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### SCHOOL NOTES

Just before the end of term the School heard with very great regret that eye-trouble had made necessary the Head Master's absence. He is constantly in our thoughts during the present critical time, and we look forward hopefully to his complete recovery and speedy return.

At the beginning of this term there were 628 boys on the school roll. There is no longer a Preparatory Form in the school.

We said good-bye at the end of last term to Miss E. M. James, who after holding a temporary appointment here for the last two terms, has been appointed to the staff of the Southport High School for Girls. We express our grateful thanks to Miss James for assisting us during a period when staffing difficulties were great. Many boys appreciated her careful teaching in Biology and Mathematics, subjects which she took in the Junior and Middle School, and we hope that she will have a long and happy career in the neighbouring school.

Mr. R. Abram, B.Sc., Manchester University, joined the staff in September. He is an Old Georgian, a former Captain of the Rugby XV and Cricket XI, and was awarded his Rugby Colours at Manchester University. He read for Mathematics Honours at Manchester, and after completing his course was on national service with the Ministry of Aircraft Production until he was released to take up work as a teacher. He came to us after teaching for two terms at the Cedars School, Leighton Buzzard. We are sure his skill and enthusiasm will be of great service to the school games and athletics.

Mr. B. Hughes, B.Sc., who joined the staff in a temporary capacity in the Summer term, also joined the permanent staff in September.

During the temporary absence of Mr. T. H. Evans, Mr. E. Craven has been teaching in the school. He left the school in July, 1939, and has served in the Royal Artillery both at home and abroad. He was recently demobilised with the rank of Lieutenant. He was a Prefect and Captain of the School in 1939 and also Captained the 1st Cricket XI and the Rugby XV. In 1939 he had been accepted as a student in training at Manchester University, but owing to the war was unable to take his place in the Department of Education. He will be resuming his studies shortly.

The total subscriptions to the Five Million Club this term have amounted to £12 17s. 8d.

The amount collected for the Sale of Poppies was £10.

During the Summer holidays many volunteers from this school again assisted local farmers with their harvest. Two senior boys, J. B. Newton and B. R. Newton, collected the names of 120 willing helpers, and these boys offered their services daily whenever possible. Twenty other boys took holidays on farms in different parts of the country, and thus for the sixth year in succession the school has played its part in helping with food production.

On September 27th, Mademoiselle Cherrot, a French school-mistress on holiday in England, spoke to Forms IV, V and VI on "Life in France during the Occupation." Afterwards she gave a French talk to Forms Upper V and VI on "La vie d'un jeune Français pendant la guerre."

On October 1st, a series of Scientific Films were shown to Forms V and VI. They were kindly supplied by the Ministry of Information.

On October 11th, a limited number of Sixth Form boys were privileged to attend the Farrady Lecture in Liverpool. The subject was "Atoms, Electrons and the Engineer."

On October 18th a lecture on "How the Romans spoke Latin" was given to some senior boys of the School by the Vice-Chancellor of Liverpool University.

On November 28th, a lecture on "The Greek City State and its Art," was given to the senior boys of the school by Professor T. B. L. Webster.

### VALETE

- Heaton, D., 1938-46.—Grear's, Upper VI Science B, Higher School Certificate 1946, House Savings Secretary.
- Kirkham, G. F., 1938-46.—Rogers', Upper VI Science B, Higher School Certificate, 1946.
- Ball, J. E., 1939-46.—Spencer's, Upper Vc, School Certificate 1946, Athletics Colours 1945-46, Captain 1946.
- Blair, D., 1939-46.—Leech's, Upper VI Science A, Higher School Certificate 1946, Prefect, R.L.S.S. Bronze Medallion and Bar.
- Blair, N. D., 1939-46.—Edwards', Upper Vb, School Certificate 1946.
- BOWERBANK, T., 1939-46.—Mason's, Upper VI Science A, Higher School Certificate 1946, Swimming Secretary 1946, R.L.S.S. Award of Merit.
- Brown, R. F., 1939-46.—Spencer's, Upper VI Science A, Higher School Certificate 1946, County Major Scholarship 1946.
- Enright, M. B., 1939-46.—Woodham's, Upper VI Modern, Higher School Certificate 1946, Major Scholarship Art 1946, School Captain 1945-46, 1st XV Colours 1945-46, 1st XI Colours 1944-5-6, Cricket Captain 1946.
- Fyles, A., 1939-46.—Mason's, Upper VI Science B, Higher School Certificate 1946, Prefect, Vice-Captain, 1st XV 1945-46.
- Greenall, R. N. R., 1939-46.—Rogers', Upper VI Science A, Higher School Certificate 1946, Prefect, 1st XV Colours (Captain) 1945-46, R.L.S.S. Bronze Medallion, A.T.C.
- Greene, F. L., 1939-46.—Spencer's, Upper VI Science B, Higher School Certificate 1946, Leading Cadet A.T.C.
- Grub, F. A., 1939-46.—Leech's, Upper Vc, 1st XV Colours 1945-46, 1st XI Colours 1945, Vice-Captain 1946.
- Hilton, P., 1939-46.—Grear's, Upper VI Science A, Higher School Certificate 1946, Prefect, Swimming Colours (Captain) 1946, 2nd XV Colours 1945-46, R.L.S.S. Award of Merit 1945.

- Hurst, D., 1939-46.—Edwards', Upper VI Science A, Higher School Certificate 1946, Prefect, Major Scholarship Cambridge 1945, State Scholarship 1946, Borough Scholarhsip 1946, 1st XV Colours 1945-46, Games Committee.
- King, A. J. P., 1939-46.—Grear's, Lower VI Science B, School Certificate 1945, A.T.C.
- Polding, H. P. W., 1939-46.—Mason's, Upper VI Science A, Higher School Certificate 1946, Prefect, Bartlett Scholarship Liverpool University, Borough Scholarship 1946, 1st XI Colours 1946.
- Scorr, R. S., 1939-46.—Woodham's, Upper VI Modern, Higher School Certificate 1946, Librarian, Borough Scholarship 1946, House Five Million Club Secretary.
- Walker, J. G., 1939-46.—Grear's, Upper VI Science A, Higher School Certificate 1946, Prefect, Borough Scholarship 1946, R.L.S.S. Bar to Bronze Medallion 1944.
- Almond, M. D., 1940-46.—Grear's, Upper Vc.
- Anderson, D. M., 1940-46.—Grear's, Lower VI Modern, School Certificate 1945, Librarian.
- Barratt, K. B., 1940-46.—Rogers', Upper VI Science A, Higher School Certificate 1946, House Savings Secretary.
- Bason, C. M., 1940-46.—Leech's, Upper VI Science A, Higher School Certificate 1946, 2nd XV Colours 1945-46.
- Berwick, G. K., 1940-46.—Evans', Upper VI Modern, School Certificate 1944, Prefect, 2nd XV Colours 1945-46, House Savings Secretary.
- BILLINGTON, N., 1940-46.—Leech's, Lower VI Science B, School Certificate 1945, A.T.C.
- Blundell, T., 1940-46.—Leech's, Lower VI Modern, School Certificate 1945.
- Broadhurst, T., 1940-46.—Mason's, Upper VI Science A, Higher School Certificate 1946, Prefect, Chairman Scientific Society, Bibby Scholarship Liverpool University 1946, Borough Scholarship 1946, House Savings Secretary.
- Butler, A. R., 1940-46.—Rogers', Upper Vb, School Certificate 1946, Chairman Photographic Society.
- ELIAS, J. A. W., 1940-46.—Rogers', Upper Vc, School Certificate 1946. Franklin, E. L., 1940-46.—Rogers', Upper VI Science A, Higher School Certificate 1946, House Savings Secretary, Hon. Secretary Five Million Club, School Chess Team.
- Gibbs, M. W., 1940-46.—Leech's, Upper VI Science B, Higher School Certificate 1946, A.T.C.
- GINSBERG, S., 1940-46.—Leech's, Upper VI Science A, Higher School Certificate 1946, Borough Scholarship 1946.
- GLASS, J. F., 1940-46.—Mason's, Upper VI Modern, Higher School Certificate 1946, Prefect, Librarian, Borough Scholarship 1946, Secretary Debating Society, Sergeant A.T.C., R.L.S.S. Award of Merit and Bar.
- Godfrey, D. P., 1940-46.—Evans', Lower VI Science B, School Certificate 1945.
- Harvey, M. A., 1940-46.—Woodham's, Lower VI Modern, School Certificate 1945, A.T.C.
- HORROCKS, G. G., 1940-46.—Spencer's, Upper VI Modern, Higher School Certificate 1946, Prefect, Librarian, A.T.C.

KAY, G. F., 1940-46.—Woodham's, Upper Vb, School Certificate 1946. King, M., 1940-46.—Grear's, Upper Vb, School Certificate 1946, A.T.C. MORRIS-COHEN, A. J., 1940-46.—Mason's, Upper VI Modern, Higher

School Certificate 1946, Librarian, House Savings Secretary.

Nelson, T., 1940-46.—Woodham's, Lower VI Science B, School Certificate 1945.

Newton, J. B., 1940-46.—Evans', Upper VI Science A, Higher School Certificate 1946, Prefect, Borough Scholarship 1946.

Newton, R. B., 1940-46.—Evans', Upper VI Science A, Higher School Certificate 1946, Prefect, Borough Scholarship 1946.

Pilling, J. R., 1940-46.—Spencer's, Lower VI Science B, School Certificate 1945, 2nd XV Colours 1945-46.

READ, D. E., 1940-46.—Rogers', Lower VI Science B, School Certificate 1945, 1st XV Colours 1945-46.

