OXFORD LETTER

To the Editor of the "Barrovian."
Sir,

We are glad to see an increase in our numbers this Term—so far we have unearthed eleven O.K.W.'s from their various haunts. Should there be any others hidden away in this seat of learning, we ask them to step forward and be identified.

St. Peter's Hall have the largest contingent this year. Old-stagers Noel Turner and "Charlie" Caine are still around, we hear. Noel has just received a Degree but stays with us to play Rugger and indulge in the other delights of Oxford. "Chas." meanwhile, after obtaining that—to the majority—mythical object, a "First," remains in Oxford to carry out that equally mythical task known as "research." We can only hazard guesses as to what he is actually "researching." John Harper and Clifford Cowley are Freshmen at S.P.H. but both have settled in happily. John plays Rugger and arouses much admiration by the beauty of his knees as he strides out in Scout uniform. He also professes continuous sobriety—we wish him the best of luck! Clifford, it is said, is always holding delightful

tête-à-tête tea parties behind locked doors, but he never invites us. His other sport is Rugger.

At St. John's we have two representatives. Michael Perry is a Freshman, and plays, among other things, Rugger. He is also a very enthusiastic promoter of friendly relations between St. John's and St. Hilda's. On the way up to Mike's room one passes through an atmosphere of "Castrol R" exuding from John Cannell's abode. A shouted greeting always elicits a lusty invitation to come in and hear the news of the latest Norton, and to partake of coffee and pancakes. John's pancakes are quite an institution and their traces on ceiling and walls do nothing to deter one from their delights.

Brian Stoner, at Keble, is another old-stager. Brian still tinkers with old motor-cycles, and both with, and in, old cars. Ian Scott, at Merton, is rapidly qualifying for the title of a Grand Old Man of Oxford. He is not seen about very much, although he can probably be found pursuing a boat down the Towpath whilst festooned with stop-watches, pistols and speaking-trumpet.

Finally, we come to a trio at Worcester. A previously "unknown" O.K.W. has been unearthed here—C. B. Carr, who was in Hunt House 1942-45. Chris, who is in his second year, is a shining light in the Boat Club, being cox of the College Eight. Robert Lewin and Ronald Shimmin complete our list. Bob, the fourth and last of our Freshers, throws out his chest and strides out manfully with the Cross Country team, with some success we should add. He ran for Worcester in "Cuppers" and performed well enough to be awarded College Representative Colours. Meanwhile, Ron claims to be having a quiet Term. He plays Fives, performs in various musical functions and says that his only exciting episodes this Term have been when he once had a near miss on the Dean's window with a rocket, and when on another occasion he was frog-marched round the town beneath a leopard-skin rug.

Finally, we hasten to point out that as well as the various activities mentioned so far, we also endeavour to satisfy the demands of despairing Tutors by attending lectures and producing weekly essays which we, at least, consider brilliant even though the feeling may not always be mutual. We shall always be glad to see visitors from College, and to the inhabitants of the "Other Place" we say—come over some time and see how a Real University is run. To the sound of percolating coffee we close the epistle for this Term, and assure you that,

We remain, Sir,

Your ever-loyal,

OXONIENSES

CAMBRIDGE LETTER

To the Editor of the "Barrovian."

Sir,

The following letter appeared in the University newspaper a short while ago:

"Cambridge undergraduates are lazier, more irresponsible than

students in any other university They defer coming to grips with life, and fritter away their time drinking badly-made coffee, exchanging childish chatter, and reading stale magazines in college reading-rooms."

This is not, as could well be imagined, the jealous criticism of our sister university, but the considered opinion of a foreign visitor to Cambridge. Each one of the O.K.W.'s now present in Cambridge—the accused—will therefore present an account of his doings, so that the reader may then sit in judgment upon us, and decide for himself. But if, as at the Conservative party conference this year, a self-congratulatory note creeps into our discourse we beg your forgiveness. The depressions of Tripos are far away, and behind us is a Long Vac. well spent. In fact, we can almost pretend that we have not a care in the world.

Our numbers remain unchanged, and we are therefore six, the first of us being: Henry Corlett, of Downing. Henry during the Long Vac. came "abroad" to England for a brief period of time, to shovel peas, and to read maths books during breaks in the factory routine. Juan Kelly (Emmanuel), after an arduous two months as a factory labourer, then developed a preference for a warmer climate, and went to the South of France, with a view to 'perfecting' (sic) his French. Gordon Moore (also of Emmanuel) made a somewhat boisterous tour by car North of the Border, aided and abetted by a Celtic friend. We hear that the combination of Welsh and Manx almost proved too much for Scotland. Gordon then returned to the Island to save its harvest. Alan Smith (Peterhouse), Dick Waters (Emmanuel) and Bill Young (Christ's) have proved singularly reticent about their vacation activities, but we are assured that they were profitably employed. But the Long Vac. is now little more than a pleasant memory, and we must now consider our present activities, for the Christmas Vac. is close upon us.

Corlett has been playing Rugger for his college side—a cauliflower ear of the most imposing proportions can testify to this! Waters and Kelly are secretary and assistant secretary of the college Rugger club, whilst no Emmanuel side is complete without Moore. Bill Young, this year's secretary of the University Boxing Club, has been boxing at regular intervals, usually with success. The elusive Smith is to us but a name, although we hear that the corporeal part of his being performs most nobly on behalf of the Peterhouse 1st Boat.

Academically, we think (hopefully) that K.W.C. masters would not complain of their former pupils, since in the Tripos of this summer we had four seconds, one third and a special to our credit. Who got the special? To spare his blushes, no names will be mentioned. Anyway, he is working harder this year.

Now we must away to our badly-made coffee, our stale magazines and our childish chatter. For as Cervantes said, "The bow cannot possibly stand always bent, nor can human frailty subsist without some lawful recreation," and who are we to argue with Cervantes?

Yours sincerely,

CANTABRIGIENSES

END OF TERM CONCERT

In the era of the long-playing hi-fi gramophone record, when all that one has to do to hear fine music played by the world's best artists is to pull a switch and drop a needle in the right groove, amateur music has inevitably lost much of its appeal. To play the piano or to sing in the choir, of course, are as enjoyable as they ever were, but to listen to the performances of one's amateur friends is not always so pleasant, because in spite of oneself one cannot help comparing, say, the violinists with Yehudi Menuhin, the tenors with Gigli. In this respect the organiser of an amateur concert is not so lucky as a producer of amateur theatricals, for the standard of competence needed before a performance becomes tolerable is much lower in dramatics than it is in music; we forgive a bad actor much more readily than we forgive an inaccurate pianist. Now I do not say these things to make excuses for this year's concert; it needs no excuses. I say them rather to emphasise how hard Mr. Watkins and his musicians must have worked to make the concert so enjoyable. There was the occasional unsuccessful item, of course, but in general the standard was high and the entertainment value considerable. Moreover, a marked improvement was noticeable in nearly all departments since the Easter term.

The orchestra played with invigorating spirit and attack, rather erratically at times but always as if they were enjoying themselves. Haydn's *Surprise Symphony* may have included one or two surprises unintended by the composer, but certainly not nearly so many as some members of the audience were expecting. Mr. Watkins encouraged his players into some delightful and tuneful playing, both in this piece and the *Rosamunde*, which was completely in the spirit of the two scores. The conductor's own arrangement of 'To a Wild Rose' unfortunately did not come over so well. In this piece the oboe and the clarinet were so inaudible that the flute, playing the underpart, was the only woodwind instrument to be heard—with unhappy effect. It occurs to me that the orchestra are perhaps rather handicapped by being isolated from the audience on our padded cell of a stage with its heavy curtains all around them. It is noticeable in house plays that many lines tend to get swallowed by the curtains if the actors do not stand right forward and speak out to the audience. This must surely apply even more to musical instruments; certainly visiting soloists like Florence Hooton and Joan Taylor take very good care to place themselves just as far forward as they can without toppling over. Could not the orchestra be placed in front of the stage with the choir banked behind them? It would be worth trying at any rate.

Among the soloists Norris was outstanding. He has gained confidence, and is now playing really well. Not only does he produce all the right notes but he shows sensitive musical feeling in his intonation, and is most pleasant to listen to. Scott, playing the original version of my favourite organ voluntary, seemed not to know it very well and did it less than justice. Paul-Jones and Wallis, on the other hand, knew their pieces too well perhaps and played them a little mechanically though pleasingly enough. The treble duets of Hardy and Crook were quite delightful.

Once again it was the choir who stole the laurels of the evening. Their performance of Parry's motet, a difficult anthem of cathedral standard, was beautiful—an impression which was renewed when they sang it in chapel on the following Sunday. In a totally different mood they scored another success with Walford Davies 'Three Huntsmen.' But for me the most appealing item of the programme was an encore by the male voice choir, 'Gaudeamus Igitur.' The words were perfectly clear, the different parts blended most effectively, and in short the singers really gave one the impression that 'music is fun.'

This surely is the most important criterion for judging an end of term concert like this—that performers and audience should go away feeling it has all been fun. I do not mean that the standard should be lowered in any way, or that serious works should be excluded, but rather that the whole evening should be dominantly a gay one, filled with the sort of sensible good humour that one gets at a Saturday evening Prom. Very often during this concert such an atmosphere did exist, notably during the choral items, the vivacious 'Skaters' Waltz,' played by Mr. Watkins and J. E. Crowe, 'Passing By' and 'Gaudeamus.' That it was not present throughout was largely due, it seemed to me, to the fact that the performers were frightened of the audience and could not relax. Next year can the audience manage to be a little less frightening?

R.H.T.

PROGRAMME

Ballet Music—Rosamunde	Schubert
The Orchestra	
First Movement, Piano Sonata in C	Mozart
D. J. Shackleton	
Sailor's Dance	Carse
G. E. Green and F. W. Cannell	
Motet—My Soul, there is a Country	Parry
The Choir	
To a Wild Rose	MacDowell
The Orchestra	
It was a Lover and his Lass	Morley
Loch Lomond	Traditional
R. Hardy and M. J. Crook	
First Movement—Moonlight Sonata	Beethoven
J. A. Wallis	
Passing By	Purcell
The Male Voice Choir	
Serenade	Heykens
Gavotte	Gossec
C. Norris	
Andante and Minuet—the Surprise Symphony	Haydn
The Orchestra	
INTERVAL	

Rustic Dance	R. Butterworth	Bousquet
Good Fellows, be Merry—Peasant Cantata	J. D. Carr	Bach
Largo and Gigue—Sonata IX	S. G. S. Scott	Corelli
Spring Song	D. Paul-Jones	Mendelssohn
The Skaters' Waltz	J. E. Crowe and Mr. J. J. F. Watkins	Waulteufel
The Three Huntsmen	The Choir	Walford-Davies
College Songs		

FOUNDER'S DAY

Once again the Gym was packed for Founder's Day, as H.E. the Lieutenant Governor made his entrance to the strains of the National Anthem. Perhaps the masters and trustees looked just a shade more glamorous this year than usual, discreetly illuminated by the stage lighting shining on the tall shrubs and the revolving book-case. A microphone was suspended above the speakers' table, and a low, continuous drone could just be heard from the amplifiers throughout the proceedings.

After the Bursar had read the Commemoration of Benefactors, the Governor called on the Principal to give his report for the year. He began by welcoming the guest of honour, Sir Joseph Qualtrough, saying how proud and delighted we all were when his great services to the Isle of Man were rewarded with a knighthood. The Principal recalled Sir Joseph's witty speech at the dinner last December celebrating the Jubilee match against Liverpool College. "Those of us who were privileged to be present were proud that he was, so to speak, on our side, just as he was a tower of strength on our side fifty years ago." The Principal regretted that the Bishop was unable to be present, owing to the Convocation at York. He had always shown a great interest in College, and his friendship and wisdom would be greatly missed. We had always enjoyed his visits to College, especially when he brought Mrs. Taylor with him.

The Principal then spoke of the two trustees who had died since last year. Captain Philips, he said, gave valuable, loyal and unselfish service to College through his twenty years as a governor and later as a trustee. "He was a man of great personal charm, a charm which was no veneer but which sprang from a kind and Christian heart." It was impossible to record all that Harold Hughes-Games had done for College in the time available. "During these last twenty years he lived and worked for College, and almost the whole of his considerable estate will in due course form a trust fund to provide scholarships at College. I make no apology for repeating what I have said publicly, and once at a prize-giving,

before. He was our second founder, and without doubt the greatest figure in College history."

Referring to the Honours List, the Principal said it was an unusually attractive one, though somewhat abbreviated by the failure of some old boys to report their successes until two or three years after the event. He mentioned in particular the scholarships won by P. N. Skrine and D. F. Paul-Jones, the Deemstership of J. A. Cain, the promotion of H. H. C. Sugden to Major-General, the Polar Medal awarded to J. E. Tonkin, and finally W. Young's boxing blue.

"The two open scholarships and a good list of G.C.E. successes indicate that steady and successful work is being done. Just over a year ago in a broadcast play called 'The Mollusc' the following lines appeared: 'Some people are like a mollusc of the sea, which clings to a rock and lets the sea-tide flow over its head. Molluscing is not the same as laziness—not altogether. The lazy flow with the tide. The mollusc uses force to resist pressure. It's amazing the amount of force a mollusc will use, to do nothing.' Well, perhaps we have a mollusc or two, and certainly an occasional mollusc arrives here. But in general it is safe to say that the average boy here does his fair share of useful and productive work."

The Principal then repeated what he said a year ago—that in general the proper time for National Service is immediately after leaving school—and added that this view was supported unanimously by public school headmasters at a recent meeting. He also paid tribute to the inspiration and energy of Mr. Usherwood, who has left us to take up a similar position on the mainland. The strong classical sixth which we now have was largely built up by him.

The Principal then turned to the building schemes. The new building near Junior House, he said, is proving of great value and early last June the projected scheme for building two additional dormitories for Colbourne House, together with various ancillary alterations, was begun. At the same time the rebuilding of the area damaged by the fire was also started. Alterations to the Art School have greatly improved its appearance, and have made it possible for the music practice rooms to be moved away from the main building. The 'bumps' in the Hundred and College Road have been successful in abating the dangers caused by motor vehicles using private College roads as a short cut to and from Derbyhaven.

Last year's young XV had an unimpressive record, but was willing to learn and steadily improved as it gained experience. Seven of that team returned this year and started well by winning a close and exciting match against Rossall. The cricket XI, which started full of promise, also had a lean season so far as school matches were concerned. "That the ability was there was shown particularly in two club matches. In one of them our opening pair scored over a hundred before being separated, and in the other, one of our two fixtures against Mr. James Green's XI from Preston, some steady batting enabled us to score a satisfactory total which proved more than sufficient for the opposition. This team annually provides most enjoyable games, two in the same week. Invariably they play entertaining and joyous cricket, and the boys learn a lot from them,

both about cricket and cricket manners. It is easily our oldest fixture, and (if my researches are correct) they paid their first visit to College in 1887. We owe them a debt of warm gratitude for maintaining the fixtures during these stringent times and hope that they will long continue."

The Principal ended by thanking all the members of the domestic and teaching staff for their loyal and arduous co-operation. He mentioned especially Miss Heaslett, "tireless, cheerful and brilliantly competent," and Miss Carless, "the doyen of our matrons, who retired at the end of last term. She gave more than twenty-five years' devoted service to College, and since devotion by itself is not necessarily enough, I must pay tribute to her kindness, to her skill, to her humour and to her strong sense of discipline. May she make a speedy recovery from her illness and have many happy years of retirement." Finally he expressed his gratitude to the Trustees, and to the Governor as their Chairman, for the encouragement of their unflagging interest.

The Governor thanked the Principal for his report and then introduced Sir Joseph Qualtrough, dwelling particularly on the importance of his work as Speaker of the House of Keys. Sir Joseph began frankly by confessing that he disliked public occasions such as the present one where everybody looked so serious. (At this point the audience made a noticeable attempt to look happier, which was easy for Sir Joseph's speech was both witty and provocative.) On more than one Founder's Day he had not been in the Gym but a mile away trying to lower his golf handicap. It was fifty years since he had left College, and there had been many changes in those fifty years; perhaps the discipline was better then (but he wasn't sure); perhaps the life was harder and a bit more difficult (but again he wasn't sure). Certainly the music issuing from the college buildings was of a very different character. He spoke of the Principal, masters and boys of his time, and mentioned the epitaph on the headstone over Walters' grave in Malew churchyard:

"One who never turned his back but marched breast forward,

Never doubted clouds would break,

Never dreamed, though right were worsted, wrong would triumph,

Held we fall to rise, are baffled to fight better,

Sleep to wake."

These words, said Sir Joseph, applied not only to Walters but to practically all the masters who have served College through the years. He was glad that so many Manx boys were at College now and hoped they too would take away that sense of duty which had always in the past inspired members of the school.

After the prize-giving the Archdeacon briefly thanked Sir Joseph, who replied by asking the Principal to grant a half holiday in honour of the occasion. This request and its granting, having been dramatically delayed, were received with loud applause. Parents and visitors were afterwards entertained to tea in the Barrovian Hall by the Principal and Mrs. Wilson, and the usual excellent art and handicraft displays were on view at the Art School and the workshops.

