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EDITORIAL.

After having been encouraged to a considerable extent by the visit of the Inspectors, we are on the point of being subdued by examinations; the atmosphere is a mixture of "A Midsummer-Night's Dream" and "The Lady of Shalott" and of hydrogen sulphide. Anyone who knows anything about the latter will realise that it eventually wins! When one has successfully created an atmosphere of the good old English country-side and added sundry romantic touches, little imps come hopping jauntily round the corner, mere symbols, some of them with insignificant figures hanging round their left legs, and make their presence felt in all kinds of strange and unpleasant ways. If this is how we feel towards our more concrete brother, we can quite understand his hearty reciprocation-his attitude towards anything he cannot actually feel with his fingers or see with his eyes. Atmosphere he undoubtedly knows, but it is neither that of Shakespeare nor of Tennyson, in which every maiden worked a sampler and every swain imagined himself a Galahad-more or less; the sugary environment of an age that has passed away must be completely incomprehensible to his well-ordered and immaculate mind.

The king of that essentially practical domain will temporarily vanish from sight. His voice will no more be heard "Singing in the village choir;" he toils instead to the strains of the New English Hymnal and under the benign influence of Bunyanic song refrains from comment when things wont fit.

However, like a Laureate's Brook, both fields of our several activities will probably go on forever, ravaged by finer minds than now tussle with their intricacies, and therefore all the more need for that brutal method of mental torture with which the mighty see fit to wrack our brains. We hope that it will not prove too great a strain for some of our candidates.

All this is really quite beside the point, but the truth is we have nothing to write, and at such times our mind wanders rather more than usual with the above disastrous result.

RECTOR'S LETTER.

The outstanding event of the half-year has been the nspection by the Inspector of European Schools, Mr. Papworth and Mr. Bottomley. Their report has not yet come, but the former wrote in the log-book as follows:—

"I have just concluded a most interesting and very happy visit of inspection—interesting because of the adoption by the Rector of the Dalton Plan as the system in a portion of the school, and happy because of the excellent tone which appears to permeate the school life. I am also very glad to see a fine old school getting once more on to its feet."

These words are very encouraging, coming as they do in the midst of many discouragements, and they must make us all feel that we are not labouring together in vain. Our greatest need at the present time is more initiative. It is easy enough to do what we are told to do, with somebody at hand to help us, but it requires character to strike out on a new line, to attempt a new venture, to infuse others with keenness, to go on in spite of rebuffs and hostile criticism, and to carry our plans to a successful termination. Nothing in the world worth doing is ever done without risks, and the person who, for instance, is unwilling to risk his (imagined) popularity will never achieve any real measure of success, simply because he has no backbone.

CHAPEL NOTES.

The setting apart of a large room upstairs in Lyon Hall as a temporary Chapel has made a great difference in our Chapel Services, and we feel how much the school needs a permanent, Chapel. We have to thank many friends for donations towards furnishing the temporary Chapel. The Cantonment Chaplain of Jalapahar, and the military authorities have kindly lent us the benches, which are very comfortable. The Lord Bishop of Calcutta Mrs. F. W. Dawkins, and the staff of St. Paul's School have given liberal donations to the fund; the Church Committee of St. Andrew's have assigned the collection at the 9-30 Eucharist to the schools, and now the Chapel has been provided with the "School Manual of Worship," edited by the Rector, and the Common Prayer, bound with the English Hymnal will shortly be provided out of the fund. Mrs. Denley presented two handsome brass vases at Easter, Mrs. Terrell has collected sufficient to buy a large carpet for the Sanctuary, which we hope will soon arrive from Ellore, and Mr. Humphries has given a pair of candlesticks.

The Choir and Servers have now been fitted with cassocks, and new surplices will be arriving shortly. All the articles which are being obtained will be of use in the permanent Chapel.

The Free-will Offering Fund, which was started in April has not fulfilled our hopes, as most of the contributors have ceased to subscribe, and the amount contributed by the boys to the Church collections leaves much to be desired.

The Choir grows in numbers, and singing is gradually improving the rendering of Somervell's Communion Service in F. on Sunday, July 6th was commented on favourably by many. The main weakness of the Choir is in the lowest part, while there is still a tendency on the part of some boys to shout, instead of singing. A junior choir of very small boys has been formed, and practises keenly for half an hour on Sunday evenings. A large number of new hymns and tunes have been learnt, many of which have become favourites.

We are fortunate in having two excellent boy-organists in Farrow and Siddons the former having been appointed organist of St. Andrew's Church. Mr. Galloway also plays the organ, so that this part of the service is well provided for.

Peterson has carried out his duties as Sacristan very efficiently. The packing up and sending down to St. Andrew's of cassocks, surplices, music, and hymn-books every Sunday is no small business, and it has been done carefully and without tail every Sunday.

The following articles are required for the Chapel, and donations towards their cost would be most gratefully received. As most of these articles are of a particular pattern, it would be advisable to consult with the Rector before ordering them, in

case anyone would like to present one of the articles here mentioned: a Processional Cross, a Pair of Altar candlesticks, a Candle-lighter and extinguisher, and a set of altar frontals and hangings.

The Reverend A. Waite gave an address in Chapel on April 11th at 8-30 P.M.

On Palm Sunday there was a distribution and Procession of Palms before Holy Communion at St. Andrew's at 9-30 A. M. In the evening, cards were given to the boys in Chapel, with a prayer and a picture of the Crucifixion.

On Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday in Holy Week the Holy Communion was sung at 6-30 A.M., and the Rector gave an address daily at Evening Prayers.

On Good Friday the school attended Matins and Ante-Communion at 8 A. M. at St. Andrew's. A short service was held in Chapel at 12-30, and Evensong at 6 P. M.

The Choral Eucharist at St. Andrew's on Easter Day was a particularly beautiful service, and the Chapel was tastefully decorated by Mrs. Terrell and Mrs. Jones.

Very heavy rain fell on Whit-Sunday and the school was unble to attend St. Andrew's. Mr. Chapman had prepared the boys to form an orchestra for the service, and our inability to go down caused much disappointment.

The Confirmation.

The Most Reverened the Metropolitan administered the rite of Confirmation in St. Andrew's Church to fifty-four candidates including the undermentioned thirty-two boys of St. Paul's, on Wednesday June 4th at 5 p. m. The notice given of the confirmation was short, but the classes at St. Paul's had been commenced in March, so no difficulty was experienced in preparing the candidates.

The School Choir sang the hymns while three of the Prefects attended the Bishop. The Reverend Canon Parker read the opening exhiptation, and the Rector acted as Bishop's Chaplain. The Bishop gave a simple and helpful address before the Laying on of hands.

The boys who were confirmed received their firsts Communion on Sunday, July 6th in the temporary school Chapel, when fifty-five communicated, probably the largest number that has ever received Holy Communion at the same Service in the School Chapel.

The following boys from St. Paul's were confirmed:

Roland Albert Ayers. Alfred James Tempest Bocker Harold James Booth. Ceoil Frank Broughton Lawrence Charles Cox. Hector Leo Gruickshank, Vacey Carlyle Cuerdon. Philip Davis. Francois de Tivoli. Geoffrey Brigham Danokley Alister Keith Fraser. Glaude Arthur Terence Gasper. Osoar Kingsley Grindall Ashley Horton Hoperoft. Eric George Korb. Donald Arthur Alexander Lakin. Robert Alexander Lakin. Aston James Le Marchant Lawrence. Bertram Lister John Love. Patrick Harold Martin. Edgar Mathews. Hugh Brian McHatton. Cyril Denley Moore. Harold Edgar Maitland Myers. Malcolm Ashley Nahapiet. Ernest Alfred Oliver. Richard Charles Otto Lionel Francis Martin Saunders. Carl William Hubert Smart. Brian Keith Maddison Smythe. Ivan Malcolm John Wilson.

SCHOOL NOTES.

Mr. Adams left on a well-earned furlough on June 11th. We hope he will not get lost in the amusement section of the Wembley Exhibition.

Mrs. Denley left us on June 15th. She had been in bad health for some time having spent a period in the Eden Sanitarium, and the Doctor advised her to give up her work in the School. Her sudden departure has left its mark for we had hoped she would have been fit to carry on until the end of the year, but circumstances prohibited this. She had endeared herself to all whom she met, whether staff or boys, and her absence is felt no less by the one than the other.

On June 10th a Dinner was given by the staff in honour of Mr. Adams and of Mrs. Denley. The former only consented to undergo this torture (so far as he himself was concerned) provided that he was not expected to respond to toasts or to make even the most innocent of speeches. This being amicably arranged, we had a thoroughly enjoyable evening, and our heartiest thanks are due to Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Humphries for the way in which they worked to make the evening such a spontaneous success.

There were present: Mr. Adams, Mrs. Denley, Mr. and Mrs. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Heefke, Mr and Mrs. Humphries, Mrs. Terrell, Mrs. Cox, Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. More, Miss A Robinson, Mr. Huntingford, Mr. Russell, Mr. Galloway, Mr. Kydd, Mr. Newman, and Mr. Terrell.

By subsequent information we have been assured that Mr. Adams has acquired "that Kruschen feeling," and although we do not know exactly the shape his renewed vitality has taken, we feel sure that his skates are winged as Mercury and that he is still complaining of his tennis racquet obstinately wearing right in the middle. We hope this will always be so.

We congratulate P. S. Keelan Esq. on having been appointed C. I. E. among the New Year's Honours.

Mr. Hodges came to umpire for us in the Edinburgh Shield Match with St. Joseph's, and we heard excellent news of his son. He is still playing a good deal of cricket, hockey, and tennis at Home, and we hope to give more definite information in our next number.

- B. H. Huey, who left last year, worked his passage home as a Bell-boy on the "Franconia," in order to join the Training Ship "Conway." He tells us that he won a boxing tournament that was held on board.
- J. D. Peterson, R. E. Park, and P. K. Paroo left us after the examination in July. We wish them every success in the future and trust we shall hear from them, as from all old Paulines, from time to time.
- C. D. Moore left on July 15th. He had become quite a promising cricketer, and was one of the boys to join the first XI when the senior boys left.
- H. Murtough has won a Silver Cup in the Boxing Tournament at the Calcutta Exhibition, having been successful on points.
- S. W. Behrend has gone home and letters will find him at the following

Address:-C/o Lloyd's Bank & Co., Ltd.,
Messrs. Cox & Co. Indian Branch,
6, Pall Mall, London, England.

We hear from A. G. M. Carry of McNeil Road, Karachi, who has obtained a post as an assistant at Messrs. Strauss & Co. He tells us that Arnold Jenkins and D. N. O'Sullivan are also in Karachi: the former in the Shipping Department of Messrs. Forbes, Forbes Campbell and Co., and the latter practising as a Barrister. S. S. Stubbs is stationed at Sukkur.

Several letters have been received from Mr. Burnett of Sydney, and we have discovered another old boy in H. Mayston of 66 Musselburgh Rise, Danedin, New Zealand.

Some of our boys were very active during last winter in Calcutta. A combined hockey team from Victoria School, Kurseong and St. Paul's played the following Matches:

- vs. Calcutta Hornets Won 6-1
- " Caloutta Hornets Won 3-1
- , Gamerons lost 2-4
- " La Martinere Won 3-1
- " Calcutta Won 3-1

This team consisted of H. A. L. Farrow, M. Broughton, H. Sherman, C. Barnard, A. Barnard, J. Peterson, McCauley, M. Green, Brendish, Charlton, and C. Yakohee.

The cricket was not quite so successful. Our boys combining with La Martiniere, played for Lieutenant Firth's XI against Mr. Rosser's XI and the R. G. A. (two matches) all of which were lost, although Farrow was quite successful with the bat.