Seed, B., 1940-46.—Woodham's, Lower VI Science A, School Certificate 1945, 2nd XV Colours 1945-46, House Savings Secretary.

Walker, R. K., 1940-46.—Woodham's, Upper Vc, R.L.S.S. Bronze Medallion.

Webster, D., 1940-46.—Grear's, Lower VI Science A, School Certificate 1945.

WHITTLE, R. L., 1940-46.—Leech's, Upper Vc.

Abberley, C. D., 1941-46.—Edwards', Upper Vb, School Certificate 1946.

Abrams, D. J., 1941-46.—Evans', Upper V Trans., School Certificate 1946.

Allen, N. H., 1941-46.—Evans', Lower VI Modern, School Certificate 1945.

Blundell, C. T., 1941-46.—Evans', Upper Va, School Certificate 1946. Darwin, C. A., 1941-46.—Grear's, Lower VI Science B, School Certificate 1945, R.L.S.S. Bronze Medallion 1944.

Edwards, G. V., 1941-46.—Evans', Upper Va, School Certificate 1946, 2nd XI Colours 1946.

Evans, M. E., 1941-46.—Spencer's, Lower VI Modern, School Certificate 1945.

Finn, R., 1941-46.—Edwards', Upper V Trans., School Certificate 1946. Howard, S. T., 1941-46.—Edwards', Lower VI Modern, School Certificate 1945, Bantam XV Colours 1942.

Howlett, A. S., 1941-46.—Leech's, Upper Vb, School Certificate 1946.
 Hughes, G. G., 1941-46.—Woodham's, Lower VI Modern, School Certificate 1945, Prefect, 2nd XV Colours 1945-46, 1st XI Colours 1946.

LLOYD, D. G., 1941-46.—Rogers', Upper Va, School Certificate 1946, R.L.S.S. Intermediate Certificate.

May, J. B. L., 1941-46.—Mason's, IVb, Bantam XV Colours 1943-44, Colts XI Colours 1944.

McAllister, R. B., 1941-46.—Mason's, Lower VI Modern, School Certificate 1945.

O'Brien, F. W., 1941-46.—Spencer's, Upper Va.

Ormerod, P. H., 1941-46.—Woodham's, Upper Va, School Certificate 1946.

Picton, R., 1941-46.—Evans', Upper Va, School Certificate 1946.

Schofield, J. G., 1941-46.—Rogers', Upper Vb, School Certificate 1946.

Stead, R. F., 1941-46.—Rogers', Upper Vb, School Certificate 1946, R.L.S.S. Intermediate Certificate.

STUBBS, N. J., 1941-46.—Leech's, Upper Vc, School Certificate 1946.

TRUEMAN, B. W., 1941-46.—Spencer's, Upper Vc, School Certificate 1946.

Warner, F. E., 1941-46.—Rogers', Lower VI Modern, School Certificate 1945.

Warren, B. B., 1941-46.—Woodham's, Upper Va, School Certificate 1946.

Watts, A. P., 1941-46.—Rogers', Lower VI Modern, School Certificate 1945.

WHITEHEAD, K. W., 1941-46.—Spencer's, Upper Va, School Certificate 1946.

Baker, K. C., 1942-46.—Rogers', IVa.

Dart, P. D., 1942-46.—Rogers', IIIb.

EDMONDSON, E. A., 1942-46.—Evans', Lower Vb.

HINDS, J., 1942-46.—Mason's, Lower V Trans., Sedbergh Major Scholarship.

Hughes, L. E., 1942-46.—Woodham's, Lower VI Modern, School Certificate 1945.

Oakes, B. L., 1942-46.—Edwards', Upper VI Science B, School Certificate 1944.

Ross, R., 1942-46.—Evans', Upper V Trans., School Certificate 1946. YATES, R. T. F., 1942-46.—Evans, Upper V Trans., School Certificate

ASQUITH, P. R., 1943-46.—Woodham's, Lower V Trans.

MacNicoll, D., 1944-46.—Woodham's, Upper VI Modern, School Certificate 1944, House Savings Secretary.

AARONS, G., 1945-46.—Edwards', Lower Vb.

Baker, K. W., 1945-46.—Edwards', IIa.

Owen, K., 1945-46.—Rogers', Upper Vb, School Certificate 1946. Thomas, A. D., 1945-46.—Edwards', Upper Vb, School Certificate 1946.

WALKER, D. J., 1945-46.—Rogers', Upper Vc, School Certificate 1946. Weinberg, R. H., 1945-46.—Mason's, Upper Vc, School Certificate 1946.

Wren, J. H. B., 1945-46.—Grear's, III Remove. YATES, V. C., 1945-46.—Mason's, IIa.

### **SALVETE**

J. J. Abram, D. N. Allen, O. Arnold, N. Ashworth, F. Baddeley, P. E. Bailey, T. N. Baker, G. N. Bentley, B. C. Berry, E. C. Birch, J. E. Brocklehurst, N. Brooks, A. Brown, C. E. Brown, J. M. Carnell, E. G. Clark, J. G. Clarke, H. H. Clumpus, J. R. Cornett, R. L. Crook, J. Dobbin, C. M. Drake, D. J. Duckworth, D. G. Edgar, M. G. A. Elsen, J. T. Eltringham, D. Fenna, B. Forsidike, D. Frankal, D. Goldberg, D. R. Gott, D. G. Hamer, M. J. Harris, B. Heaton, N. M. F. Heaton, G. A. Higgs, G. Hornby, J. Howard, W. F. Howard, J. B. A. Hyde, J. A. Jarvis, D. M. Jerman, P. Kay, M. S. Keeley, P. J. Kenyon, G. A. Kidson, J. A. Kirkham, D. Makepeace, B. Mallinson, E. Massey, N. McBride, R. G. Meddings, M. P. Mighall, M. A. Mileson, F. T. Moore, J. S. Morrell, A. Murgatroyd, B. G. Murgatroyd, E. A. Ogden, D. B. Oldfield, D. Pearson, R. Platt, N. Ralph, A. G. Rimmer, H.

Rimmer, P. Robinson, F. P. Robotham, C. Russell, N. A. Searle, H. W. Shields, B. Sourbut, D. Southern, R. Stopforth, D. A. Timperley, B. M. Townes, M. Unger, J. R. Wareing, A. D. West, J. C. West, J. M. Whiteside, I. Whittle, J. R. Wignall, A. Williams, B. Wilson, R. Wilson, N. Wolstenholme, A. Worthington, N. Wright.

### **EXAMINATION RESULTS**

### HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE

BARRATT, K. BPure Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Subsidiary Geography.
Bason, C. MPure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics and Physics, Subsidiary French-with-German.
BLAIR, DPure Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Subsidiary French-with-German.
BOWERBANK, TGeography, Physics, Chemistry, Biology.
Broadhurst, TPure Mathematics, Physics distinction, Chemistry distinction, Subsidiary French-with-German, Scholarship papers Physics excellent, Chemistry very good.
Brown, R. F
matics excellent, Physics very good.
Burton, D. C
CROWTHER, A. CPure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics, Physics.
Enright, M. BEnglish, French and Art.
Environment E. I. Dung Mothematica Disciple Civil
Franklin, E. L Pure Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.
Fyles, A
sidiary French-with-German.
sidiary French-with-German.  GIBBS, M. W. Pure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics, Physics. Subsidiary French-with-German
GIBBS, M. W. Pure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics, Physics, Subsidiary French-with-German. GINSBERG, S. Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Subsidiary Pure Mathematics, Scholarship papers Biology excellent. Chemistry very good.
GIBBS, M. W. Pure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics, Physics, Subsidiary French-with-German.  GINSBERG, S. Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Subsidiary Pure Mathematics, Scholarship papers Biology excellent, Chemistry very good.  GLASS, J. F. History distinction, French, Latin, Subsidiary Greek.
GIBBS, M. W. Pure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics, Physics, Subsidiary French-with-German.  GINSBERG, S. Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Subsidiary Pure Mathematics, Scholarship papers Biology excellent, Chemistry very good.  GLASS, J. F. History distinction, French, Latin, Subsidiary Greek.
GIBBS, M. W. Pure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics, Physics, Subsidiary French-with-German.  GINSBERG, S. Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Subsidiary Pure Mathematics, Scholarship papers Biology excellent, Chemistry very good.  GLASS, J. F. History distinction, French, Latin, Subsidiary Greek.  GREENALL, R. N. R. Pure Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.
GIBBS, M. W. Pure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics, Physics, Subsidiary French-with-German.  GINSBERG, S. Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Subsidiary Pure Mathematics, Scholarship papers Biology excellent, Chemistry very good.  GLASS, J. F. History distinction, French, Latin, Subsidiary Greek.  GREENALL, R. N. R. Pure Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.  GREENE, F. L. Pure Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.  HAYWARD, G. D. Applied Mathematics, Physics, Subsidiary
GIBBS, M. W. Pure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics, Physics, Subsidiary French-with-German.  GINSBERG, S. Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Subsidiary Pure Mathematics, Scholarship papers Biology excellent, Chemistry very good.  GLASS, J. F. History distinction, French, Latin, Subsidiary Greek.  GREENALL, R. N. R. Pure Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.  GREENE, F. L. Pure Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.  HAYWARD, G. D. Applied Mathematics, Physics, Subsidiary
GIBBS, M. W. Pure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics, Physics, Subsidiary French-with-German.  GINSBERG, S. Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Subsidiary Pure Mathematics, Scholarship papers Biology excellent, Chemistry very good.  GLASS, J. F. History distinction, French, Latin, Subsidiary Greek.  GREENALL, R. N. R. Pure Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.  GREENE, F. L. Pure Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.  HAYWARD, G. D. Applied Mathematics, Physics, Subsidiary Handicraft.  HEATON, D. Pure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics, Physics, Subsidiary French-with-German.  HILTON, P. Pure Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.
GIBBS, M. W. Pure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics, Physics, Subsidiary French-with-German.  GINSBERG, S. Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Subsidiary Pure Mathematics, Scholarship papers Biology excellent, Chemistry very good.  GLASS, J. F. History distinction, French, Latin, Subsidiary Greek.  GREENALL, R. N. R. Pure Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.  GREENE, F. L. Pure Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.  HAYWARD, G. D. Applied Mathematics, Physics, Subsidiary Handicraft.  HEATON, D. Pure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics, Physics, Subsidiary French-with-German.  HILTON, P. Pure Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.  HORROCKS, G. G. History, Greek, Latin, Subsidiary French.
GIBBS, M. W. Pure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics, Physics, Subsidiary French-with-German.  GINSBERG, S. Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Subsidiary Pure Mathematics, Scholarship papers Biology excellent, Chemistry very good.  GLASS, J. F. History distinction, French, Latin, Subsidiary Greek.  GREENALL, R. N. R. Pure Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.  GREENE, F. L. Pure Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.  HAYWARD, G. D. Applied Mathematics, Physics, Subsidiary Handicraft.  HEATON, D. Pure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics, Physics, Subsidiary French-with-German.  HILTON, P. Pure Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.  HORROCKS, G. G. History, Greek, Latin, Subsidiary French.
GIBBS, M. W. Pure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics, Physics, Subsidiary French-with-German.  GINSBERG, S. Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Subsidiary Pure Mathematics, Scholarship papers Biology excellent, Chemistry very good.  GLASS, J. F. History distinction, French, Latin, Subsidiary Greek.  GREENALL, R. N. R. Pure Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.  GREENE, F. L. Pure Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.  HAYWARD, G. D. Applied Mathematics, Physics, Subsidiary Handicraft.  HEATON, D. Pure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics, Physics, Subsidiary French-with-German.  HILTON, P. Pure Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry.