HONOURS LIST, 1953-54

ACADEMIC:

- C. A. Caine (1942-49)—
Class 1, Mathematics Finals; B.A. Oxford.
- W. R. Costain (1941-48)—
M.B., Ch.B.
- P. S. Fitt (1947-50)—
B.Sc. (Special) Chem., 1st class honours, London ;
A.R.C.S., 1st class honours.
- J. H. Kelly (1942-50):
Class 2, Modern Language Tripos Part 1.
French (1953) and Spanish (1954).
- A. R. Muir, M.B., Ch.B. (1938-43)—
Lecturer in Anatomy, Edinburgh.
- D. G. Muir (1940-45)—
B.Sig (Tech.), A.M.C.T. Manchester.
- D. F. Paul-Jones (1947-54)—
John Patterson Scholarship (for Mathematics, Physics,
Chemistry), Liverpool.
State Scholarship (awarded by Ministry of Education).
- H. Procter-Gregg, B.A., Mus.B., A.R.C.M. (1907-14)—
Professor of Music, Manchester.
- A. C. Sayle (1945-51)—
B.Sc. Forestry, Aberdeen.
- I. W. Scott (1941-50)—
Class 2, Chemistry Finals:
B.A. Oxford.
- P. N. Skrine (1949-53)—
Major Scholarship (Modern Languages), Corpus Christi
College, Cambridge.
- W. Young (1945-52)—
Class 2, English Tripos Part 1.

GENERAL:

- P. G. Black (1938-47)—
L.D.S.
- H. J. Cain (1938-47)—
L.D.S.
- J. A. Cain, M.A. (1920-25)—
Deemster.
- T. R. Cowell (1929-39)—
Assistant Resident Commissioner for the New Hebrides.
- J. F. Crellin, M.C. (1903-07)—
O.B.E.
- S. C. Easton, Ph.D. (1918-26)—
Assistant Prof. of Hist. at the City College of New York.
- G. C. Madoc (1922-30)—
King's Police and Fire Services Medal (for distinguished
service in Malaya).
- Lt.-Col. R. W. Madoc, O.B.E., R.M. (1916-26)—
Promoted to Colonel.
- Lt.-Col. G. L. Peace, T.D. (1908-12)—
O.B.E.

- J. D. Qualtrough, C.B.E., S.H.K. (1899-1905)—
Knight Bachelor.
Brigadier H. H. C. Sugden, C.B.E., D.S.O., R.E. (1917-21)—
Promoted to Major General; C.B.
S. G. Swaminadhan, M.A., Ll.B. (1924-28)—
State Prosecutor, Madras.
J. E. Tonkin, M.C. (1934-38)—
Polar Medal for meritorious and efficient service in the
Antarctic.
W. Young (1945-52)—
Boxing Blue, Cambridge.

GENERAL CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION, JULY, 1954 (Oxford and Cambridge School Examination Board)

Passes at Advanced Level (candidates in UVI)
Only boys who gained 2 or more "A" passes are recorded.

Carr J D	Latin, Greek, Ancient History
Chantler A J C	Latin, Ancient History
Griffin D	Latin, Greek, Ancient History
Kinley G D	Latin, Greek, Ancient History
Scott S G S	Latin, Greek, Ancient History
de Villiers A R W	Latin, English
Goldsmith J E	Latin, German

Maddrell G K French, German

Harper R G	Higher Mathematics, Physics
White P W	Higher Mathematics (distinction)
Wood E E	Higher Mathematics

(Note: Higher Mathematics counts as two subjects.)

Bregazzi P K	Chemistry, Zoology, Botany
Cowin F	Mathematics, Physics
George D B	Mathematics, Physics
Howarth J R	Mathematics, Physics
Kneen B C	Physics, Biology
Paul-Jones D F	Mathematics, Physics (distin.), Chemistry
Skillicorn I O	Mathematics, Physics (distin.), Chemistry
Stott R T D	Zoology, Botany
Turner M H	Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry

Passes at Ordinary Level (Candidates in UVa or UVb):
Only boys who gained 3 or more "O" passes are recorded.

Adam J G	Higgins M B
Barlow J K	Honey P J
Barr-Hamilton D J	Jackson B K
Barwell B F	Kelly M J
Bell J G	Kelly L P
Boulton M	Kerr I D
Breadner J D	Kissack P R

Bull R D	Kneen R M
Cannell M H	Lightfoot W R
Casement E B	Lord M J
Clark J D F	McHarrie J C
Connor T A J E	Midgley J K
Corran R H	Morpeth R S
Crowe J E	Nunnington C
Crowe W N	Richardson B L
Devereau G M	Shimmin P H
Dixon R	Turner J D
Dodsworth J F	Watson J D B
Duncan J A	Watson J E Q
Foster R G	White N J C
Foulds R T	Wilkins D L
Galbraith H A	Wilkins J R
Gibb J D	Woodhead C Y
Harding B W	Woods D R
Hartley C T M	Woods W A

PRIZE LIST, 1953-54

Bequest Prizes

1. Kempson Divinity Prize (Not awarded)
2. Walker History and Historical Geography Prize: T. W. Shillinglaw
3. Mitchell Prize for General Knowledge: P. C. H. Newbold
4. Edgar Heald Prizes for General Knowledge:
 - Senior—
 - (1) P. C. H. Newbold (2) D. J. Cowley (3) E. E. Wood
 - Junior—
 - (1) I. F. Skidmore (2) A. Q. Bashforth (3) R. B. Wallis
5. Walker Greek Prize: G. D. Kinley
6. Canon James Kewley Science Prize: I. O. Skillicorn
7. Beatson Science Prizes:
 - Biology: P. K. Bregazzi
 - Chemistry: D. F. Paul-Jones
 - Physics: I. O. Skillicorn
8. Kelly Manx Prize: (Not awarded)
9. Sir Frederick Clucas Choir Prizes:
 - M. J. Crook (Treble), F. W. Cannell (Alto), H. D. Cowin (Alto).
 - J. D. Carr (Bass), P. K. Bregazzi (Bass).
10. Charles Cotterill Lynam Drawing Prizes:
 - UV: P. J. Honey LIV: A. Weale
 - LV: E. L. Jones III: M. C. Cannell
 - UIV: D. A. Barr-Hamilton II: I. W. B. K. Brown
 - MIV: C. K. Spittall
11. Archdeacon Kewley Mathematics Prize: P. W. White
12. T. W. Cain Memorial Prize for Classics: G. D. Kinley
13. The George Edward Kewley Prize for Pure Mathematics: P. W. White

14. The Bishop William Stanton Jones Prize for Head of School: R. T. D. Stott
 15. The H. G. W. Hughes-Games Prize for Latin Prose: A. J. C. Chantler
 16. The H. G. W. Hughes-Games Prize for English Essay: P. S. J. Zatz

Special Prizes

17. Greek Prose Prize: G. D. Kinley
 18. French Prose Prize: B. D. Kaneen
 19. English Poem Prize: A. J. C. Chantler
 20. English Speaking and Reading Prizes:
 Reading: Senior School: (1) J. D. Carr and H. A. Galbraith
 Middle School: (1) D. A. Wood; (2) J. A. Caine
 Junior School: (1) P. G. A. Watson; (2) A. Weale
 Speaking: Senior School: (1) J. D. Carr; (2) J. S. Gillespie
 Middle School: (1) D. A. Wood; (2) J. A. Caine
 Junior School: (1) J. N. D. Hedges; (2) P. G. A. Watson
 21. Mathematical Problem Prize:
 "Reginald Walter Smith Prize": R. G. Harper and P. W. White
 22. Handicraft Prizes:
 UV : E. B. Casement
 LV : D. C. Phoenix
 UIV: J. Q. Cannell
 23. Music Prize: S. G. S. Scott
 24. Isle of Man Scientific Society Prize: I. O. Skillicorn
 25. Col. H. S. Wood Ornithological Prize: D. J. Cowley

General Form Prizes

UPPER V—

- English J. D. B. Watson
 History and Geography: D. J. Barr-Hamilton
 Latin J. D. B. Watson
 French and German: D. R. Woods
 Mathematics—"Algernon Richard Prestwich Prize": C. Y. Woodhead
 Science: J. G. Adam
 Scripture—"Bishop Drury Divinity Prize": I. D. Kerr

LOWER V—

- English Subjects: J. M. Pedder
 Latin and Greek: P. Y. Holloway
 French and German: A. H. Johnson
 Mathematics—"George Mercer Tandy Prize": M. T. Killip
 Science: C. Norris
 Form Prize: T. J. Brennan
 Scripture—"Bishop Drury Divinity Prize": P. J. Upton-Jones

UPPER IV—

English Subjects:	P. G. Adcock
Latin and Greek—"The Sansbury Prize":	N. B. K. Gill
French and German:	D. C. F. Smith
Mathematics:	R. C. Birchenough
Science:	D. A. Barr-Hamilton
Form Prize (UIVB):	P. A. Davies
Scripture—"Bishop Drury Divinity Prize":	R. Griffin

MIDDLE IV—

English Subjects:	E. C. Christian
Latin:	E. C. Christian
French:	F. S. Brennan
Mathematics and Science:	F. S. Brennan
Improvement Prize:	S. B. Green
Scripture—"Bishop Drury Divinity Prize":	W. L. B. Stott

LOWER IV—

English Subjects:	J. W. de Figueiredo
Latin and French:	J. W. de Figueiredo
Mathematics:	J. W. de Figueiredo
Scripture—"Bishop Drury Divinity Prize":	J. Ht. Kennaugh

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FORM III—

English Subjects:	J. A. L. Jones
Arithmetic:	M. L. Parkes
Improvement Prize:	J. Stewart
Scripture:	M. L. Parkes

FORM II—

English Subjects:	D. K. Ramsbottom
Arithmetic:	D. K. Ramsbottom
Scripture:	T. W. B. Cullen

ADMISSIONS TO UNIVERSITIES, 1953-54

The following boys gained University admissions during the year ending September, 1954. The year given is the year for which entrance was obtained, and the subjects to be studied are also given.

OXFORD

Harper R. G. St. Peter's Hall 1954 Maths and Physics
 Kaneen B. D. St. John's College 1956 Modern Languages
 White P. W. Jesus College 1956 Maths

CAMBRIDGE

Bregazzi P. K. Christ's College 1956 Natural Sciences.
 Carr J. D. Christ's College 1956 Classics
 Scott S G S Christ's College 1957 Classics
 Shillinglaw T. W. Selwyn College 1956 Estate Management
 Skrine P. N. Corpus Christi College 1956 Modern Languages
 (Major Scholar)
 Stott R. T. D. Magdalene College 1956 Law

LONDON

Skillicorn I. O. Imperial College of Science and Technology 1954
 Physics.

LIVERPOOL

Kinley G. D. 1954 Classics.
 Paul-Jones D. F. (Major Scholar) 1954 Physics
 Turner M.H. 1954 B.Comm. Course.

MANCHESTER

Dunkerley A. G. College of Technology 1954 Textile Industries.
 Griffin D. 1954 Law.

ST. ANDREWS

Cowley D. J. 1954 Medicine.

 THE OPEN AIR

From the fly-fishers' point of view, perhaps it has been rather a poor season; on the other hand it was the threadliners' paradise. Small artificial devons proved most effective, but very few trout could refuse a worm fished downstream in coloured water. In the early Spring, a considerable amount of damage was done on the Neb and Silverburn by exceptionally high water. A recent flood has, however, revived the Santon and Silverburn rivers, and many grilse and large sea-trout have been running upstream. On the Silverburn, the weir below Brookfield Drive has proved an obstacle to running fish but nevertheless many have cleared it. I think that the Fisheries Board might set about constructing a salmon ladder on two of the more precipitous falls on the Silverburn, one in Silverdale Glen and the other just outside Ballasalla. This would enable the fish to move further and help to eliminate poaching. But the season is not yet over; there is still a month to go from the time of writing, so perhaps there is a chance of that really big one yet !

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The Principal's greenhouse seems to have a great attraction for birds of the thrush family. About a week ago, when I was in Dorm making my bed, I saw something fluttering around inside the greenhouse. I knew at once what had happened as last term I had investigated it. There are three or four panes of glass missing from

the roof of the greenhouse and birds, presumably attracted by the heat, fly in. Once inside they panic and fly from one side to the other, hitting the glass violently with their heads.

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The harvest was initially good, but the rains and winds which came at the crucial moment ruined it. Farmers with combine harvesters were fortunate, and did not feel the full effect of the bad weather. They were in a position to help other farmers, who had most of their harvest lying on the ground. The crops that were cut and stooked remained out for many weeks of rainy days, and began to turn black when the sun was not forthcoming. The dry spell just before the beginning of term enabled many farmers to get their crops in. Throughout the Island harvesting continued day and night, and some farmers gathered all their crops into their barns during this short spell. But there were still some fields with cut corn ungathered, and some with uncut corn in early November, and one farmer was cutting corn on November 3rd, probably with the intention of burning it. It is a different tale with the potato crop, which was successfully harvested and stored for the winter requirements.

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During the last few weeks a plague has been spreading over Langness; myxomatosis. Rabbits, which a few weeks ago were so healthy that it took the utmost skill to get within twenty yards of them without being detected, now lie in the middle of the path or by the hedges with their heads swollen. Their eyes are enlarged or covered with eyelids from between which oozes matter. Their ears seem like stalks and their mouths and noses swell so they can hardly breathe. To see one staggering along, bumping into things, makes one hope that an anti-toxin will soon be developed.

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I cannot remember any season in which so many flowers have finished so early. Last year, even in December, one could generally find one or two Burnet roses, their fragrance but a last echo of the summer, among the gorse and ling on Langness. This year there were only berries in September. But the first part of the term did yield a few golden stars of the biting stonecrop—whose bright flowers are called "Welcome home husband though never so drunk" in some parts of the country. I also found some sea spurrey, several campions and the last ends of ling, thyme and eyebright on Langness. But restharrow has finished early, as have the autumnal squills, leaving many empty spots which should be filled with flowers. The sea aster was looking very unhappy and bedraggled in the salt marsh in front of the Haunted House, but the seablite and glasswort—although not very attractive—made up for their plainness by their profusion. The burdock still had a few sticky flowers in October and I also found two plants of chicory near Derbyhaven. Derbyhaven also yields some soapwort—so called because its leaves lather when rubbed in water—and some viper's bugloss, the hairy stem still bearing a few red and a few blue flowers. But the best-known herb growing near to College is the bitter wormwood, long esteemed as a magic plant, and as such often carved on the stalls of mediæval churches, though now sunk into obloquy because of its use in

absinthe. The only flower which has not yet put in an appearance is the winter heliotrope whose beautifully-perfumed spikes of small flowers will probably arrive in December.

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During a stroll towards Derbyhaven in the autumn I saw a sight which I hope never to witness again. A large seagull rested on an airport navigation light for a moment and in so doing chased away a smaller bird. This bird fluttered and scolded for a minute, and then on a sudden impulse flew away. I decided he had given up and started to walk on; but I was mistaken. A flock of small birds started up from a patch of long grass and flew as straight as a die for the seagull. This unfortunate bird took fright and tried to escape, but with much flapping and chirping the smaller creatures overtook their victim and proceeded to mob him and peck him viciously. The poor thing's cries were awful and it was not for at least two long minutes that the attackers desisted. They melted away as quickly as they had arrived and the gull limped away through the sky to its nest and a sympathetic mate.

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Oil has led to the pitiful death of many seabirds, as anyone who has walked by Castletown Bay in the last few months knows. Tankers, or other cargo vessels, discharge waste oil into the sea, forming a film over a large area. This will drift for a long time, expanding in the wake of the ship, and the feathers of a bird, which has alighted on or has otherwise come into contact with it, are fouled. The feathers will congeal and prevent the bird from flying. An attempt to preen itself will only make matters worse, as the head will become infected as well. In frantic efforts to rid itself of this unsightly pestilence, the bird will arrive at a state of utter exhaustion and give up hope, allowing itself to drift helplessly with the tide. A bird impeded in this matter is unable to seek for food and so will slowly starve to death. It is washed up on the shore and joins the carcasses of other birds which have suffered this cruel menace.

FORTY YEARS AGO

FROM "BARROVIANS" Nos. 104/5/6, of 1914

Mumps, chicken-pox and measles in the Easter term caused the cancellation of the Steeplechase and the postponement of the Sports until the Summer term.

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The Head of the School was H. Proctor-Gregg, now Professor of Music at Manchester University. He was succeeded in the Autumn by E. P. Cropper, who gained an M.C. and a Croix-de-Guerre (1st Class) before being killed towards the end of the War.

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W. Beckton (also killed in 1918) won the Public Schools Sabre Championship at Aldershot, while F. H. Mellor was 4th in the Foils Competition.

The Senior Debating Society decided (by 14 votes to 13) that it did not believe in Ghosts and (by 29 votes to 4) that it had "entirely lost all confidence in the present (Liberal) Government."

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The Junior Debating Society voted that the Horse was more useful than the Motor, that conscription was necessary, that the Navy was more useful than the Army and that Free Trade was to be preferred to Tariff Reform.

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The *Daily Mail* aeroplane landed on College field and the boys were permitted to inspect it.

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The Cricket XI was captained, for the second year, by A. Galloway and his vice-captain was A. H. Kissack, now better known as Lieut.-Col. Kissack and Swordbearer to His Excellency the Lieut.-Governor at Tynwald. They had a poor season but won their only inter-school game against Birkenhead.

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At the Prize-giving in July, the Principal deplored the absence of candidates for the scholarships open to Manx boys and looked forward to the day when entry to K.W.C. would be available, through scholarships, from the elementary and secondary schools of the Island.

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College appeared at Bisley for the first time, finishing 44th out of 52

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O.T.C. Camp was curtailed by the outbreak of war on August 4th. The officers, and all cadets over 17, tried to volunteer for Active Service immediately but were refused. Two, however, enlisted at Liverpool on their way home and must have been the first Manxmen to volunteer, as the I.o.M. did not declare war on Germany until August 7th.

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Many of the Senior boys left prematurely to train for commissions; four of the nine Praes. left during the Autumn term. School numbers dropped from 172 in July, 1914, to a low record of 143 in early 1916.

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The O.T.C. provided a party of about 50 cadets on several occasions to escort German prisoners from the steamers to their Camp. Parties left College at about 4.0 a.m. and returned in mid-morning. Issued with live ammunition, they can fairly claim to be the only Officers Training Corps to be used on Active Service. In addition, selected N.C.O.'s were used to train Manx volunteers and British Army enlistments during the holidays.