M. Broughton has played for the Rangers. We are sorry to hear he has been injured; both he and H. Farrow entered for events in the Bengal Athletic Sports. Broughton won the Hurdles with Farrow running second, both beating the Calcutta Champion, Chattejee. In the School's under 18, Farrow took second place both in the 440 yards and in the 120 yards handicap. S. Behrend came second in the Cyclists' Race in the Kidderpore Sports.

H. Farrow has an appointment in Messrs. Martin & Co., Calcatta; J. Dawn has entered Rangoon College, while S. Neish has gone to England to join a bank.

We have to add the following names to the list of Old Paulines, who served in the War: W.T. Milne, London Scottish, Killed at Verdun or Vimy; K. H. Milne, R. E. Mesopotamia; and D. A. Marwood, Black Watch. This information has been supplied by D. W.S. Madge of 14 Benaipooker Road, Calcutta. We have now 234 names on the list.

CRICKET.

The Clicket Season has on the whole been fairly successful, Six of last year's eleven did not return and prospects seemed by no means promising. Last year's "colts' put in some good practice and made very respectable progress, so that by the time matches were played we were able to put a very fair team in the field. The Eleven was very seriously weakened by the departure of five of its members: Behrend, Dawn, Farrow ma. Barnard ma, and Robinson, half way through the season. The youngsters who took their places acquitted themselves fairly well, and one of them, McHatton, did very well indeed both with the bat and as a wicket-keeper.

We wish to express our warmest thanks to the Planters, and especially to Mr. H. I. Falconar, their Captain, who takes endless trouble to raise his teams, for the very enjoyable matches we played against them. We offer them our heartiest congratulations in again winning the Edinburgh Cricket Shield.

Our thanks are also due to Mr. Humphries for having taken so much trouble over the catering for the matches.

Planters vs. St. Paul's.

This match, played on March 22nd. was the first of the season and was in the nature of being a friendly test of the capabilities of the respective sides. There were several new members of the Planter's XI. Mr. R. T. Landale, who played for Warwickshire, Mr. A. S. Douglas, formerly Captain of Watson's Academy, Mr. C. W. Emmett, lately Captain of our own School, and Mr. F. Bearpark once a stalwart member of St. Joseph's XI.

The Planters batted first and male 145, the chief scorers being Bearpark 35, Landale 26, and Emmett 26. They appeared to suffer from lack of practice, otherwise we would certainly not have disposed of them so cheaply. The wickets were fairly evenly distributed, Dawn being the most successful with an analysis of 4 for 24.

St. Paul's scored 162, the best scores being 45 by Dawn, 35 by Peterson, and 24 by Mr. Russell. Douglas bowled very well, taking 5 wickets for 69.

The Planters went in a second time and scored 111 for 7 wickets, Emmett contributing a very useful 50, and the match resulted in a win for St. Paul's by 17 runs, a close game which was, we are sure, thoroughly enjoyed by everyone, players and spectators alike. Score:

PLANTERS (1ST. INNINGS.)

| Mr | . Landale | b J Dawn | | 26 |
|------|-----------|--------------------------|-----|--------|
| . ,, | Davenport | b J Dawn | | 0 |
| " | Douglas | b J Dawn | | 2 |
| ,, | C. Emmett | et Farrow, b Peterson | | 26 |
| " | Everett | b S. Emmett | | 0 |
| • •• | Terrell | b J Dawn | | 0 |
| " | S. Ansell | b Behrend | | 19 |
| " | Durnford | et S. Emmett, b Keatinge | | 18 |
| " | Bearpark | l b w b S. Emmett | *** | 35 |
| ,, | Falconar | ct Farrow, b Keatinge | | 8 |
| ,, | Smyth | Not out | | 6 |
| | | | | 0 |

Extras ... 5

Total ... 145

ST. PAUL'S (1ST. INNINGS.)

| J. Dawn G. Barnard S. Emmett C. Butler H. Farrow J. Peterson Mr. Russell , Jones T. Keatinge V. Robinson S. Behrend | ot C. Emmett, b Douglas Not out b Douglas b Douglas Not out ot Landale, b Douglas b Davenport ot Davenport ot Davenport, b Douglas ot C. Emmett, b Davenport Not out ct Bearpark, b C. Emmett | Extras | 45 5 10 2 3 35 24 0 17 7 6 8 |
|--|---|--------|---|
| Mr. Landale , Davenport , Douglas , C. Emmett , Everett , Durnford , Bearpark , S. Ansell , Falconar , Smyth , Terrell | PLANTERS (2ND. INNINGS.) b Dawn ct Farrow, b S. Emmett ct Farrow, b S. Emmett ct Farrow, b Behrend ot C. Barnard, b Dawn ot Mr. Jones, b S. Emmett ct Peterson, b Behrend Not out did not bat | Extras | 14 1 10 50 1 7 27 0 |

EDINBURGH SHIELD.

St. Joseph's vs. St. Paul's.

Our first match in this Competition was played against St. Joseph's College or our own ground on May 9th and 10th. St. Joseph's batted first and made 169, of which Blake contributed 32, Reneaux 46, Friend Pereira 29, and Hogan 21. In our first innings Dawn made 44 and Emmett 60, their partnership being productive of over 100 runs, and establishing a feeling of confidence which is of such vital importance in inter-school matches. The next pair to make a stand was Mr. Russell 84 and Behrend 53. Mr. Russell played a very fine innings indeed, scoring very freely. Behrend took no liberties but played sound cricket. St. Paul's were now in a very strong position, leading on the first innings by 119 runs.

Total ... 169

On the Saturday morning St. Joseph's began their second innings and by careful cricket compiled 169 once more. Reneaux played a very good game and again was top scorer with 62. Dawn was in excellent form with the ball and took 5 wickets for 42 runs.

St. Paul's required only 51 runs to win when they began their second innings and it seemed that the result of the match was beyond all doubt-a mere matter of thirteen boundaries between eleven men. our intense disappointment a rot set in, that paralysing attack of nerves so frequently fatal to our players. Wicket after wicket fell with practically no addition to the score until 9 men were out for 25 runs. We were now quite as despondent as at one time we had been confident, for it seemed impossible that after such an exhibition, the last wicket should add the 26 runs necessary to win. Behrend, a new-comer to the team, now went in and played a splendid innings. It seemed that he was quite unconscious of the nervous tension apparent all over the field. He played with a beautifully straight bat which the bowlers found it impossible to beat, and took almost complete charge of the batting, running singles at the end of nearly every over with such skill that the bowlers had very few chances of attacking his partner. The runs came very slowly but they did come, and amid the greatest excitement the scores drew level and stood at 338 all. Behrend saved his side from defeat, but to the acute disappointment of ourselves and our supporters he was given out to a catch at the wicket the next ball. His innings of 25 was the finest effort that has been seen in our school cricket for many yoars. It was not a large score, but considering that nine of his side had only scored 25 runs between them, that St. Joseph's possessed such superiority in morale, that the tension was almost intolerable, and that this was only his second match, it was a magnificent display.

The match ended in a tie. Score:

ST. JOSEPH'S (1ST. INNINGS.)

| O. Ryan | b Dawn | | | 0 |
|-------------------|------------------------|---------|---------|----|
| N. Hill | e Barnard, b Emmett | | | 11 |
| M. Blake | c Russell, b Keatinge | | | 32 |
| H. Reneaux | b Farrow | | | 46 |
| J. Friend-Pereira | st Barnard, b Peterson | | | |
| S. de Glanville | o & b Peterson | | • • • • | 29 |
| D. Robinson | b Peterson | | | 7 |
| L. Hogan | | | | 0 |
| | b Emmett | | | 21 |
| F. Deefholts | c & b Butler | | | 2 |
| J. McNair | o Farrow | | | 1 |
| P. Maloney | Not out | | | 15 |
| | | | | -0 |
| | | Extras | | 5 |
| | | Littles | | .) |
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(2nd. Innings.)

| O. Ryan N. Hill M. Blake H. Reneaux J. Friend-Pereira S. de Glanville D. Robinson L. Hogan F. Deefholts J. McNair P. Maloney | b Emmett c Barnard, b Dawn c Dawn c Paroo, b Keatinge l b w b Dawn c Dawn, b Behrend c Paroo, b Dawn b Dawn b Emmett Not out st Barnard, b Keatinge | Extras Total | 25 8 3 62 1 21 2 31 8 0 1 7 |
|--|---|---------------|--|
| C. Barnald J. Diwn S. Emmett J. Peterson H. Farrow Mr. Russell ,, Jones T. Keatinge S. Behrend C. Butler | b Hogan c de Glanville, b Pereira c Ryan b Reneaux run out b Reneaux c Robinson b Deefholts st Ryan b Reneaux c Maloney b Reneaux l b w b , c de Glanville b Ryan c de Glanville b Ryan | | 0 44 60 4 10 84 13 0 53 11 |
| C. Barnard | (2nd. Innings.) c de Glanville, b McNair | Extras Total | 8 288 4 1 |
| J. Dawn S. Emmett J. Peterson H. Farrow Mr. Russell , Jones T. Keatinge S. Behrend C. Butler K. Paroo | c Maloney, b Ryan c Hogan, b Ryan b McNair c Reneaux, b Ryan c Hill, b McNair l b w b Ryan l b w b McNair c Adolphus, b McNair Not out b McNair | Extras | 8 0 0 5 0 1 25 0 0 6 |

Planters vs. St. Paul's

This match was played at the School on May 16th and 17th. The Planters went in first and for a time did not do particularly well, losing two very good men in Davenport and Landale for 9 and 6 respectively. Johnston, who has played in first class cricket at Home, then went in and matters rapidly improved, the fifth wicket putting on over 100 runs. Johnston's innings was a very fine display of free scoring of a high class and his strokes on the off side were particularly good. Vigorous aggressive batting of this kind is a joy to behold. We trust that he will always have pleasant memories of his first visit to St. Paul's and of the century he scored there. The Planters after their first innings were in a sound position, having 238 to their credit.

St. Paul's did not do at all well in their first innings, sooring only 122, S. Emmett 37 and Barnard 27 being the only batsmen to reach double figures. Douglas and C. W. Emmett were the Planters most

successful bowlers, the latter taking 4 wickets for 23 runs.

St. Paul's then followed on and did better in their second innings, scoring 210 runs. Peterson made 42, S. Emmett 41, and McHatton 41 not out. The last named played quite a merry innings,

this being his first appearance in a match.