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Kirkham, G. FPure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics, Physics, Subsidiary Handicraft.
Morgan, I. M. Pure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics,
Physics, Subsidiary Geography.
MORRIS-COHEN, A. J English, French, German, Subsidiary Latin.
Newton, J. B
Scholarship paper Biology very good.
NEWTON, R. BPure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics,
Physics, Subsidiary Art, Scholarship paper
Applied Mathematics very good.
Applied Mathematics very good.
Norris, E. H
OAKES, B. LApplied Mathematics, Subsidiary Physics.
D. II D. W. D. Mathematica distinction Applied Mothe
Polding, H. P. W Pure Mathematics distinction, Applied Mathe-
matics distinction, Physics distinction, Sub-
sidiary Geography, Scholarship paper Applied
Mathematics very good.
Read, D. B
ROBERTSON, F. I English, History, Latin, Subsidiary French,
Scholarship paper History excellent.
Scott, R. S English, History, Geography, Subsidiary
Scott, R. SEnglish, History, Geography, Subsidiary
French, Scholarship paper History very good.
STEELE, B. C. HPure Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Sub-
sidiary Applied Mathematics.
WALKER, J. GPure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics,
Physics, Scholarship papers Applied Mathe-
matics very good, Physics very good.
Wilkinson, D. GPure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics dis-
tinction, Physics, Scholarship paper Applied
Mathematics very good.
WOODHAM, C. M Pure Mathematics, Applied Mathematics,
Physics, Subsidiary French-with-German.
Berwick, G. KSubsidiary Pure Mathematics.
Duckworth, R Subsidiary Pure Mathematics, Physics,
Chemistry.
Evans, M. ESubsidiary Art, French, German.
Evans, M. E
Griffiths, R Subsidiary Pure Mathematics, Physics.
Hughes, L. ESubsidiary English, Art.
Lever F W Subsidiary Pure Mathematics. Physics.
Chemistry, Handicraft.  LLOYD, D. MSubsidiary English, History, Geography,
Lean D. M. Subsidiary English History Geography
LLOYD, D. M
Economics.
McLeod, R. KSubsidiary Pure Mathematics, Applied Mathe-
matics. Physics, Handicraft.
Nelson, T Subsidiary Pure Mathematics, Applied Mathe-
matics, Physics, Handicraft.
PILLING, J. RSubsidiary Pure Mathematics, Handicraft.
FILLING, J. R
Rosenbloom, JSubsidiary History, Art.
Seed, BSubsidiary Pure Mathematics, Physics,
Chemistry, French-with-German.
Watson, L. L Subsidiary Geography.

### SCHOOL CERTIFICATES

Up.VTr.—D. J. Abrams, R. F. Beckett, J. D. Bonney, K. C. Brooks, J. B. Cardwell, J. R. Craig, J. M. R. Evans, R. A. Finch, R. Finn, J. P. Flitcroft, D. A. French, C. O. Gold, A. D. Greenhalgh, C. V. Hines, K. F. Hulme, C. B. Moss, N. Nuttall, D. G. Owen, J. E. Pearson, R. F. Pierrepont, A. Rimmer, R. Ross, P. J. Walker, C. N. Watson, E. D. Williams, J. K. Williams, C. E. Woodward, R. T. F. Yates.

Up.Va.—K. F. Bather, E. Berger, G. J. Bindon, C. T. Blundell, F. Boothby, D. Chester, D. M. Craik, P. W. Davies, G. V. Edwards, R. Foster, R. J. Franks, D. N. Gaunt, A. R. Hosker, J. D. Houldsworth, V. A. Hughes, G. O. Jones, D. G. Lloyd, B. Mayor, W. E. Minoprio, P. H. Ormerod, A. Pendlebury-Green, R. Picton, D. Priestley, K. J. Roper, B. B. Warren, A. Weinberg, K. W. Whitehead.

Up.Vb.—C. D. Abberley, G. N. E. Aughton, \*W. R. Beilin, N. D. Blair, A. R. Butler, W. L. Eagling, D. E. Evans, D. R. Eyles, R. C. Fearn, E. Glassberg, N. H. Green, J. P. Griffiths, R. A. Holmes, A. S. Howlett, W. D. Hudson, G. F. Kay, M. G. E. King, P. B. Nicholas, K. N. Owen, G. J. G. Schofield, A. T. Smith, R. F. Stead, A. D. Thomas, E. S. Usher, D. G. Wright.

Up.Vc.—J. E. Ball, H. Beaver, J. M. Bower, J. N. Catlow, G. Crompton, J. A. W. Elias, E. J. Gilbert, P. H. Griffiths, G. K. Holmes, \*B. Moore, D. Newcomb, N. S. A. Shaw, N. J. Stubbs, B. W. Trueman, R. D. Vernon, D. B. Wakefield, D. J. Walker, B. T. Watson, R. Weinberg, A. W. Williamson.

\*September result.

The following boys have gone to Universities:-

Hurst, D. (Cambridge); Broadhurst, T., Brown, R. F., Enright, M. B., Glass, J. F., Kirkham, G. F., Morris-Cohen, A. J., Newton, J. B., Newton, R. B., Polding, H., Scott, R. S., Walker, J. G. (Liverpool); Ginsberg, S. (Birmingham).

State Scholarships were gained by:— Hurst, D., Polding, H. P. W., Broadhurst, T.

A Lancashire County Major Scholarship was awarded to:— Brown, R. F.

Southport Major Scholarships were awarded to:— Hurst, D., Polding, H. P. W., Broadhurst, T., Glass, J. F., Ginsberg, S., Scott, R. S., Newton, R. B., Walker, J. G., Newton, J. B., Wilkinson, D. G., Enright, M. B.

At Liverpool University Polding, H. P. W. was awarded the Bartlett Scholarship for Engineering, and Broadhurst, T. the Bibby Scholarship for Science.

Ministry of Education two years' Training Grants were awarded to:—Berwick, G. K., Nelson, T., Pilling, J. R., Seed, B., Watson, J. D.

### SCHOOL PREFECTS

Burton, D. C., Read, D. B., Steele, B. C., Crowther, A. C., Rowell, D., Duckworth, R., Solomon, H. M., Stratford, T. K., Woodham, C. M., Watson, L. L., Aspin, W. R., Norris, E. H., Robertson, F. I., Aldred, J. K., Wilkinson, D. G., Flint, M. J., Williams, I. R. J., Lever, F. W., Knowles, C. W., Spafford, E. N. S., Macleod, E. H., Dewhurst, E. P., Matten, D.

On Monday evening, October 21st, over seven hundred parents assembled in the School Hall to elect a parents' representative to the Governing Body of the School. Naturally, the fact that 90 per cent. of the audience did not know more than 10 per cent. of those present caused some concern, and it was soon realised that the customary procedure of nominating and seconding candidates could hardly be followed. Eventually, it was decided to ask for volunteers who would be able and willing to serve. Five such—three men and two women came forward and were invited on to the platform to make a brief statement of their qualifications and points of view, prior to a vote being taken. Two parents were elected as scrutineers and later in the evening it was announced that Mr. J. P. Bonney, LL.B., had been the successful candidate in the ballot. We heartily congratulate him, both on his election and on being the pioneer in this new venture. It must be mentioned, too, that there was a strong feeling, in some quarters at least, that two parents' representatives would more adequately serve the interests of parents as a whole, and the meeting accordingly decided to forward a recommendation to that effect to the Governing Body.