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The first list of Old Boys serving in the Forces was published and there was a natural emphasis on O.T.C. activities in the accounts of happenings during the Autumn term.

The Football XV was confined to games against scratch Douglas teams and was continually losing its best players to the Forces. Frost ruined the Christmas games against Liverpool and Birkenhead.

R. L. T.

THE HOUSES

SCHOOL HOUSE

Housemaster: R. W. H. Boyns, Esq.

Head of House: R. Q. Cannell.

Sub-Praepositor: D. B. George

House Praepositors: K. Lang, S. R. Donaldson, J. T. Arthur.

This term we welcome Miss Skillicorn and hope she will have as long a stay as Miss Carless.

In cricket, our Juniors were runners-up to Dickson, a repetition of last year's performance—in fact they were unlucky not to win. In the Shooting we were beaten by Dickson.

We congratulate Stott on a fourth year in the 1st XI, S. R. Donaldson on being awarded his 1st XI Cap, M. B. Butterworth and J. D. Turner on 2nd XI Caps and N. J. Q. Howarth, the Captain of Colts, on being reawarded his Colts cap. J. P. Cullen gained his 2nd Colours for swimming. The House Shooting Cup was won by C. N. Frost.

In the House Play our young actors gave a very creditable performance. We should like to thank Mr. Keyte for all the time he devoted to supervising the production.

Congratulations to D. F. Paul-Jones on being awarded a State Scholarship.

This term we have had visits from W. A. Gillberry, D. Coats and P. Lowe.

COLBOURNE HOUSE.

Housemaster: A. J. Bailey, Esq.

Head of House: B. K. Colvin.

Sub-Praepositor: J. D. Wightman.

House Praepositors: I. M. Walker, J. D. Breadner, W. R. Lightfoot.

This term we extend a hearty welcome to our new assistant housemaster, Mr. Tucker, who, with his varied interests and his willingness to lend a hand when needed, should prove a valuable asset.

Last term was an unsuccessful one in sport. After keeping the Senior Cricket Shield we lost the Shooting Shield to Dickson and it is with great regret that we write of the loss of the Swimming Shield, after five years, to our great rivals, Dickson. Together with the Athletics and the Relays it had been regarded as almost a permanent institution. In the Junior Cricket the side performed quite creditably, beating the two strongest houses, but lack of experience lost them the other two matches.

At last the members of the Junior Dormitory have returned from the Sanatorium to their old dormitory. It is not yet a home from home, but it is hoped that next term both it and the new Senior Dormitory above it will provide the finest dormitory accommodation in the school.

1st XI Cricket Colours were gained by Colvin, Foulds R. and McDonald; 2nd XI by W. N. Crowe and D. Foulds; Colts by Higgins.

1st Swimming were given to A. G. Dunkerley and J. M. James; 2nd to McDonald and Crowe; Colts to James C. and Nunnington.

DICKSON HOUSE

Housemaster: G. C. Kelly, Esq.

Head of House: W R. Kneen.

Sub-Praepositors: M. Faruque, J. E. Goldsmith, S. Quirk

D. M. Taggart

House Praepositor: W. J. Caveen.

Last year we said goodbye to Mr. Usherwood who has been looking after our interests for the last five years—easily a record stay for a Dickson house-master in recent times. We thank him for all he has done for us, both individually and as a house, and wish him and Mrs. Usherwood the best of luck in his new post at Warwick School.

This term we welcome Mr. Kelly as our new house-master. His enthusiasm for all house activities is affecting us all; indeed, it is even rumoured that two particularly senior and particularly water-shy members of the House have been seen at early dip. We also welcome Mr. Keyte as assistant house-master.

Those with weak hearts are not advised to watch the House matches for the Junior Cricket Shield. Our team won the trophy for the third successive year but only after much anxiety and worry. Our Senior team did not gain a single victory. It will not do so until we have a team rather than a group of individuals each with his own opinion of how the side should be captained. Two 1st XI, four 2nd XI and three Colts colours in the sport were awarded to the House.

The story of the Swimming Shield is a happier tale. We won comfortably, largely owing to a concerted effort by our Class I performers, most of whom we are happy to say are still with us. The House was awarded four 1st and two Colts colours in the sport.

Our victory over the other Houses in the Shooting Shield came as a very pleasant surprise. D. J. Cowley and his team of B. F. Barwell, A. R. W. de Villiers and M. H. Turner, deserve the highest praise for bringing into the House a shield which does not often grace our walls.

We refuse to prophesy concerning the Junior Rugby Shield. All we shall say at the moment about Rugger is that nine of our members have played for the 1st XV, another four for the 2nd XV, and five for the Colts XV—surely an all-time record.

As usual, we have been well represented in the Plays, the C.C.F., the Choir, the Scouts and all other activities, reports of which can be found elsewhere.

Finally, we are glad to welcome our eight new boys to the House and are sorry to lose those who left us last term. Good luck, come and visit us sometime !

WALTERS HOUSE

Housemaster: S. Boulter, Esq.

Head of House: S. G. S. Scott.

Praepositors: J. A. Wallis, G. K. Maddrell.

House Praepositors: A. J. C. Chantler, P. R. Cretney, D. Newbold.

Having already survived trial by fire, we had to spend the rest of last term facing trial by water. Whenever it rained those in Junior Dorm. had to move into Senior Dorm., or else sleep in a cave-like atmosphere with water plunking into pails all around them. Everything is back to normal now, however, and it seems quite strange.

The house did not seem to suffer greatly, physically at least, from such discomfort, and many members distinguished themselves in different activities. Carr was re-awarded his 1st XI Cap and Gallagher and Scott got theirs for the first time. Maddrell played for the 2nd XI and was awarded his Colours, while J. A. Wilde was in the Colts for the second year and was joined by Johnson A, Fitzhugh and Kerr. Our cricket teams did not do outstandingly well, but they never gave up trying.

A record number of G.T.'s—22—were obtained this year. There are some strong swimmers in the house, especially amongst the Juniors, who are expected to take their sport seriously. Maddrell got his 2nd Colours; Cannan, who was 3rd in the half-mile, and Cretney N. were awarded their Colts Colours.

The Junior Rugby XV shows promise again, though they only drew with Colbourne in the first match. Scott and Wallis J. have played on the 1st XV and Maddrell on the 2nd XV, while on Colts Johnson D, Manning, O'Neill, and Thompson have represented the house.

HUNT HOUSE

Housemaster: J. B. Nelson, Esq.

Head of House: E. Q. Bashforth.

House Praepositors: T. A. J. E. Connor, P. J. Honey, L. P. Kelly.

The term commenced with the usual influx of Junior boys and while the number of Juniors seems to be increasing, the Senior part of the house is steadily diminishing.

Both the house cricket teams started off well last term; the Senior XI drew with Dickson and the Junior XI managed to gain a victory over Walters. The standard of cricket then gradually declined and both XI's were beaten, though not disgraced, in their remaining three matches.

We have at last been able to produce a Junior XV of some standing which looks like being one of the best we have had of recent years. The pack is rather on the small side but the backs should not have anything to worry about in the way of size.

Shooting is still on the upgrade and we now have four people in the House who shoot regularly for the School VIII. Our hopes of winning the Shield last term were rather flattened when we were beaten into third place by Dickson and School.

Once again the House produced a play that appears to have been a success. All those who took part enjoyed themselves immensely under the able production of Mr. Tucker, whom we must thank for the encouragement he gave us and the time he so readily spent on the play.

JUNIOR HOUSE

Half-term finds us pausing to write a contribution for the "Barrovian" and watching the rain come down. We do the latter on most days, the former only at rare intervals. We have settled in the usual September crowd, and said farewell to departing individuals. They are much missed but their places have been very well filled, and Jackson, Huntley, Cannell M. and Webb have formed a quartet that can seldom have been surpassed.

We are now trying to build a Rugged team. It may yet equal last year's, but so far there is more scragging than tackling; and falling, so necessary on this season's mud, is still not much in evidence.

Last term our cricket was at least successful and Cringle achieved a 50 against Hunt House. It is actually many years since this was done. The bowling, and fielding, of Webb was the most conspicuous feature, and it is a pity that he has not really determined to make himself a batsman, which is the great need, for our batting is notoriously unreliable.

Swimming was successful in that hardly any boys failed to learn. At the other end of the scale, diving was weak. Juniors have been particularly good at this in the past, but there is always a tendency to avoid learning. Splashing and shouting come more easily!

B. C. A. H.

THE LITERARY AND DEBATING SOCIETY

President: R. H. Tucker, Esq.

Vice-President: C. R. Whittaker, Esq.

Hon. Secretary: M. Faruque.

Hon. Sergeant-at-Arms: S. G. S. Scott.

This term the Society has held three meetings, the first a discussion and the others debates. The Society in addition went to "Romeo and Juliet" at the Regal, Douglas.

The first meeting was a discussion of the film, which was obviously better enjoyed by the members than by the President. Pieces were

read from the play in order to introduce members to parts not shown on the screen, and the President informed the house of his views on the film, with which the majority disagreed. Most thought that the play had been put on the screen successfully, and that in parts the film was better than the play.

The first debate had a novel title—"That in the opinion of this House it would have been better if, instead of the Pilgrim Fathers landing on Plymouth Rock, Plymouth Rock had landed on the Pilgrim Fathers." The motion was proposed by the President, seconded by Mr. J. Wallis, and the Vice-President opposed it with the aid of Mr. G. K. Maddrell. There was a contrast between the speeches of the proposer and opposer, for Mr. Tucker dealt seriously with the subject, putting forward sound reasons for his case, while Mr. Whittaker's approach was witty, though at times not entirely to the point. The two seconders were the usual stalwart Society members, speaking well and solidly backing the main speakers.

In the second debate, on the motion that "This House depletes the re-establishment of German sovereignty," the proposer was Mr. B. K. Colvin, seconded by Mr. S. Quirk, opposed by Mr. J. D. Wightman and Mr. J. Goldsmith. Following the example given in the first debate, they showed themselves to advantage, and thanks are due to them for continuing it so smoothly. The debate was carried on well by the House, and although the audience was small for a public debate, it appeared to have profited from the lessons given previously, and studied the subject. Unfortunately, the Chemistry Lecture Room is not ideal for debates, for it is difficult to stand between bench and desk, and for the chairman to see both the main speakers and the members of the House. In the opinion of most members, however, this was the best College debate for many years.

GRAMOPHONE SOCIETY

President : The Principal.

Chairman : R. H. Tucker, Esq.

Hon. Secretary : J. A. Wallis.

It was with regret that the Society said goodbye to Mr. D. W. Usherwood at the end of last term. Mr. Usherwood founded the Society, when he came in 1947, and built it into one of the most active and well attended in College. The Society thanks him for his keen interest and wishes him all success at Warwick.

This term Mr. Tucker was officially welcomed as the new Chairman at the first meeting, when he played some records of his own choice. The Hon. Secretary presented some of his new-found favourites a fortnight later, and unfortunately had to tolerate some records with an attack of "dust disease." At the last meeting before half-term we played and greatly enjoyed our L.P. records of "Iolanthe." W. R. Kneen told members the essential points of the story. Unfortunately time was too short for a complete performance and the ever-popular "sentry's song" had to be omitted. This is a good point to mention again our gratitude to Mr. E. W. Potterton, O.K.W., who has done so much to build up the society library.

"Iolanthe" and indeed almost all our G. and S. records were given by him. This term he has generously added the records of "The Sorcerer" and Bizet's "Carmen."

Throughout the term informal meetings have been held in the President's study after chapel on Sunday mornings. The purpose of these meetings has been to enable members to hear longer works in their entirety, which is not always possible at the official meetings. Perhaps this term's most interesting discovery has been the record of Vivaldi's Bassoon Concerto and the Oboe Concerto of Marcello. Mr. Bailey has allowed the society to use his study for its full meetings, and we are most grateful to him for this kindness.

MUSIC CLUB

President : The Principal
Vice-President : J. J. F. Watkins, Esq.
Hon Secretary : J. A. Wallis
Hon. Treasurer : S. G. S. Scott.
Committee : D. B. George, J. C. Chantler, D. Newbold,
P. Newbold, P. Zatz.

Although there were no special festivities on the 23rd October, when the club celebrated its 300th meeting, the evening turned out to be most enjoyable and interesting. After the new committee members had been elected, Mr. Zatz entertained the club with a paper on "Violin Concertos." He described the purpose of concertos and the way most of them were written—the combined work of the composer and a famous violinist, using gramophone records to illustrate his chief points.

Future plans for the club include a concert and an evening discussing and singing carols.

THE DRAMATIC SOCIETY

President : The Principal.
Chairman and Producer : G. C. Kelly, Esq.
Stage Manager : J. H. Mogg, Esq.
Hon. Secretary : S. G. S. Scott.

Last term's film, "Boys Will Be Girls," produced by Mr. Kelly and directed by Mr. Tucker, had its première on Saturday, November 13th, in the Gym. It was a great success and proved popular both with the boys and with the many visitors. Let us hope that with the experience gained from this first attempt, the Society can produce a film regularly once a year. The idea and the organisation behind the film were both Mr. Kelly's, and we, that is technicians, actors and audience, are very grateful to him for all the trouble he has taken.

The loss of many of last year's senior actors did not seem to affect the standard of the first group of house plays. The actors and stagehands of the three houses concerned (School, Dickson and Hunt) all worked together in perfect harmony to produce one of the best evening's entertainments given by the Society. We can only hope that the other plays will be up to this high standard.

MANX SOCIETY

President : The Principal
Chairman : S. Boulter, Esq.
Hon. Secretary : S. G. S. Scott.

Last term's proposed trip with the fishing fleet was cancelled. We are always influenced by weather with regard to this trip, and as everyone knows, last summer was one of the worst for a long time.

We were happy to welcome to our first meeting of this term Canon Stenning, the former chairman of the Society. He gave us a comprehensive history of a topical subject, the Manx Grand Prix. We were told among other things, how Sunbeams won in pouring rain, how Mrs. Stenning won a race, how a redhead caused a withdrawal and how a rider caused College clock to strike four thousand. We were very pleased to see Canon Stenning and hope to see more of him in the future.

Mr. Wightman opened our second meeting with a paper on Manx wedding and funeral customs. We gathered from this talk that these ceremonies took the form of a dinner-dance, and that on the whole funerals were more cheerful affairs than weddings.

An account of Manx history from earliest times to the beginning of the reign of the Stanleys, was the second paper, given by Mr. Newbold. The speaker described how many different powers had struggled for possession of the Island. In the discussion that followed the talk, the form of government of the Island, which has remained almost the same from the earliest times, was examined.

Two more papers will be given at our next and last meeting of the term.

THE KNIGHTS

President : C. R. Whittaker, Esq.
Secretary : J. C. Chantler.

Of the meetings held last term which are still unrecorded, the President's account of his Greek holiday was outstanding; he managed to amuse and inform all sections of an unexpectedly large audience with a mixture of stories, wise observations, witty sketches and photographs. Many things have happened since Plato.

At the start of this term it was decided to widen our scope a little and take on the form of a literary as well as classical society. Accordingly our first meeting was a play-reading of Marlowe's "Dr. Faustus." Zatz in the leading part read with vigour and meaning

and we must largely thank him for the success of the evening. A little practice beforehand makes all the difference. This meeting is to be followed later in the term by an examination of Goethe's "Faust" under Mr. Beveridge's guidance.

At our second meeting J. C. Harrison gave his long expected talk on Heraldry. It is a fascinating subject. Harrison had prepared several clear and colourful illustrations, and drew pictures on a blackboard so we never found ourselves completely lost in technical terms. Now we all know what a "bend sinister, coupé" is. Heraldry is by no means dead; any of us can apply for a coat of arms, but it costs.

Other meetings to follow this term will include a play-reading of Aristophanes' "Frogs," and a symposium on the topic of the Supernatural.

We are pleased to welcome Mr. Keyte into the Society, and thank him for the use of his comfortable study.

PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY

President : C. Pritchard, Esq.

Chairman : J. J. F. Watkins, Esq.

Hon. Secretary : J. C. Taylor.

Hon. Treasurer : W. R. Kneen.

The summer competitions attracted an all-time record entry of 174 photographs. The general standard was higher than in previous years but it was a matter of some concern that the number of entries from the members of the Society was small, several entering none at all.

We should like to thank M. H. Turner for the interest he showed and the hard work he did for the Society and all its activities. The success of the Society's activities in the last two years has been mainly due to his enterprise and untiring efforts.

The results of the summer competition were:—

Section "A"—College Activities: 1, J. C. Taylor; 2, M. H. Turner; 3, F. Cowin.

Section "B": Portraits and Close-ups: 1, M. H. Turner; 2, J. C. Taylor; 3, J. R. Southerst.

Section "C"—Landscapes and Buildings: 1, M. H. Turner; 2, A. Edmonds; 3, M. H. Turner.

Section "D"—Silverburn (Society members only): 1, J. R. Howarth; 2, M. H. Turner; 3, F. Cowin.

Best Junior Entry: A. Edmonds.

SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY

President : S. Boulter, Esq.

Chairman : C. Attwood, Esq.

Hon. Secretary : I. M. Walker.

Hon. Treasurer : D. B. George.

The first meeting this term on 23rd September was devoted to the election of a new committee and to a short film concerning road transport in Britain. It was entitled "The Moving Spirit" and gave an outline of the development of internal combustion powered vehicles.

The only other meeting this term so far took place on 21st October, when Mr. Holmes, a Society member, gave us an enlightening talk on the history of moving pictures. The talk was illustrated by numerous slides ranging from diagrammatic views of various early contraptions for creating illusions of movement to scenes in a modern film studio. Mr. Holmes also showed the Society a short film which outlined the principles of cinematography.

