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Headmaster's Notes

PROSPICE.

WHEN this issue of the *Burian* appears the magazine will have had a continuous history of sixty years. It will have seen many changes : the original Cadet Force become a Junior O.T.C., then a J.T.C., and finally a C.C.F. ; the disappearance of the scholastic gown of the Royalists and of the expectation that every Bury Royalist should be at School each Sunday morning for a short Divinity lesson prior to attending the Cathedral ; the passing of the black coat and striped trousers on Sundays ; the end of independence, the acceptance of Direct Grant, and the later acceptance of voluntary controlled status under the West Suffolk County Council.

We now enter another phase and we welcome most sincerely to our midst the boys of the West Suffolk County Grammar School, together with five of their Staff. We believe that as the one Boys' Grammar School in Bury St. Edmund's we have a future of note ; we believe that our accommodation will be second to none and that a staff of fifteen assistant masters taking forms of approximately twenty-five in a two-form entry school will be able to achieve even greater things than the two schools have achieved in the past ; we believe that with the organisation of our work as it is that every boy will find a means of developing his cultural and social self, and because the school has those beliefs it enters its new phase with quiet confidence and courage.

Founder's Day Service

A large number of parents joined the school for the annual Founder's Day Service in the Cathedral which was taken by an old Burian, the Rev. J. R. M. Wright, the first lesson being read by the Head Boy, D. W. Jones, and the second by the Headmaster. The school choir gave an excellent rendering of the anthem "Laudate Nomen Domini" by Dr. Christopher Tye. The Rt. Rev. the Lord Bishop of St. Edmundsbury and Ipswich gave the address, basing his remarks on the text "Honour all men. Love the brotherhood. Fear God. Honour the king." (1 Peter 2.17). The collection totalled £7 10s. 0d.

Speech Day

Speech Day was held on the morning of Old Boys' Day, Saturday, July 9th, at 11.30 in the Athenaeum. The Earl Jowitt gave the address and the prizes were presented by the Countess Jowitt:—"We are living, it is quite obvious, in a changing world," he told the large gathering. "It seems to me that atomic power has been invented just in time. Obviously coal is going to get so expensive that none of us will be able to use it any more, and we shall have to rely on atomic power. You boys, therefore, are entering life at a most interesting period. The world is veritably at your feet to-day if you can face up to these problems."

He realised the temptation to leave school early, but he would urge them to stay on and learn more of the problems confronting the world. They could become not merely technicians but technologists, then indeed they had a most fascinating future. Education must be a self-process; all masters could do was to guide and help them to educate themselves—

RELIABILITY PREFERRED

Saying he was not going to discuss the true aim and object of education, Lord Jowitt continued: "It is better to be good than clever. I know a large number of very clever people who have not made a great success of things, and I know a very large number of people not very clever but with plenty of good sense who have made a success of things. Three of the most striking business men I have come across all left school at the age of 13, and none was highly educated. I say these things lest some of the boys who have not won

prizes to-day feel a bit depressed. The race, as I see it to-day, is to the man of whom his fellows will say: 'Old so-and-so has not much brains but he is the sort of fellow who never lets you down.' To put it another way—the sort of chap to go tiger-shooting with.

"If you have got that sort of reputation, a reputation of character, it is worth more than all the brains in the world. But, of course, if to that you can add some brains, well, it is a very great advantage."

The prize winners were: Good work: E. J. Ward, K. E. Pallant, C. J. Berry, P. Richardson, K. V. Tofts, C. R. West, D. J. Downing, A. T. Miles, M. E. Nunn, D. R. Miles, R. J. Davies, G. L. Skan, J. Knox; Handwriting: M. E. Nunn, C. E. I. Bailey; reading aloud: C. E. I. Bailey, P. G. J. T. Parkhouse; English literature: B. H. P. Turner; physics, chemistry and biology: J. L. Wearn; physics and maths: B. Burrows; Rosa Paley prizes: G. D. Morley, B. H. P. Turner, M. Q. Shelbourne, D. W. Jones. Athletics: School champion: D. W. Jones; under 15 champion: D. R. Miles; John Greene bowl for the boy who set the best example to his fellows: J. L. Wearn.

Proposing thanks, which were seconded by the Mayor of Bury St. Edmunds (Mr. Jack Fulcher), Lord Wise, chairman of the Foundation Governor and an Old Boy, congratulated the School on its magnificent record and its fine future.

Cadets' Visit to B.O.A.R.

On the evening of April 13th, Corporal Coates and Cadets Harding, MacCulloch and Thurlow met Major Candy and proceeded by train to Harwich, where we embarked on the troopship S.S. Vienna and sailed for the Hook of Holland. From the Hook, we took the special train to Wuppertal, arriving there at 17.30 hours on April 14th. At the station we were met by Captain A. Wildridge, the officer commanding the Company of the 1st Battalion, The Suffolk Regiment, to which we were attached, and also L/Corporal Oxenbury who was acting as liason N.C.O. On arriving at Harding Barracks, we met the Cadets of Bishops Stortford School who were staying with us.

On Friday morning we were addressed by the Commanding Officer, Lt. Col. W. A. Heal, O.B.E., who welcomed us to the Battalion. That morning we spent with the Support Company in watching the Vickers Machine Gun, and later firing it. In the afternoon we were given a lecture by Lt. Macdonald, an old boy of the School, on anti-tank weapons, and later in the afternoon we went for a ride on Bren-gun Carriers, driven at break-neck speed down slopes which to us looked nearly vertical. After this we watched the Guard Mounting ceremony which takes place every evening.