The Head Master took the opportunity between the voting and the declaration of the ballot to bring to the notice of parents that the School was presenting a play, "Richard of Bordeaux" on December 12th, 13th and 14th. He also referred to the 1,400 Old Boys who had served in the War and the 77 Old Boys who had fallen, and to the decision to erect a School War Memorial in their honour. It was suggested that the Memorial should take the form of (1) a commemorative plaque and (2) the provision of a major amenity that would enrich the schoollife of future generations of King George V School boys. The Head Master, however, emphasised one serious handicap in launching a War Memorial Fund Appeal, to wit, that doing so, involved very considerable expense, but no Government auditor would ever allow money on Education Account to be used for such a purpose. At the suggestion of a parent, who did not disclose his name, a collection to provide a Working Fund was taken at the meeting, immediately, and raised the handsome sum of £50.

It was, indeed, a great evening. The School—Gymnasium, Art Rooms, History Room, Geography Room, Library, Workshop, Dining Room, Laboratories, Form Rooms—were all thrown open to parents, before and after the meeting, for inspection. Not since before the War had we seen the School illuminated, as we approached it from Scarisbrick New Road. The School Hall was full and the deep and earnest interest of the parents in the welfare of their boys as part of the community of the King George V School was unmistakable. I came away realising, perhaps more fully, what a very human thing education is.

### **HOUSE NOTES**

### EDWARDS'

Last term the House suffered a great loss in the departure of D. Hurst, the former House Captain, who is going to Cambridge with an Open Scholarship. The House extends to him and to all others who left at the end of the summer term its best wishes in their future life.

Norris and Robertson have been appointed joint House Captains, the first we believe in the history of the House, and, together with them, Knowles has been made School Prefect. Bather and Crompton are also to be congratulated on their appointment as House Prefects.

Last term saw the Senior Cricket Shield once again adorning the House-room walls, and the Junior team succeeded in getting into the final although they were finally defeated. For the second time in

succession the House was awarded the Jubilee Cup.

Although neither House team has yet had an opportunity of proving its mettle on the Rugby field, the House has been well represented in School teams, Crompton, Bromilow and Bather, who is vice-captain, having played in the 1st XV, Knowles in the 2nd XV, Roberts and Warburton in the 3rd XV, Turton, Howard and Chalke in the Bantams, Bracewell in the Under 14's, and MacMichael in the Chicks. Crompton is Swimming Captain and Hoyles has also swum for the School.

We extend a cordial welcome to all new boys and hope they will

help to maintain the traditions both of House and School.

F. I. R.

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The House must congratulate all those who passed H.S.C. and S.C. examinations in July; the results obtained set an example to be followed next year.

EVANS'

During the cricket season our House team was not as successful as was hoped. This was, however, partly due to the unfortunate absence of certain of our players, and we can hope for better success next season. The House was ably represented by A. C. Crowther and G. Edwards in the School 1st XI. The former was awarded 1st cricket colours. Although the Juniors were not outstanding considerable promise was shown.

Our hopes for this Rugby season are high, and we can be sure of giving all our opponents a good game. We are represented in the 1st XV by A. C. Crowther and D. Gaunt, who has also played in the seconds. Williams, I. R. J., Williams, E. D., and Smith, A. T. have also played in the 2nd XV. Makepeace has played for the Bantams,

and Eddlestone is in the Chicks.

Although there seems to be little keenness displayed towards swimming this year, Beckett, Hoscar and Rimmer must be commended for their prowess in gaining the Bronze Medallion for Life Saving. They have kindly offered to help any boys in the House who are interested in swimming and life-saving instruction.

Congratulations are extended to A. C. Crowther on his appointment as House Captain, to J. K. Aldred and I. R. J. Williams who are School Prefects, and to L. Sanders and R. A. Johnson who have been made House Prefects.

The Inter-House Badminton Competition has now commenced and our team, consisting of A. C. Crowther and I. Williams, won its first match by a considerable margin. We hope that this standard will be maintained and we wish the best of luck to our team in its remaining matches.

J. K. A.

### GREAR'S

We tender our congratulations to D. G. Wilkinson, F. W. Lever and E. H. Macleod, who have been appointed School Prefects this term. D. B. Read, who is School Vice-captain as well as House Captain, will shortly be leaving, and we communicate to him our best wishes for future success.

J. D. Bonney is the new House Secretary.

Our hearty congratulations are extended to J. G. Walker and to Wilkinson, who were awarded Borough Major Scholarships on the result of the H.S.C. examination last July, and also to all others who were successful in H.S.C. and S.C. examinations.

The Senior Rugby team, captained by R. A. Holmes, played three practice games against other House XV's, in two cases successfully, and this suggests a more successful season than of recent years. The Junior XV is at a disadvantage, being largely composed of newcomers to the game.

We are represented in the School 1st XV by R. A. Holmes, G. K.

Holmes, Lever and Wilkinson.

In last term's Swimming competitions the House, under its Swimming Captain, G. K. Holmes, retained the Ingham Cup for Qualifications, and tied with Mason's for the Bradbourne Cup. The maximum effort is called for from all swimmers if last year's results are to be maintained.

A class for the Bronze Medallion is being trained by G. K. Holmes who won the Bar to the Silver Medallion during the holidays. Non-swimmers in the House are receiving elementary instruction in order to ensure a strong swimming team for future competitions.

Last term the House Junior Cricket XI, ably led by B. H. Richardson, returned once more to the Houseroom wall the Junior Cricket

Shield.

To all our new boys this term we extend a hearty welcome and hope that they will render good service to School and House.

# LEECH'S J. D. B.

At the end of last term the House lost the services of several keen members including Blair, the House Captain, and C. M. Bason, one of the House Prefects. We wish them the best of luck for the future. This term we have welcomed back a former House Captain, Kenyon, who has returned to School until his call-up.

Dewhurst, Flint, Watson and Woodham have been appointed School Prefects. O'Brien is now responsible for Five Million Club

collections.

Watson and Green succeeded in winning the final of the Badminton competition last term. Another pleasing achievement was when our House Swimming team, captained by Blair, won the newly-presented Ross Cup for points gained in the Gala. We heartily congratulate all boys who had a part in either of these successes. This is the first time for several years that the House has held any trophies, but we hope it

is only the forerunner of greater things, as it will be if all members pull

their weight.

Nuttall has been elected Senior Rugby Captain and M. A. Hodge Junior Rugby Captain. The House is represented in School teams by Watson and Billington (1st XV), Kenvon, Nuttall and Flint (2nd XV), M. A. Bason (Colts XV), and Moore and Howard (Bantams XV). Franks has been elected House Swimming Captain, and lifesaving classes are proceeding fairly satisfactorily.

### MASON'S

The House still has all its members (including new boys) in the Five Million Club. It would be easier for the Secretary if boys tried harder to pay their subscriptions on the specified date, and not a week or so later.

Matten has been appointed House Captain, and Fletcher, Radam

and R. Youds House Prefects.

On the Rugby field, Aughton, Radam and R. Youds have represented the School in both the 2nd and Colts XV's; K. Youds and Cubbon have also played for the Colts XV. Up to the time of writing

no House matches have been played.

Last term the House succeeded in gaining the Lancashire Cup for life-saving, owing to very good work by a few. Perhaps if more enthusiasm were shown in this sphere, the House would be able to keep the Cup for a further year. C. B. Holmes has swum in the School team, and both he and Matten report good progress with their lifesaving classes. D. N. W. M.

ROGERS'

The House would like to take this opportunity of congratulating the members of the House who were successful in the H.S.C. and S.C. examinations, and of expressing its thanks for services rendered to the House by R. N. R. Greenall, F. Kirkham, E. L. Franklin, K. B. Barratt, A. P. Watts, R. H. Diggle, and K. N. Owen, all of whom left in July.

Captain of the House this year is B. C. H. Steele, with R. Duckworth as Vice-captain, whilst the position of House Secretary has been filled by H. M. Solomon and J. Haslam has taken over the duties of

Five-Million Club secretary.

Congratulations are due to R. Duckworth, W. R. Aspin, E. N. S. Spafford and H. M. Solomon, who have joined B. C. H. Steele as School Prefects. These prefects are assisted in their House duties by R. D. Vernon, J. A. Philips, B. Miles, B. Watson, who are this year's House Prefects.

In games activities the House is well represented in School teams with B. C. H. Steele, R. Duckworth, H. Spencer in the 1st XV, J. A. Philips, E. N. S. Spafford, D. L. Hill, G. D. Hayward in the 2nd XV. B. Mighall (captain), M. E. Jones, R. L. Ball, J. K. Ross in the Colts XV, and J. M. Ross, P. W. Ross, K. J. Shorrock, J. E. Ball in the Bantam XV. With the inclusion of these boys in the House Senior Rugby XV, we will be able to give a good account of ourselves in the forthcoming competition. With regard to swimming, the House has already started a life-saving class under the tuition of R. D. Vernon. whilst in addition it is hoped to commence a class for boys who wish to learn to swim.

### SPENCER'S

Owing to the departure of Horrocks at the end of last year there have been some changes in the House officials. We are fortunate in having D. C. Burton, the School Captain, as House Captain, and D. L. Rowell, School Rugby Captain, as Vice-captain of the House. Stratford and Evans are also to be congratulated on their respective appointments as House Secretary and House Prefect.

We have also lost J. E. Ball, our Athletics Captain, through whose efforts the House-room is now adorned with the Taylor Cup. We wish Horrocks. Ball, and all other members who have left the best of luck.

The House appears to be well represented in all School activities. Representatives in the School Rugby teams include Rowell, Stratford and Burton in the 1st XV and Sheard in the Colts XV. At the time of writing the House Rugby XV has played two games, winning one and losing the other. We trust that the team will acquit itself well in the House Competition.