JAZZ CLUB

Chairman : R. H. Tucker, Esq.

Secretary : J. C. Chantler.

As this is our first report in "The Barrovian" it must also take the form of an announcement. Though we only came into official existence this term, the basis of the club was laid towards the end of last term when we held two meetings to draw attention to the fact that jazz not only exists but is music and worth listening to. Attendance was high to begin with and remains so, which is encouraging. Slowly a core of enthusiasts is forming so as time goes on we hope more members will come forward to expound and play to us the sort of jazz they like to hear.

We would like to form a jazz group of our own (for playing is much better than listening) but unfortunately we have no Beiderbeckes and Oscar Petersons, so we have to confine ourselves to record sessions, which are quite successful as long as one does not sit too rigidly on one's chair. We've met four times so far and heard the jazz of the early Chicago-style outfits, Eddie Condon, and the controversial Bix Beiderbeckes, managing also to fit in styles of music ranging from that of King Oliver to Charlie Christian.

The meetings to come this term will include a programme of Revivalist jazz (Bunk Johnson, Humphrey Lyttleton, etc), one on Louis Armstrong's showmanship, and possibly an evening of jazz for modernists—and we don't mean Ted Heath!

THE GOLFING SOCIETY

President : C. W. Jackson, Esq.

Captain : J. T. Arthur.

Hon. Secretary and Treasurer : J. R. Wilkins.

The results of competitions held after the last publication of the "Barrovian" were as follows:

Senior Championship—

Semi-finals: J. T. Arthur bt. J. M. Shennan 5/4.

J. R. Wilkins bt. M. J. H. Manning 3/2.

Final: J. T. Arthur bt. J. R. Wilkins 6/5.

Junior Championship—

Semi-finals: M. J. H. Manning bt. D. G. Bowman 19th.

J. M. Shennan bt. C. S. James 2 up.

Final: M. J. H. Manning bt. J. M. Shennan 5/4.

All these were matches over 18 holes.

Mr. N. G. Brown's prize—18 holes stroke play:

J. M. Shennan ... 89 (14) 75

The Captain's prize—18 holes stroke play:

Senior: J. A. Duncan 115 (20) 95

Junior: J. M. Shennan ... 92 (14) 78

We would like to express our appreciation to Mr. N. G. Brown (Captain of the Castletown Golf Club) for his prize. To Mrs. R. Dean we again express our thanks for the replica of the Championship Cup, and to Mr. Makinson (the Castletown Golf Links Hotel) for allowing us to be members of his course on such generous terms.

We had a very enjoyable and successful season, and we hope that all boys who play golf will join the Society again next year.

BADMINTON CLUB

President : The Principal.

Hon. Secretary : M. Faruque

The club was founded in the summer term, and considering the short time that it has existed has progressed very well. In the summer term Mr. Pye brought a strong team from the "Barrovian" Society, which almost out-classed the club. The difficulty the club is facing is that, although it has two strong pairs, there is nothing to support them. This was the case last year, and is again repeated this year, though there has been some improvement.

This term we tried our strength against a team led by the Castletown captain, consisting of three pairs, and we obtained the very satisfactory result of 7-4. The members would like to thank Mr. D. Eaton for the facilities he has given to the club in obtaining equipment, and for his invaluable coaching, of which we are greatly in need.

CHESS CLUB

President : Rev. G. R. Parkinson

Vice-President : G. C. Kelly, Esq.

Secretary : W. R. Kneen. *Treasurer* : S. R. Donaldson

Committee : C. N. Frost, J. C. Taylor, E. E. Wood.

This year we have again entered the I.o.M. Chess League. Our only losses from last year's team are D. F. Paul-Jones and J. C. Street, and we look forward to a more successful season than last. We have already played one match, the Bishops, the powerful Douglas side, gaining a clear victory over us (5-3).

v. Bishops (at home, on October 29th)

$\frac{1}{2}$ G. C. Kelly, Esq.	J. G. Radcliffe	$\frac{1}{2}$
o Rev. G. R. Parkinson	G. Gray	1
o M. S. Oddsson	R. L. Lamming	1
o S. R. Donaldson	P. W. Cannell	1
$\frac{1}{2}$ W. R. Kneen	A. V. Hughes	$\frac{1}{2}$
o C. N. Frost	J. Teggin	1
1 E. E. Wood	P. O'Hare	o
1 J. E. Crowe	S. Kelly	o

Five of our members have entered the I.o.M. Junior Chess Championship. C. N. Frost and W. R. Kneen are representing College, M. S. Oddsson and E. E. Wood are playing for the Peel Chess Club and S. R. Donaldson for the Ramsey Club. As we have more entrants than all the other schools put together our hopes of a College victory are high.

The British Chess Federation have kindly presented the Island with a shield for open competition between school teams. This year, the first of the competition, the only two entrants are ourselves and a team from the Douglas High School (Boys). A series of matches are being arranged.

Club nights are devoted mainly to the two leagues within the club which were started at the beginning of term. The Senior League contains nine players and the Junior League the remaining thirty. As yet it is too early to give an account of either league.

BOXING CLUB

President : The Principal.

Vice-Presidents :

G. C. Kelly, Esq.; D. R. Cash, Esq., and A. G. Roche, Esq.

Hon. Secretary : R. Q. Cannell.

Committee : W. R. Kneen, P. J. Watson.

This term instruction has taken place on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons under the guidance of Mr. Cash and Mr. Roche. At the end of this term a competition will be held and the results will appear in the next issue of the "Barrovian." We are hoping for a good entry. The preliminary rounds will start at the end of November or the beginning of December.

SHOOTING

Among the leavers at the end of last term were P. K. Bregazzi (last year's captain), R. T. D. Stott and A. de Villiers, three of our best shots. As a result, the first month of this term was kept free of fixtures to enable us to collect ourselves together again and attempt to re-attain the standard of shooting of the summer term.

From the results of last term's shooting, which are recorded below, it can be seen that a very high standard was reached and I am certain that we can attribute much of our success to the experienced instruction of R.S.M. Henderson, and also to the new Martini rifles.

RESULTS

(All matches are under Country Life less landscape conditions unless otherwise stated)

			For.	Against
29th May—St. John's Leatherhead ...	1st VIII	524	488	Won
(Ashburton) ...	2nd VIII	489	465	Won
	Cadet pair ...	105	115	Lost
19th June—Leeds Grammar School ...		567	642	Lost
26th June—Lancing College, Sussex ...	1st VIII	544	480	Won
(Ashburton)				
	Cadet pair ...	118	125	Lost
3rd July—Stonyhurst College		578	574	Won
	1st VIII			
	2nd VIII			
	Cadet pair			
Matches shot ...	8	2	3	
„ won ...	6	2	1	
„ lost ...	2	—	2	

Leading Averages for Summer Term.

Country Life (less landscape)	Ashburton
(possible 90)	(possible 70)
P. K. Bregazzi	B. F. Barwell
A. de Villiers	A. de Villiers
E. Q. Bashforth	E. Q. Bashforth
B. F. Barwell	N. Q. Howarth
R. T. D. Stott	P. K. Bregazzi

Final Teams for Summer Term.

1st VIII	2nd VIII	Cadet Pair.
P. K. Bregazzi.	I. M. Walker.	G. R. Preston.
B. F. Barwell.	G. B. Gelling.	P. A. Sarretti.
A. de Villiers.	M. H. Turner.	
R. T. D. Stott.	A. G. Dunkerley.	
E. Q. Bashforth.	E. E. Wood.	
N. Q. Howarth.	D. J. Cowley.	
L. P. Kelly.	P. W. White.	
C. N. Frost.	R. G. Foster.	

CHILE CUP COMPETITION

This year a wide interest (if not the best of shooting) was shown in this competition and although there were 78 entries only 16 people

passed the qualifying round which consists of either (a) 5 rounds in a one-inch group on a large E.M.T. target, or (b) a possible on the same target.

Only about three of those who qualified shot on their normal form, but brilliant shooting by B. F. Barwell with 80 (possible 90) gave him a comfortable win over the runner-up, P. K. Bregazzi (75).

HOUSE SHIELD

The standard may have been a little higher than of previous years, but only Dickson House shot to their best form. They beat the runners-up—School House—by 20 points with a score of 358. The shoot consisted of Grouping, Application, Rapid and Snap, making a possible for the team of 460.

AUTUMN TERM

For. Against.

16th Oct.—Ellesmere College	554	570	Lost
23rd Oct.—King's School, Worcester (N.S.R.A.)	716			725		Lost

B. F. Barwell has hit top form from the very beginning, and N. Q. Howarth and C. N. Frost have both shot very well.

All who were or had been in any way connected with the work of R.S.M. Henderson were sorry to hear that he was leaving us. We who were most closely connected with him in the shooting especially appreciate his unstinted efforts and the enthusiasm with which he raised the standard of College shooting in the short time he was with us. On behalf of everyone who has enjoyed shooting on the range under his experienced instruction, I would like to thank him most sincerely for all he has done for the shooting at College and I hope he will be happy in his new post.

CRICKET

Batting failures were responsible for a disappointing season for the 1st XI. Often we dismissed our opponents for moderate scores but contrived to lose our wickets for even more modest totals. Particularly was this noticeable in the school matches, when on three occasions out of the four 100 runs in our innings would have brought us victory. Cricket "nerves" are a well-known ailment, and were much in evidence this year. The pity was that a little more aggression and confidence with the bat would have turned a moderate season into a good one. Our second innings against the Old Boys was a typical example of wickets being needlessly lost. Colvin was the only batsman who could be relied on generally to stay in and build up a score, and Quirk was a typical example of a batsman who was better than he thought he was.

Little fault could be found with the bowling. Foulds R. proved himself a very steady and effective opener, McDonald a reliable left-hander, and Stott took many wickets with his good length off-breaks.

The fielding was generally keen and sometimes excellent, Gallagher at cover point being a joy to watch, and Carr a reliable wicket-

keeper. Stott put much thought and keenness into his captaincy, and Carr proved an efficient secretary. Of the thirteen matches played four were won, five lost, three drawn and one abandoned.

In several matches, notably against the Barrovian Society and the popular Mr. James Green's XI, the team showed to what heights it could rise. But why so seldom? In a game of this nature, where the mental approach counts for so much, success does not come to the faint-hearted. Some of our team were better players than they credited themselves with being!

The 2nd XI played much entertaining cricket and seemed greatly to enjoy it. Unsuccessful batsmen from the 1st XI seemed to make runs easily enough for the 2nd! Turner was a keen and cheerful captain, and Mr. Lyon deserves thanks for his efforts with the team.

If the Colts XI had few victories to record, their efforts were not without promise, and if in time their skill equals their enthusiasm, they will become good cricketers. Mr. Usherwood must be thanked for the vast amount of time and energy he has spent encouraging our Colts' cricket.

After a close opening match with School House, Colbourne went on to win the Senior Shield fairly comfortably, while after a series of close finishes the Junior Shield went to Dickson House.

Interest in cricket continues to grow, and our ground again looked fit for any county team to grace. Thanks are due to many: to Mr. R. L. Stott for his generous gift of a new score-box, to Mr. Boulter for compiling the season's fixtures, to Copley and his staff for their devoted labours and ready co-operation, to Miss Heaslett and her helpers for providing the excellent pavilion teas, and to Kinley for his valuable work as scorer and statistician, alas! for the last time. And last, but by no means least, we must thank Mr. Nelson, Mr. Hartley, Mr. Foston and all the other masters who so willingly helped by taking grounds, and encouraging the young idea.

A. J. B.

" UNDER 13 " CRICKET

Castle Rushen was defeated once and the return ended in a favourable draw. Douglas High School produced much improved batting, and being superior in this department beat us by one wicket in the first game and two in the second.

Our bowling was good, that of Webb very good, our fielding thoroughly adequate, and our batting quite unreliable. Batting, in fact, has been regarded as a game of chance, and this has robbed games of all interest except mere arithmetical closeness, and such excitement as fielding may provide. This is our fundamental failure, for it is batting that requires prolonged mental concentration, and while we shirk this our cricket will remain weak.

Team: Mallard (capt.), Cringle, Webb, Watts, Carter, Brennan F., Wilson R., Vaughan, Maddrell R., Cheetham, Midgley A.

Junior Colours were awarded to Webb, and re-awarded to Mallard and Cringle.

B. C. A. H.

K.W.C. 1st XI v FENCIBLES C.C. (June 24th, Home)

K.W.C. won by 3 wickets

FENCIBLES C.C.

R. H. Johnson c Carr b Quirk	0
J. G. Fargher b Foulds	0
A. J. Bailey c Kneen b Ward	37
P. C. G. Fletcher c Kneen b Foulds	3
C. F. Quirk b Stott	15
R. J. Lyon c Donaldson b McDonald	28
W. A. Crowe b Foulds	6
J. E. H. Griffiths b Foulds	0
W. H. Carter not out	0
C. Corrin not out	0
Extras (b 4)	4
Total (for 8 wks. dec.)	93

A. B. N. Taylor did not go in.
Bowling : Quirk 1 for 10, Foulds
4 for 32, Stott 1 for 28, Ward 1 for 9,
McDonald 1 for 10

K.W.C.

D. Griffin b Fargher	4
B. K. Colvin b Lyon	19
S. R. Donaldson b Lyon	4
R. T. D. Stott run out	5
R. T. Foulds c Corrin b Carter	24
W. R. Kneen b Fletcher	13
T. E. Gallagher b Carter	10
T. N. McDonald not out	2
W. N. Ward not out	2
Extras (b 11, lb 1)	12
Total (for 7 wks.)	95

S. Quirk, J. D. Carr, did not go in.
Bowling : Carter 2 for 18, Fargher
1 for 25, Lyon 2 for 27, Fletcher 1
for 10, Griffiths 0 for 8.

K.W.C. 1st XI v. MR. JAMES GREEN'S XI (June 29th, Home)

K.W.C. won by 13 runs

K.W.C.

D. Griffin b J. Southworth	4
B. K. Colvin c Donaldson b Holt	18
R. T. Foulds b Holt	1
E. Q. Bashforth b Holt	29
R. T. D. Stott b Holt	9
W. R. Kneen c Davis b Holt	1
T. E. Gallagher c J. B. Hide b Holt	2
W. N. Ward b Holt	4
S. Quirk b Holt	6
T. N. McDonald not out	16
J. D. Carr lbw, b J. B. Hide	14
Extras (b13, nb 1)	14
Total	118

Bowling : W. Hide 0 for 13, Holt
8 for 29, J. Southworth 1 for 22,
Davis 0 for 12, Barton 0 for 9, J. B.
Hide 1 for 19.

MR. JAMES GREEN'S XI

G. Garratt c Bashforth b Foulds	35
G. P. Nightingale c Kneen b Foulds	4
J. B. Hide c Stott b McDonald	18
C. R. Davies b McDonald	0
A. E. Shaw not out	22
W. R. Southworth c McDonald b Foulds	0
J. Southworth lbw, b McDonald	3
R. W. Barton c Ward b McDonald	9
S. R. Donaldson b Foulds	2
W. Holt c McDonald b Foulds	6
W. Hide c McDonald b Foulds	2
Extras (b4)	4
Total	105

Bowling : Quirk 0 for 14, Foulds
6 for 34, Stott 0 for 20, McDonald 4
for 23, Gallagher 0 for 10.

K.W.C. 1st XI v MR JAMES GREEN'S XI (July 1st, Home)

Match Drawn

MR. JAMES GREEN'S XI

C. R. Davies c Bashforth b Foulds	6
G. Garratt c Carr b Foulds	6
J. B. Hide c Colvin b Stott	34
A. E. Shaw b Foulds	56
L. Oddy run out	5
W. R. Southworth not out	28
W. Holt b McDonald	14
Extras (b 1)	1
Total (for 6 wks. dec.)	150

R. W. Barton, J. Southworth, G. P.
Nightingale, W. Hide did not go in.
Bowling : Quirk 0 for 15, Foulds
3 for 45, McDonald 1 for 39, Stott
1 for 40, Ward 0 for 10.

K.W.C.

B. K. Colvin c Barton b Holt	37
S. G. S. Scott run out	3
E. Q. Bashforth not out	46
R. T. Foulds c W. R. Southworth b Holt	2
S. R. Donaldson not out	17
Extras (b 8)	8
Total (for 3 wks.)	113

T. E. Gallagher, R. T. D. Stott,
W. N. Ward, S. Quirk, T. N. Mc-
Donald, J. D. Carr, did not go in.
Bowling : Holt 2 for 44, W. Hide
0 for 9, J. Southworth 0 for 12, J. B.
Hide 0 for 17, Barton 0 for 3,
Garratt 0 for 20.

K.W.C. 1st XI v. WALLASEY GRAMMAR SCHOOL (July 3rd, Home)

Match Drawn

K.W.C.		WALLASEY GRAMMAR SCHOOL	
R. T. D. Stott b Lloyd	3	W. H. Horspool b McDonald	12
B. K. Colvin b Horspool	9	R. D. Watkins c Gallagher	
E. Q. Bashforth b Horspool	3	b Foulds	37
R. T. Foulds b Mc Glashan	57	N. H. Woods c Scott b McDonald	38
S. G. Scott lbw, b Mc Glashan	24	G. W. L. Barton c Gallagher	
S. R. Donaldson lbw, b Woods	16	b Foulds	4
T. E. Gallagher c Brown b Woods	5	B. C. Lloyd c Ward b McDonald	7
W. N. Ward b Mc Glashan	4	G. C. Stanley not out	5
S. Quirk not out	2	A. Flood not out	0
T. N. McDonald c Watkins	-	Extras (b 10)	10
b Mc Glashan	-		
J. D. Carr b Mc Glashan	1	Total (for 5 wks.)	113
Extras (lb 1, w 1)	2		
Total	133		
Bowling : Horspool 2 for 35, Lloyd 1 for 22, Mc Glashan 5 for 37, Atkinson 0 for 17, Woods 2 for 20.			