On Saturday we had a period of P.T. under an instructor whose infectious enthusiasm resembled that of a holiday camp organiser. That afternoon we visited Wuppertal and were greatly surprised by the very contemporary buildings and shops. That evening in the barrack room several hours were spent on "spit and polish" preparing for the Church Parade on the following day.

On Sunday the parade was formed up on the square and was inspected by the Commanding Officer, after which we filed into Church. In the afternoon we went by coach on a visit to Schlossburg and Cologne, where we all visited the great Cathedral which dominates the city.

In the next two days we took part with rifle companies in attack and defence exercises, which entailed charging through smoke and digging trenches, and which was perhaps the best way of seeing the Battalion operational. On Tuesday we went over the assault course, and after losing several pounds in weight we afterwards formed a queue outside the M.O.'s room to have our wounds dressed! On Wednesday we went by train to Paderborn to visit the 8th Royal Tank Regiment, where we were shown the Centurion Tank and were allowed to crawl into the huge sixty tons worth of metal.

On Thursday we visited Dusseldorf to see the 29th Field Regiment, Royal Artillery, where we were shown the twenty-five pounder field gun. On Friday we spent the morning with the Signals Platoon, and in the evening we watched a demonstration of a night patrol. Saturday morning was spent at the Range, where we fired the Sten Gun, the Energa Grenade and the new Belgian F.N. Rifle.

During the last few nights we had less and less sleep as one Cadet developed a passion for purchasing cuckoo clocks,

and we were awakened at all hours by a particularly horrid little wooden bird which in no uncertain way pronounced the small hours of the morning. We left Wuppertal on Sunday and arrived back in Bury early Monday morning.

Many thanks are due to the 1st Battalion, The Suffolk Regiment, and to Major Candy, for making this a most instructive and enjoyable visit. B.L.C.

Visit of C.C.F. to West Raynham Central Fighter Establishment, April 5th

On our arrival at West Raynham we were addressed by Squadron Leader Williamson, the Acting Station Commander, who gave us an outline (interrupted at intervals by the roar of a jet passing over our heads), of the purpose and work of a Central Fighter Establishment.

Our tour of the Station commenced with a demonstration of the use of the Martin Baker ejector seat and the general safety equipment which is calculated to improve the chances of survival of an airman in distress. The pilot is supplied with everything from a hot water bottle to a pair of socks, and several members of our party were mildly surprised that a central heating system was not included in the equipment. The safety measures were so very efficient that one imagined a pilot looking forward with confidence to a pleasant crash-landing in the Arctic.

We visited the Technical Hangar where several aircraft were displayed. Many of them had been subjected to a meticulous examination and their complicated interiors were revealed to the amazed onlookers. Both on the ground and in the air they are the embodiment of all that is strong and powerful. We realised at once the significance of the large notice which stated that all traffic had to give way to aircraft when we were told that a motor car had been completely wrecked by the propellers of an aircraft, while the aircraft itself remained, for the most part, untouched.

After lunch the tour of the Station was continued and we were taken over Air Traffic Control. A great deal of interest was shown in this system whereby aircraft are controlled from the ground.

We examined a number of aeroplanes, including a Canberra, a Meteor, and a small Proctor. In contrast, there was also a Spitfire which had been obviously weakened by age, as was proved by a certain member of the company who stared in surprise as a gun, which he had presented with an admiring slap, came away from the plane and fell to the ground.

At the conclusion of our visit Major Candy expressed our sincere thanks to Major Farriley, who had acted as our guide. We shall long remember our tour of West Raynham, if only as a reminder that the Royal Air Force has, after all, something to show the Army.

Edward Fitzgerald

1809—1883

Edward Fitzgerald, the author of the poem 'Omar Khayyam' and of some of the finest letters in our language, and the close friend of Tennyson, entered Bury School in 1819 with his two brothers John and Peter. He left at the age of seventeen and was admitted to Trinity College, Cambridge.

The writer is indebted to the East Anglian Daily Times for the intimate details given in an article on Fitzgerald as one of East Anglia's eccentrics.

Picture him then as a genial, charitable old man wandering about Woodbridge wearing an old black-banded tall hat tied to his head with a yellow handkerchief, an old grey plaid shawl over his shoulders, a high crumpled collar, a blue coat, short trousers with several inches of white stocking showing, and, in hot weather, barefoot, with his boots slung over his shoulder. It was possible to be eccentric in those days with an income of £1,000 a year.

'The Fitzgeralds are all mad, but with this difference—I know I am.' So said Edward. John, who lived at Boulge Hall, had a clock in every room but invariably called in a valet to tell him the time. He would march into the Bull at Woodbridge and order a carriage and pair—only to walk home followed by the carriage.

Not even a wife could cure Edward's eccentricities and after a few months she could bear them no longer and once again he was free to gather his friends around him in the evening, talking, smoking and playing cards, or to sail his

boat 'The Scandal' on the Deben, or to walk along its banks muttering his thoughts aloud and making a strange hissing noise.

But he was a gentle, charitable man who was quite content to forget about the loans he made to friends, who would chastise a small boy for stealing his walnuts, only to give him half-a-crown and to fill his pockets.

The story of one of the finest poems in English literature is a romance in itself. In 1858 he offered the poem to Frazer's Magazine. A year passed and nothing happened. He recalled it and published it himself—an edition of two hundred and fifty copies. A few he gave away and the remainder ended up in a bookseller's bargain box at sixpence each, there to be discovered by a friend of the painter D. G. Rossetti who, with Swinburne, gave the poem to the world.