There are now three School prefects in the House, Burton, Rowell and Stratford. These three are also on the Committee of the Debating Society, with Stratford as Chairman and Burton as Secretary.

We understand that five members will appear in the School play and one in the Debating Society's play-reading.

In the last few weeks R. Griffiths, the House Swimming Captain, has started a life-saving class, and the Five Million Club collection was, as usual, highly creditable. T. K. S.

### WOODHAM'S

At the end of the Summer Term we lost our House Captain, Enright. We wish to place on record our thanks for his work for the House and wish him a very successful University course and subsequent career as an architect. We also wish success to Scott in his University career. We heartily welcome the new boys who entered the House in September.

The House is well represented in the School Rugby teams. Houldsworth has played with the 1st XV, and both he and Hughes, V. A., have been regular members of the 2nd XV. Hughes, V. A., also played for the Colts XV. Andrews, J. A., is Captain of the School Baptam XV, and four other members of the House are regular members of the Bantam XV, viz.: Andrews, N. J., Davidson, J. M., Peet and Styche. Hughes, V. A., has taken his brother's place as House Rugby

Captain, and Davidson, J. M., is Junior Rugby Captain.

J. B. Cardwell is again Swimming Captain, and a very good start has been made with life-saving, no less than five members of the House, Cardwell, Chester, Craik, Stephenson and Todd, having gained the R.L.S.S. "Award of Merit" this term. Two classes are at present preparing to take the examination for the "Bronze" under the instruction of Cardwell and Craik. We hope to see more classes started next term.

The new Secretary for the Five Million Club is P. H. Stephenson, who has maintained the record of the late Secretary. Scott, in again enrolling 100 per cent. of the members of the House as subscribing members of the Club. P. H. T. S.

### **OLD BOYS' NEWS**

- R. T. Ackroyd has been elected to a Research Fellowship in Engineering at Liverpool University.
- D. E. Crook was successful in passing the final examination for B.Sc.Engineering at London University.
- G. Haley has gained his B.Sc. Engineering with 2nd Class Honours at London University.
- A. J. Hoyle has passed the final examination for B.Sc. at London University.
- M. L. A. Moncrieff gained 1st Class Honours for the degree of B.Sc. at London University.
- C. Shackleton, who held a commission with the 106 Lancashire Yeomanry Regiment and served in the Middle East, has been appointed to the post of resident magistrate in Uganda in the Colonial Legal Service.
- G. Rimmer has been chosen to play scrum half for Lancashire in the first County match of the season.
- I. M. Ross gained first place in the 100 yards, and second place in the 440 yards, at the annual swimming contest between Oxford and Cambridge.
- S. V. Perry was chosen to play in the Cambridge University Rugby Union Senior Trial match. He was also selected to play in the final Lancashire County Trial but was unable to accept the invitation. He has been chosen to play against Oxford and has been awarded his
- J. L. Irvin has passed the final examination for the degree of B.Sc. (Econ.) at London University with 2nd Class Hons.
- A. A. Wilson has been awarded the Goldsmith Company's £500 Research Training Fellowship at Liverpool University.

Information has been received that W. T. Capel (Woodham's 1932-1938) was wounded in 1945.

Information has been received that the following were mentioned in despatches :--

- T. V. Dudley (Spencer's 1927-1933)
- B. Eagle (Mason's 1924-1930). J. L. Paisley (Grear's 1921-1927) was awarded the M.B.E. (Mil.Div.) in the New Year's Honours List.

### MARRIAGES

- K. R. C. REECE to KATHLEEN M. DAWSON at Emmanuel Church on September 14th.
- W. O. MITCHELL to REGINA S. ROBERTSON at St. James' Church on October 15th.

# **OLD BOYS' LETTERS**

Saltley College,

To the Editors of "The Red Rose."

Birmingham, 8.

Sirs.—This term we have been relegated to the proud position of Seniors with all the benefits the post entails. Perhaps the most beneficial are late passes which enable us to go to such hitherto inaccessible functions as dances and evening performances at the

Sport has played a great part in our lives this term. The soccer team invariably return from their matches to the glorious strains of "Hail Conquering Heroes." All other branches of sport are flourishing gaily: and yours truly has been wildly endeayouring to knock the life out of a hockey ball before it knocks the life out of him.

Several interesting lectures by notables of the education world have provided relief from nightly private study on many occasions. In the very near future the Dramatic Society is to provide entertainment with a performance of I. B. Priestley's "Dangerous Corner," in which I have a highly emotional character to portray.

Christmas is coming, but to us-in gloomy moments it can only mean a quicker approach of the dreaded Finals. In lighter moods it means a relief from lectures and a few well-earned weeks at home. I am. Sirs. Yours faithfully,

S. D. ELLIS.

To the Editors of "The Red Rose."

Durham.

Sirs.—The number of D.U.O.G.'s here, has been increased by two since both of us came up. We are referring of course to J.W.M. and J.R.A.S., who reside at the Colleges of Hatfield and St. John's respectively. Study has taken up a large part of our time, but the lighter sides of College life have not been neglected.

Tea in the Union sees the presence of J.W.M., who is reputed to be reading honours maths., and whose sport appears to be swimming.

I.R.A.S. is thought to be reading four subjects in the general arts school, and he seems to have suffered from the aches and pains accruing from that gentle-man's sport, Rugby.

It is an established fact that his shins bear the signs visible after

a bout of hockey!

It is hoped that Durham will not be neglected when students come up next year from K.G.V. It does not deserve to be left alone, especially by those interested in Art and Architecture. To anyone in two minds as to whether they should come up or not-we offer tea and cakes (as a bribe) and the assurance that we never refuse invitations to tea ourselves.

We are, Sirs, Yours faithfully,

D.U.O.G.'S

Charnwood Hall, Nanpantan. Loughborough.

To the Editors of "The Red Rose."

SIRS.—Life at Loughborough continues in its steady uneventful way, unbroken this term by the usual "Rag." Last year's "Rag" broke all records and caused this festive occasion to disappear for many years.

We were very pleased to see T. Nelson, J. Pilling and P. Nicholas at Loughborough this year. Abberly was seen in Loughborough a few days ago. He is, we believe, training at the Morris works here.

Teaching practice will have started by the time this letter is published. J.P. and T.N. will be on their first teaching practice and no doubt applying some of the techniques learnt somewhat painfully at K.G.V.

We hope that in future years we may yet see more Old Georgians at Loughborough College who wish perhaps to develop the cult of physical culture, learn the art of "bodying" in wood or to learn a

Work here will cease for a day or two as the annual fair has arrived in town; many of us will be laid up in bed for a few days following

the departure of this mechanical monstrosity.

We are, Sirs, Yours faithfully, L.C.O.G.S.

To the Editors of "The Red Rose." The University of Liverpool.

SIRS.—All the 62 Societies contained in the University have now emerged from the last of the clinging war-clouds and are opening wide the throttle. At the frequent meetings and socials, however, there is a most disheartening preponderance of males, owing to the swarm of ex-servicemen that has descended upon us, raising the number of students to the phenomenal level of 2,800, 800 above the intended maximum. One atom in this tornado is Lomas; he is studying for his B.A.

K.G.V.S. is indeed far from unrepresented; no less than eleven Old Georgians have come up this term. It has not taken them long to lose that dazed look of wonder and throw themselves with vigour into the University life. Scott finds time on Wednesday afternoons to travel to Chester and wield an apparently non too skilful oar for the 2nd University Four. His imprecations on sliding seats, however, are weekly becoming more lurid. Cohen is agitating for the formation of a Table Tennis Club and is seriously considering whether to delight the Badminton Club with his presence. Glass assumed a gloomy and pre-occupied air a fortnight ago as a result of frantic efforts to compose music for the Revue which the Dramatic Society is hoping to produce early next term, but he has been somewhat consoled by being presented with a rôle in said Revue. He has further cheered himself up by playing for the 3rd XV, a pleasant diversion which has been shared by Fred Kirkham and Lomas. The infrequent appearance of Mick Enright in the Union leads me to suspect that he is pinned to his drawing-board; or perhaps he has turned ascetic.

The Scientists are also conspicuous by their absence. We understand, however, that Broadhurst stands second at present in the Chess Tournament, and that his whirling of the rapier strikes terror into the hearts of the Fencing Club. Brown seems ever engaged upon some abstruse calculation, but Kirkham and John Walker are pillars of the Debating Society, while Bert Polding has been discovered practising cricket in the Gym. with Mick of a Friday afternoon. The merry (?) faces of the two Newtons are occasionally happed upon.

On the scholastic side work proceeds apace—and the momentum increases as Terminals spread across the horizon.

We are, Sirs, Yours faithfully, LIVERPOOL UNIVERSITY OLD GEORGIANS. To the Editors of "The Red Rose."

SIRS.—This term the average age of the College has risen considerably due to the large influx of ex-servicemen. In fact there are so many of them that women freshers have become something of an academic curiosity. This is all very distressing for the second year men students, who now find themselves on the shelf.

Although H. B. Kenyon left us last term, our number has again been brought up to five by the arrival of A. Hoyle and R. Franks. Franks, considered one of the finest back-stroke swimmers in the country, is already Hon. Secretary of the London University Swimming Club.

We must heartily congratulate M. L. A. Moncrieff on gaining a First Class Honours Degree with Diploma in Engineering, a distinction as admirable as it is rare.

S. Timourian is appearing in the Commemoration Play "Tobias and the Angel." He himself is quite convinced that he cannot act, but after all what does that matter? We content ourselves by saying the producer knows best!