K.W.C. 1st XI v. CRONKBOURNE C.C. (July 10th, Away)

Cronkbourne C.C. won by 7 wickets

K.W.C.		CRONKBOURNE C.C.	
B. K. Colvin c and b Coulter	14	B. Shimmin b McDonald	40
S. G. S. Scott b Clough	2	J. A. Gair c Carr b Foulds	2
E. Q. Bashforth b Clough	5	M. Watterson b McDonald	15
R. T. Foulds b Coulter	14	F. Smith not out	22
S. R. Donaldson c Coward b Eva	17	E. Coward not out	2
W. N. Ward b Coulter	0	Extras (b 2, lb 1, w 1)	4
T. E. Gallagher c East b Coulter	7	Total (for 3 wks.)	85
R. T. D. Stott c Gair b Clough	0		
S. Quirk not out	13	B. Noble, R. East, R. Clough, M. Dean, E. D. Coulter, J. Eva, did not go in.	
T. N. McDonald c Smith b Coulter	3	Bowling : Quirk 0 for 17, Foulds 1 for 14, Stott 0 for 25, McDonald 2 for 18, Colvin 0 for 7.	
J. D. Carr b Coulter	1		
Extras (b 7)	7		
Total	83		
Bowling : Clough 3 for 21, Eva 1 for 15, Shimmin 0 for 5, Coulter 6 for 35.			

K.W.C. 1st XI v. OLD BOYS (July 24th-26th, Home)

Match drawn, abandoned owing to rain.

K.W.C.		OLD BOYS	
First Innings		First Innings	
R. T. D. Stott b Marshall	6	P. Padfield b Foulds	9
B. K. Colvin run out	22	I. R. Horrox b Foulds	10
E. Q. Bashforth lbw, b Marshall	8	E. W. Miller b Stott	21
S. G. S. Scott lbw, b Waldron	0	G. W. P. Waldron b Foulds	2
R. T. Foulds b Waldron	2	J. L. Chambers run out	31
S. R. Donaldson lbw, b Waldron	21	H. C. Chambers b Foulds	0
T. E. Gallagher b Miller	27	D. C. W. Lee c Bashforth b Stott	6
W. N. Ward b Waldron	8	J. L. Crighton lbw, b Stott	5
S. Quirk c Marshall b Miller	1	W. H. Davidson b Foulds	1
T. N. McDonald not out	3	M. L. Marshall run out	2
J. D. Carr c Lee b Miller	2	B. D. Galbraith not out	15
Extras (b 2, w 1, nb 1)	4	Extras (b 4)	4
Total	104	Total	106
Bowling : Marshall 2 for 18, Galbraith 0 for 6, Crighton 0 for 7, Lee 0 for 11, H. Chambers 0 for 1, Miller 3 for 9, Waldron 4 for 48.			
Bowling : Quirk 0 for 10, McDonald 0 for 23, Stott 3 for 39, Foulds 5 for 30.			

Second Innings

B. K. Colvin lbw, b Marshall	5
E. Q. Bashforth b Marshall	0
S. G. S. Scott not out	10
R. T. Foulds not out	1
S. R. Donaldson b Galbraith	1
Extras (nb 2)	2

Total (for 3 wks.) 27

Bowling : Marshall 2 for 9, Waldron 0 for 5, Galbraith 1 for 1, H. Chambers 0 for 10.

FIRST XI AVERAGES

BATTING

	Inns	N.O.	Runs	H.S.	Average
S. Quirk	10	5	100	30*	20.00
B. K. Colvin	14	1	240	57*	18.46
S. R. Donaldson	8	1	122	26	17.42
E. Q. Bashforth	8	1	93	46*	13.28
T. N. McDonald	10	3	77	24	11.00
R. T. Foulds	14	2	131	57	10.91
R. T. D. Stott	12	0	117	43	9.75
W. N. Ward	9	2	52	13	7.43
T. E. Gallagher	11	0	68	27	6.18
J. D. Carr	9	3	33	14	5.5
S. G. S. Scott	9	1	44	24	5.5

Also batted :

W. R. Kneen, 13, 0, 0, 6, 7*, 6, 13, 1.

D. Griffin, 3, 0, 0, 0, 4, 4. J. D. Turner, 0, 0.

* Not out

BOWLING

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average
W. N. Ward	16.3	2	53	6	8.83
R. T. Foulds	151.5	46	300	31	9.67
R. T. D. Stott	148.4	36	327	29	11.27
T. N. McDonald	170.3	43	373	32	11.65
S. Quirk	52	14	141	5	28.2

Also bowled : B. K. Colvin, 8—0—25—0

W. R. Kneen, 3—0—10—0.

T. E. Gallagher, 3—1—10—0

Fielding Statistics : Catches—

8—Carr, McDonald.

6—Ward.

4—Colvin

3—Scott, Gallagher, Bashforth.

Summary of 2nd XI Matches

May 20th	Fencibles 87-9 dec.	2nd XI 60-9	Drawn
May 29th	2nd XI 11	Douglas H.S. 18-4	Lost
June 5th	2nd XI 91	Castle Rushen H.S. 46-0	Drawn
June 10th	Fencibles 119-8 dec.	2nd XI 73-9	Drawn
June 17th	C. W. Jackson's XI 104-8 dec.	2nd XI 109-3	Won
June 26th	Castletown 73	2nd XI 75-3	Won
July 3rd	Castle Rushen H.S. 57	2nd XI 58-3	Won
July 10th	2nd XI 106-7 dec.	Douglas H.S. 107-7	Lost
July 17th	2nd XI 89	Castletown 82-6	Drawn
July 24th	2nd XI 63	Castletown 65-3	Lost

Summary of Colts XI Matches

May 22nd	Colts XI 97	Ramsey G.S. 76-7	Drawn
June 5th	Colts XI 59	Douglas H.S. Colts 81	Lost
June 10th	Colts XI 54	Castle Rushen H.S. 38-9	Drawn
June 12th	Colts XI 55	S. Boulter's XI 116-9	Lost
June 24th	Colts XI 79	Castle Rushen H.S. 32-8	Drawn
July 3rd	Colts XI 27	Ramsey G.S. 82	Lost
July 10th	Colts XI 149	Archdeacon's XI 74-9	Drawn
July 17th	Douglas H.S. Colts 59	Colts XI 63-1	Won
July 24th	Colts XI 64	D. W. Usherwood's XI 65-6	Lost

FINAL TEAMS

1st XI	2nd XI	Colts
****R. T. D. Stott (capt.)	*M. H. Turner (capt.)	*N. J. Q. Howarth (capt.)
**J. D. Carr	*D. Griffin	*J. A. Wilde
**B. K. Colvin	*W. R. Kneen	*A. Johnson
**R. T. Foulds	*J. D. Turner	*C. S. Holroyd
*T. N. McDonald	*D. C. Foulds	*A. Burgess
..*S. Quirk	*W. N. Crowe	*M. C. Higgins
*T. E. Gallagher	*H. A. Galbraith	*R. S. Caladine
*W. N. Ward	*M. B. Butterworth	*T. J. Brennan
*E. Q. Bashforth	*T. E. Connor	*M. L. Fitzhugh
*S. R. Donaldson	*G. K. Maddrell	*J. D. Bray
*S. G. S. Scott	*D. A. Allen	*I. Kerr.

* = Caps in their respective teams.

SWIMMING

1st Colours: A. G. Dunkerley, D. M. Taggart, J. E. Goldsmith,
N. J. C. White, J. R. Kinley, R. Dixon, J. M. James.

2nd Colours: G. K. Maddrell, L. P. Kelly, T. N. McDonald, J. P.
Cullen, W. N. Crowe.

Colts: C. Nunnington, N. Cretney, J. Marsden, D. Reevey,
J. Cannan, C. S. James.

The standard of swimming generally was maintained and in certain departments encouraging improvements took place. Only three out of forty-two non-swimmers failed to reach the required standard while Junior School, particularly Junior House, did well in this sphere. This term Mr. Foston and Mr. Kelly are enthusiastically dealing with new boys and Senior School now boasts only three non-swimmers.

Grand Tests

Keen inter-house rivalry resulted in Colbourne, Dickson and Walters tying for first place with twenty-two G.T.'s each, School had sixteen and Hunt ten; these ninety-six passes make this event the most improved of the year and all houses are to be congratulated.

Derbyhaven Swim

The fastest thirty G.T.'s entered for this annual race on Tynwald Day, 5th July. The weather was cold for the time of year (the sea itself being a mere 53° F) and beyond the breakwater the sea was considered too rough to allow boats to journey safely from Castletown harbour. R. Dixon (Hunt) led throughout the race and won in the good time of 14min. 40sec.; J. Kinley (Dickson) was second while J. Cannan (Walters) finished strongly to gain third place. Many an exciting tussle went on for the remaining places and the standard was good as there were 22 A's and 8 B's—thus showing that the contestants had trained hard. We were indebted to Castletown Brewery for lending College three boats, the manager of the Derbyhaven Hotel and also the boat-owners of Derbyhaven for co-operating so willingly in the running of this event. Amateur and professional photographers were much in evidence and some shots may even find their way into a documentary film on our island Eldorado.

Standards and Finals

Once again there were many entries and over 130 boys scored standard points. The unseasonable weather was our ally during this busy period and a number of games afternoons were used when it was too wet for other outdoor recreative pursuits. With the exception of few Class I swimmers the breast stroke was below standard, particularly in Class II—on the other hand the back stroke was correspondingly better, while the neglected art of turning effectively showed signs of improving. Diving improved primarily as the result of good work by House captains and all classes did well in standards. The finals, held on Tuesday, 20th July, served as an accurate synopsis of the state of College swimming. In all but two of Class I events the performances were the best for several years; J. Kinley (Dickson) swam seemingly effortlessly to lower the 50-yard Back Stroke record, only made last year, to 32.00sec., while D. Taggart (Dickson) did the 50-yard Breast Stroke with a "butterfly" action in fine style but tired rapidly towards the end and just failed to equal his own record. The most memorable race proved to be the 220-yard Free Style which resulted in a tie for first place between Kinley and Dixon—there was never more than two yards between them at any stage of the race. McDonald (Colbourne) used Nature's generously bestowed gifts to the utmost in the plunge and was only 14 inches off the record. Class II were a poor lot and the only consolation was that a number of the better swimmers in this class will be there next year also. The usually small Class III produced half-a-dozen promising performers and was above average.

FINALS RESULTS

Class records are given in brackets after each event. There are no records in Class III.

Class I (over 16 on 31st July)

- 50 yards Free Style (L. S. Quirk 26.8 secs., 1950)
 1. J.R. Kinley (D); 2. R. Dixon (Hunt); 3. D.M. Taggart (D) Time 28.4 secs.
 50 yards Backstroke (J. R. Kinley 32 secs., 1954)
 1. J.R. Kinley (D); 2. N.J.C. White (D); 3. P.R. Klsack (D) Time 32 secs.
 50 yards Breast Stroke (D. M. Taggart 33.2 secs. 1953)
 1. D.M. Taggart (D); 2. R. Dixon (H); 3. J.E. Goldsmith (D) and A. Dunkerley (C) Time, 33.6 secs.
 100 yards Free Style (J. P. Watterson 61.8 secs., 1952)
 1. J.R. Kinley (D); 2. R. Dixon (H); 3. N.J.C. White (D) Time 65.6 secs.
 220 yards Free Style (P. Arends 2 mins. 38 secs., 1943)
 1. R. Dixon (H) and J.R. Kinley (D); 3. D.M. Taggart (D) Time, 2 mins. 51.4 secs
 Plunge (R.N. Waters 60 ft. 10 ins., 1951)
 1. T.N. McDonald (C); 2. J.M. James (C); 3. M.J. Kelly (W) Distance 59ft. 8ins.
 Dives:—1. R. Dixon (D); 2. W.A. Woods (C); 3. D.M. Taggart (D)
 Senior Relay — 6 x 2 lengths (Colbourne House 2 mins. 23.8 secs, 1951)
 1. Dickson; 2. Colbourne; 3. Walters — Time 2 mins. 27.2 secs.

Class II (over 14 and under 16 on 31st July)

- 50 yards Free Style (J. Thorp 28.8 secs., 1948)
 1. D. Reevey (D); 2. N. Cretney (W); 3. J.F. Cannan (W) Time, 32.2 secs.
 50 yards Back Stroke (J. R. Kinley 33.8 secs., 1953)
 1. C. James (C); 2. D. Reevey (D); 3. J.R. Marsden (D) Time, 38.0 secs.
 50 yards Breast Stroke (D. M. Taggart 35.8 secs, 1952)
 1. D. Reevey (D); 2. J.F. Cannan (W); 3. D.W.M. Thomas (W) Time, 42 secs.
 100 yards Free Style (P. Arends 64 secs., 1942)
 1. N. Cretney (W); 2. D. Reevey (D); 3. J.F. Cannan (W) Time, 76.8 secs.

220 yards Free Style (P. Arends 2 mins. 49.9 secs., 1941)

1. J.R. Marsden (D); 2. N. Cretney (W); 3. J.A. Daish (C) Time, 3 mins, 20 secs,
Plunge (P. Arends 57 ft. 2.5 ins., 1943)

1. G.B. James (D); 2. M.J. Thompson (W); 3. A. Burgess (H) Distance 50ft. 5ins,
Dives—1. C. Nunnington (C); 2. S.L. Dalgleish (C); 3. J.D. Wormald (D)

Junior Relay—6 x 2 lengths (Dickson House 2 mins. 45.4 secs., 1953)

1. Walters; 2. Dickson; 3. Cobourne — Time, 2 mins., 49 secs.

Class III (over 12 and under 14 on 31st July)

50 yards Free Style:

1. R. Price (H); 2. G.R. Preston (D); 3. A. Bashforth (H) Time 36.6 secs.

40 yards Back Stroke:

1. G.R. Preston (D); 2. A. Bashforth (H); 3. R. Price (H); Time, 35.8 secs,

40 yards Breast Stroke:

1. I. S. Skidmore (W.); 2. R. Price (H.); (other finalists disqualified);
Time, 35 secs.

Plunge:—1. I.F. Skidmore (W); 2. A. Bashforth (H); 3. R. Price (H)
Distance, 53 ft. 4 ins.

Dives—1. G.R. Preston (D); 2. R. Price (H); 3. D.A. Wood (C)

Novices Race (20 yards)

1. R.C. Turner (W); 2 D.A. Barr-Hamilton (C); 3 J.A.R. Caygill (C) Time 14.6 secs

INTER-HOUSE SWIMMING SHIELD COMPETITION

House	Max. points
Dickson	160
Colbourne	108.13
Walters	92.93
Hunt	40.17
School	40.17

Dickson House scored maximum points in both Standards and Finals and are to be congratulated on winning the Shield.

A. G. Dunkerley proved a quietly efficient captain of Swimming, never sparing himself in the running of the sport; he was essentially a practical young man and several innovations are credited to him. House captains did valuable work while College is, as usual, grateful to all those masters who helped to officiate during "voluntaries," the Derbyhaven Swim, standards and finals. It was a pity that an outbreak of paratyphoid in Castletown necessitated the banning of sea bathing in the bay—as a result the swimming bath was utilised to the utmost and our thanks are especially due to Simpson and his men for all their hard work and co-operation.

A. G. R.

RUGBY FOOTBALL

K.W.C. v CHESTER "A" (Won 14-11)

Played on Big Side, Saturday, 2nd October, in fine weather marred only by a stiff sea-breeze. College played into the wind first half and did most of the attacking through their forwards who dominated the lines-out and were livelier in the loose. Chester got most of the ball from the tight scrummages but quick breaking and sound tackling, particularly by Donaldson, prevented the Chester backs taking advantage of plenty of the ball. The two College wings, Kelly and Allen scored a try each early in the game while Batty crossed for Chester to make the score 6-3 at half-time.

Quirk, at fly-half, did some good tactical kicking in the second-half but the College centres were slow in backing up and it was left to Donaldson, now on the right wing in place of the injured Allen, to chase these well-placed punts. College went further ahead with a drop goal by Quirk and a try by Colvin which Quirk converted. Chester reduced our lead with tries by Hollis and Marsh, Hollis converting his own try.

Final Score—K.W.C. 1 goal, 2 tries, 1 dropped goal — 14 points.

Chester "A" 1 goal, 2 tries — 11 points.

Team: W. R. Kneen, D. Allen, B. K. Colvin, W. N. Ward, L. P. Kelly, S. Quirk, W. N. Crowe, D. M. Taggart, H. Galbraith, J. D. Wightman, S. G. S. Scott, I. M. Walker, S. R. Donaldson, M. H. Cannell, W. J. Caveen.

Referee: D. R. Cash, Esq.

Kneen gave a fine display at full-back while both wings ran strongly and used the ball intelligently. The weakness lay in the centre where there was a lack of punch in the attack and poor handling. The half-backs played soundly while the pack gave an encouraging display in the loose and lines-out; it was, however, disturbing to see the failure to get the ball from the tight scrummages. A.G.R.

K.W.C. v ROSSALL (Won 9-6)

Fog on the mainland delayed our start by over 2 hours but fortunately it cleared in time to make our trip possible. Prior to the game the referee, F. D. Beattie, Esq., talked about and answered questions on the alterations to the laws of the game as laid down by the Rugby Football Union. The weather was dull and drizzle fell in the second half. College won the toss and played with the wind; they were subjected to a series of Rossall attacks which were stopped by sound tackling and effective defensive kicking. Both packs settled down quickly and some lively exchanges took place. Rossall were the more successful with their tight and loose heeling, while College won most of the lines-out and our backs were the more dangerous when in possession.