"Alas that Spring should vanish with the rose!
That Youth's sweet-scented manuscript should close!
The nightingale that in the branches sang,
Ah, whence and whither flown again—who knows?"

Odds and Ends

From a 'Burian' of 1897. 'Sir J. C. Mathew, on his recent visit to Bury St. Edmund's, as presiding Judge at the Assizes, was duly greeted with a petition in Latin, for a half holiday, for which he most kindly asked the Headmaster. The School enjoyed the same on Friday, June 25th.'

The new Fives' Courts were formally opened on Monday, October 7th, 1895, when Lord Chelsea and the Hon. M. G. Tollemache played a series of games against the Headmaster and Mr. Richmond. History did not repeat itself in 1954.

In June, 1898, Lieut. G. G. W. Corrie, of the Royal Artillery, presented two copies of the Koran to the School. They were taken from an Afridi hut after the capture of the Sampagha Pass. One was a manuscript copy, almost impossible to obtain, and of great age. One wonders where it is now.

We have recently been presented with some photographs of our early fifteenth century Psalter, taken by the Librarian of the University of London. Not everyone knows that this fine Psalter, still the property of the School, is housed for safe keeping with our charter and other valuable documents, in the Borough Muniments room on Angel Hill.

The book belonged originally to the great Abbey of St. Edmund as internal evidence shows. It was presented to the School in 1706 by an Old Boy, James Harvy. The leaves measure $17\frac{1}{2}$ by $12\frac{1}{4}$ inches and they are 188 in number.

The contents are as follows: Calendar, Psalms of David, Canticles, Litany and 'Preces,' 'Placebo' and 'Dirige,' Cantiles for Christmas and other Holidays, 'Hymnarium' with musical notation, and in a later hand the Anthems, Responds and Versicles, all noted, of the Choir Service of the Feast of the Visitation, and the same, with the addition of 'Capitula' and Collects, for the Service of the Holy Name.

The Calendar was apparently in use in the time of Henry VIII. for the title 'Papa' and the name of St. Thomas of Canterbury have been erased, and an excess of zeal has caused the name of St. Thomas the Apostle to be deleted on December 21st. The Psalter is written in a bold hand in double columns of twenty-two lines to a page. The beginning of each Psalm is marked by a large capital letter, a considerable number being chosen for decorative treatment. Psalm XXVI. has a picture of David kneeling before an altar and pointing to his eyes. The hand of Providence is seen above him. Psalm XXXVIII. has David kneeling and pointing to his lips. Psalm LI. has David and Goliath whilst the next has a picture of David with a court fool before him. The latter carries a red staff with a long bladder at the end of it.

When the School moved from Northgate Street to its present position the bust of Edward VI. which was above a door in the old building was broken in transit. To commemorate the Jubilee of Victoria in 1897 Old Burians commissioned Mr. Mark Rogers of London to carve a new one from Portland stone. This was placed over the scholars' entrance and was unveiled on December 20th, 1897, by the Marchioness of Bristol, the bust being covered by scarlet silk on which were worked Tudor roses. The model was later exhibited in the Royal Academy. A year later the present

inscription was added—devised by Dr. Montague James of King's College, Cambridge. The following paraphrase, the work of a Governor at the time, is published for the benefit of the Sixth Form:

"Of old the grapes of Edmund's monks, but now,
A nobler growth, young scholars ripen here,
So Edward willed, whose sculptured features show
Our record of Victoria's sixtieth year."

County Athletic Sports

Representing West Suffolk Schools in the County Sports at Bungay on June 18th, D. I. Smith ran the 440 (ages 15-17) in 54.4 secs., J. H. Lawrence the Mile in 4 mins. 52.7 secs., and M. J. Napier the 880 in 2 mins. 12 secs. Smith and Lawrence as a result of these performances were chosen to run for Suffolk in the All-England Sports at Manchester.

In the 17-19 age group at Bungay B. H. P. Turner won the 100 yards in 11.2 secs.

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Cross Country—Senior, 1 J. H. Lawrence (L), 2 B. Burrows (L), 3 M. J. Napier (L). Time 19 mins 10 secs.

Under 15, 1 A. E. Moore (L), 2 C. J. M. Tomlinson (Y), 3 M. J. Whiting (Y). Time 19 mins. 50 secs.

Under 13—1 C. F. Sutton (T), 2 K. H. Plumb (L), 3 R. L. Flack (L). Time 13 mins 10 secs.

School Half-Mile—1 M. J. Napier (L), 2 D. I. Smith (Y), 3 J. H. Lawrence (L). Time 2 mins. 20 $\frac{2}{5}$ secs.

Mile (under 15)—1 M. J. Whiting (Y), 2 A. E. Moore (L), 3 T. G. Whistlecraft (L). Time 5 mins. 53 secs.

440 Yards (under 15)—1 M. J. Whiting (Y), 2 D. R. Miles (Y), 3 D. J. Barclay (L). Time 64 secs.

440 Yards (under 13)—1 T. T. Benge (L), 2 B. G. Whistlecraft (L), 3 C. F. Sutton (T). Time 70 $\frac{2}{5}$ secs.

220 Yards (under 15)—1 D. R. Miles (Y), 2 D. J. Barclay (L), 3 P. Matthews (T). Time 27 secs.

High Jump (under 15)—1 M. C. Jackson (Y), 2 A. R. Wills (L), 3 D. R. Miles (Y). Height, 4 ft. 5 ins.