The Planters required 94 to win, and knocked them up with the loss of only one wicket. It should be remarked that five of our first eleven left the School shortly before this match, so that we had to play with a very much weakened side. St. Paul's lost by nine wickets. Score:

| | THE PLANTERS (1st | Innings) | 1 00 | | |
|---------------------|------------------------------------|-------------|--|---|-----|
| E. C. Onslow-Graha | | | 550 | | 28 |
| K. Davenport | run out | | | | 9 |
| R. T. Landale | c Peterson b | Emmett | | | 6 |
| J. C. Johnston | c Peterson b | Emmett | | | 110 |
| C. W. Emmett | b Keatinge | Maria Maria | | | 10 |
| A. M. Ansell | st MacHatton b | Peterson | The State of the S | | 30 |
| A. S. Douglas | e Moore b | Peterson | | | 8 |
| M. Courtney | b Keatinge | | | | 0 |
| F. J. Durnford | b Emmett | | | | 4 |
| H. I. Falconai | not out | | | | 20 |
| C. T. Smyth | b Emmett | | | | 5 |
| | | | Extras | | 8 |
| | | | _ | | |
| | | | Total | | 238 |
| | THE PLANTERS (2nd | Innings) | | | |
| E. C. Onslow-Graham | n c&b Peterson | | | | 37 |
| K. Davenport | not out | | | | 49 |
| R. T. Landale | did not bat | | | | |
| J. C. Johnston | not out | | | | 7 |
| C. W. Emmett | | | | | |
| A. M. Ansell | 多度的 (100 年) (100 年) (100 年) | | | | |
| A. S. Douglas | | | | | |
| M. Courtney | did not bat | | | | |
| F. J. Durnford | | | | | |
| H. I. Falconar | | | | | |
| C. T. Smyth | | | | | |
| | | | 77 | | |
| | | | Extras | | 7 |
| | | | m . 1 | - | |
| | | | Total | | 100 |

ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL. (1ST. INNINGS)

| L. G. Siddons G. M. David J. H. Peterson S. Emmett Mr. Russell C. J. Butler T. K. Keatinge C. D. Moore K. Paroo A. L. Barnard H. B. McHatton | b Johnston b Douglas c Johnston b Douglas b C. W. Emmett c Johnston b Douglas b C. W. Emmett c and b C. W. Emmett c Courtney b Douglas run out b C. W. Emmett not out | | 6 0 37 5 8 4 9 1 27 6 12 | |
|--|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| | | Total | 122 | |
| | (2nd. Innings.) | | | |
| L. G. Siddons | c Courtney b C. W. Emmett | | 4 | |
| G. M. David | run out | ••• | 0 | |
| J. H. Peterson | b Johnston | *** | 42 | |
| 3. Emmett | b Douglas | ••• | 41 | |
| Ir. Russell | b Emmett | ••• | 10 | |
| J. Butler | b Emmett | *** | 26 | |
| . K. Keatinge | c & b Douglas | *** | 0 | |
| C. D. Moore | c Ansell b Douglas | *** | 15 | |
| K. Paroo | e Courtney b Emmett | *** | 4 | |
| A. L. Barnard | b Johnston | ••• | 11 | |
| H. B. McHatton | not out | Tyton | 10 | |
| | | Extras | 19 | |

Jalapahar vs. St. Paul's

Total ... 210

Jalapahar went in first and secred 116, Played on May 24th. L.-Cpl. Wilson making 29. St. Paul's made a very poor start losing three wickets for 14 runs. Emmett and Mr. Russell then formed a successful partnership which added 96 to the score, when Mr. Russell left after a very useful innings of 54. Emmett continued to score freely and was not disposed of till he had made 144, having given only one chance and a hard one to slips. He employed many fine strokes all round the wicket, his driving and cutting being particularly good. McHatton again did well making 53.

In their second innings Jalapahar made 134. A long stand was made by Sergt. Ablett and Cpl. Jones, who together added about 60 to the score before being separated. In the first innings Emmett took 4 wickets for 41, and Butler 4 for 14, and in the second Butler took 3 for 27. Every credit is due to the soldiers for their excellent fielding in a long and tiring innings. The result was a win for the

School by an innings and 50 runs.

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|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------|---------|-----|
| | C (Com Transport) | | | |
| JALA | PAHAR C. C. (1st. Innings.) | | | |
| Capt. E. O. Underhill | b Emmett | *** | *** | 10 |
| Pte. Edwards | e Barnard b Keatinge | *** | | 3 |
| L Cpl. Nicholson | st Butler b Butler | *** | | 29 |
| G. E. Tatchell | b Emmett | | | 9 |
| Sergt. Town | b Emmett | | | 9 5 |
| Capt. W. W. Linney | e & b Siddons | | | 5 |
| Gpl. Viney | b Emmett | | | 13 |
| S. Sgt. Ablett | b Butler | | | 17 |
| L Gpl. Jones | b Butler | | | 0 |
| Pte. Franks | not out | | | 11 |
| Bdsm. Minshall | e Keatinge b Butler | | | 2 |
| Busht. Minshatt | · | Extras | | 8 |
| | | 22 | | |
| | | Total | | 116 |
| | | | | |
| | | | | |
| | (2nd. Innings.) | | | |
| Capt. E. O. Underhill | b Keatinge | | | 4 |
| Pte. Edwards | b Keatinge | ••• | | 1 |
| | c & b Peterson | *** | | 10 |
| L Gpl. Nicholson G. E. Tatchell | c Emmett b Peterson | *** | • | |
| | b Butler | | • • • • | 9 |
| Sergt. Town | | ••• | | 25 |
| Capt. W. W. Linney | b Butler | *** | | 6 |
| Cpl. Viney | b Butler | | | 0 |
| S. Sgt. Ablett | b Siddons | | | 36 |
| L Cpl. Jones | not out | | | 32 |
| Pte. Franks | ct & bowled Siddons | *** | | 4 |
| Bdsm. Minshall | b Emmett | | | 1 |
| | | Extras | | 6 |
| | | Total | | 134 |
| | | | | |
| | | | | |
| | ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL. | | | |
| L. G. Siddons | b Town | | | 0 |
| A. H. Barnard | b Town | *** | | |
| J. D. Peterson | | | *** | 8 |
| S. J. Emmett | o and b Town | ••• | | 0 |
| Mr. Russell | b Franks | *** | | 144 |
| | o Town b Nicholson | | | 54 |
| J. C. Butler | l b w b Nicholson | | | 17 |
| T. K. Keatinge | b Town | ••• | | 5 |
| G. D. Moore | e Underhill b Town | | | 8 |
| H. B. McHatton | e Nicholson b Franks | | | 53 |
| G. David | e Ablett b Nicholson | | | 2 |
| F. S. Ralli | not out | | | 1 |
| | | Extras | | 8 |
| | | LACTRIS | | 0 |
| | | Total | | 300 |
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Matches Played.

| March 22nd vs. | Planters | Won by 17 runs. |
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| May 9th-10th vs. | St. Joseph's | Tie |
| May 16th- 17th vs. | Planters | Lost by nine wickets. |
| May 24th vs. | Jalapa har | Won by an innings and 50 runs. |

Batting Averages.

| | No. of | Times | Highest | | |
|----------------|----------|-------|---------|--------|----------|
| Batsman. | innings. | out | score. | Total. | Average. |
| H. B. McHatton | 3 | 1 | 53 | 100 | 100 |
| S. J. Emmett | 6 | 6 | 144 | 300 | 50 |
| Mr. Russell | 6 | 6 | 84 | 182 | 30.3 |
| J. E. Dawn | 3 | 3 | 45 | 90 | 30 |
| S W. Behrend | 3 | 3 | 53 | 84 | 28 |
| A, L. Barnard | 3 | 3 | 27 | 46 | 15.3 |
| J. H. Peterson | 6 | 6 | 42 | 81 | 13.2 |
| C. J. Butler | 6 | 5 | 26 | 64 | 12.8 |
| C. D. Moore | 3 | 3 | 15 | 32 | 10.6 |
| T. K. Keatinge | 6 | 6 | 17 | 27 | 4.5 |
| H. L. Farrow | . 3 | 8 | 10 | 13. | 4.3 |
| C. F. Barnard | 3 | 3 | 5 | 9 | 3 |

Bowling Averages.

| Bowler. | No. of Overs, | Rans. | Wickets. | Average. |
|----------------|---------------|-------|----------|----------|
| C. G. Butler | 12 | 54 | 8 | 6.7 |
| J. E. Diwn | 40 | 139 | 12 | 11.2 |
| S. J. Emmett | 66 | 262 | 18 | 14.5 |
| J. H. Peterson | 35 | 195 | 9 | 21.6 |
| T. K. Keatinge | 63 | 234 | 10 | 23.4 |

Cricket Characters.

† H. A. L. Farrow. Captain for the first part of the season. Did not do much with bat or ball but was very good in the field.:

† J. E. Dawn. Has obviously the makings of a very good bat and a really good bowler. Has greatly improved. His style is Excellent. A briliant point.

† S. J. Emmett. Has the best knowledge of the game of the eleven. A very pretty and aggressive bat. His driving and outting are very good indeed. Keen and indefatigable in the field. A useful bowler. Captained the XI after Farrow's departure.

* J. D. Peterson. Should have come on better as a bat. Can put on enormous breaks both ways but cannot keep a good length. Should cultivate his off break. Good in the field.

C. Barnard. If his skill were commensurate with his zeal would

be an excellent wicket keeper. A plodding batsman.

* S. Behrend. Has come on splendidly. A master of the important secret of the straight bat. Should have a successful cricket career.

A promising bowler and a good cover point.

* T. Keatinge. Has a nice easy left hand action, keeps a good length and ought to make a good bowler. Not a success as a bat

but fairly good in the field.

* C. Butler. Bats in very good style but should have made more runs. Has greatly improved. A fair change bowler. Must keep awake

in the field.

K. Paroo. Has failed to fulfil his promise of a couple of years ago. Disappointing with bat and ball, but is very keen and is reliable in the field.

H. B. McHatton. A promising bat and has the makings of a

very good wicket-keeper.

A. Barnard. A very ugly bat occasionally makes runs. keen and will in all probability greatly improve. Is very

† Old First XI Colours. * New First XI Colours.

St. Paul's School Debating and Literary Society.

This Society has been reorganised and we hope to get it in full working order by the commencement of the scholastic year in August. Its activities have up to the present been confined to readings from Shakespeare and to the reading of Literary papers. The following is a synopsis of minutes of Meetings held up to the present :-

Constitutional Rules were drawn up on April 30th and at this

Meeting there were elected:

President The Rector Mr. Russell Vice-President H. A. L. Farrow Secretary W. H. Paxton Librarian

A subscription of eight annas a month was agreed upon.

Scenes from Shakespeare's "Macbeth" were read at the second Meeting. At the third Meeting J. D. Peterson was elected Hon. Secretary vice H. A. L. Fairow, and Scenes from Shakespeare's "Hamlet" were read.

We were glad to have Mr. W. Papworth present at our fourth Meeting when the Vice-President proposed a motion in the following terms: "That this Society wishes to record in its minutes the feelings of regret and disappointment with which it has received the news of the reverse experienced by the Mount Everest Expedition, and more especially of the deaths of G. L. Mallory and A. C. Irvine: disappointment because it had hoped that success would once more, in the long line of British achievement, have crowned the efforts of great-hearted men; regret that such men should have been chosen to pay the price exacted, it seems, from time immemorial, in exchange for the glory of surmounting overwhelming difficulties. Let their names be taken to our hearts and the memory of their courage into our lives." This motion being unanimously carried, the Vice-President read a Paper: "The Revenge Play, with special reference to Shakespeare's Hamlet."

There was a very successful discussion on Shakespeare's "A Milsummer-Night's Dream' at the next meeting when W. H. Paxton, the Vice-President, R. C. Otto, and A. J. Gregory each read a Paper.

We sincerely hope that our efforts in this direction will bear fruit. Most of us in reading almost anything unconsciously understand what it is about, but it is a very different matter when we are asked to talk about it in our own words. We think that reading Papers and extracte from standard literature itself goes a very long way towards what everyons must be glad to possess: a facility of expression upon any subject that may come up as well as the power to pick out the essential points in debate and support or pounce upon them as the case may be, clearly and o neisely.

It is necessary to emphasise the fact, however, that unless there is keenness as a body among the Members, the efforts, no matter how well directed, of two or three individuals are doomed to failure.

The Society has found a home in the old VIth Form room, and

has started a Library, which is reserved for the use of its Members.

Inheritance.

I cannot now remember the place where I was born, I cannot see the shadows playing lightly on the wall, But I know a precious woman must have sat and watched at dawn, And given me the glory and the sadness of it all,

must have felt the tall ships passing stately by, s one by one they ploughed the prosperous seas; Vith sails unfurled and voices calling away to the East they fly, Will they ever know home lands again 'ere God's Hand passes by?