Allen opened the scoring with a try after Quirk had slipped through in fine style, but Rossall levelled matters almost immediately with a penalty goal. Then Colvin gave College the lead with a magnificent penalty goal from the touch-line only for Rossall to score a try just before half-time to make the score 6-6.

College backs saw little of the ball in the second-half but Rossall never succeeded in penetrating a sound defence while our forwards, although out-weighted, stuck manfully to their task and always responded under Scott's leadership especially when near their own line. Quirk and Crowe struck a successful half-back combination and the former's defensive kicking and eager attacking forages made College dangerous when in possession. Colvin again put College ahead with a penalty goal to conclude the scoring, and excitement ran high in the closing minutes when Rossall made desperate efforts to cross the College line but an excellent defence repeatedly thwarted them.

Final Score—K.W.C. 1 try, 2 penalties—9 points.

Rossall: 1 try, 1 penalty—6 points.

Team: W. R. Kneen, D. A. Allen, B. K. Colvin, W. N. Ward, L. P. Kelly, S. Quirk, W. N. Crowe, D. M. Taggart, H. Galbraith, J. D. Wightman, S. G. S. Scott (capt.), I. M. Walker, W. J. Caveen, M. H. Cannell, S. R. Donaldson.

This was the first defeat inflicted upon Rossall since 1945, so Scott and his team are to be congratulated upon their fine win. A.G.R.

K.W.C. v I.O.M. (DOUGLAS) (Won 17-6)

Played on Big Side in satisfactory weather conditions on Saturday, 16th October. College did most of the attacking in the early stages of the game but could not penetrate a sound Douglas defence until Allen broke through on the right and a change of direction resulted in Kelly scoring near the left-hand corner flag for Colvin to convert. Douglas took the lead with two tries, scored by Ventro and Jeffreys and successfully withstood constant College pressure. Our forwards got the ball from the loose and lines-out and the hooking honours were about even; yet, despite the liberal share of the ball which the College backs got, they made little headway until late in the game when the Island defence tired. Colvin kicked a penalty goal while Wightman, Allen and Crowe scored tries.

Final Score—K.W.C. 1 goal, 3 tries, 1 penalty—17 points.

Douglas 2 tries—6 points.

Referee: D. R. Cash, Esq.

Team: W. R. Kneen, D. A. Allen, B. K. Colvin, W. N. Ward, L. P. Kelly, S. Quirk, W. N. Crowe, D. M. Taggart, H. A. Galbraith, J. D. Wightman, S. G. S. Scott, I. M. Watlker, W. J. Caveen, M. H. Carnnell, S. R. Donaldson.

The Island XV were a lively lot and fully extended College who only succeeded in penetrating a sound defence in the last ten minutes. The College forwards

played well but overdid the handling of the ball instead of going hard for the line while the backs were prone to crowd each other. Nevertheless, it was an exciting game in which Allen and Crowe were outstanding. A. G. R.

K.W.C. v. ST. BEES (lost 11-24)

Played on Wednesday, 20th October, at College. The conditions were good when College heeled from the first two scrums, and in a matter of minutes Quirk manoeuvred cleverly to get in a left-footed drop. Almost immediately after, a cut through by Quirk, after a heel from the loose, brought a beautiful orthodox try by Kelly on the left wing. Colvin converted this to make the score 8-0.

St. Bees then attacked, and after a short period of scrappy play Collins, for St. Bees, scored on the right near the corner flag, and Parker converted. The latter player then brought the scores level with a penalty kick taken with extreme care, but with the expenditure of much time. When, in the course of the afternoon, the game was restarted, a cross kick by the St. Bees right wing found a forward up ready to drop on the ball over our line. Again a good kick by Parker was perfectly judged and a few minutes later another try came from the same manoeuvre and half-time came with the score 8-13.

At once College became further in arrears when Colvin ran back to save a nasty situation, picked up the ball, but in attempting to kick to touch kicked the ball straight into the stomach of Booth. The latter, either in self defence or because he is a veritable Lock where close fielding is concerned, caught the ball and had only to fall forward to score a try near the corner flag. It did not seem likely that Parker could miss the kick, even from the touch line but in fact, he did—just. Now College came back with great spirit and set up a series of promising attacks. Colvin kicked a penalty goal, and the only time in this half that our forwards heeled the ball in a set scrum, Crowe slipped round the blind side and seemed unlucky not to score. Quirk repeatedly tried to get the man over by jinking through, and once Colvin appeared to have the line at his mercy, but elected to pass to Ward who had over run him. At this stage Ward was carried off, but came back later. A penalty goal for obstructing, kicked by Parker for St. Bees, brought the final score to 11-24.

As a spectacle, the game was bright and full of incident, in spite of the almost total inability of our forwards to heel the ball, either from the set scrums or from the loose. We won four out of thirteen of the set scrums in the first half, and only one out of thirteen in the second. It was hooked more times than this, but was several times clumsily kicked back again. Our centres looked slow, and appeared to be lining up too flat, so that the threequarters never took their passes at top speed. In spite of all this the score should have been much closer on the run of the play. One interesting point about this game was the fact that three of the tries scored by St. Bees came from judicious cross kicks by their right wing threequarter. S.B.

Final Score—K.W.C. 3 goals (1 placed, 1 dropped, 1 penalty)—11 points.

St. Bees 5 goals (3 placed, 2 penalty) and 1 try—24 points.

Referee: R. W. H. Boyns, Esq.

Team: W. R. Kneen, D. A. Allen, B. K. Colvin, W. N. Ward, L. P. Kelly, S. Quirk, W. N. Crowe, D. M. Taggart, H. A. Galbraith, J. D. Wightman, S. G. S. Scott, I. M. Walker, W. J. Caveen, M. H. Cannell, S. R. Donaldson.

K.W.C. v. WATERLOO P.S. XV (Drawn 3-3)

Played on Big Side in cold weather, with a stiff S.W. wind on Saturday, 30th October.

The game began with a few moments of brisk pressure by College, and for a short while the play was all at the Waterloo end, Colvin making a promising attempt to get over. However, the first of many penalty kicks put a stop to the move, though within five minutes of the start a long penalty kick by Colvin gave College the first score. Waterloo retaliated with a bustling move which kept the game threateningly near College line for a few moments, till the forwards managed to hustle it away up field. So far the game looked promising, and the line had been handling well, but after the first ten minutes the game went to pieces and became a series of scrappy incidents from which it never recovered. Possibly due to cold hands, and certainly due to uncertain service from behind the scrum, passes were dropped, mishandled, or intercepted for the rest of the game. The wings rarely got the ball, and the application of the new rules seemed to confuse the scrum, for there was a continual run of penalty kicks, those which were within range of the goal never reaching it.

It was disappointing to see courageous forwards bursting out of the scrummage at opposing halves or centres and throwing away their efforts by a one handed clutch at the neck, and passes and tackles delayed till it was too late.

A determined rush from an intercept by Waterloo ended in the ball being kicked over the dead ball line when a try seemed imminent, and from now on the game grew scrappier and the handling worse. Individuals sometimes broke away, but always unsupported, and it was not till a quarter of an hour before the end that Waterloo got over in the corner after a loose mix-up near the line, leaving the score at 3 all, which fairly represents the run of a dull afternoon's play.

Referee A. J. Bailey Esq.

Final Score—K.W.C. 1 penalty—3 points.

Waterloo P.S. XV 1 try—3 points.

Team: W. R. Kneen, J. M. James, B. K. Colvin, W. N. Ward, L. P. Kelly, S. Quirk, J. P. Cullen, D. M. Taggart, H. A. Galbraith, J. D. Wightman, S. G. S. Scott, I. M. Walker, W. J. Caveen, M. H. Cannell, S. R. Donaldson. W. K. S.

COMBINED CADET FORCE

R.N. SECTION

This term has been spent mainly on boat work, the weather on Tuesdays proving generally favourable. We are trying to exchange our cutter for a boat of smaller and more manageable dimensions.

We had a most enjoyable and interesting Annual Training at the Royal Naval Engineering College, Keyham, Plymouth. This included an agreeable visit to the impressive R.N.C., Dartmouth.

For Field Day this term we combined with the R.A.F. Section in a visit to the R.A.F. Station at Jurby. This provided us with an interesting insight into the workings of a sister Service.

Our style is still rather cramped by shortage of numbers, but we are hoping for reinforcements soon.

A. J. B.

ARMY AND BASIC SECTIONS

Major Usherwood left College last term and so gave up command of the C.C.F. at the end of Summer Camp. We wish to thank him for all the help he was always so willing to give us as individuals and for all the hard work he did to make the work of the C.C.F. successful.

Just after half term, Mr. Henderson leaves us to take up an appointment with the Colonial Police in Trinidad. Mr. Henderson has improved the administrative arrangements of the C.C.F. during his service here and the officers are duly grateful. Cadets probably do not feel grateful when he has them on the drill square, but it is by his energies here that the standard of drill in the C.C.F. has been so much improved. He has also improved the C.C.F. Band out of all recognition. Acknowledgments to Mr. Henderson for his work in connection with the College shooting appear elsewhere.

Annual Camp was held at Tweseldown, near Aldershot, as it was the year for attending a camp out of our command. The administra-

tion of the camp was excellent, all feeding and training arrangements working smoothly. Many interesting demonstrations were presented by officer cadets from Aldershot. A night exercise was held and the boomerang results of some of the thunderflashes thrown by the officers caused amusement. The night exercise finished early when a Verey light started a bush fire. At camp the signals platoon completed their training for classification. In the examination nine of sixteen cadets passed the classification tests.

On field day this term the platoons operated independently. The signals platoon carried out training in the area of Santon Gorge. Some of the candidates for Certificate A Part II shot with .303 at Balnahow while others carried out platoon exercises between Barrule plantation and College. The candidates for Part I, with the recruits, engaged in a map reading exercise at Foxdale and Eairy in the morning and trained on the mountain land in the afternoon.

The Certificate "A" examination takes place early in December. The examination syllabus has been extended and there have been changes that will now make it more difficult to pass, particularly in section leading and in drill. Part I will be held on December 6th, Part II on December 7th and 8th.

C.A.

R.A.F. SECTION

Annual Camp at Hawarden was a greater success than heretofore. The total number at the camp was cut to about half of last year's figure, with the result that more flying was available for each cadet. The rough crossing meant that only the stalwart members of the section felt capable of flying in the evening of our arrival but during the week all boys had three flights and some managed to have as many as six in Ansons and Chipmunks. The Senior Air Staff Officer is to be congratulated on his safe return from a flight with Gelling at the controls. Despite the latter's modest acknowledgments to another (or was it just a case of "passing the buck"?), we feel that a potential pilot in our midst is a good thing.

During the week we visited de Havilland's factory and saw many types of aircraft in various stages of construction, of which maybe the most memorable was a Comet. Other visits included one round the Mersey Docks where we saw the hulk of the burnt-out Empress of Canada.

Off-duty arrangements were a great improvement on the previous years at Hawarden. A camp cinema had been installed and the cadets were given good opportunities to go out of camp to spend their leisure. Hawarden's programme of training is always good, but this year the facilities afforded for off duty time made a good balance between work and play, and the week was in consequence a happy one.

Again we visited Jurby for Field Day and thanks are due to the Commanding Officer and his staff for a really profitable day of instruction and to 63 Group for providing air trips. Cadet Southerst has been awarded a gliding certificate as a result of a course held during the summer holidays.

J. J. F. W.

1st K.W.C. SCOUT GROUP

SENIOR SCOUT TROOP

S.M.(S.): J. P. Honey, Esq.

Troop Leader: J. D. Wightman.

Towards the end of last term a presentation of Queen's Scout Badges was held, and this ceremony was duly recorded in the College "Newsreel." Taggart, Gibb and Caveen had just gained the badge, while Wightman and George had been awarded theirs the previous term. Canon Stenning presented the badges to these five.

This term we welcome Mr. Honey as S.M. (S.) and bid farewell to Mr. Mogg, who has gone to another troop, and to Watson, Taggart, George and Caveen, who are now A.S.M.'s. We have had several recruits this term and we now number seventeen. Wightman has been appointed T.L. while the other three remaining Seniors are the new P.L.'s.

Field day was spent at Santon where a reasonably successful attempt was made at bridging the river. In spite of heavy rain we decided to have tea out, as planned, and a most enjoyable meal was cooked.

Some of the troop went to Peel recently to attend a Sea Scout Preliminary Training course, as it is hoped to include some boatwork in our activities during the year.

As always, we find ourselves indebted to numerous people, among them Miss Heaslett for taking care of our food requirements, Mr. Mogg, Mr. Honey, and, of course, our G.S.M.

Finally it is with great regret that we record the loss of one of our number—John Skelly. To his parents and relations we extend our heartfelt sympathy in their sad bereavement.

Summer Camp

Summer camp was held at Llanberis, North Wales, where we encountered some of the rain which had, we gather, prevailed there for most of the summer. Consequently all fine weather had to be made full use of—as indeed it was with several climbs and walks.

Snowdon was ascended on a fairly warm Bank Holiday. The summit was in cloud and some of the magnificence of the view from this altitude was consequently missed. However, it was interesting to find a "Three Legs" on sale up there. The signatures of Sir John Hunt and Sir Edmund Hilary were also seen. Some of us also climbed to the infamous "Devil's Kitchen," where so many accidents have taken place in recent years. A most enjoyable walk was made up Llanberis Pass—which we had previously viewed below us from some 2,000 feet. Trips were also made to historic Caernarvon Castle and the beautiful Swallow Falls. Thus in spite of the weather we had a most interesting and enjoyable camp.

SCOUT TROOP NOTES

G.S.M.: H. T. N. Christal, Esq.

S.M.: J. H. Mogg, Esq.

A.S.M.'s: W. J. Caveen, D. B. George, K. Lang, G. K. Maddrell,
D. M. Taggart, P. J. Watson.

So far, this term's Scouting has been on a very happy note, which we will endeavour to keep throughout the year. The sections themselves are now under the care of the A.S.M.'s, while the G.S.M. and S.M. Mogg, Esq., have been given the task of wandering around the Sections to lend a useful hand. During the last few weeks they have been rushing around the troops taking investitures—a very pleasing sign.

Although bad weather marred the latter end of the Field Day, the general feeling was that it had been an enjoyable and worth-while day. Blue Section started off at different points on the map finally reaching Archallagan Plantation; although a few of their number got lost in a wide game which followed, they all seemed to have enjoyed themselves. Green Section, so they say, trained for the 1st Class Hike and did some adventurous rock climbing on the riverbanks at Mullin-y-Carty. Red Section spent the first part of the day building shelters and look-outs and then used the former as the centres for their wide game.

We have tried to vary our parades as much as possible, and it is noticeable that some good work has been done, especially by the tenderfeet and those who visit Room Q during 12.35's.

Blue Troop Camp

Athlone, County Westmeath, Eire, was the scene of Blue Troop summer camp, during which we hoped to teach the troop various aspects of Scouting. Unfortunately very little test passing was done; the only keenness for this subject was shown by two Patrol Leaders who went on a First Class Journey.

The programmes were of a wide variety, including a trip to Coosen Point for a bathe in the loch; somehow we were not quite so enthusiastic when we saw the rather large waves whipped up by the stiffening breeze and felt the temperature of the water. We also visited Hare Island by motor-cruiser—the owner of which very kindly offered to transport the whole Troop in his rather small craft. We spent a very exciting day exploring the Island, which was about three miles square. Most people spent their free time lifting barges, or trying to sink boats, and playing football. The champion football team consisted of two A.S.M.'s and the referee (S.M.).

The camp site proved once again to be excellent and it was the general opinion that the Camp had been a success.

Green Troop Camp

A stormy passage across the Irish Sea, and the arrival at the camp site, in the heart of Warwickshire, minus one Scout and two bicycles did not make a very auspicious beginning to the camp. The Scout

concerned had been overcome by the novelty of an escalator in a large Liverpool store where a hurried meal had been taken, and was found by his P.L. still travelling up and down. He arrived by the next train. The bicycles, in the excitement of looking for the lost Scout, had been left propped up against a wall, and were eventually found and forwarded by British Railways.

We had been casually warned that there was some bracken in the precincts of the camp, but were confronted by a forest of six-foot high bracken covering the whole area. A temporary site was found for the tents for the first night, and the following day, thanks to the loan of a sickle from other Scouts camping in the area, rides were cut through the forest, sites cleared for each of our patrols, and soon all were housed out of sight and sound of each other.

Of the highlights of the camp, there was the attempt of two patrols to make "plum duff," the raid on the Scouters' tent in the early hours of the Sunday morning by an A.S.M. who had gone sleep-walking, a trip to Stratford, Warwick and Kenilworth by coach and, of course, the weather—rain every day except one.

Though in many respects the camp proved to be little more than a training camp in which Scouts learnt through their own mistakes—Scouters' digestions often suffering as a result of these mistakes—morale remained high, and the Scouts themselves seemed to find enjoyment, even though circumstances were against them. The troop had more sun than they had seen during the whole week for their calm crossing back to the Island—a happy ending to an enjoyable yet tough camp.

Red Troop Camp

We aimed at a camp as remote from civilisation as possible and chose a site in the middle of the Brönte country. Indeed there were many times when we were forcibly reminded of 'Wuthering Heights,' though the countryside could be friendly and beautiful as well as wild and bleak.

One day we visited Malham Tarn, the biologists' playground. The Tarn itself is a stretch of water several hundred feet above sea level and the source of a river which pierces through a mountain and bursts forth from the rock on the other side. This excursion started in brilliant sunshine, but was rather spoilt by a thunderstorm in the afternoon.

For the rest it was a tough, happy, interesting camp, and we learnt a lot about how to live without the usual amenities of twentieth century life. There was no water tap, no milkman, no baker. It was a camp, however, enjoyed by all, and I think most of us will have happy memories of Yorkshire, 1954.