High Jump (under 13)—1 I. S. Fordham (Y), 2 B. G. Whistlecraft (L), 3 P. J. Radley (Y). Height, 4 ft.

- School Long Jump**—1 D. W. Jones (Y), 2 D. I. Smith (Y),
3 J. L. Wearn (T). Distance 17 ft. 5 ins.
- Long Jump** (under 13)—1 C. F. Sutton (T), 2 R. L. Flack (L),
3 D. J. Pryke (Y). Distance 12 ft. 7½ ins.
- Throwing the Cricket Ball**—1 P. K. C. Beatty (T), 2 P. H.
Turner (T), 3 M. Q. Shelbourne (Y). Distance 86 yds.
2 ft. 7 ins.
- 100 Yards** (under 13)—1 T. T. Benge (L), 2 P. M. Dutton (Y),
3 B. G. Whistlecraft (L). Time 12 3/5 secs.
- 100 Yards** (under 15)—1 M. J. Whiting (Y), 2 D. J. Barclay
(L), 3 P. Matthews (T). Time 12 secs.
- School 100 Yards**—1 B. H. P. Turner (L), 2 D. W. Jones (Y),
3 J. L. Wearn (T). Time 10 2/5 secs. (Record)
- School High Jump**—1 J. L. Wearn (T), 2 I. S. Davidson (L)
and C. Smith (T). Height 4 ft. 9 ins.
- Long Jump** (under 15)—1 D. R. Miles (Y), 2 J. D. Rendell
(L), 3 M. J. Whiting (Y). Distance 14 ft. 7 ins.
- School Mile**—1 J. H. Lawrence (L), 2 B. Burrows (L), 3 J. F.
MacCulloch (T). Time 4 mins. 57 3/5 secs. (Record)
- Half-Mile** (under 15)—1 D. R. Miles (Y), 2 T. G. Whistle-
craft (L), 3 A. R. Wills (L). Time 2 mins 32 1/5 secs.
- School Hurdles** (110 Yards)—1 D. W. Jones (Y), 2 A. D.
Nurrish (Y), 3 C. Smith (T). Time 16 3/5 secs.
- Age Relay**—1 Yorkists, 2 Lancastrians, 3 Tudors.
- School 220 Yards**—1 B. H. P. Turner (L), 2 D. W. Jones (Y),
3 D. I. Smith (Y). Time 24 1/5 secs.
- 220 Yards** (under 13)—1 T. T. Benge (L), 2 C. F. Sutton (T),
3 P. M. Dutton (Y). Time 29 1/5 secs.
- Under 15 Relay**—1 Yorkists, 2 Lancastrians, 3 Tudors.
- School 440 Yards**—1 P. K. C. Beatty (T), 2 B. Burrows (L),
3 D. G. Davey (T). Time 59 2/5 secs.
- Under 15 Hurdles**—1 D. R. Miles (Y), 2 J. H. Holder (T),
3 D. O. Hooper (L). Time 13 2/5 secs.
- Medley Race**—1 Lancastrians, 2 Yorkists, 3 Tudors.
- Throwing the Javelin**—1 P. H. Turner (T), 2 P. K. C. Beatty
(T), 3 B. Burrows (L). Distance 120 ft. 7½ ins.
- Throwing the Discus**—1 I. S. Davidson (L), 2 B. Burrows (L),
3 P. H. Turner (T). Distance 116 ft. 7 ins. (Record)
- Putting the Shot**—1 D. W. Jones (Y), 2 D. G. Davey (T),
3 P. J. Farthing (L). Distance 35 ft. 5 ins.

- School Relay**—1 Tudors, 2 Lancastrians, 3 Yorkists.
- Challenge Bowl**—Lancastrians.
- School Champion**—D. W. Jones.
- Under 15 Champion**—D. R. Miles.
- Under 13 Champions**—T. T. Benge and C. F. Sutton.

Swimming Sports

Monday, July 18th.

The Mitchell Cup—Yorkists.

Senior Champion—J. H. Lawrence. Runner-Up—N. Dixon.

Junior Champion—E. J. Ward. Runner-Up—P. Matthews.

Hockey (concluded)

SCHOOL v. FRAMLINGHAM COLLEGE 2nd XI.

March 19th.

The School were the dominating team for most of the game, and if their forwards' finishing had been more effective, instead of being defeated 4-2, they might well have attained their first victory of the season.

The game began in most unaccustomed fashion with the School repeatedly penetrating to Framlingham's circle. Several chances created by accurate centering from the left wing were muffed and a goal scored by Nurrish was disallowed because of an off-side decision. Framlingham's first goal was quite unexpected because it came so much against the run of play. This had a bad effect on the School and their play degenerated. Framlingham took advantage of this lapse and attacked vigorously, though without managing to score.

In the second half the School regained their former standard of play and they retained it for the remainder of the game, so much so that the Framlingham goal was under constant pressure. Scores were levelled early in this half when Nurrish scored during a goalmouth scramble, only for Framlingham to dash down the field from the bully-off to go ahead once more. It was in moments such as this that the School defence became confused. Even now it seemed that it would be only a matter of time before the School's efforts were rewarded but the ball did everything but go into the goal. Despite two goals scored in quick succession by Framlingham their goal came under a terrific barrage but

the School met with no success. The inside-left shot inches past the post, and immediately afterwards Nurrish crashed in three shots in succession, two of which were stopped by the goalkeeper, the third rebounding from the wood to be cleared by a defender. Shelbourne scored the School's second goal minutes from the end from the last of a series of three penalty corners awarded in this period of pressure.