Since each member of our Society is exploring a different academic sphere, it is extremely difficult for us to keep track of one another. We are hoping, however, to arrange a theatre party or similar activity which will remedy this. Up to the time of writing, very little has happened here. There wasn't even a rag on the Lord Mayor's Day. It really looks as though everybody, for reasons best known to themselves, has decided to work. So it is on this despairing note that we close this rather short letter.

We are, Sirs, Yours faithfully,

L.U.O.G.S.

Goldsmith's College, S.E.14.

To the Editors of "The Red Rose."

Sirs.—As Christmas is once again approaching it becomes the duty of the Old Georgians of this College to pen the termly line to the "Red Rose." September 1946 saw us once again back in our own premises at New Cross with a crowd of very bewildered Freshers amongst whom we recognised two young ladies from Southport, but alas, no Old Georgians. Activities in college included by your eminent correspondents are many and varied and have often caused people to wander when R.K.P. and B.W. do any work. R.K.P. still plays football regularly and B.W. is at present fighting hard to persuade the Students' Union to give his beloved Rowing Club forty pounds. R.K.P. feels strongly on this and often airs his views on the subject in refectory, lower corridor, or wherever happens to be convenient. The Mid-Term Ball was a great success despite the absence of B.W., and R.K.P. was a very reliable door-keeper. We suspect that B.W. stayed away because he was forbidden to bring his clarinet with which he offends many innocent (and others not so innocent) ears.

We are, Sirs, Yours faithfully,

The U.L.G.C.O.G.S.

The Union,

University of Manchester.

To the Editors of "The Red Rose."

SIRS,—This year we begin with a grumble. K.G.V., where are our freshers? We were all looking round on registration day and not one School face could we see. For the first time in many years, you have failed to provide us with new Old Georgians. May we hope for an extra large contingent next year? Why should Liverpool (younger than Manchester by years) have new material and not us?

But we can welcome one Old Georgian to our ranks. Mr. S. K. Runcorn comes to the other side of the desk as a lecturer in Physics. We feel proud to know that at least one of our members talks to more than he is talked at.

For the rest of us, with exams. still in the dim and distant future, we cheerfully spend the greater part of our lives in queues—for food, cigarettes, and sometimes even for lectures. The number of students at Manchester is over a third greater than last year. M. Craingold is now a leading light in the newly-revived Law Students Association, and W. R. Gore bags the easy chair at English Society Committee meetings. A. Davidson still sports his clothes of many colours round the Union. D. B. Williams, our tame philosopher, a great abstract thinker, is carried along by various volumes of Bertrand Russell. C. Lee, faced with the prospect of finals at the end of the session, is a changed man. He no longer accompanies C. Moss on the shivering Irwell. At present, we are all unanimous in the quantity of curses against the Manchester 'bus strike, epithets differing in quality according to temperament.

We are, still, yours faithfully, M.U.O.G.S.

# **RUGBY**

RESULTS

1st XV

Sept.	14—v.	Southport R.U.F.C. (A.)	won	18-9
,,	21—v.	Calday Grange G.S. (A.)	won	14 - 12
,,	28—v.	Birkenhead School (A.)	lost	43-14
Oct.	2—v.	Cowley School (H.)	lost	13-8
,,	5—v.	Liverpool Collegiate (H.)	won	35-8
,,	9—v.	Wallasey G.S. (H.)	won	14-6
,,	12—v.	Manchester G.S. (A.)	lost	19-9
,,	16v.	Birkenhead G.S. (H.)	lost	19-18
٠,,	19—v.	Lancaster Royal G.S. (A.)	lost	19-3
,,	23—v.	Liverpool University (H.)	won	15-3
Nov.	2-v.	Wirral G.S. (A.)	won	14-8
,,	6—v.	Wigan G.S. (A.)	won	14-11
,,	9—v.	Ormskirk G.S. (H.)	won	<b>14</b> -8

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2nd	XV

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Sept. 21—v. Calday Grange G.S. (H.)	won	15-8
,, 28—v. Birkenhead G.S. (H.)	won	17-8
Oct. 2—v. Cowley School (A.)	won	18-11
,, 5—v. Liverpool Collegiate (H.)	won	39-8
,, 9—v. Wallasey G.S. (A.)	won	11-3
,, 16—v. Birkenhead G.S. (A. )	won	32-10
Nov. 2-v. Wirral G.S. (H.)	won	40-0
,, 6—v. Wigan G.S. (H.)	won	23-0
Colts XV		
Sent 29 v Birkenhead (A)	lost	23-9
Sept. 28—v. Birkenhead (A.)           Oct. 2—v. Cowley School (H.)	lost	22-0
,, 9—v. Wallasey G.S. (H.)	lost	20-14
,, 16—v. Birkenhead (H.)		
,, 10—V. Dirkeimead (11.)	WOII	9.0
Bantams XV		2
Sept. 28-v. Birkenhead School (H.)	won	27-20
Oct. 2-v. Cowley School (H.)	lost	47-9
,, 5-v. Liverpool Collegiate (A.)	lost	13-0
,, 9—v. Wallasey G.S. (A.)	. drav	v 3-3
,, 16-v. Birkenhead G.S. (A.)	lost	25-0
,, 19—v. Lancaster Royal G.S. (A.)		
Nov. 2—v. Wirral G.S. (A.)	drav	v 6-6
,, 13—v. Merchant Taylor's (A.)	lost	9-0
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## INTER-SCHOOLS ATHLETICS

Last term's Athletics activities ended with a triangular sports competition between Hutton Grammar School, Wigan Grammar School and ourselves on our own ground on Thursday, July 25th. Although Hutton was by far the strongest side the School put up a valiant effort and succeeded in gaining second place, only 6 points below the winners.

100 Yards.—1, Ball; 2, Crompton; 3, Webster (H.)—10.2 secs. High Jump.—1, Houghton (W.); 2, Horrocks; 3, Cookson (W.)—5ft. 1in. 220 Yards.—1, Ball; 2, Dustall (W.); 3, Morley (H.)—22.6 secs.

220 Yards.—1, Ball; 2, Dustall (W.), 3, Molley (H.)—22.6 sees. Long Jump.—1, Webster (H.); 2, Crompton; 3, Houghton (W.)—19ft. 3\frac{1}{2}in.

440 Yards.—1, Morley (H.); 2, Knowles; 3, Gormally (W.)—
56.0 secs.

120 Yards Hurdles.—1, Bamber (H.); 2, Webster (H.); 3, Ward (W.)—15.8 secs.

One Mile.—1, Harvey (H.); 2, Sharrock (W.); 3, Russell—5 mins. 0.6 secs.

Relay.—1, Hutton; 2, King George V; 3, Wigan.

### FINAL RESULT

Hutton Grammar School	35	points
King George V School	29	points
Wigan Grammar School		

### **SWIMMING**

On Friday, July 26th, the annual School Swimming Gala took place in the Victoria Baths before a large number of parents and friends.

The Headmaster, in his address, announced the presentation by Mrs. Ross of a new cup to be awarded to the House gaining the highest number of points in the gala.

### RESULTS

- 1-100 Yards Free Style.-1, Chester (W.); 2, Franks (L.); 3, Glass (M.). Time, 72 4/5 secs.
- 2-Neat Dive (Junior).-1, Hoyles (Ed.); 2, Holmes (M.); 3, Slack (G.).
- 3-50 Yards Breast Stroke (Senior).-1, Blair (L.); 2, Crompton (Ed.): 3. Glass (M.). Time, 39 secs.
- 4-25 Yards Free Style (Junior) -1, Smith (L.); 2, Hoyles (Ed.); 3, Slack (G.). Time, 14 secs.
- 5-50 Yards Free Style (Senior).—1, Holmes (M.); 2, Hilton (G.); 3. Cardwell (W.). Time, 30 2/5 secs.
- 6-50 Yards Back Stroke (Junior).—1, Watt (M.); 2, Bracewell (Ed.); 3, Adamson (G.). Time, 48 3/5 secs.
- 7—Long Plunge.—1, Elias (R.): 2, Franks (L.); 3, Pendlebury-Green (Ed.). Distance, 60 ft. 61 ins.
- 8-25 Yards (under 13).—1, Preston (G.); 2, Moreton (S.); 3, Thomson (S.). Time, 17 1/5 secs.
- 9—Style Competition.—1, Hilton (G.); 2, Vernon (R.); 3, Blair (L.). 10—50 Yards Free Style (Junior).—1, Sheard (S.); 2, Watt (M.); 3, Glendenning (W.). Time, 38 1/2 secs.
- 11-50 Yards Back Stroke (Senior).-1, Vernon (R.); 2, Craik (W.); 3, Hilton (G.). Time, 38 secs.
- 12-50 Yards Breast Stroke (Junior).—1, Smith (L.); 2, Hoyles (Ed.); 3. Slack (G.). Time, 40 3/5 secs.
- 13-Neat Dive (Senior).-1, Holmes (M.); 2, Turner (L.); 3, Hilton
- 14—Junior Squadron.—1, Grear's; 2, Leech's; 3, Edwards'. Time. 72 2/5 secs.
- 15-Senior Squadron.-1, Rogers'; 2, Woodham's; 3, Mason's. Time, 2 mins. 13 secs.
  - Total Points: Edwards', 22; Evans', 0; Grear's, 35; Leech's, 30; Mason's, 35; Rogers', 26; Spencer's, 9; Woodham's, 20.

The Ross Cup was won by Leech's.

Grear's and Mason's tied for the Bradburne Cup.

Grear's won the Ingham Cup and Mason's the Lancashire Cup.