For some will find a heart to love and bind them to the shore, And some will find a glory they had dreamed of but before; For some the shades will lengthen and they will pass away, But the stately ships will sail the seas unheeding evermore.

And in that day I must have dreamed the light would bring me joy, For all I know through her dear eyes she chose to make me glad; And calmly watching sea and pine at window or in field, She gave my soul ambrosial gifts that I can never yield.

I. A. F. Notes.

Considering the large number of recruits this year, the Platoon is doing very well, and the new members deserve great credit for the work they have done. The shooting is not as good as previous years. but we hope to show considerable improvement before the end of the year.

Major-General Astley Cubitt, G. O. C. Assam and Presidency District, inspected the Platoon on May 14th, and expressed himself as well pleased with the general turn out and smartness, in spite of the fact that almost all the N. C. Os. had left the School on the day previous to the inspection, leaving boys with practically no command experience to take their places.

The Platoon took part in the King's Birthday Parade, held this year in the Market Square. At the conclusion of this Parade His Excellency the Governor requested a notification of "his appreciation of the excellent manner in which the parade was carried through" to be conveyed to all ranks.

Parades take place on Wednesdays and Fridays. Sergeant Husselbee, South Wales Borderers, has taken the place of Sergeant McGinlay who

left us last year.

The following N. C. Os., have been appointed and deserve credit for the way in which they have carried out their duties, considering they are all new this year.

Gorporal Peterson J. H. to Sergeant W. H. Corporal Cadet Paxton to Park R. E. Keatinge T. K. Cadet to Gorporal Cadet to Corporal H. to Lance · Corporal. Cadet Martin

"Carmichael's Own."

All Scouts appear to be very much keener this year, are putting in better work, and certainly getting better results. By the end of July all will have passed their second class tests and other badges are being worked hard for.

An Investiture of Tender foots was held at St. Andrew's. This was a very impressive Service, attended by all units in the vicinity.

The Troop took part in the King's Birthday Parade, and were

smartly turned out.

Rallies are held on Tuesdays. These show a great improvement in attendance. Sergeant Husselbee has been most helpful in teaching semaphore and Morse.

The following appointments have been made for 1924:-

A. S. M W. H. Payton. Senior Patrol Leader A. H. Gregory.

Patrol Leaders Robottom, G. R., Lownes W. J.,

Gasper O. R., Ghosh B. K., Mackay A.G. M.

Lieutenant A. Humphries has been appointed District Scout Master.

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| Agaronoff | S. S. | Mathieson | W.R. |
| Allen | T. E. | Majumdar | K. K. |
| Angelo | E. O. | McAuliff | E. R. |
| Angelo : | G. H. | McMurray | M. P. |
| Angelo | R. H. C. | Meyer | E. E. R. |
| Barker | Н. Е. | Newton | R. T. |
| Garran | J. A. N. | Pearce | J. F. |
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| Dean | W. F. E. | Ramsden | F. J. |
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| Edwards | W. C. | Ramsden | H. D. |
| Ezekiel | M. | Rice. | N. P. |
| Ezra | M. | Robertson | A. C. |
| Fisk | K. F. | Rose | В. |
| Grindall | O. K. | Rose | C. |
| Harley | J. H. T. | Saunders | G. E. D. |
| Havelock | C. A. C. | Saunders | L. F. M. |
| Havelook | С. Н. С. | Talbot | H. W. |
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| Alexander | H. C. | Duckworth | M. |
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| Alexander | J. C. | Elliott | N. |
| Bailey | H. E. | Ellis | J. |
| Ball | R. | Farrow | H. A. L. |
| Barnard V | C. F. | Foster | J. G |
| Barnett | R. F. G. | George | L. A. |
| Barrett | H. N. | Green | C. |
| Bebbington | W. F. | Guest | F. D. |
| Behrend | S. W. | Guest | L. E. W. |
| Biggie | M. C. | Guest | W. G. |
| Bishop | R. R. | Goff | R. C. |
| Blaker | A. C. | Goff | S. M. |
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| Dawn | J. E. | Matthews | J. K. |
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| Nelson | H. F. | Taylor | A. E. |
| Outhwaite | T. H. S. | de Tivoli | . C. |
| Parvion | J. H. L. | Todd | A. |
| Pearce | L. A B. | Vardon | P. T. |
| Robinson | 6. V. | Veale | A. J. |
| Rioks | W. B. | · Verney | E. A. |
| Sanderson | C. E. P. | Watkins | A. |
| Sandwell | E. A. R. | Williams | T. A. |
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EDITORIAL.

Even the weariest river winds somewhere safe to sea, and that is what most of us feel has happened this year. Not only have its meandering properties been in sympathy with the well-known poetic metaphor, but the river part of it has also been impressed upon us with, we think, unnecessary emphasis during the monsoon, which seems to have been exceptionally heavy.

Not this only: the piece de resistance has been the Dalton Plan. We hope in our next number to include a detailed critical summary of the Plan, and of how it has worked here with us. We can say now, however, that it has been given a thorough and fair trial and has not proved exactly an unqualified success, neither has it answered the particular needs of the boys here. Each one working under the system wrote an essay on the subject in which he was specially asked to state his opinion on certain points and to attempt some constructive criticism; and, while we think that only a few of these essays can be relied upon as being thoroughly sincere, some of them plainly showed that the Plan had not been producing the results expected from it. An analysis of these essays will be given in the article in the next number.

The rest of the story is told in the following pages.

SCHOOL NOTES.

We hear from D. W. F. Madge, who sends us a list of Old Boys who served in the Great War. He suggests a Dinner and Dance for past and present Paulians in Calcutta in aid of the Chapel Fund. This would be welcome if some enterprising person in Calcutta would run it.

Several letters have been received from Mr. Adams, who is at present uncertain of returning.

S. W. Behrend has joined Felsted School and is doing well at Rugby Football. We see H. L. V. Day has joined the Staff, and so Behrend will have every opportunity of becoming a sound Rugby player as well as of improving his Cricket, which gave such good promise before he left St. Paul's.

News has been received that E. A. Oliver arrived home safely and was spending a holiday in Edinburgh.

- H. A. L. Farrow, who has joined the Calcutta Scottish, writes that Old Paulians are doing well at Cricket in Calcutta. Peterson, who is going home shortly, has joined the Rangers Club and so far has had only one game in which he scored 9 runs. M. L. G. Broughton and Farrow play for the Ordnance Club, and so far have played against the Cossipore C. C., Rangers C. C., Xaverians and the Customs. Broughton played against the Rangers, scoring 3 runs, and against the Xaverians, scoring 5. Farrow has played in all the matches against the above Clubs, making 21 against Cossipore, 5 against the Rangers, 38 against Xaverians, and 21 against the Customs. He has also played for the Calcutta Scottish.
- M. L. G. Broughton, J. E. Dawn, and C. V. Robinson are taking the Higher School Certificate on the 8th December. We wish them every success.

Broughton and Farrow are training for the Calcutta Sports which take place in February. The former is competing the Hurdles, Half Mile, and Mile, while Farrow is running in the 120 Yards Hurdles, the 220 Yards Low Hurdles, the 100 Yards, and the 150 Yards Handicap.

- N. Harvey is studying medicine at Edinburgh, and B. W. Ricks is at King's College, London.
- N. Paterson has proceeded to Crewe for a course of instruction in Mechanical Engineering. He and Guy Heefke are both doing well at Hockey.
- C. Barnard has joined the Port Commissioners, Calcutta, where we wish him every success.
- T. de Tivoli, who left the School on October 26th, is leaving for Europe early next year. His present address is Tezpur, Assam.

F. L. Lawrence and D. Utting have been playing Hockey for Mid-Surrey. In their match against Oxford University, Utting scored 2 goals and Lawrence 1 of the 3 goals scored.

P. K. Paroo, who left us in July, is sailing for England in December, and G. H. Demetrius is leaving for Europe on December 24th.

We congratulate the School on winning the Junior Challenge Cup, and J. Mathews on winning the School Boy Championship Cup at the Darjeeling and District Athletic Sports.

The Staff has presented a Silver Challenge Cup to the School, to be competed for by the Houses in the Annual Athletic Sports. This was won this year by Havelock House.

Lt.-Colonel Haddick, F.R.G.S., gave a lecture on the Mount Everest Expedition on August 18th, and, speaking chiefly from the point of view of the motor-tractor experiments carried out in some difficult districts of the Himalayas, gave us a very interesting account of the methods employed and the difficulties encountered by the Expedition itself.

On October 7th, the Armenian College Scouts from Calcutta were camping at Senchal, and paid a visit to the School, when Lt. Humphries organized a Boxing Tournament in the morning, in which our guests were victorious by 8 bouts to 6. In the afternoon a Hockey match was played, which resulted in a win for the School by the only goal scored. Detailed results of the Boxing are given on another page. Mr. A. E. Clarke, the Headmaster, was formerly on the Staff of St. Paul's, and has promised our Scouts a Cup.

The Armenian College entertained "Carmichæl's Own" at their camp, when a very enjoyable day was spent in carrying out various Scout exercises and in playing games.

Armistice Day was celebrated by a Requiem Mass sung in the School Chapel at 7-30 A.M. Later the School left for the Public Service at St. Andrew's at 10-30 A.M.

The European Schools, Bengal, Singing Competition took place during the morning and afternoon in the Gymkhana Club Rink. The Junior Choir did well, under the Rector's baton, to win Section 1 (Unison). Miss Shelverton was asked to accompany Mr. Papworth when he conducted the Massed Choirs.

Our thanks are due to Major A. N. R. McNeill, R.A.M.C., for the ambulance lectures that he has conducted in the School since September. These lectures were held with the idea of sending some of the senior boys up for the examination for the St. John's Ambulance Certificate.

The following were successful in the First Aid Examination held in the Lefrey Hospital on November 13th: W. H. Paxton, A. L. Barnard,

C. J. Butler, F. de Tivoli, A. G. Gibson, A. J. Gregory, O. K. Grindall, P. A. Kelly, F. G. Korb, B. L. Love, R. V. Lownes, H. B. McHatton, R. C. Otto, W. E. Peck, and L. G. Siddons.

The activities of the Debating and Literary Society have been entirely given up to the production of Scenes from Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night" on Distribution Day. A definite programme is being planned for next year, when we hope to exercise our ingenuity and criticise the texts set for the examinations, with the estimable object of confounding the examiners more than we do at present.

G. H. Demetrius has sent some books for the library of the Society, for which we tender him our best thanks, hoping that others will follow his example.

Mrs. Jones is to be congratulated on a very successful musical play entitled "Come, Lasses and Lads", which was produced at the Gymkhana Club Theatre on October 3rd. The Maharajah of Sikkim and the Rector gave contributions towards the expenses, and the total proceeds of the entertainment after paying for expenses were given to the Chapel Fund.

The Annual Athletic Sports were held on October 16th, when a large athering of people visited the School. The Countess of Lytton, accompanied y Lady Hermione Lytton, presented the prizes, the Senior Challenge Cup eing won by W. H. Paxton, and the Junior by C. Broughton. Lady Lytton asked for a whole holiday for the School, which was observed on the following day.

Mr. H. A. S. Pullan presented a Cricket bat for the member of the Team who was best in the field, and it has been won by S. J. Emmett, while H. B. McHatton has won the bat given for the best batting average.

The Reverend Bishop and Mrs. H. Pakenham-Walsh, and the Reverend and Mrs. Vaughan have visited us again this year as guests of the Rector.

The Patrons of Lawrence House have presented a Cup to the House, to be won each year by the boy obtaining most marks for the House in athletics and games; details of possible marks are given on another page.