This was the School's best performance of the season and a rearranged forward-line played with great gusto and with more enterprise than has previously been shown, but they lacked effective finishing power. The defence played a sound game, with Davidson in superb form, but they had moments of confusion which had drastic consequences.

K.E.G.S. v. SUDBURY H.C., 26th March.

The conditions in which this game was played were far from ideal. The ground was rather soggy and due to this the ball was airborne rather more than is usually the case. Even so the School seemed to be playing more as a team than earlier in the season and the result in Sudbury's favour was harsh on the School.

It was obvious that the forwards had a lot to learn, but they made up for their lack of skill by their determination and energy. Jones as usual was outstandingly hard working and played a big part in the small success achieved by the team. Time after time throughout the game the School forwards were checked by the skilful positioning of the defending backs who both had powerful hits which they used successfully if at times a little dangerously.

The score of one goal each at half-time was a fair reflection on the play during this period, which had been fairly even, with both teams having their chances. Shelbourne equalized for the School after Sudbury had scored early on in the match. The second half developed into a heated battle soon after the bully-off, and a breakaway by Jones who calmly put the School into the lead with a reverse stick shot past an oncoming goal-keeper was their reward for steady play. Sudbury went into the attack immediately and the defence which had been very steady became momentarily paralysed as their inside-right fiddled his way through them to plant the ball in the net.

Sudbury went further ahead with a goal soon afterwards and this marked the beginning of a period of pressure

by the School which they maintained until the end of the game. Three penalty corners in succession were awarded and most of the forwards had shots at goal, but all were unsuccessful.

REVIEW OF THE SEASON.

Bad weather cut the number of games down to six and one of these was played in a blinding snowstorm. This factor has not helped to promote a successful season.

On the whole the opposition met with by the School has been stiff, and early in the season it had no answer to a team with even a moderate degree of balance in its ranks. The School suffered from a shortage of forwards. Only when the selectors adopted the motto "Nothing tried, nothing gained" was a small measure of success achieved.

As a result of extensive changes a team was produced that was capable of scoring goals. Consequently, in its last two games of this depleted season, creditable performances were put up and the School came very near to victory in each case.

Throughout the season, in which the games were scattered irregularly, the team exhibited much keenness to improve its play. In the face of continuous defeat, which was most disconcerting, the team always played vigorously to the end and their opponents found as much difficulty in scoring the last as they did the first goal.

Despite the lack of the added incentive of victory the pleasure of hockey was always there and was increased by the excellent condition of the home pitch.

Cricket

School v. Northgate (Home) 7.5.55.

School	Northgate
Stittle ct Hammond b Davison 14	Armstrong not out ... 25
Turvey run out ... 0	Hammond b Shelbourne ... 7
Nurrish b Davison ... 0	Crane b D. Smith ... 5
C. Smith b Davison ... 6	Artist ct Turvey b Jones ... 11
D. Smith ct Artist b Davison 10	Clarke not out ... 21
Jones not out ... 36	
Shelbourne b Davison ... 0	
Lawrence b Artist ... 1	
Davidson b Davison ... 1	
Mendham run out ... 12	
Ellis run out ... 0	
Extras (b 2; w 1; nb 1) 4	Extras b 12; w 3; lb 4) 19
Total ... 84	Total (for 3 wkts.) 85

Fall of Wickets—1-3, 2-3, 3-15, 4-32, 5-37, 6-37, 7-40, 8-40, 9-80				F.O.W.—1-5, 2-31, 3-57					
	o	m	r	w		o	m	r	w
Black	3	0	6	0	Shelbourne	8	2	7	1
Davison	10	2	23	6	Davidson	2	0	6	0
Artist	8	1	38	1	Ellis	8.3	2	13	0
West	2	0	12	2	Smith, D.	5	1	13	1
Cullingford	1.2	0	10	0	Smith, C.	3	0	8	0
					Jones	4	0	18	1

Northgate won by 7 wickets

School v. Culford (Home) 12.5.55.

School		Culford	
Stittle ct Leader b Howes	... 1	Gardiner b Ellis	... 7
D. Thurlow b Pettet	... 1	Soper not out	... 10
Nurrish b Howes	... 1	Rucklidge not out	... 16
C. Smith run out	... 12		
D. Smith b Pettet	... 8		
Jones b Howes	... 4		
Turvey b Pettet	... 5		
Shelbourne b Maskell	... 0		
Davidson b Maskell	... 2		
Mendham b Pettet	... 1		
Ellis not out	... 0		
Extras (nb 1)	... 1	Extras (b 4)	... 4

Total ... 36				Total (for 1 wkt.) ... 37					
F.O.W.—1-1, 2-3, 3-3, 4-17, 5-26, 6-32, 7-33, 8-33, 9-34, 10-36				F.O.W.—1-7					
	o	m	r	w		o	m	r	w
Pettet	9	2	22	5	Shelbourne	4	1	10	0
Howes	6	3	9	3	Ellis	5	2	12	1
Maskell	2.4	0	4	2	Davidson	2.2	0	11	0
					Jones	1	1	0	0

Culford won by 9 wickets

School v. Stowmarket (Away) 14.5.55.