O.K.W. SECTION

ENGAGEMENTS

- ROE—Lt.-Col. B. W. Roe, D.S.O. (1916-23) to Miss Vivian Mary Franklin of Maidenhead.
- COUSINS—J. E. Cousins (1947-51) to Miss Elizabeth Ann Gregson.
- DIXON PHILIP—R. Dixon Philip (1941-44) to Miss Joan Milnes of Wallasey.
- WALLIS—S. E. Wallis (1919-27) to Miss Vera Pinnington of Wallasey.

MARRIAGES

- CLAGUE—On August 7th, 1954, A. D. Clague (1937-46) to Miss Barbara Cowin, of Port St. Mary.
- NASH—On July 23rd, 1954, L. H. Nash (1942-43) to Miss Erna Thorsteinsson, of Reykjavik.
- WILSON—On 31st August, 1954, K. R. R. Wilson (1935-43) to Miss Margaret Eleanor Kay.
- CHESTER—J. S. Chester (1942-49) to Miss Marion Crampton, of Folkestone.
- AIREY—On 3rd July, 1954, W. F. Airey (1939-45) to Miss Jean Ann Pugh, of London.
- SAUNDERSON—On October 19th, 1954, D. M. Saunderson (1940-45) to Miss Mary Alison Blumer, of Newcastle, New South Wales.
- RADCLIFFE—On November 8th, 1954, G. E. Radcliffe (1943-46) to Miss Angela Fargher, of Greeba.
- BARLOW—On July 24th, 1954, M. W. S. Barlow (1942-47) to Miss Margaret Legge, of Cambridge.
- BROADBENT—J. L. Broadbent (1937-45) to Miss Renee Laverick, of Birmingham.

BIRTHS

- QUALTROUGH—I. J. Qualtrough (1935-44) on August 8th, 1954—a son.
- DIXON-PHILIP—D. W. Dixon-Philip (1941-44)—a daughter.
- MORRIS—Rev. J. E. Morris (1932-39) on October 18th, 1954—a son.
- COWLEY—P. R. G. Cowley (1937-44), on November 18th—a daughter.

O.K.W. NEWS

- I. J. STEWARDSON (1939-47) was ordained Deacon by the Lord Bishop of Liverpool on September 21st, 1954, and is serving in the Parish of St. Luke's, Farnworth, near Widnes.

- J. D. GELLING (1935-41), Headmaster of Eccles High School, was ordained by the Lord Bishop of Manchester on October 3rd and is acting as Honorary Curate of St. John's Church, Irlam, whilst retaining his scholastic appointment.
- J. A. RATCLIFFE (1941-47), who has been an assistant receptionist at Claridge's Hotel, London, since August, 1951, has been appointed Assistant Manager at the Queen's Hotel, Farnborough, Hants.
- W. K. C. M. WATKINS (1939-43), after a period of service with the Royal Australian Navy, is now Demonstrator in the Department of Anatomy of Liverpool University.
- R. A. PROUDMAN (1924-27) was installed as Worshipful Master of the Birkenhead Lodge of Freemasons on October 5th, 1954.
- E. B. C. FARRANT, M.H.K. (1901-04) has been elected a member of the Legislative Council for a term of four years. Mr. Farrant is a son of E. C. Farrant (1840-46) who was a member of the House of Keys for 35 years, being born in 1830—three years before K.W.C. opened.
- H. M. MILLS (1919-23), whose play "Angels in Love" had such a success at the Savoy Theatre, London, earlier this year, had a new play, "The Little Glass Clock," produced at The Opera House, Manchester, on November 8th. The cast included Kay Hammond, John Clements, Basil Sydney and George Relfh.
- R. J. KENNA (1945-48) is captain of the Durham University College golf team for 1954.
- J. V. MEADOWS (1945-53) has won a scholarship for a four-year residential course at Loughborough College of Technology. The scholarship is one of ten sponsored for the first time this year by the motor trade and awarded to members of the trade.
- W. F. AIREY (1939-45) has passed his final examination, L.D.S., R.C.S.
- J. P. HERON (1938-44) has passed the final examination of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales.
- T. R. COWELL (1929-39) has been promoted Assistant Resident Commissioner for the New Hebrides Islands, in the Pacific.
- We congratulate H. H. RADCLIFFE (1917-21) on his election to the House of Keys.

KING WILLIAM'S COLLEGE SOCIETY

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING, JULY 26th, 1954

Minutes of 1953 Meeting

Mr. P. E. Wallis presided and there were 48 members present. Arising from the minutes of the 1953 meeting, the Hon. Treasurer reported that the 2½% Defence Bond investment would, on maturing, be re-invested in a higher yielding stock. He did not advocate any change in the rates of members' subscriptions. This was confirmed.

The Hon. Secretary reported that the sub-committee appointed recommended that James Lay and Co. be added to the names of official suppliers of Old Boys' colours. This was confirmed. The sub-committee also recommended that there should be no change in the officially approved ties but it was suggested, and approved, that the Barrovian Society be approached to permit their tie to be used by all Old Boys. The President stated that he was experimenting with designs for a tie for business wear and would bring them to the next A.G.M.

The Hon. Secretary reported that the E. H. Stenning Fund had realised a gross sum of £990 18s. 6d. from 580 donors. Expenses were £37 1s. 6d. and £953 17s. had been handed to Canon Stenning.

Accounts

The accounts as presented were approved. It was decided that, in future accounts, the preceding year's figures should be printed as a basis for comparison. The question of increasing the holding of 3½% War Loan was left to the discretion of the Hon. Treasurer and Hon. Secretary.

War Memorial Fund

The President, as Chairman of the Management Committee, presented his report, an account of which appears elsewhere in this issue. Mr. C. T. Butler was elected to the Management Committee in the place of the late Mr. J. W. Watterson.

Election of Officers

President: Major K. S. S. Henderson.

Vice-Presidents: En bloc, with the exception of Major Henderson.

Committee: The retiring four members, Messrs F. S. Adcock, A. W. Kerruish, E. W. Potterton and R. H. Woods, were re-elected, as also were the ex-officio members, R. T. D. Stott, as retiring Head of School, taking the place of S. P. T. Keig. The Hon. Auditor, J. B. Garside, the Hon. Treasurer, J. P. Honey and the Hon. Secretary, R. L. Thomson, were re-elected and thanked for their services. G. D. Kinley was elected Assistant Hon. Secretary.

Proposed new Register

It was decided to proceed with the production of the third edition of the College Register. The existing sub-committee to continue until an Editorial Committee be formed.

Sports Grant

It was decided to continue the £100 grant to College Sports Fund.

"Barrovian" Cover

Dr. N. G. Thomson regretted the form that the change in the cover of the "Barrovian" had taken and hoped that it would be improved; he regarded it as a very shabby affair. The Principal stressed that it was purely experimental and had been so stated in the "Barrovian" at the time of the change. He stated that further trials would be made and, on this assurance, no resolution was passed.

Memorial to Mr. Hughes-Games

It was decided that the Society should sponsor an appeal to Old Boys in order that the name and benefactions of the late Harold Hughes Games be permanently commemorated. Major K. S. S. Henderson, Mr. G. P. Alder and Mr. R. L. Thomson to organise the appeal. The memorial to include a plate in the College Chapel, any other form of memorial being dependent upon the total sum realised by the time of the 1955 A.G.M.

Mr. P. E. Wallis

The meeting closed with a vote of thanks to the retiring President for his services during his two years of office.

KING WILLIAM'S COLLEGE SOCIETY GOLF CUP

Played at Langness on July 27th under very bad weather conditions. Eighteen cards were taken out but only six competitors completed their round, four of these being those who played in the afternoon. The winner was W. A. Kirkpatrick (3), 30 points; the runner-up was J. M. Cain (14), 24 points.

LONDON O.K.W. SOCIETY

On 1st April a dinner was held at the Castle Hotel, Richmond, for the College seven-a-side contingent headed by Mr. A. G. Roche and nine boys. This annual informal dinner to meet the boys of the College is always welcomed by the Old Boys, as it is invariably the only opportunity which they get during the course of the year. The evening is essentially informal, and this one was no exception. The President, Dr. E. H. Allen, was in the chair and he welcomed the College team in a short and appropriate speech, to which the College captain, Stott, made an excellent reply. A very enjoyable convivial evening was had by all, and it was encouraging that so many O.K.W.'s were able to come along; in fact, the most we have yet had at this sort of function. Those present were as follows:

Anderson H. F. (1922-1930), Atkinson T. J. (1939-1947), Barnes C. G. (1919-1924), Barnes R. W. (1920-1927), Bell C. J. W. (1936-1940), Berry R. C. (1928-1931), Bruce A. (1935-1941), Cullen J. B. (1919-1924), Foulds R. T. (1919-1922), Frost R. W. (1919-1924), George J. R. G. (1943-1946), Kelly W. L. (1919-1925), Kneale R. G. (1941-1950), Lewis K. (1939-1945), McMeekin H. W. P. (1903-1910), New L., New M. S. (1941-1946), Podmore J. G. (1932-1935), Radcliffe B. (1942-1950), Robinson T. M. (1942-1947), Shimmen J. S. G. (1943-1950), Teare D. G. (1941-1945), Teare R. D. (1925-1930), Thomas H. S. (1941-1945), Thomas T. (1949-50), Thomson N. G. (1907-1914), Williams D. R. (1931-1936).

On Saturday, 27th June, a cricket match was played between an O.K.W. XI and the Bacchanalians," a team formed by members of St. Mary's Hospital, on the St. Mary's ground at Teddington. C. J. W. Bell, the O.K.W. captain, won the toss and put our

opponents into bat, and we eventually dismissed them for 117 runs, chief bowling honours going to W. G. R. Corkill. When we replied, the first four wickets fell for 13 runs and the situation looked somewhat desperate. Headley Thomas joined Bell and the effect of the "long and short of it" was a good one, and together they managed to knock off the necessary runs, Thomas scoring 36 and Bell 76, both being undefeated. Stumps were quickly drawn at that stage as the light was bad. Wives and lady friends were in full support and the experiment obviously proved a great success. The cricket team in order of batting were as follows: Nelson P., Costain D., Bell C., Cain R., Kneale G., Thomas H., Corkill W. G. R., Corrin B., Lewis K., Costain R., Fouracres W. Umpire: Crellin R.

MANCHESTER O.K.W. SOCIETY

The Annual General Meeting of the Society was held at the Albion Hotel, Manchester, on Friday, 22nd October, 1954. The President, Mr. A. Aplin, occupied the chair. Prior to the actual meeting, those present enjoyed a most satisfying hot-pot. In opening the meeting, the President gave a brief resumé of the activities of the Society during the past twelve months and in this included reports on Membership, Inter-Society Golf Match, Proposed Rugby XV and the 1955 Annual Dinner.

The following officials were elected for the ensuing twelve months:

Hon. Secretary and Treasurer: G. Aplin.

Committee: A. E. White, R. Shillinglaw, W. Ball, R. C. Shepherd, R. K. Clough, F. Withnall, D. C. W. Lee, W. M. Furness, D. Bardsley, W. A. M. Brown, N. S. Smith, C. Weston. *Ex-officio:* R. L. Thomson, J. G. Brown, E. W. Potterton, R. H. Woods.

Hon. Auditor: R. L. Ellis.

In addition to the normal business of an Annual General Meeting, two resolutions were adopted.

Membership

With effect from 1st January, 1955, all boys leaving College are allowed to join the Society without payment of any subscription for the first three years. After this period, they will choose a set rate of subscription.

"The Barrovian"

A resolution calling for the restoration of the original College Crest on the front of the "Barrovian" was unanimously adopted and forwarded to the Editor of the "Barrovian."

The following were present:

A. Aplin (1924-27), G. Aplin (1928-30), W. Ball (1921-23), D. C. Bardsley (1943-49), J. G. Brown (1917-22), G. S. Barlow (1942-47), A. J. Buckley (1940-43), R. K. Clough (1923-27), R. L. Ellis (1928-31), J. F. Hyde (1923-27), M. D. Ratcliffe (1941-50), R. C. Shepherd (1918-21), N. S. Smith (1913-18), R. Shillinglaw (1913-17), J. Shillinglaw (1913-19), C. H. W.

Taylor (1927-34), R. H. Woods (1923-28), N. Shoethington (1916-20), A. E. White (1935-41), J. M. Wood (1945-50), F. Withnall (1909-16), C. Weston (1946-53).

FORTHCOMING DINNERS

The Annual Dinner of the Manchester O.K.W. Society will be held at the Old Rectory Club, Deansgate, Manchester, on Friday, January 7th, 1955. Tickets and further details may be had from G. Aplin, c/o E.I.A. Liner's House, St. Ann's Square, Manchester 2.

The Annual Dinner of the London O.K.W. Society will be held at Brown's Hotel, Dover Street, London W., on Friday, March 18th, 1955, the eve of the England v. Scotland Rugby International at Twickenham. Tickets and further details may be had from C. J. W. Bell, 11 Netherton Road, St. Margarets, Middlesex.

The Annual Dinner of the Barrovian Society will be held in Douglas sometime in March. Tickets and all details may be had from G. P. Alder, Struan, Quarter Bridge Road, Douglas.

The Liverpool Society planned to hold their Dinner on December 17th, too late for notice in this issue. Details of the Society's activities may be had from G. F. Harnden, 35 Victoria Street, Liverpool 1.

THE HUGHES-GAMES MEMORIAL FUND

List of Donors and Donations received up to 31st October 1954:

	£	s.	d.
Dr. A. W. Kelly	1	1	0
Major F. C. Harris	5	0	0
Dr. D. Cowin	5	0	0
His Honour Deemster Sir W. P. Cowley, C.B.E. ...	10	6	
"Two Friends"	3	3	0
A. E. Corlett, Esq.	1	1	0
J. M. Cain, Esq.	1	1	0
Sir J. D. Qualtrough, C.B.E., S.H.K.	2	2	0
P. E. Wallis, Esq., F.C.A., F.T.I.I.	1	0	0
J. C. H. Halsall, Esq.	1	1	0
Rev. G. Sayle, B.A.		5	0
Major H. L. B. Mills	1	11	6
Dr. H. H. K. Sparrow	2	2	0
G. F. Harnden, Esq.	1	1	0
R. V. O. Hart-Synnot, Esq., O.B.E., D.S.O.	1	1	0
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M. I. Shimmin, Esq.	1	1	0
Rev. Canon E. H. Stenning, T.D., M.A.	1	0	0
R. L. Thomson, Esq.	1	1	0
Rev. F. W. Gelling	1	0	0
Rev. W. Hope Gill	1	1	0

	£	s.	d.
John Hartley, Esq.	2	2	0
W. C. Kelly, Esq., O.B.E., J.P.	2	2	0
Ll. S. Lloyd, Esq., C.B.	1	1	0
A. C. Qualtrough, Esq.	1	1	0
Rev. F. F. S. Williams, M.A.	1	1	0
Dr. G. Fildes	2	2	0
W. Allott, Esq.	1	1	0
N. J. Craven, Esq.	5	5	0
His Honour Ramsey G. Johnson, O.B.E.	5	0	0
C. Bellhouse, Esq.	2	0	0
Rev. T. R. Taggart		5	0
C. H. Pattison, Esq.	3	3	0
Colonel P. Jacob Gaffikin, M.C., M.D.	1	1	0
Dr. J. C. Kee	2	2	0
L. C. Pateson, Esq.	2	2	0
W. H. Bell, Esq.	2	2	0
F. C. Gaskin, Esq.	1	1	0
Colonel C. P. Gunter, C.I.E., O.B.E.	2	2	0
Dr. D. L. Sewell	1	1	0
W. T. Quayle, Esq., P.A.S.I., I.A.A.	1	1	0
Dr. D. B. Wallis	1	1	0
D. A. Hitch, Esq.	5	5	0
Dr. H. A. Higginson	5	5	0
Lieut.-Colonel H. P. Keelan, D.S.O.	2	2	0
Colonel H. T. Shakespeare	1	1	0
M. H. Turner, Esq.	10	6	
J. I. Turner, Esq.	10	6	
C. B. Corden, Esq.		5	0
Rev. H. S. Taggart, M.A.	1	1	0
A. D. Williamson, Esq., T.D., M.A.	1	0	0
J. A. Shimmin, Esq., B.A.	2	0	0
T. O. Barlow, Esq.	1	1	0
R. V. Bradshaw, Esq., M.I.Mech.E.	10	0	
C. T. Butler, Esq.	10	6	
Dr. K. W. Monsarrat	5	5	0
The Venerable Archdeacon C. V. Stockwood, M.A.	1	0	0
Captain J. F. Crellin, O.B.E., M.C., M.L.C.	2	0	0
Dr. R. Q. Crellin	1	0	0
Flying Officer W. M. Crellin, R.A.F.	1	0	0
J. C. Crellin, Esq.	1	0	0
G. F. Crellin, Esq.	1	0	0
A. R. R. Cain, Esq.	10	6	
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W. H. Patterson, Esq., D.Sc.	2	0	0
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Mylchreest Gell, Esq.	5	5	0
F. N. G. Taylor, Esq., M.Inst.C.E.	2	2	0
Lieut.-General Sir Alexander Galloway, K.B.E., C.B.E. D.S.O., M.C.	2	2	0
Major T. E. Brownsdon, M.H.K.	1	1	0
K. R. R. Wilson, Esq., M.A.	1	1	0