A Cup for the best gymnast was presented by Messrs. Huntingford and Kydd. This was won by C. Broughton.

We are sorry to lose Mr. H. D. Galloway, who has resigned after having been with us for two years.

Mr. Heefke and his partner are to be congratulated on winning the Mixed Doubles in the Darjeeling Tennis Tournament.

The Rector left for Home on November 26th, and is expected to return early in March.

The following sums have been received through Mrs. Terrell as donations to the Chapel Fund, besides amounts of less than Rs. 20, making a total of about Rs. 600 in all:—

| | Rs. | | | Rs. |
|-----------------------|---------|--------------------------|-----|-----|
| Rev. and Mrs. Vaughan | 100 | Mrs. Meyer | | 25 |
| Per Mrs. Solomon | 54 | R. Moore, Esq | 7.1 | 25 |
| Hafiz Wazir | 40 | Dr. Smith, Bros. | - | 25 |
| The Rector | 30 | Mrs. Terrell | | 22 |
| G. Gregory, Esq. | 25 | Messrs. Hall and Anderso | n | 20 |

Bishop Pakenham-Walsh .. Rs. 20.

Messrs. Humphries and Russell handed over Rs. 143—8—0 to the same Fund as proceeds from visitors and from the sale of programmes on Sports Day.

The School Officers for the Term were :-

CAPTAINS OF SCHOOL: March-July. J. D. Peterson.

July-November. W. H. Paxton.

CAPTAINS OF HOUSES: Clive, J. Peterson.

Hastings, W. H. Paxton. Havelock, K. Paroo. Lawrence, R. E. Park.

CAPTAIN OF HOCKEY: S. Emmett.
CAPTAIN OF FOOTBALL: S. Emmett.
CAPTAIN OF CRICKET: S. Emmett.

CAPTAIN OF SHOOTING FIGHT: W. H. Paxton. KEEPER OF THE FIVES' COURT: W. H. Paxton.

CAPTAIN OF GYMNASIUM: -- C. Broughton.

SENIOR PREFECTS: C. J. D. Peterson, W. H. Paxton, H. Martin, A. K. Ghosh, K. Paroo, C. J. Butler, T. Keatinge, J. A. Howe, F. W. Murphy.

JUNIOR PREFECTS: T. de Tivoli, G. H. Demetrius, B. Love, S. J. Emmett, R. W. Farrow, L. G. Siddons, R.C. Otto, A. L. Barnard.

CADET OFFICERS AND N. C. O.'s:

O. C. Platoon . . . Lieut. A. Humphries. N. C. O.'s . . . Sergt. W. H. Paxton, I.

Corporals. T. Keatinge, H. Martin, I,

S. Emmett, I.

Lt.-Corporals. A. Barnard, G. David, I.

SCOUT OFFICERS:

Scout Master . . Asst. Scout Master Troop Leader . . Patrol Leaders

. Lieut. A. Humphries.

. W. H. Paxton.
. A. J. Gregory.
. W. J. Lownes, II.

E. Mathews, I. B. K. Ghosh, II. A. G. M. Mackay.

L. Cox, I.

| | CHOIR. | |
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| W. H. Paxton, I. | A. Hopcroft, I. | A. Mackay. |
| R. Farrow. | W. J. Lownes, II. | H. Phillips. |
| L. Siddons. | R. Wilson, I. | E. Taylor. |
| G. Demetrius. | A. Lawrence. | D. Connors. |
| J. A. Howe. | K. Macdonald. | V. Probett, II. |
| A. Barnard. | D. Allen. | A. Hopcroft, II. |
| B. Love. | A. K. Fraser. | A. Finlayson. |
| H. McHatton. | L. Saunders, I. | D. Gasper, III. |
| R. Robottom. | W. Zorab. | R. Salt. |
| V. C. Cuerden. | F. Baxter. | E. Reid. |
| | SERVERS. | |
| W. H. Paxto | n, I. | |

| W. H. Paxton, I. H. Martin. A. Barnard. | } | Clerks. |
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| G. David, I. T. Keatinge. T. de Tivoli, I. J. Howe. C. Butler. G. Demetrius. | | Taperers. |

"TWELFTH NIGHT."

By a Visitor.

The St. Paul's School Debating and Literary Society gave an excellent presentation of some Scenes from Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night" after the Prize Distribution on November 3rd. The cast was well chosen and well trained, the acting in every case being good, the boys entering fully into the

spirit of the play.

Where all did well, it seems rather invidious to pick out individuals, but we should like to remark on Demetrius, who made a charming Viola, and upon Gibson and Otto, as Olivia and the Duke respectively, who were all very efficient. Paxton took the difficult part of Malvolio. He has evidently been on the stage before, for he was quite at home and played his part admirably. He also spoke the Prologue and Epilogue. Gregory's performance of Sir Toby Belch's part was extremely realistic and kept the audience in fits of laughter. B. L. Love, as Feste the Clown, gave us two delightful songs, which were much appreciated, as was also the trio at the end of "O Mistress Mine, where are you roaming?", which was very effectively done by Love, Farrow, and Gregory.

The Scenes were introduced and concluded by an original Prologue and Epilogue, both thoughtful and musical, which reflect great credit on the com-

poser, Mr. Russell.

We offer our hearty congratulations to the Society, and hope to be able to enjoy some more such entertainments in time to come.

DISTRIBUTION DAY.

The Prize Distribution took place on November 3rd, preceded by a Gymnastic Display under the direction of Mr. Humphries, and followed by a presentation of the first two Acts of Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night", organized

by Mr. Russell.

The weather had brightened up considerably although a cold wind was blowing when the Scouts opened the proceedings with some Semaphore exercises, after which work was done on the Vaulting Horse, Parallel Bars, and Horizontal Bars, as well as ground work, and sword swinging by A. Barnard, who showed that precision and good timing are the fruits of hard practice. The Cadets carried out some very smart physical drill with rifles, and the Scouts concluded this part of the programme with further signalling exercises. All concerned are to be congratulated, for the exercises in every department showed a precision of movement and finish which requires hard work and keenness to accomplish.

Tea was served in the Dining Hall at 4 P.M. and an inspection of work and of the buildings, which were entirely thrown open to the guests, then took place; after which, at 5 o'clock the Rector read his Annual Report to the assembly in Hall, recounting the various activities of the School during the previous year. The Hon. Mr. Emerson presided and Mrs. Parker presented

the Prizes :-

FORM VI .-

1st. Ghosh, I. 2nd. Park, I.

FORM V.—

1st. Otto. 2nd. Gregory. 3rd. Farrow.

FORM IV.

1st. Siddons. 2nd. Ralli. 3rd. de Tivoli, II.

FORM III.-

1st. Robottom. 2nd. Ghosh, II. 3rd. Daroga.

4th. Aldis. I.

FORM II .-

1st. Sait. 2nd. Lerwill. 3rd. Ghosh, III.

4th. Cox, I.

Progress and Application-Wilson, I.

FORM I .-

1st. Fraser. 2nd. Rose, I. 3rd. Paxton, II.

4th. Burke.

Progress and Application-Macdonald.

STANDARD 5 .-

1st. Durham. 2nd. John, II. 3rd. Connors.

4th. Salt.

STANDARD 4.—

1st. Rush. 2nd. Naysmith. 3rd. Brinkworth. Progress and Application—Mathieson; Emmett, II.

STANDARD 3.—

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1st. Hubbard. 2nd. Talbot, II. 3rd. Emmett, III.

4th. Pearce.

Special Prize for steady work, willingness, and general usefulness --Siddons, II.

Drawing-Martin, I.

Music-Barrow, Cuerden, Durham.

Sacristan-Barnard.

Choir-Lawrence.

After the Distribution the Scenes from "Twelfth Night" were presented by the members of the Debating and Literary Society. We will say at once that this was a new and at the same time a rather ambitious departure, and we were inclined to be sceptical as to the results. Our fears were entirely unfounded, and, while some criticisms are to follow that we hope will be helpful for future reference, each one chosen for the cast acquitted himself admirably, considering it was the first time any of them (except Paxton) had learned a part with the object of acting it on the stage.

A visitor had been asked to write a short criticism which is given elsewhere, and our thanks are due to the writer for the spirit of appreciation

for a first venture which obviously inspires it.

The Cast and the Scenes taken were as follows:-

| Orsino, Du | ike c | of Illyria . | | | R. C. OTTO. |
|-------------|-------|--------------|--------|------|--------------------|
| Curio | | | | | R. W. FARROW. |
| Valentine | | | | | H. B. McHatton. |
| Viola | | | | | G. H. DEMETRIUS. |
| A Sea Cap | | | | | A. L. BARNARD. |
| OI | | | | | A. H. GIBSON. |
| Maria, Oli | via's | woman . | | | C. J. BUTLER. |
| Feste, a Cl | | | | | B. L. LOVE. |
| Sir Toby I | | | | | 1 T A |
| Malvolio, s | | | | | W. H. PAXTON. |
| Sir Andrey | | | | | R. W. FARROW. |
| | | | ACT 1. | | |
| SCENE I | 1 | anaya. | | | The Duke's Palace. |
| SCENE S | | | | | The Sea Coast. |
| SCENE 3 | | | | | The Duke's Palace. |
| SCENE 4 | | | | | Olivia's House. |
| DOLLIE . | | | ACT 2. | | |
| SCENE . | 1 | | | | A Street. |
| SCENE S | | | | | Olivia's House. |
| SCENE S | | | | | m1 TO 1 1 TO 1 |
| DUENE . | 3 | | | 1000 | |

Scene:-A city in Illyria and the sea-coast near it.

Each of the principal parts required a spirit of natural spontaneity which only an experienced actor could bring to it. And this is where the boys chiefly failed, with one or two exceptions when they once got going. Otto, as the Duke, is the obvious case. He never forgot that he was Otto and never remembered that he was trying to give life to someone quite different. He did not study his part sufficiently, which proves the fallacy that, since everyone can learn the actual words of a part, everyone is therefore a moderate actor at least. Otto was dignified and almost obtained the right atmosphere

of the more or less love-sick Duke, but the part contains too many subtle aspects for him to cope with. He warmed up a little in the last scene, where the very words themselves can scarcely fail to make their appeal to actor and

audience alike, but for the most part he was too stiff and formal.

Farrow as Curio was completely overwhelmed by Farrow as Sir Andrew, and we will speak of him later. Demetrius as Viola was admirable, bringing to the part a grace and understanding that we should like to see repeated. He entered thoroughly into the atmosphere of the play, as soon as he got back to man's attire as the masquerading Cesario after having been rather embarrassed in the sea-washed rags of the shipwrecked Viola. One point was noticeable: that, in common with the rest of the cast, there was not enough freedom of movement on the stage, and not enough appropriate gesture, though Demetrius suffered from this fault less than any of the others.

A. L. Barnard, as the Sea-Captain, was just the one for the part, jovial and rough and quite subdued enough by Viola's charms to go to the other end of the world for her. He was too mechanical in his movements, and too jerky in his speech, not bringing out the cadences that Shakespeare gives to every part, no matter how minor the character. Butler, as Maria, had not much to do, but he made a good servant-girl, and brought out the part of one who is of the Mistress Quickly type, never lost for words and never surprised

by an occasion, surprisingly well in so short a space of time.

Olivia's part was taken by Gibson, who made another admirable girl. This is a very difficult part, especially in the interview scene with Viola on account of its changing situation and varying moods. Little subtlety of voice or of gesture could be expected, but this shortcoming was, in a way, balanced by the thorough understanding of the characters by both Gibson and Demetrius. In the short soliloquies Gibson made the most of a surpris-

ingly good voice, which he varied with considerable judgment.