School		Stowmarket	
Davidson lbw Copping	... 1	Harwood not out	... 0
Wearn b Copping	... 0	Hayward b Ellis	... 8
C. Smith b Copping	... 0		
Jones lbw Copping	... 5		
D. Smith b Copping	... 18		
D. Thurlow lbw Copping	... 8		
Turvey ct Hayward b Fox	... 6		
Shelbourne ct Borrett b Sutton	... 4		
Napier b Copping	... 14		
Mendham not out	... 12		
Ellis lbw Copping	... 0		
Extras (w 1, b 4)	... 5		

Total ... 75				Total (for 1 wkt.) ... 8					
F.O.W.—1-2, 2-2, 3-5, 4-14, 5-22, 6-33, 7-40, 8-52, 9-67				F.O.W.—1-8					
	o	m	r	w		o	m	r	w
Sutton	10	2	25	1	Shelbourne	4	3	5	0
Copping	12	5	22	8	Ellis	3.2	1	3	1
Fox	3	0	10	1					
Borrett	2	0	13	0					

Match Drawn—Rain Stopped Play

School v. Sudbury (Home) 21.5.55.

Sudbury		School	
Parkin b Shelbourne	... 0	Thurlow b Diggins	... 1
Moye b Ellis	... 1	Wearn lbw Diggins	... 5
B. King ct Lawrence b Ellis	10	C. Smith ct M. King b B. King	5
Chaplin b Shelbourne	... 7	D. Smith lbw M. King	... 17
Diggins not out	... 24	Jones b Diggins	... 3
Balaam b Ellis	... 5	Lawrence lbw Diggins	... 0
Eady ct C. Smith b D. Smith	2	Turvey b Diggins	... 1
Chandler lbw D. Smith	... 3	Shelbourne b M. King	... 10
Lord lbw D. Smith	... 0	Napier b B. King	... 0
Stephenson b D. Smith	... 0	Mendham ct & b B. King	... 3
M. King b Ellis	... 4	Ellis not out	... 0
Extras (b 4)	... 4	Extras (b 8)	... 8

Total ... 60				Total ... 53					
F.O.W.—1-0, 2-4, 3-15, 4-20, 5-29 6-37, 7-43, 8-43 9-51				F.O.W.—1-4, 2-17, 3-17, 4-21, 5-21, 6-23, 7-46, 8-53, 9-53					
	o	m	r	w		o	m	r	w
Shelbourne	8	1	24	2	Diggins	12	8	12	5
Ellis	8.2	4	10	4	Stephenson	2	0	9	0
Jones	5	1	13	0	B. King	10	2	17	3
Smith, D.	5	2	9	4	Eady	2	0	7	0
					M. King	3	3	0	2

Sudbury won by 7 runs

School v. Kings School, Ely (Away) 2.6.55.

School		Ely	
Stittle run out	... 6	Glenister not out	... 30
Wearn b Entwistle	... 0	Hicks ct D. Smith b Ellis	... 0
C. Smith b Entwistle	... 1	Wood not out	... 28
D. Smith lbw Entwistle	... 7		
Jones b Clark	... 8		
Davidson b Entwistle	... 6		
Shelbourne b Clark	... 3		
Turvey b Entwistle	... 0		
Napier b Cuthbert	... 24		
Mendham b Clark	... 0		
Ellis not out	... 5		
Extras (b 3, lb 1, nb 4)	... 8	Extras (b 10, w 1)	... 11

Total ... 68				Total (for 1 wkt.) ... 69					
F.O.W.—1-5, 2-12, 3-14, 4-28, 5-28, 6-35, 7-35 8-37, 9-37				F.O.W.—1-0					
	o	m	r	w		o	m	r	w
Entwistle	12	5	15	5	Davidson	4	1	11	0
Cuthbert	6.1	4	11	1	Ellis	4	1	18	1
Clark	6	0	28	3	D. Smith	1	0	8	0
Wood	1	0	6	0	Shelbourne	4	0	15	0
					Jones	4	1	6	0

Ely won by 9 wickets

School v. Culford C.C. (Home) 4.6.55.

School				Culford C.C.					
Stittle b Bishop	...	...	2	Murrell ct Wearn b Jones	...	...	32
Wearn b Bishop	...	...	1	Turner ct Davidson b Ellis	...	...	9
Napier b Bishop	...	...	1	Pease run out	...	...	5
D. Smith b Murrell	...	...	0	Bishop not out	...	...	21
Jones b Smeltzer	...	...	19	Footer not out	...	...	2
C. Smith b Murrell	...	...	8				
Davidson ct J. Nunn b Smeltzer	...	...	0				
Shelbourne ct Chatwin	...	...	12				
			b Turner						
Lawrence b Pease	...	...	2				
Mendham lbw Bishop	...	...	19				
Ellis not out	...	...	0				
Extras (b 7)	...	...	7	Extras (b 3)	...	...	3
			—				—		
Total	...	...	71	Total (for 3 wks.)	...	...	72
F.O.W.—1-4, 2-5, 3-6, 4-8, 5-31, 6-33, 7-34, 8-41, 9-67				F.O.W.—1-18, 2-28, 3-68					
	o	m	r	w		o	m	r	w
Bishop	10.2	6	11	4	Shelbourne	3	0	16	0
Murrell	8	4	19	2	Ellis	3	0	20	1
Pease	7	2	15	1	Davidson	4.5	0	18	0
Smeltzer	6	0	17	2	Jones	4	0	16	1
Turner	3	2	2	1					

Culford C.C. won by 7 wickets

School v. Soham (Away) 11.6.55.