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M. W. Dean, Esq.	10	6	
E. N. Corbyn, Esq., M.A.	1	1	0
L. Shingleton, Esq., O.B.E.	10	6	
Colonel R. W. Madoc, O.B.E., R.M.	1	1	0
L. E. G. Brook, Esq.	1	1	0
R. E. Cooper, Esq.	10	0	
T. A. Colclough Leete, Esq.	5	5	0
E. W. Potterton, Esq.	1	1	0
Surgeon-Captain H. Hope Gill, R.N.	5	0	
E. M. Teare, Esq.	2	2	0
J. A. Jefferson, Esq., F.I.A.	26	5	0
A. N. Holt, Esq.	10	6	
Lieut.-Colonel F. E. Nangle	1	0	0
F. J. Trentham, Esq.	1	1	0
A. H. Anderson, Esq.	1	1	0
Rev. E. B. Glass, M.A.	10	0	
His Excellency Sir Ambrose Flux Dundas, K.C.I.E., C.S.I. (Lieutenant Governor of the Isle of Man)	2	2	0
W. Ball, Esq.	1	1	0
J. Kitto, Esq.	1	0	0
H. J. Cain, Esq., L.D.S.	1	1	0
A. E. Kitto, Esq.	1	1	0
H. R. Kennaugh, Esq.	1	1	0
Major K. S. S. Henderson	1	0	0
W. A. Carrington, Esq.	2	2	0
J. H. Wiles, Esq.	3	3	0
A. D. Thomson, Esq.	1	1	0
F. H. Wood, Esq.	1	1	0
John D. Gelling, Esq.	10	0	
E. M. Gawne, Esq., J.P., C.P.	1	1	0
Lieut.-Colonel A. H. Kissack	10	6	
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C. E. Leatham Locke, Esq.	1	0	0
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Rev. F. M. Cubbon	2	2	0

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R. Shillinglaw, Esq.	1	1	0
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Major J. P. Shimmin	1	10	0
J. F. Morris, Esq., P.A.S.I.	2	2	0
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J. C. Dean, Esq.	10	6	
H. M. Rogers, Esq.	10	6	
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G. P. Alder, Esq.	2	0	0
Rev. Canon E. C. Paton, M.A.	1	1	0
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R. E. Lewin, Esq.	1	0	0
J. B. Mylchreest, Esq.	1	1	0
R. D. Johnson, Esq.	2	2	0
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A. G. White, Esq.	2	2	0
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Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Caine	5	5	0
E. T. Close, Esq., L.L.B.	5	5	0
His Honour Deemster J. A. Cain, M.A.	1	1	0
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Major R. H. Cain, V.C.	10	0	0
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EXTRACTS FROM LETTERS RECEIVED FROM OLD BOYS

J.A.J. (1897-1901) writes:—

“ Although I am approaching the age of 72, I still have the most vivid memories of ‘Ockey,’ as he was my first form master when I came to College in ‘97 and was put into the Lower Fourth. Fortunately or unfortunately, at my first term at College I won a Maths prize, and apparently this caused my father to think I must be a mathematical genius—although I think it was the only prize I ever won! That, I always say, is why I became a Fellow of the Institute of Actuaries.”

H.A.D. writes:—

“ As you know I had, like everyone else, the highest opinion of H-G—he did, I think literally save the College from impending extinction. He was a remarkable man in every way and never spared his efforts in the interest of the College right up to the end. It was a pleasure to meet him but not perhaps always a pleasure to

be met by him as I record many hazardous trips from Douglas to Castletown in his car! "

A.H.W. (1889-1895) writes:—

" The first Gym Four was competed for in 1890. If you look up the record, you will see that sixty-four years ago Harold Hughes-Games and I were in this first four. The order was: 1, Lyon; 2, Hughes-Games; 3, Dopping Hepenstall; 4, Wharton."

F.W. (1903-1906) writes:—

" Dear old Ockey, I remember his fiery temper very well, but he could be equally charming."

C.E.L.L. (1896-1903) writes:—

" The outstanding recollection I have of Ockey was one of his methods of summary punishment. He would call one up to his desk—order 'Chin up'—feint with one hand and cut you on the other cheek with the opposite hand! I had occasion to remind him of this when I first saw him after umpteen years—on his final retirement to the Island and all he said was 'No hard feelings, I hope.' "

P.J.G. (1902-1904) writes:—

" I was in Ockey's form over 50 years ago, though I fear that I was one of those for whom he never had much regard, but he certainly strove to instruct me,—alas, without much success."

C.H.P. (1888-1893) writes:—

"K.W.C. was his real love, and it is lucky for the College that this was so. Although I seldom met him after 1893 when I left College I have a very clear recollection of him both on the football field and in cricket flannels and I remember the time when he broke his arm on the hard court just inside the gate up to Hango and as soon as it was healed and out of splints he broke it again. Also I have a clear recollection of his reading the lesson on a Good Friday and the last words 'Now Bawabbus was a wobber,' which delighted the whole school."

Ll.S.L. (1890-1895) writes:—

" This carries my memory back a long way. In my first summer term at K.W.C., Hughes-Games was Head of the School and Captain of Cricket. Unfortunately he had broken his left arm in falling at the last hurdle in the hurdle races in the Sports the previous term so he had to bat with one hand. I can see him doing so now! That was the term before he left to go to Worcester College, Oxford, the College at which my grandson is an undergraduate."

KING WILLIAM'S COLLEGE WAR MEMORIAL FUND

At the Annual General Meeting of the King William's College Society, the President, as Chairman of the Management Committee, reported income for the year to 30th June, 1954, as follows:—

Income for the year to 30th June, 1954, as follows:—

Subscriptions	£	270
Defence Bond Interest		78
Bank Interest		1
Profit on sale of Investment		1
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Making a total of		350

Out of which has been paid:

Travel and Office Expenses	5	
Grants in respect of 4 boys and 6 girls		
totalling	215	220
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Leaving a Surplus for the year of £130

The Capital position was as follows:

Capital, 30th June, 1953	2,562
Add above surplus	130
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Capital, 30th June, 1954	2,692

Which was represented by —

Defence Bonds	2,498
Cash at Bank	194
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	£2,692

The audited Balance Sheet as at 30th June, 1954, now upon the table would appear in the next issue of the 'Barrovian' along with this Report in which the Chairman wished to thank all Subscribers very warmly for their continued support. The time was soon coming, with children reaching public-school age, when Annual Grants would exceed Annual Income and Capital would have to be eaten into. Nevertheless the Chairman was quite certain the Fund would meet its obligations, the generosity of the members being what it was.

The Chairman, with regret, reported the death of Joseph W. Watterson (1905-11), member of the London Stock Exchange and a most charming and hospitable member of the Management Committee, whose loss would be much felt. With the approval of the Society his place would be filled by C. T. Butler (1906-09) a retired Bank Manager who had consented to serve.

The Report and Balance Sheet were approved and the Chairman was requested to convey the best thanks of the Society to the Committee.

The President and members of the King William's College Society acknowledge with grateful thanks the following donations to the Fund during the period 1st July, 1954, to 31st October, 1954.

JULY, 1954

	£	s.	d.
G. C. Madoc	10	0	0
R. K. Clough	5	5	0
J. B. Cullen	3	3	0
G. B. Smith	3	3	0
D. Lumgair	3	3	0
L. Dehaene	1	0	0
R. Shillinglaw	4	4	0
W. K. Smeeton	2	0	0
P. McNeill	1	1	0
A. Child	2	2	0

AUGUST

S. M. Caldwell	2	2	0
D. P. Greenep	1	0	0
P. E. Wallis	5	0	0
R. H. Woods	2	2	0
J. K. Conibear	2	10	0

SEPTEMBER

	£	s.	d.
G. F. Harnden	1	0	0
K. Darwent	5	0	0
W. L. Kelly	5	0	0
D. Crabtree	2	0	0
Mrs. J. Kells	1	1	0
F. E. Griffin	1	1	0
G. K. Tutton	4	4	0
J. D. Clague	1	1	0
E. A. Thompson	2	0	0
J. Harrison	2	2	0
E. W. Potterton	5	5	0
J. H. Moyers	2	2	0
C. K. Stanley	5	0	0
Donations previously received	3,805	10	9
Total Donations (to 31st October, 1954)	£3,890	1	9

The Chairman and members of the War Memorial Fund Management Committee are grateful for the continued support of subscribers and, in the interest of economy, trust they will accept this as sufficient acknowledgment.

(inaugurated June, 1947—running to ca. 1962)

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30th JUNE, 1954

Management Committee—
Percy E. Wallis, Chairman.
A. W. Kerruish, Hon. Secretary.
K. S. S. Henderson, Hon Treasurer.

Obituaries

J. W. WATTERSON (1905-11)

Joseph Watterson, born December, 1892, who died 14th June, 1954, was the son of T. W. Watterson, of Port St. Mary. He entered Hostel No. 3 House in May, 1905, and although never a natural athlete always played hard at all games. He became a Praeceptor in 1909.

He gained a College leaving Exhibition in 1911 and gained a Classical Demy at Magdalen College, Oxford, where he remained, obtaining 2nd Class Mods in 1913 eventually receiving his B.A. and M.A. Degrees in 1919.

He served in World War I as an officer in the Prince Albert's Somerset Light Infantry from 1915-19, seeing service in India, Palestine and France.

At the end of the War he joined the Bengal Chamber of Commerce and later the firm of Seth Apcar and Co. on the Calcutta Stock Exchange. He returned to England and became associated with the London Stock Exchange firms of Messrs. Solomon and Co. and later Messrs. William Hart and Co., of which firm he became a partner and remained with them for over twelve years. In 1950 he formed his own firm to trade as stockbrokers under the style of Watterson and Cook.

When in Calcutta he contributed many financial articles to the 'Looker On', 'Statesman,' etc., and whilst on the London Stock Exchange further literary surveys of Stock Markets for the 'Financial Times' for which he became quite famous. When asked about this his only comment was that it was far easier to crib than to think it out yourself! He undoubtedly had great ability and a first-class brain.

At the inauguration of the King William's College War Memorial Fund (1939-45) he willingly consented to serve on the Management Committee and he insisted that the annual meetings when held in London should always be held at his flat, where, afterwards, his quiet generosity, his powers of mimicry and as a raconteur kept everyone present in the greatest of good spirits.

He suffered for several years from the arteries in a leg and had been operated on recently; he collapsed whilst dining with his wife at the Hamilton Club, London, and was taken to St. George's Hospital where he died two hours later. He was cremated at Golders Green Crematorium.

We extend our deepest sympathy to his wife and sisters.

JAMES REILLY FOSTER (1892-99). Died July 14th, 1954.

James Reilly Foster, son of Mr. T. Foster, Timperley, Cheshire, entered Hemingway's (Walters') House in September, 1892. He left in 1899, to enter the legal profession. He qualified as a solicitor in 1905 and had a practice in Blackpool. He left Blackpool a few years later, and went to Vancouver where he practised as a lawyer

for a matter of ten years, after which he returned to Cleveleys, where he died suddenly on July 14th, aged 72. He was an ardent golfer. He captained the Blackpool Golf Club 1928-29, and his services to the club were rewarded with honorary membership. His second love was cricket. He was a member of the Lancashire County Club. He was, further, a prominent Freemason.

E. H. S.

MERVYN EDWARD STANLEY THOMPSON, M.C. (1893-1901).

Died 6th March, 1954.

Mervyn Edward Stanley Thompson, born November, 1884, the son of Superintendent G. A. S. Thompson, of the Indian Police, entered College as a Day Boy in 1893, but later joined Colbourne's, and later again, Principal's. He left in 1901, with an appointment in the Asiatic Petroleum Company, and at the outbreak of War in 1914 was their manager at Newchwang, Manchuria. In World War I he joined the Royal Field Artillery and fought in France. He was wounded at Cambrai in 1918 and was awarded the Military Cross. On demobilisation he became a member of the board of the engineering firm of Massey and Co. in Madras. Later he retired to Radlett, Hertfordshire, and served as Flight-Lieutenant in the R.A.F. Balloon Barrage Corps during the 1939-45 War. He maintained a great interest in College, and was a contributor to the War Memorial Fund, until struck down by the illness which brought his death.

E. H. S.

BENJAMIN PRANT PRIEST (1894-96). Died May 21st, 1954

Benjamin Prant Priest was born in May, 1881, and joined King William's College, Dickson's House, in September, 1894. He was the son of Mr. T. Priest, of Old Hills, Staffordshire. He left school to join the family firm of engineers. He ultimately became its managing director.

E. H. S.

DOUGLAS DURRAND CHRISTIAN THOMSON (1909-11)

Died July 12th, 1954

Douglas Durrand Christian Thomson, son of Dr. L. G. P. Thomson, a very much loved and highly esteemed medical practitioner of Penrith, Cumberland, entered College (the same term as the writer) in September, 1909, into Colbourne's House, the third of four brothers who were at school from 1902 to 1916. All four brothers were staunch and straight young people, highly popular with their fellow scholars and masters, good sportsmen, typical examples of the many bands of brothers of whom the school has reason to be proud. D.D.C. elected to follow his father's profession but his medical education was interrupted by World War I. He joined the Royal Garrison Artillery, fought in France and was wounded in 1917. He resumed his professional career at the end of the War, at the London Hospital. He was vice-captain of their very strong XV in the 1921/22 season. He qualified in medicine in 1921 and after serving as resident anaesthetist was appointed house surgeon in the London Hospital. Leaving London, he joined his brother J.R.K. in their father's practice. As doctors the Thomson family were very highly

respected in and around Penrith. J.R.K. retired a few years ago, and with the passing of D.D.C., the long line of "Penrith-Thomson" doctors comes sadly to an end. The other two brothers D.G.C. and G.E.C. were killed in World War I. We extend our sympathy to his widow and brother, J.R.K., who survive him.

E. H. S.

ARTHUR PRESTON HAIGH (1916-21). Died 6th October, 1954.

It is a sad duty for a house-master to have to record the death at a comparatively early age, of one of his House. Arthur Haigh, son of Rev. P. Haigh, Vicar of St. Clements, Greenheys, Manchester, was born March, 1904, and entered the Junior House, September, 1916, subsequently passing on to Colbourne's. He was a quiet, capable boy, from very early days anxious to take up engineering, and in particular railway engineering. His home background had made him one who found great value in the college chapel of which he always spoke with affection in his letters after leaving school. He went directly into railway works and, on qualifying, received an appointment in the service of the New Zealand Railways. He died suddenly at Wellington, N.Z.

E. H. S.

JOHN EDWARD SKELLY (Walters House, 1953-54)

Died September 21st, 1954

John Skelly had only been with us for a year, when his young life was so sadly ended with a tumour on the brain. Soon after half-term, in June, he began to get severe headaches, and soon the symptoms persuaded the doctors to operate. He had two brain operations in Liverpool, and bore his ordeal with cheerful fortitude. He was brave to the end, and it was a coincidence, full of pathos, that he passed away, in Liverpool, on the morning that the boys crossed back to College. In a year he had done a lot, he had entered into everything with zest, and had made a worthy impression on everybody with whom he had come into contact. He had such a friendly, open nature, that he made many friends, both in Walters House and in other Houses of College, and his death brought a wave of sadness over the community. With his magnificent physique and his great enthusiasm, he promised to be a fine Rugby forward, as well as a good swimmer. He had a happy life at College, and we at College have happy memories of him.

S. B.

Enquiries towards the new edition of the Register have brought to light the following deaths of Old Boys, not previously published. This cannot, unfortunately, be regarded as a complete list. We have thought it best to omit all titles, distinctions, etc., as our knowledge is necessarily so incomplete.

R.L.T.

	Years at K.W.C.	Died.
Frederick William Moss	1883-85	1944
Nono Kitto	1883-84	8/8/51
James Arthur Cool	1885-89	1/10/33
James Warren Murland	1886-89	20/4/43
Charles Francis Giddy	1887-89	1949
Arthur William Giddy	1887-93	—/12/37

James Macdonald Buchanan		
Leith-Buchanan	1887-89	2/6/46
Charles John Leith-Buchanan	1887-89	circa 1946
Garnet Gloag Lawson	1888-91	1936
Henry John Clague	1888-89	1951
Frank Randolph Seager	1889-90	5/3/29
Charles Vivian Beresford Stanley	1890-93	1914
Cyril Payne	1890-91	28/6/49
Sydney Payne	1890-93	—/9/27
Herbert Norman Macbeth	1890-91	—/8/41
Ernest Dickson	1891-93	10/2/43
Harry Beatty Kelly	1891-94	20/12/53
William Davenport Crawley Kelly	1891-94	18/12/51
Leslie Richard Wheen	1893-99	circa 1949
Allan Frith Wheen	1893-99	circa 1940
John Arthur Ashworth	1893-94	circa 1949
Alexander Hunter Mumme	1894-96	1932
James Thompson Mumme	1894-98	26/4/52
Alfred Stuart Mumme	1895-95	—/2/47
Walter Stott	1895-96	18/5/22
Harold Haygarth	1895-1900	—/2/44
Harold Sydney Furness	1896-1901	24/3/22
Roger Kirkpatrick	1896-1901	1922
Alfred James Harley	1896-1902	6/4/39
Arthur John Nickson	1897-1900	12/10/16
(killed in action)		
Richard Hoyle	1898-1900	18/1/53
Robert Wilfred Clague	1898-99	2/4/50
George T. Coates	1900-01	27/3/47
Patrick William Montgomery		
Thompson	1900-02	—/4/44
Percy Barrington Orr	1901-05	—/8/41
John Lawrence Harding	1902-03	1914/18
(killed in action)		
Philip Bateman Glossop	1902-06	1947
Frank Teare (killed in action)	1903-04	10/4/17
John Kenneth Garner	1902-03	1938
Bertram Crichton Waller	1903-07	—/6/50
Charles Joseph Taylor	1902-04	1947
William Rookcroft Nightingale	1908-10	9/8/49
George Herbert Moore	1911-13	—/2/28
John William Madders	1921-22	1950
John Thomas Kelly (killed in action)	1927-32	6/2/42

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