Love, as Feste the Clown, literally threw himself into the part, and was admirably supported by Gregory and Farrow in their revel scene. We do not wish to dogmatize here on Shakespeare's Clowns, but a thorough understanding of them is absolutely necessary for the interpretation of one of the most difficult parts an actor is called upon to portray, especially when that part is Shakespearean. While not comparing the Jester in "The Yeoman of the Guard" with any of Shakespeare's creations, for the combination of the almost pathetically human and of the professed essential qualities of a clown are identical in this part and no merging or subtle combination is attempted as in the Shakespearean character. But this part simplifies those of the greater dramatist, analyses it, as it were, and it is these two sides that the successful actor must insist upon and at the same time merge into one. In Touchstone and his kin there is to be found the note of Hamlet; Feste strips Malvolio of his conceit, and seen from the same angle he makes "the most exquisitely dramatic use of the lyric in any play" when Shakespeare makes him reply to Sir Toby's demand for a song with:

O mistress mine, where are you roaming?

It was in this half-pathetic human side of the character (too intricate to be dealt with here) that many actors have failed, and, of course, Love failed. But over and above this he played the part well, was one of the most naturally free in movement and spontaneous in delivery of all, singing the songs with a sympathy that almost reached the ideal we have outlined above. Feste does not sing those songs to the revellers, but to the heart of the world.

Gregory was good as Sir Toby, but his stand was perhaps somewhat overdone; as he stood, there must surely have been a fault in his anatomical structure and not through having drunk too deep of the blushful Hippocrene. He was handicapped by his pronunciation, but even that helped him to give a very realistic representation.

Remains Malvolio: Paxton filled a difficult part very successfully, was perfectly natural and spoke well. His actual acting was probably the best, but we should like to have seen him go through the whole part, the scenes taken not allowing any development whatever. He spoke the words of the Prologue and Epilogue distinctly and, with the latter, closed what was in the main a performance meriting a fair amount of praise.

Mr. Humphries made the characters up admirably and we are indebted to various members of the staff for the loan of property for the stage. The Rector of St. Joseph's College very kindly lent us the wigs and Sister Norah, of the Diocesan Girls' High School, came to our rescue with a curtain, for which we express our gratitude.

The following were spoken before and after the representation:-

PROLOGUE.

Welcome, good Gentles all, to this our scene,
And warm your hearts at Stratford's glowing flame.
List with familiar ears and tuned mind
To him who told our lives in gentle theme.
Here is a rosary all strung for you
To choose the pearl that fills a joyful heart,
Or, casting deeper, you may find a thought
That strikes a subtler note. Choose as you will;
The Play is your's.

EPILOGUE.

The lights are lowered and the stage is dim. As each of you now homeward turns to grace A dearer hearth, with duteous care and love, Remember us whose spirits live upon the stage When shadows slant across the curtain's width. Once in man's mind we lived, burning with life, Who gave us an immortal, wondrous birth. Who shall deny us immortality, Or say we have not loved as you do now, Or, dreaming, found ourselves when life ran low, A little calmed, our inward, halting thought turned Upon the yesterday's that seemed so fair? Life is a noble dream which we, the shadows Of another day, would make dear and glad For you who hold another Age. And so Goodnight....Godspeed.

"COME, LASSES AND LADS."

A very successful Entertainment was organized by Mrs. Jones, entitled "Come, Lasses and Lads", taking place at the Gymkhana Club Theatre on October 3rd.

| The following of | comprised | the Cas | t: | |
|------------------|-----------|-----------|----|-----------------------------|
| Sylvia | Sell Sel | | | HOPCROFT MI. |
| Meg | | | | FRASER. |
| Old Gipsy | | | | GASPER. |
| Gossip Joan | | . year 50 | | CLOY. |
| Dame Moll | | | | Mrs. Jones. |
| Lord Ronald | | | | WILSON MA. |
| Corydon | E. E. | | | LAWRENCE. |
| Giles | | | | MACDONALD. |
| Leader of Choru | ıs | | | RICHARDSON. |
| Villagers: | Girls . | | | PAXTON MI; SMART; RUSH; |
| | | | | FINLAYSON; ALLEN. |
| | Boys . | | | BURKE; CONNORS; MACKAY; |
| | | | | ALDIS. |
| Gipsies: | Girls . | | | ZORAB; TAYLOR; LAWRIE; |
| | | | | PRIANTZ; MUNROWD. |
| | Boys . | | | COX MI; BOOTH; ROSE; REID; |
| | | | | McMurray. |
| Huntsmen | | | | SAUNDERS; DEAN; SMART; |
| | | | | SAMSON. |
| Pressgang | | | | POTENGER; SALT; DAY; MEYER. |
| 0 0 | | | | |

The first performance was for the schools and the actors were somewhat nervous in anticipation, but the next night, owing to the fact that a good audience makes a good performance, they excelled themselves, with the result that a repetition of the piece was asked for which was found impossible to comply with.

Lawrence, as Corydon, and Hopcroft mi, as Sylvia, deserve special mention, not only on account of their singing, but also on account of their unaffected acting throughout the play. Macdonald, as Giles, and Fraser, as Meg, were also good. The success of the chorus singing, accompanied by L. Siddons, was due to the Rector, who conducted the musical items. W. H. P.

EXAMINATION RESULTS.

TRINITY COLLEGE OF MUSIC.

The results received last August were inadvertently omitted from the last number of the Chronicle. They were as follows:—

| Intermediate Division: | V. C. Čuerdon. | | . 76 | Pass. |
|------------------------|----------------|--------|------|-------|
| Junior Division: | R. V. Lownes. | | | Hons. |
| | J. Aldis. | | . 67 | Pass. |
| Preparatory Division: | L. G. Beaver. | Maria. | . 94 | Pass. |
| | M. Durham. | | . 88 | Pass. |
| · A Comment Religion 5 | H. Aldis. | | . 86 | Pass. |
| | N. Rose. | 7 | . 81 | Pass. |

The successes registered in the Practical Examination, the results of which were received on November 16th, were:—

PIANOFORTE PLAYING.

| Senior Division: | V. C. Cuerdon. | 64 Pass. |
|-----------------------|----------------|--------------|
| Junior Division: | L. G. Beaver. | 67 Pass. |
| | M. Durham. | 62 Pass. |
| | J. Aldis. | 60 Pass. |
| Preparatory Division: | H. Aldis. | 64 Pass. |
| | S. D. Connors. | 62 Pass. |
| | E. N. Ryder. | 60 Pass. |

VIOLIN PLAYING.

| Junior Division: | W. J. Lownes. | 72 Pass. |
|-----------------------|------------------|--------------|
| | C. A. Gasper. | 65 Pass. |
| | J. H. T. Harley. | 64 Pass. |
| Preparatory Division: | M. P. McMurray. | 62 Pass. |
| | H. J. Booth. | 60 Pass. |

THE CAMBRIDGE LOCAL EXAMINATION.

The following were successful in the examination of July :-

Seniors: A. K. Ghosh; R. E. Park; W. H. Paxton.

Juniors: R. C. Otto (Honours and Dist. in History); G. H. Demetrius; R. W. Farrow; A. Gibson; A. Gregory; J. A. Howe; H. Martin.

FOOTBALL.

The season opened on May 30th, with only three of our last year's First Eleven. However, we soon settled down to develop by steady and regular practice games what material was available, and our very first outside match proved that, though handicapped by size and weight we were capable of putting in the field quite a formidable eleven. The practice games and the outside matches were marked throughout by a zest and a spirit of clean sportsmanship worthy of our best traditions. The standard of play generally was good, though some of us failed to display that spirit of daring and hazard which is the spice of all true sport. Our backs, and half-backs more especially, need to learn that wild kicking does not constitute sound defensive tactics, while the forwards would immeasurably strengthen our attack by refraining from balooning the ball on the slightest provocation—a stunt quite spectacular, but damaging in effect. Nothing quite so completely baffles an opposing defence as a well-timed, well-directed, forward ground pass.

Of 6 matches played we won 2, lost 2, and drew 2.

We congratulate Paxton, Butler, Love, and Broughton on winning their First Eleven colours; and Park, Omiar, Barnard, David, Ralli, and Siddons on gaining their Second Eleven colours.

FOOTBALL CHARACTERS.

| A. L. BARNARD. | | Goal. Slow, but safe. Runs out and clears well, but holds the ball too long. |
|------------------------------------|------|--|
| F. RALLI. | •• | Right Back. Kick lacks finish and sting. Is plucky and attacks vigorously. Headwork creditable. |
| M. A. OMIAR. | | Left Back. Strong kick, but erratic. Displays good judgment in tackling. |
| C. J. BUTLER. | •• | Right Half. A very promising all-round player. Occasionally lapses into reckless kicking, but is otherwise sound. |
| S. J. EMMETT. (Capt.) | | Centre Half. A cool tactician, an indefatiga- ble worker and a tower of strength to his side. As skipper, perhaps errs on the side of laxity in enforcing strict team discipline. |
| T. K. KEATINGE. (Vice-Captain.) | •• | Left Half. Renders valuable service to the defence, but needs to correct his tendency to stray about the field. His kicks are vicious, but too often misdirected. Plays a very strenuous and tenacious game. |
| B. L. LOVE. | | Outside Right. A fast winger. Centres well, but dribbles too much. Is inclined to be selfish. |
| C. Broughton. | | Inside Right. The right man in the right place. Makes very few mistakes, is fast, scientific and alive; a valuable asset to the team. |
| G. M. DAVID. | •• | Centre Forward. Has ability, but is too slow, and indulges in too much "balooning". |
| W. H. PAXTON. | | Inside Left. A conscientious and steady player but lacks "pep". Does not make the best use of his speed and is invariably "not there" when he should be. |
| J. A. Howe. | • • | Outside Left. A fast and vigorous winger. Centres well and to the mark. |
| Also played for the First | st E | leven: |

| L. G. SIDDONS. | A promising outside left. | |
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| R. E. PARK. | Plays a strenuous game at outside left. | His |
| | centres are effective and well-directed. | |

MATCHES PLAYED.

| June | 24th. | 2nd. Lincolns' "B" Team Band. | Won 4-1. |
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| " | 26th. | 2nd. Lincolns' "A" Team Band. | Dr. 4-4. |
| July | 3rd. | 2nd. Lincolns' Signallers. | Lost 1-0. |
| ,, | 19th. | St. Joseph's College. | Dr. 0-0 |
| " | 14th. | 2nd. Lincolns' Machine Gunners. | Lost 2-0. |
| " | 26th. | St. Paul's (Under 14). | Lost 3-0. |

INTER-HOUSE TOURNAMENT.

This was a new departure, following upon the introduction of the House system into the School. Each House entered three teams and the tournament was run on the league system, 10 points being awarded for a win, 5 for a drawn game, the "A", "B", and "C" teams of the different Houses competing each in its particular class. These matches were very keenly contested and Lawrence House is to be congratulated on winning the tournament with 55 pionts out of a possible of 90. The results were as follows:—Lawrence 55; Havelock 50; Clive 45; Hastings 30.

HOCKEY.

The 4th August saw the first practice game of the season and from this onwards we settled down to the serious business of qualifying for First Eleven honours. The practice games soon produced solid results, many of the new Senior Game showing remarkable improvement in a very short time, the players working splendidly together and the half-backs and forwards effectively demonstrating the strength of intelligent co-ordination. But we have yet to learn that the perpetration of "Sticks" and "Kicks", is more often than not, the result of slackness. The remedy is obvious. But for this defect, we might have attained a high standard of excellence.