School				Soham					
Stittle b South	...	...	6	Guiver ct Stittle b Ellis	...	...	7
V. Farthing ct Moore b South	...	...	26	South lbw Ellis	...	...	10
Napier ct Guiver b South	...	...	9	Dennis not out	...	...	32
D. Smith ct Burton b South	...	...	1	Bishop not out	...	...	23
Jones ct Yale b South	...	...	7				
C. Smith ct Moore b South	...	...	11				
Shelbourne ct Guiver b South	...	...	4				
Mendham b South	...	...	1				
Wearn b Bishop	...	...	1				
Davidson ct Tassel b South	...	...	5				
Ellis not out	...	...	0				
Extras (w 2, b 2)	...	...	4	Extras (w 1, b 3, lb 1)	...	...	5
			—				—		
Total	...	...	75	Total (for 2 wks.)	...	...	77
F.O.W.—1-36, 2-36, 3-38, 4-51, 5-52, 6-63, 7-68, 8-68 9-75				F.O.W.—1-7, 2-20					
	o	m	r	w		o	m	r	w
Coe	5	2	4	0	Davidson	8	2	23	0
Hobbs	7	4	8	0	Ellis	6	1	12	2
Bishop	10	1	32	1	Shelbourne	6	2	13	0
South	7.1	1	27	9	Jones	3	0	14	0
					D. Smith	3	0	10	0

Soham won by 8 wickets

School v. Culford 2nd XI. (Away) 14.6.55.

Culford				School					
Gardiner lbw Ellis	...	...	9	Stittle run out	...	...	7
Soper ct Hopwood b Ellis	...	...	14	Farthing run out	...	...	9
Rucklidge lbw Davidson	...	...	17	Napier ct & b Pettet	...	...	16
Cheesewright b Davidson	...	...	12	C. Smith ct Sennett b Young	...	...	9
Shadwick b Jones	...	...	6	Jones lbw Shadwick	...	...	11
Pettet lbw Ellis	...	...	0	Mendham b Maskell	...	...	10
Bingham b Davidson	...	...	3	Turvey not out	...	...	4
Leeder not out	...	...	14	Davidson not out	...	...	4
Young run out	...	...	8	Ellis, Hopwood, Beatty	...	...	—
Maskell not out	...	...	1	did not bat			
Sennitt did not bat	...	...	—	Extras (w 1, b 4, lb 3, nb 1)	...	...	9
Extras (b 10 lb 1)	...	...	11				—
			—				—		
Total (for 8 wks. dec.)	...	...	95	Total (for 6 wks.)	...	...	79
F.O.W.—1-21, 2-34, 3-59, 4-60, 5-61, 6-68, 7-74, 8-89				F.O.W.—1-18, 2-36, 3-40, 4-49, 5-64, 6-70					
	o	m	r	w		o	m	r	w
Davidson	14	3	30	3	Shadwick	9	1	16	1
Ellis	20	4	31	3	Maskell	11	1	34	1
Jones	14	6	23	1	Pettet	3	0	11	1
					Young	5	1	9	1

Match Drawn

School v. Sudbury (Away) 14.6.55.

Sudbury				School					
Moye lbw Shelbourne	...	...	5	Stittle ct & b M. King	...	...	4
Parkin run out	...	...	8	Farthing ct B. King	...	...	—
B. King b Ellis	...	...	39	b M. King	...	...	0
Diggins b Brown	...	...	0	Shelbourne b Diggins	...	...	25
Chaplin ct Stittle b Davidson	...	...	1	C. Smith lbw Diggins	...	...	3
Lord b Shelbourne	...	...	4	Jones lbw M. King	...	...	2
Balaam ct Farthing b Ellis	...	...	15	Mendham lbw Diggins	...	...	7
Chandler ct Shelbourne	...	...	—	Coison b B. King	...	...	9
b Jones	...	...	15	Davidson ct Eady	...	...	—
Eady b Ellis	...	...	7	b Stephenson	...	...	12
M. King ct C. Smith b Jones	...	...	0	Ellis ct B. King	...	...	—
Stephenson not out	...	...	2	b Stephenson	...	...	0
			—	Hopwood not out	...	...	1
Extras (w 1, b 14, lb 3)	...	...	18	Brown not out	...	...	6
			—	Extras (w 1, b 2)	...	...	3
Total	...	...	114	Total (for 9 wks.)	...	...	72
F.O.W.—1-8, 2-36, 3-38, 4-39, 5-67, 6-67, 7-90, 8-				F.O.W.—1-2, 2-5, 3-12, 4-21, 5-29, 6-45, 7-65, 8-65, 9-66					
	o	m	r	w		o	m	r	w
Davidson	6	1	13	1	Diggins	16	8	21	3
Ellis	16.2	4	36	3	M. King	10	3	26	3
Jones	8	3	8	2	Eady	7	2	17	0
Shelbourne	13	2	26	2	B. King	3	0	5	1
Brown	4	0	14	1	Stephenson	3	1	2	2

Match Drawn

School v. Thetford (Home) 25.6.55.