This year we have as Swimming Captain G. Crompton, while L. L. Watson is Swimming Secretary. We wish to draw the attention of all boys to the new life-saving handbook published by the Royal Life-Saving Society. This gives a complete account of all matters relative to swimming. The team swam in the Liverpool and District Swimming Championship and was highly successful, gaining first place. Numerous matches are being arranged for the coming terms, and we hope to be equally successful.

LIVERPOOL AND DISTRICT SWIMMING CHAMPIONSHIP	1946
100 Yards Free Style (Senior).—1, D. Chester; 2, Rock Fer.	ry; 3,
Prescot; 4, Alsop. Time, 72 1/5 secs.	

50 Yards Free Style (Junior).—1, C. Holmes; 2, Liverpool; 3, Holt; 4. Prescot. Time. 32 3/5 secs.

100 Yards Breast Stroke (Senior).-1, Rock Ferry; 2, Quarry Bank; 3, J. Cardwell; 4, Alsop. Time, 86 3/5 secs.

50 Yards Breast Stroke (Junior).--1. Rock Ferry: 2. Liverpool: 3, A. Smith; 4, Wirral. Time, 39 4/5 secs.

100 Yards Back Stroke (Senior).—1, Prescot; 2, Quarry Bank; 3, Rock Ferry: 4, Liverpool Inst.

50 Yards Back Stroke (Junior).—1, Prescot; 2, D. Vernon; 3, Liverpool; 4, Liverpool Inst. Time. 36 secs.

Neat Dive (Junior).—1, Liverpool; 2, Rock Ferry; 3, C. Holmes;

Neat Dive (Senior).—1. Prescot; 2. Rock Ferry: 3. Liverpool Inst.; 4. Liverpool C.

Squadron (Senior).—1, Rock Ferry; 2, King George V; 3, Holt; 4. Quarry Bank.

Squadron (Junior).—1, King George V: 2, Liverpool C.: 3, Rock Ferry: 4. Holt.

Medlev Squadron (Senior).—1, King George V; 2, Prescot; 3, Holt; 4. Rock Ferry.

Medley Squadron (Junior).—1, King George V; 2, Prescot; 3, Liverpool C.; 4, Holt.

### TOTAL POINTS

3. Prescot Grammar School 4. Liverpool Collegiate	
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Captain—M. B. Enright, 1st XI Colours 1944-5-6.

Vice-Captain—A. Grub, 1st XI Colours 1945-6.

1st XI Colours—Dewhurst, Polding, Bromilow, Crowther, Hughes. 2nd XI Colours—Richardson, Houldsworth, Green, Duckworth. (Also played: May, Rowell, Edwards, Youds).

### RESULTS

v. Southport and Birkdale C.C. at Trafalgar Road, June 19th. School 56 runs. S.&B.C.C. 54 runs. School won by 2 runs. Grub 15 runs. Dewhurst took 6 wickets for 18 runs.

v. Ormskirk Grammar School at home, June 22nd. Ormskirk 68 runs. School 30 runs. School lost by 38 runs. Dewhurst took 4 wickets

for 22 runs.

v. Blackpool Grammar School at Blackpool, July 3rd. School 70 runs. Blackpool 56 runs. School won by 14 runs. Grub 34 runs not out. Bromilow 26 runs not out. Dewhurst took 5 wickets for 29 runs.

v. Blackpool Grammar School at home, July 10th. School 81 runs. Blackpool 72 runs. School won by 9 runs. Grub 31 runs not out. Crowther 34 runs. Dewhurst took 5 wickets for 26 runs.

v. Birkenhead School, at home, July 13th. Birkenhead 74 runs. School 76 runs for 6 wickets. School won by 4 wickets. Enright 22 runs not out. Edwards took 2 wickets for 9 runs.

v. Wirral Grammar School at home, July 20th. Wirral 56 runs. School 61 runs for 5 wickets. School won by 5 wickets. Grub 25 runs. Dewhurst took 5 wickets for 30 runs.

2nd XI

Lost. Won. Drawn. Played. 7 ... 6 ... 1 ... 0

Captain-D. L. Rowell. Vice-Captain—I. R. Pilling.

### RESULTS

v. Blackpool Grammar School at Blackpool, June 19th. School 38 runs. Blackpool 39 runs for 8 wickets. School lost by 2 wickets. May took 5 wickets for 13 runs.

v. Ormskirk Grammar School at Ormskirk, June 22nd. School 87 runs. Ormskirk 85 runs. School won by 2 runs. Roberts 17 runs.

Mighall 15 runs. Rowell took 3 wickets for 11 runs.

v. Wigan Grammar School at home, June 26th. Wigan 81 runs. School 84 runs. School won by 3 runs. Rowell 15 runs. Weinberg took 2 wickets for 10 runs.

v. Wirral Grammar School at Bebington. Wirral 23 runs. School 30 runs for 4 wickets. School won by 6 wickets. Roberts 17 runs

not out. Cormick took 9 wickets for 11 runs.

# **BADMINTON**

Badminton has now been revived on a larger scale than previously. A competition is being run in which each house is to play seven matches, and the result of these matches will be used to formulate a league table; ultimately the leading house will be awarded the Badminton Cup. A high standard of play is expected as there is a great deal of interest displayed in the senior part of the school. It is to be hoped that plentiful support will be given when Houses play their matches.

The opening match, played on November 14th, between Edwards and Evans, resulted in a win for Evans by three clear games.

It is rather unfortunate that Badminton must be restricted to Seniors at present, but we hope that, in time, Juniors may be enabled to partake in the game.

### A NEW BOOK

Our readers will be interested to know that Mr. R. J. Thompson has just published a novel under the pseudonym of Raoul, entitled "Fortune Spins Auburn," Torchstream Books (9/6).

We are sure that all who enjoy a fast-moving story with a Secret Service slant, will find here, something worth while as a Christmas

The novel, however, is not a mere catalogue of exciting adventures and thrilling episodes, although these are not wanting. It is the autobiography of a young Scotsman named John Brown, whose path through life leads him over rough places to despair, disillusionment and almost death.

Caught up in the maelstrom of the war, he becomes a British Agent in Germany. Entrusted with a mission of extreme delicacy, he finds himself torn between two loyalties, but he achieves his mission, although not before he has made some profound and disturbing discoveries about human nature and man's inhumanity to man.

The book contains many thought-provoking passages and appears appositely at a time when we are all thinking of Peace on Earth, Good-A.W.P.

will toward men.

# C.O.I. FILM SHOW

On October 1st the Scientific Society meeting was held in the School Hall when the C.O.I. gave a Film Show in which five films were exhibited.

The first film, "Hydraulics," dealt with some of the basic principles on which Hydraulic Transmission of Power is based, giving

examples of its utilisation in modern life.

The next film, "Time and Tide," showed the work of the Marine Salvage Dept. of the Admiralty giving, as an example of its work,

the removal of a sunken ship from a Continental harbour.

The third film, "Distillation," dealt with the simple molecular structure of organic substances and went on to consider the fractionating column in detail, showing how crude oil could be separated into its various constituents.

The fourth film, "Valley of the Tennessee," brought forward the

problem of harnessing the Tennessee River and its solution.

The last film, "Radar," developed shortly the main ideas on

which war-time Radar was based.

To end the meeting L. Watson thanked everyone concerned for the show. B.M.

### THE FARADAY LECTURE

On October 11th, a party of VIth formers was privileged to hear Dr. T. E. Allibone repeat his lecture on "Atoms, Electrons and Engineers " at the Liverpool Philharmonic Hall. The general air of expectancy, the profusion of models and apparatus and, not the least,

the grandeur of the setting, presaged no ordinary lecture. Indeed, the lecturer held his listeners' rapt attention for well over an hour with a discourse, the like of which many will be very lucky if they

hear again.

Passing rapidly over the earlier theories of atomic structure and dealing, in turn, now with the cubical salt molecule and now with the layered mica structure, all magnified up, in the form of working models, to several million times their natural size, the lecturer paused to consider the special features of the water-repellant silicones. These apparently possessed an outer "skin" of paraffins so that, when any cellulose was silicone-treated, the compound fairly bristled with paraffins. Imagine the surprise of those present at seeing a perfectly waterproofed blotting paper!

The discussion ranged from molecule to atom and from atom to electron . . . from the very small to the infinitesimal. One after another were considered the detailed structures of hydrogen, helium and lithium, the mechanism of electrical conductivity and, among many other things, the reason for the existence of electric dipole molecules. These curiosities become so rapidly turned round in an ultra high frequency electric field that considerable rise in temperature results. With such a "dielectric heater" was demonstrated the rapid drying out of moisture, the instantaneous firing of a piece of film and the bonding of strips of plywood as in aeroplane propellers.

Among the more complex things considered were uranium and the atomic bomb and a most lucid explanation of how the former made the latter possible was given. The series of short films that accompanied this part must have cleared up many uncertainties; the reason why, for example, a certain minimum amount of uranium was essential and how the bomb was detonated. Lastly, to bring the subject right up-to-date, the action of the atomic pile was outlined and the lecturer concluded on an optimistic note by saying that he anticipated the peaceful application of atomic energy in a reasonably short time.

In his vote of thanks, Sir James Chadwick complimented Dr. Allibone in presenting such an advanced technical subject in so able a manner. He could not agree that the application of atomic power to industry was as imminent as the lecturer anticipated. As for the audience, in view of the marvels discussed, it certainly seemed that any magic was possible. One thing, however, it was sure of and that was its gratitude to Dr. Allibone for the immense trouble he must have taken, and its appreciation of the privilege afforded by the Mersey Centre of the Institute of Electrical Engineers in organising the Lecture and granting facilities for attendance.

B.M., B.C.H.S., M.S.