We congratulate Butler, Barnard, Broughton, and Love on winning their First Eleven colours, and Paxton, David, de Tivoli, Howe, and Mathews on gaining their Second Eleven honours.

HOCKEY CHARACTERS.

| H. B. McHatton. | Goal. | A reliable custodia | n who | is never sur- |
|-----------------|-----------|---------------------|-------|---------------|
| | prise | d. | · | |

| A. L. BARNARD. | Right Back. A clean and hard hitter h | ut is |
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| | rather excitable and sometimes slow. | Has |
| | improved greatly this year. | |

| S. J. EMMETT. (Capt.) | Centre Half. Fills his place admirably; is |
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| | almost the perfect centre half. His wrist |
| 医生活 医红色物 多色素层 医医囊丛 | work and control of the ball are superb. |
| | Perhaps he does not assert himself suffici- |

| T. DE TIVOLI. | | Half. | | | hard | worker. | Rather |
|---------------|------|--------|-----|-----|------|---------|--------|
| | slov | w, but | sur | ce. | | | |

Inside Right. Combines intelligently and C. BROUGHTON. shoots unerringly. Is fast and clever. Centre Forward. Stick work very fair but G. M. DAVID. movement is slow and clumsy. Never looks where he is going and shoots wildly. W. H. PAXTON. Inside Left. Plays a good game but is a trifle too slow. Becomes completely demoralized in the goal-mouth. A feeble and poor shot. Outside Left. Fast and useful on the wing, J. A. HOWE. but lacks confidence. Centres quite well, but invariably gives sticks.

E. H. Mathews has also played for the First Eleven and figured very prominently in our match against Victoria School. He displays remarkable technique and with a little more experience should make an excellent Centre Forward.

MATCHES PLAYED.

| August | 13th. | Station. | | 1000 FR . 75 | Won | 4-2. |
|--------|-------|----------------------|-------|--------------|------|------|
| ,, | 26th. | Lincolns' "D" Co. | | | Won | 1-0. |
| | 2nd. | Lincolns' H.Q. Wing. | | Selle N. | Won | 2-0. |
| ,, | | Camerons' "D" Co. | | | Won | 2-0. |
| | | (1st Round John Sh | ield | Tournamen | t.) | • |
| | 13th. | TT: | | | | 1-0. |
| | | (2nd Round John S | hield | Tournamer | nt.) | |

This last Match was undoubtedly one of the best played in Darjeeling of late years. We give a full account of the game as it appeared in "The

Englishman" of September 18th.

Having defeated St. Joseph's College, North Point, by the narrow margin of one goal in the first round of this tournament, Victoria School met St. Paul's on Saturday in the second round. The match took place on St. Joseph's ground and despite the fact that inclement weather threatened to mar the afternoon, quite a record crowd of hockey enthusiasts had gathered long before the game was timed to start.

Victoria had displayed splendid form during their match against St. Joseph's, and it was a foregone conclusion that the game would result in a walkover for them. But, St. Paul's supporters were to be happily disillusioned.

From the bully-off, St. Paul's play was characterized by a grim determination and dogged perseverance seldom before exhibited in Darjeeling hockey and Victoria were not long realizing that they were up against a stubborn proposition, and soon both sides settled down to the game in deadly earnest. Ten minutes had hardly elapsed when a gentle drizzle set in and continued with gradually increasing intensity throughout the game. But this did not damp the spirits of either players or spectators. The game now developed into a desperate struggle and the almost impregnable defence, vigorous attacking, and clever combination of both teams gave real pleasure to those among the spectators who could appreciate the finer points of the game. St. Paul's seemed to have more of the play from the commencement and Victoria's defence was soon put to it to keep out the enemy's forwards, who time and

again raided their goal—very often St. Paul's looked like netting a "dead cert." but the fates ordained otherwise, and when half-time was called no goal had been scored.

Victoria rallied somewhat in the second half, whilst St. Paul's redoubled their efforts. Much up and down play marked the early stages of this half and exchanges were fairly even, both goals being frequently and dangerously assailed, and several corners being forced. Still, neither side could score. Towards the end of the game Victoria pressed hard to get through, and St. Paul's found it difficult to keep them out of the "D" for any length of time. Full time saw the game a goalless draw—a very good index as the game went.

Extra time was called, and, on changing over, Victoria's tactics were aggressive, but St. Paul's defence was superb. Towards the end of the first ten minutes, Victoria was awarded a short corner and, though St. Paul's were on the ball like lightning, a terrific shot drove the ball back and glancing off the left back's face and then cannoning off another player, it eventually found the net.

It was an extremely lucky shot, but well deserved. In the second half of extra time, St. Paul's goal was literally bombarded from "corner" shots, but it was impossible to break through the wall of men who packed the goal. Several times did St. Paul's break away and effect a clever run-down, only to be baulked in the mouth of the goal, and, although they went "all-out" to equalise, the score remained unchanged at full time.

INTER-HOUSE TOURNAMENT.

This was run on the same lines as the foot-ball, only each House entered two teams instead of three. A very healthy spirit of rivalry characterized this tournament and some really thrilling matches were witnessed. We extend our hearty congratulations to Havelock House on coming out on top. Results: Havelock 50; Clive 25; Lawrence 25; Hastings 20.

ATHLETIC SPORTS.

The Sports were held on October 16th in fine weather, though for several weeks previously the rain had considerably interfered with the arrangements made for runni g off the heats. The general standard was good but no School Records were broken. An additional keenness was provided by the fact that the boys were not only competing for themselves, but also for their Houses. We were very glad to see this sporting spirit of House rivalry permeate all the competitions.

The points for the Challenge Cups were as usual: the winner of an open event scoring 3 points, the second 2 points, and the third 1 point, except in the Half Mile, where the winner scores 5 points, the second 3 points, and the third 2 points. Points for the Inter-House Competition were obtained as follows: the winner of an event scores 3 points, the second 2 points, the third 1 point for his House, while every boy competing an event scores 1/5 of a point. In the House Relay Race the winning team scores 8 points, the second 6 points, the third 4 points, and the fourth 2 points.

Her Excellency Lady Lytton distributed the prizes at the close of a successful afternoon, during which the Band of the 2nd Battn., The South Wales' Borderers, played selections by kind permission of Lt.-Col. H. P. Yates, D.S.O., and Officers of the Regiment.

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS.

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Paxton, H. Martin, T. K. Keatinge, M. A. Omiar.

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Esq., H. D. Galloway, Esq., J. G. Champan, Esq.

STARTER: E. G. Heefke, Esq.

TIME-KEEPER: D. B. Huntingford, Esq.

 Throwing the Cricket Ball.—Class I. 1st. Ralli. 2nd. Omiar. Distance 103 yards 1 ft. 6 ins.

2. Throwing the Cricket Ball.—Class II. 1st. Siddons. 2nd. Ghosh mi. Distance 79 yds. 1 ft. 9 ins.

3. Long Jump.—Class I. 1st. Paxton. 2nd. Omiar. Distance 18 ft. 2 ins.

4. 220 Yards.—Class III. 1st. Mathews ma. 2nd. Munrowd. Time 26 2/5 secs.

5. High Jump.—Class II. 1st. Farrow. 2nd. Broughton ma. Height 4 ft. 9 ins.

6. High Jump.-Class IV. 1st. Cox mi. 2nd. Pottenger. Height 4 ft.

7. 100 Yards.—Class I. 1st. Paxton. 2nd. Howe. Time 11 4/5 secs.

8. 100 Yards.—Class II. 1st. Broughton ma. 2nd. Agaranoff. Time 11 1/5 secs.

9. 100 Yards.—Class III. 1st. Mathews ma. 2nd. Munrowd. Time 12 1/5 secs.

10. 100 Yards.—Class IV. 1st. Burke. 2nd. Rose ma. Time 13 1/5 secs.

11. 100 Yards.—Class V. 1st. Mathews mi. 2nd. Tullock. Time 14 secs.
 12. Hurdles.—Class I. 1st. Paxton. 2nd. Ralli. Time 18 3/5 secs.

13. High Jump.—Class V. 1st. Anderson. 2nd. Mathews mi. Height 3 ft. 8 ins.

14. Quarter Mile.—Class II. 1st. Otto. 2nd. Broughton ma. Time 62 secs.

15. Quarter Mile.—Class III. 1st. Mathews ma. 2nd. Ghosh min.

16. Quarter Mile Handicap.—Class IV. 1st. Cox mi. 2nd. Durham.

17. High Jump.—Class I. 1st. Paxton. 2nd. Omiar. Height 5 ft. 1 in. 18. Quarter Mile Handicap.—Class V. 1st. McAulliff. 2nd. Havelock mi.

19. High Jump.—Class III. 1st. Davis ma. 2nd. Mathews ma. Height 4 ft. 4 ins.

20. Visitors' Race. (20 Yards).—1st. Holland. 2nd. Morgenstein. Time 23 1/5 secs.

21. Quarter Mile.—Class I. 1st. Omiar. 2nd. Love. Time 62 2/5 secs. 22. Quarter Mile.—Class IV. 1st. Cloy mi. 2nd. Burke. Time 74 4/5 secs.

- Quarter Mile .- Class V. 1st. Mathews. mi. 2nd. Emmett min. 23. Time 82 secs.
- 24. Half Mile Handicap.—Class II. 1st. Broughton min. 2nd. Jigmed.
- Half Mile Handicap.—Class I. 1st. Gibson. 2nd. Nahapiet. 220 Yards.—Class IV. 1st. Cox mi. 2nd. Burke. 25.
- 26.
- 27. 220 Yards.-Class V. 1st. Mathews mi. 2nd. Angelo mi.
- Quarter Mile Handicap .- Class III. 1st. Macdonald. 2nd. John mi. 28.
- Inter-House Relay Race .- 1st. Havelock. 2nd. Lawrence. 3rd. 29. Hastings. 4th. Clive.
- 30. Scouts Relay Race.—1st. Bull Patrol.
- Half Mile.—Class I. 1st. Paxton. 2nd. Omiar. 3rd. Gibson. 31. Time 2 min. 30 secs.
- 32. Half Mile.—Class II. 1st. Hakeem. 2nd. Otto. Time 2 min. 26 sec. FIVES.

SENIOR:—Emmett and Butler. JUNIOR:—Demetrius and Kelly.

CHALLENGE CUPS.

SENIOR: -- Paxton, 18 points.

JUNIOR:—Broughton ma, 8 points.

INTER-HOUSE ATHLETIC CHALLENGE CUP.

Havelock House won this Cup with 297 points. Clive obtained 230 points, Lawrence 226 points, and Hastings 147 points, in detail as follows:

| | | Clive | Hastings | Havelock | Lawrence. |
|-----------|--|-------|----------|----------|-----------|
| Football | | 45 | 30 | 50 | 55 |
| Cricket | | 70 | 30 | 45 | 35 |
| Boxing | | 19 | 16 | 24 | 30 |
| Hockey | | 25 | 20 | 50 | 25 |
| Wrestling | | . 0 | 5 | 20 | 15 |
| Fives | | 20 | 0 | 20 | . 0 |
| Bomb-ball | | 5 | 6 | 30 | 0 |
| Sports | | 46 | 40 | 58 | 46 |

The following have kindly presented Prizes:-

The Most Reverend The Lord Bishop of Calcutta and Metropolitan of India.

The Rev. Canon W. A. H. Parker, Officiating Archdeacon of Calcutta...

The Honourable Sir H. L. Stephenson, K.C.I.E., I.C.S.

The Honourable Mr. Justice H. P. Duval, I.c.s.

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The Staff of St. Paul's School.

REPRESENTATIVES FROM ST. PAUL'S AT THE D. D. A. A. SPORTS.

The following boys from the School competed in the District Sports this year:—W. H. Paxton, T. K. Keatinge, J. Howe, T. de Tivoli, M. A. Omiar, F. Ralli, A. Barnard, B. Love, A. Gibson, R. Otto, C. Broughton, G. H. Demetrius, A. Hakeem, H. Myers, S. Agaronoff, B. K. Ghosh, D. Munrowd, G. Lerwill, E. Mathews.

Omiar did well in the High Jump to clear 5 ft. 2 ins., while Mathews won both the School Junior Challenge Cup and the School Boy Championship Cup.

Hakeem ran third in the Relay Race (Open) very nearly obtaining second place for the School.

Mathews won the 100 Yards Under 14, and Myers came in third. Time 11 3/5 secs.

Mathews also won the 220 Yards Under 14, Myers again finishing third. Time 28 1/5 secs.

Otto ran second in the 220 Yards Under 16, and tried for first place in the 440 Yards Under 16.

These are very satisfactory results and we congratulate the competitors on their performances.

LAWRENCE HOUSE.

The Patrons of Lawrence House have presented a Challenge Cup to be competed for among the members of the House on the following basis:—

| Football and Hockey | | |
|---------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| School and House :- | | 10 points. |
| | Place Second Eleven | 5 points. |
| | For each goal scored | 2 points. |
| Cricket.— | | |
| School and House :- | -Place First Eleven | 10 points. |
| | Place Second Eleven | 5 points. |
| | Every 10 runs scored | · 2 points. |
| | Each wicket taken | 1 point. |
| Boxing. | | |
| School and House : | -Each entry | $\frac{1}{2}$ point. |
| | Win | 10 points. |
| | Runner up | 5 points. |
| Fives.— | | |
| Inter-House :— | Each entry | $\frac{1}{2}$ point. |
| | Singles: Winner | 10 points. |
| | Runner up | 5 points. |
| | Doubles: Winners, eac | |
| | Runners up, | |
| Shooting | Place in School Eight | 2 points. |
| | Place 1 | 10 points. |
| | Place 2 | 5 points. |
| | Place 3 | 3 points. |
| Sports.— | Each entry | |
| | Dlaga 1 | .: 1/5 point. |
| | Dla 0 | 10 points. |
| | D1 0 . | 5 points. |
| | Place 3 | 3 points. |

N. B. M. R. CADETS.

Major-General Cubitt inspected the cadets of the N. B. M. R. on October 22nd. No. 1 Platoon (St. Paul's School) under the command of Lt. A. Humphries, No. 2 Platoon (St. Joseph's), No. 3 Platoon (Victoria School, Kurseong) under the command of Lt. Berry, and No. 4 Platoon (Goethal's, Kurseong) under the command of Capt. Candler, formed up in line facing the flag and gave the general salute. The General then inspected the Parade before the march past in open column of platoons, after which the cadets reformed into line to march past in fours, and then advanced in review order before repeating the general salute.

The Parade was then addressed by the General, who said that he could not emphasize the fact too strongly that all boys on leaving school should keep up their training and continue to take an active part in the Corps in which they were now serving as cadets, in order to be ready for any emergency that might occur. The General said that he was not an alarmist, but he thought that it was up to every boy to keep as fit as possible, and the easiest way to accomplish that end was to attend camp regularly. He was glad to have the opportunity of inspecting the whole of the cadets and of congratulating them on their steadiness and on the general smartness of their turn-out.

The following represented the School in the Shooting Competition for the Baker Shield:—

Sergt. W. H. Paxton (Capt.).

Cpl. H. Martin.

Cpl. T. Keatinge.

Lt.-Col. A. Barnard.

Cdt. C. Butler.

Cdt. G. H. Demetrius. -

Cdt. P. Martin.

Cdt. W. Peck.

This Eight fired for the Shield on the Lebong Range on November 15th, making 24 hits, in which we were rather disappointed considering the good practice scores of the day before and remembering our last year's score of 56.

The Platoon fired their Annual Musketry Course on the same Range on November 14th. The general shooting of the Platoon has been good, the following having done well:—

Marksmen.-Paxton, Butler, Demetrius, P. Martin.

1st Class Shots.—Barnard, de Tivoli, Howe, Keatinge, H. Martin, Ralli, Gregory.

We have been fortunate in having Sergt. Husselbee, s.w.B., as instructor to the Platoon this year. He has taken a keen interest in the Parades, Shooting, and general work of the Cadets throughout the Term.

The results of the Inter-Section Drill for the Leslie Cup were as follows:-

1st. No. 4 Section, Cpl. Martin ... 15½ points.
2nd. No. 3 Section, L/Cpl. A. Barnard ... 14 points.
3rd. No. 1 Section, Cpl. T. Keatinge ... 13 points.
4th. No. 2 Section, Cpl. S. Emmett ... 11½ points.

Cdt. R. C. Otto won the Grant Gordon Shooting Cup with 16 points out of a possible 20, and Sergt. W. H. Paxton won the N.C.O.'s Cup for efficiency.

CARMICHÆL'S OWN.

A new atmosphere of activity and keenness, essential to any Scout movement, has been created for our Scouts since last July. All the new Scouts have passed their Tenderfoot, and the old Scouts their Second Class

badges, while other badges have also been passed.

During the Pujah holidays we spent a day at Senchal, and were entertained by the Scouts of the Armenian College, Calcutta. The day was indeed very delightful, and our hosts did everything they could to give us a thoroughly good time. A. S. M. Najarian organized some interesting games, and Mr. Clarke gave prizes for khud races, for which, of our boys, Troop-Leader Gregory and Scout B. Broughton were successful. After tea we left their camp and returned to St. Paul's, taking in our memory the happy hours of a very enjoyable day.

We congratulate the Bull Patrol (Rectory Scouts) upon winning the

Scouts' Relay Race in the Athletic Sports.

We took part in the Gymnastic Display on Distribution Day, opening it with Semaphore Signalling, and closing with "God save the King". The flag work was generally good and the movement smart.

A small library has been opened this year under the care of D.S.M. Lt. Humphries, which supplies the Scouts with useful books for the preparation of their badges. Troop-Leader A. J. Gregory has been appointed Librarian.

We wish to thank Lt. Humphries and A. S. M. Paxton, and the Patrol Leaders of the Troop for the hard work they have put in this year for the progress of the Troop, and we hope that next year our Scouts will reach a still higher standard.

A. J. G.

BOXING.

ST. PAUL'S Versus THE ARMENIAN COLLEGE.

The following are the results of the Boxing Contest with the Armenian College, which was held on October 7th at St. Paul's:—

| | THE BUDGE | DCat | ittatingt. |
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| 2. | Sarkies | lost | to Barnard. |
| 3. | Pabakhan | lost | to Knox. |
| 4. | Arratoon | beat | Nahapiet. |
| 5. | Johannes | beat | Ralli. |
| 6. | Alexander | lost | to Broughton. |
| 7. | Mackertich | beat | Kelly. |
| 8. | Sarkies | lost | to Omiar. |
| 9. | Arratoon, S. P. | beat | Bocker after an extra round. |
| 10. | Sookias | beat | Farrow. |
| 11. | Gregory | lost | to Mathews. |
| 12. | Edgar | vs. | de Tivoli declared no fight. |
| 13. | | beat | Siddons. |
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beat Keatinge.

14. Chater drew with Butler.15. Arratoon J. A. lost to Love.

16. Lazar beat Baxter.

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List of Boys divided under Forms & Houses.

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| | CLIVE. | | HASTINGS. | | HAVELOCK. | | LAWRENCE. |
| | | | FOR | M | VI. | | |
| | 8 de Tivoli ma, T. 9 Farrow, R. W. 10 Gibson, A. H. 13 Keatinge, T. K. | 4 6 | Paxton ma, W. H. Ghosh ma, A. K. Murphy ma, F. W. David ma, G. M. Gregory, A. J. | 15 | Demetrius, G. H. Omiar, M. A. Otto, R. C. | 5 12 | Butler, C. J. Barnard, A. L. Howe, J. A. Martin ma, H. |
| | | | FOR | M | v. | | |
| | 21 Kelly, P. A. 29 Ray, S. 30 Siddons, L. G. | | Gasper ma, C.A.T. Love, B. L. | 19 | David mi, G. Emmett ma, S. Peck, W. E. | 22 23 | de Tivoli mi, F. Kitchen, L. Korb, G. E. Ralli, F. |
| | | | FOR | M I | IV. | | |
| | 25 Lownes ma, R. V.32 Ayres, R. A.35 Davis ma, P.37 Ghosh mi, B. K. | 18 | Robottom, G. R. | 33 45 | McHatton, H. B. Cuerden, V. Nahapiet ma, M. A. Probett ma, C. A. | | Myers, H. E. M. |
| | | | FOR | M I | II. | | |
| | 31 Aldis ma, J. 38 Hilton, I. 52 Beaver, L. G. H. 59 De, B. 60 Ghosh min, C. K. 71 Smythe, B. K. M. | 40 43 47 50 64 65 70 72 75 | Gasper mi, O. R. Knox, J. Martin mi, P. H. Raha, J. Lownes mi, W. J. Lockner, J. A. P. Majumdar ma, J.K. Samson ma, I. Wilson ma, R. J. Grindall, O. K. Goho, R. | 41 55 56 61 69 | Daroga, D. F. Lakin ma D. A. A. Broughton ma, C.F. Cox ma, L. Harley, J. H. Sait, M. S. | 42 | |
| | | | FOR | M : | II. | | |
| | 54 Booth, H. J. 66 Mathews ma, E. H. 67 Munrowd, D.M.H. 77 Allen, J. 89 Macdonald, K.I.K. 95 Park, S. E. | 62 92 96 98 | Meyer, E. Paxton mi, G.S.H. | 68 | Agaranoff, S. McMurray, M. P. Murphy mi, L. M. | 58 74 78 | Bocker, A. J. T. Day, E. O. Zorab, W. J. Baxter, F. Fraser, A. K. |
| | | | FOR | M | I. | | |
| 1 | 97 Richardson, H. E. 101 Smart ma, H.C.W. 102 Ward, E. C. 11 Hall, H. P. | 85 93 | Dunkley, G. B. Hogermeer, B. H. Micheal ma, J. Durham, M. D. | 86 87 88 91 130 | Burke, B. W. Hopcroft mi, A.W. John ma, A. Lama, P. Mercado, N. S. Phillips, H. J. Majumdar mi, K. | 82 84 90 99 | Wilson mi, I. Finlayson, A. Hakeem, A. Mackay, A. G. M. Samson mi, W.H. Broughton mi, G.G. |
| | | | STAND | AR | D 5. | | |
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| CLIVE | CLIVE HASTINGS | | LAWRENCE | | |
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| R. H. C. 128 Bwye, C. H. 134 Emmett mi, G. M. | 131 Dean, F. 136 Lawrie, M. J. F. 138 Mathieson, W. 139 Micheal mi, V. G. 144 Ryder, E. N. | 130 Davis mi, C. E. 135 Gasper min, D. | 129 Cloy ma, H. M. 133 Edwards, W. C. 137 Lea, F. N. 143 Reid, E. C. 148 Carrau, J. A. N. | | |
| | STANI | DARD 3. | | | |
| 160 Nahapiet mi, S. 162 Prichard, M. I. 164 Rose min, B. 167 Saunders mi, G. E. D. 168 Talbot mi, W. | 152 Emmett min, A. A. J. | | 154 Fisk, K. F. 157 John min, L. 158 Mathews mi, C. J. 165 Ramsden ma, F. J. 166 Ramsden mi, H. D. 171 Parsion, J. | | |

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