### DEBATING SOCIETY

Chairman: Stratford, T. K. Vice-Chairman: Read, D. B. Secretary: Burton, D. G. Committee: Aspin, W. R., Haslam, J., Robertson, F. I., and Rowell, D. L.

This term has seen the opening of what promises to be the most successful session of the Society since it was restarted in 1944. Support for the Society has been encouraging, but still comes mainly from the Junior portion of the School. The first meeting took the form of a debate at which H. M. Solomon proposed the motion, "That

money is the root of all evil." J. K. Aldred opposed the motion, which was defeated by 72 votes to 23. Despite the large attendance, contributions from the floor were few and the debate was rather short.

On Friday, November 8th, a meeting of the Town Council of Kew was held. The reports from the sub-committees were attacked from all sides, and most of the proposals were referred back for further consideration. Judging from the laughter of those present, and the requests for a further meeting of this council, the venture was a great success

Such are the only two meetings which have been held up to the time of writing, but before this report appears in print, a senior playreading, "The Man of Destiny" by G. B. Shaw, produced by D. B. Read; the Junior Elocution contest; and the school play, "Richard of Bordeaux" by Gordon Daviot will all have been presented.

D.C.B.

### PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY

Committee: L. L. Watson (Chairman), F. W. Lever (Vice-Chairman), C. M. Woodham (Secretary), M. Seal (Assistant Secretary), W. R. Aspin, J. B. Cardwell, D. A. French, D. Rowell.

The Annual General Meeting of the Society was held on September 16th. The above, together with J. N. Bower, who has since left school, were elected to form a Committee, which, at its first meeting, elected the officers from among its members.

About fifty members have been enrolled for the new session, and

the dark room is being used to capacity.

At the end of last term a successful Photographic Competition was held, prizes being very kindly donated by Messrs. Kay and Foley. The first and second prizes for enlargements were won by W. R. Aspin and D. Heaton respectively, and the prize for the best contact print was won by E. A. Rogers. An exhibition was also arranged on the occasion of a Parents' meeting this term.

On October 22nd, a meeting was held in conjunction with the Scientific Society, under the chairmanship of L. L. Watson. Mr. Christopher gave an extremely interesting lecture on colour photography which was very well attended. He illustrated with the aid of some apparatus and many lantern slides how all colours consisted of three primaries in various proportions, and how this property was used in obtaining coloured photographs. He then showed a large collection of coloured lantern slides and a coloured cine-film of parts of Switzerland, all of which he had taken himself.

Preparations are now being made to produce a School Christmas card and also calendars for 1947. C. M. W.

### FIVE MILLION CLUB

For the benefit of boys new to the School this term we should like to explain the purpose of the Club. It aims to purchase areas of land at half-mile intervals in every city and thickly-populated town; these open spaces are to be available to all children for play or games. The traffic menace, which at present causes the death of four children every day, will be removed, and the children will enjoy the clean air and grass which the streets cannot provide. The name "Five Million" refers to the 5,000,000 boys and girls who are not within walking distance of any open spaces. The Club is affiliated to the National Playing Fields Association.

At the time of writing the collection for this term is not complete, but it promises to reach the £13 mark. All boys not yet members are urged to join; by paying 4d. or 6d. a term they will be helping to keep D. B. R.

death off the road.



### CHESS CLUB

Though there have been no inter-school matches, this term has not been wasted. We have set about the task of reconstructing our team, after the reduction in its numbers caused by members leaving at the end of last year. It has been found necessary to appoint a Secretary to undertake this task, to which office M. English was unanimously elected. We have a number of promising young members of the Club, and we hope to resume external matches as soon

Next term we hope to arrange tournaments, although we have already instituted a competition among the younger members to discover new talent. Next term, also, it is expected that there will be a rather greater attendance among the senior members than is the case at present, owing to the many conflicting activities of the winter term.



### SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY

The Scientific Society started its new session this term with the Film Show described elsewhere in the Magazine. Lectures have ranged from "Colour Photography" to "Atomic Disintegration."

The first lecture was held on October 8th, when M. English gave his well-prepared lecture on the vastly interesting subject of "Astronomy." A week later, M. Seal gave, at very short notice, a lecture on "Atomic Disintegration." This detailed lecture on the modern view of atomic nuclei construction was illustrated by many excellent slides made specially for the purpose.

The last lecture before half-term was on October 22nd, when Mr. I. S. Christopher lectured on "Colour Photography." Mr. Christopher brought to the school his own projector and cinematograph to show some of his wonderful colour photographs and his film about Switzerland, giving his audience an idea of how the results were obtained.

After half-term Messrs. Joseph Crosfield and Sons Ltd. gave a lecture on "The Manufacture of Soap," at which boys had an opportunity to examine specimens illustrating the different processes of soap manufacture.

On November 12th Mr. Crossley gave a lecture on "Meteorology," showing his audience how the daily weather reports are compiled.

Mention should be made here of the "Faraday Lecture" given on October 11th, which is described elsewhere.

### RADIO SOCIETY

Officers:—Chairman: D. Roscoe; Vice-Chairman: P. J. Keeley; Secretary: G. M. Booth.

This Society, started a year ago by a few members who were keenly interested in the subject, has, during the interval since the Society was first mooted, had a great deal of work put in by these few, and various proposals have been investigated and some put into operation. Several experiments with amplifiers have been done and a low power transmitter was built this term, and next term, if circumstances permit, it is hoped that a transmitting licence will be held in the name of the School, and we expect to be "on the air" by Easter.

Anybody in the Lower Sixth or Upper Fifth who is interested in Radio for its own sake should communicate with any of the above officers, who would be very pleased to see them. G.M.B.



### ART SOCIETY

The Art Society this term has suffered the loss of its two oldest members, R. G. Newton and J. B. Newton. The burden of responsibility now lies on the shoulders of a new committee, of which G. Crompton is the chairman, and J. P. Griffiths, G. K. Holmes, P. H. Griffiths and I. M. Morgan are senior members. MacIntyre is the junior member of the committee. Younger members should make full use of their junior representative, by putting forward any requests through him.

Keen interest in all branches of the society's work has been aroused by a scheme, whereby there are always three classes open for the members' choice. An Object Drawing Class is being conducted by G. K. Holmes, a Figure Drawing Class by G. Crompton, and a Design and Lettering Class by Mr. Williams and I. M. Morgan. We are pleased to see that there is a great demand for books from our small but complete library, which has been enlarged slightly this term. We must therefore thank our Librarian, P. H. Griffiths, for his efficient work in this sphere.

A number of excellent posters have been done this term, mostly in connection with activities of the other school societies. Work is now commencing on scenery for the play, which is to be presented by the Dramatic Club, "Richard of Bordeaux."

The Drawing Competition at half term drew many entries from the Lower School but none from the Upper School. However, we extend hearty congratulations to P. M. Griffiths (Trans. X) for his work, which was awarded first place.

We hope to make a start on a new mural decoration on the Senior Art Room wall quite soon.

This term has been a very successful one and we look forward with enthusiasm to the prospect of developing talent in the youngest members. But more senior members are needed. So we therefore send out a cordial invitation to all boys interested in Art to attend our meetings on Thursdays, at 4-10 p.m. G.K.H.

### LIBRARY AND READING ROOM

Senior Librarians-D. C. Burton, I. R. J. Williams.

Junior Librarians-F. I. Robertson, H. M. Solomon, J. K. Aldred, J. Haslam, D. M. Lloyd, T. K. Stratford, W. L. Eagling, J. R.

Evans, D. A. French, P. H. Griffiths, G. O. Jones.

This term there has been a marked improvement in the treatment of books and periodicals, but unfortunately there is still much to be desired as regards the behaviour of some boys who come into the Library before school commences, and abuse the privilege granted to

We wish to express our thanks for gifts of books to Mr. W. Howe, W. G. Fuge, J. M. Russell and J. Wright. THE LIBRARIANS.

### No. 652 KING GEORGE V SCHOOL SQUADRON, AIR TRAINING CORPS

The Summer Camp, held at the R.A.F. Station, Church Lawford, again proved a great success. In addition to a large variety of ground training, including quite an appreciable amount of marching, each cadet was given some link training and also had the chance of an actual flight. One N.C.O. in particular will always remember the aerobatics performed, with him as passenger, in a Harvard. We were pleased to hear that the squadron was the smartest that had so far attended the camp, and all cadets are to be congratulated on this well-merited praise.

It is now more than a year since the second world war ended and the original function of the squadron, to provide pre-entry training for the Services during the period of hostilities, is no longer a necessity.

The squadron was formed on the 2nd February, 1941, and during the five and a half years of its existence, some 235 cadets have been enrolled, 128 of whom are serving or have served in the Services. The names of four cadets are amongst those in the School Roll of Honour. Twenty-three cadets entered the Services by means of University Short Courses and seventy-six cadets obtained proficiency certificates, four being successful in subjects at the advanced training stage. Five summer camps have been held and two hundred cadets have attended them; eleven other cadets have attended courses for N.C.O.'s held at R.A.F. Stations. In other activities, the squadron has achieved success locally in Aircraft Recognition, Shooting, Athletics, and a number of cadets have represented the West Lancashire Area in swimming and rugby. Two other cadets gained prizes, given by North-West Command, in essay competition.

This is a record on which both officers and cadets may look back

with pride.

In this, our last letter, therefore, we would wish all who have been members of the squadron, pleasant memories of the past, good fortune in the future, and "happy landings" wherever they may be. O.C.

### IMPORTANT DATES

Lent Term	begins	J	anuary 8th
Half-Term		February	17th, 18th
Term ends			April 1st

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