School					Thetford				
Stittle lbw Burgess	...	5			Meadows ct Jones	...	0		
V. Farthing ct Meadows	...	23			b Davidson	...	0		
b Whalebelly	...	9			Mann b Shelbourne	...	2		
Shelbourne run out	...	18			Mason ct Stittle b Shelbourne	...	2		
D. Smith b Malton	...	4			Malton b Davidson	...	2		
Jones b Fincham	...	2			Fisher ct Shelbourne b Ellis	...	0		
Napier ct Smith b Fincham	...	6			Smith ct Farthing b Davidson	...	7		
C. Smith not out	...	11			Paget lbw Ellis	...	1		
Mendham b Burgess	...	5			Burgess b Ellis	...	2		
Davidson not out	...	8			Fincham not out	...	3		
Ellis Hopwood did not bat	...	—			Whalebelly not out	...	9		
Extras (b 6, lb 1 w 1)	...	—			Alderton did not bat	...	—		
Total (for 7 wks. dec.)	...	91			Extras (b 5, w 2, nb 2)	...	—		
					Total (for 8 wks.)	...	28		
F.O.W.—1-12, 2-35, 3-49, 4-66,					F.O.W.—1-0, 2-0, 3-4, 4-4, 5-9,				
5-67, 6-72, 7-85					6-13, 7-17, 8-24				
	o	m	r	w		o	m	r	w
Malton	13	4	32	1	Shelbourne	9	6	3	2
Burgess	9	3	22	2	Davidson	8	3	6	3
Whalebelly	7	1	19	1	Ellis	5	4	2	3
Fincham	4	1	10	2	D. Smith	2	1	4	0

Match Drawn

School v. Soham (Home) 2.7.55.

School					Soham				
Stittle lbw Dennis	...	0			Guiver b Shelbourne	...	6		
Farthing b Hobbs	...	7			South not out	...	53		
Shelbourne b Bishop	...	23			Dennis not out	...	26		
D. Smith lbw Hobbs	...	1			Extras (w 1, b 13)	...	14		
Jones b South	...	5			Total (for 1 wkt.)	...	98		
Napier b Cox	...	18							
C. Smith lbw Bishop	...	3							
Mendham ct Yale b Bishop	...	8							
Davidson ct Cox b South	...	0							
Ellis ct & b South	...	8							
Hopwood not out	...	5							
Extras (b 18 lb 1)	...	19							
Total	...	97							
F.O.W.—1-0, 2-17, 3-23, 4-46,					F.O.W.—1-20				
5-46, 6-53, 7-69, 8-74, 9-85									
	o	m	r	w		o	m	r	w
Hobbs	9	3	17	2	Shelbourne	15	7	24	1
Dennis	8	3	23	1	Ellis	11.4	3	28	0
Bishop	9	3	26	3	Davidson	5	0	15	0
South	5	1	11	3	Jones	3	0	11	0
Cox	0.4	0	1	1	D. Smith	2	0	8	0

Soham won by 9 wickets

School v. Bury C.C. (Home) 7.7.55.

School					Bury				
Stittle b Hall	...	0			Arnold ct Stittle b Shelbourne	...	9		
Jolliffe b Hall	...	9			Field ct Jones b Shelbourne	...	8		
Shelbourne b Hall	...	1			Robbie lbw Ellis	...	0		
D. Smith b Upson	...	33			C. Hall ct Davidson b Ellis	...	10		
Jones ct Arnold b Worthy	...	4			Francis lbw Davidson	...	7		
Napier b Worthy	...	0			Langridge lbw Davidson	...	6		
C. Smith not out	...	60			Upson lbw Shelbourne	...	27		
Mendham b Upson	...	0			Searle b Davidson	...	4		
Davidson b Upson	...	11			H. Hall not out	...	21		
Ellis ct Searle b Upson	...	2			Chapman run out	...	1		
Lawrence not out	...	4			Worthy not out	...	4		
Total	...	124			Extras (b 13, lb 1)	...	14		
F.O.W.—1-0, 2-4, 3-13, 4-26,					Total (for 9 wks.)	...	111		
5-26, 6-84, 7-84, 8-106, 9-119					F.O.W.—1-13, 2-16, 3-30, 4-44,				
	o	m	r	w	5-44, 6-51, 7-67, 8-90, 9-105				
H. Hall	9	3	13	3	Shelbourne	11	3	34	3
Field	6	2	9	0	Ellis	14	2	40	2
Chapman	4	1	20	0	Davidson	6	2	17	3
Worthy	4	0	37	2	Jolliffe	2	0	4	0
Upson	8	2	23	4					
Arnold	4	0	22	0					

Match drawn

School v. Old Boys (Home) 9.7.55.

School					Old Boys				
V. Farthing not out	...	52			D. J. Simkin b Shelbourne	...	0		
Jolliffe b Minns	...	11			D. G. Southgate b C. Smith	...	20		
Shelbourne b Minns	...	0			O. Butterfield b Shelbourne	...	0		
D. Smith b Simkins	...	42			P. Cooke ct Farthing b Ellis	...	9		
C. Smith ct Dunn b Marriott	...	0			Clarke run out	...	3		
Jones b Simkins	...	10			Minns not out	...	4		
Napier, Mendham, Stittle,	...	—			D. Simkins lbw Shelbourne	...	5		
Davidson, Ellis did not bat	...	—			T. Dodds lbw Ellis	...	2		
Extras (b 10, lb 8)	...	18			Dunn b Shelbourne	...	0		
Total (for 5 wks. dec.)	...	133			D. W. Marriott ct Mendham	...	0		
F.O.W.—1-30, 2-46, 3-117, 4-118,					b Shelbourne	...	0		
5-133					J. Wise b Shelbourne	...	4		
	o	m	r	w	Extras (b 10, lb 1)	...	11		
Clarke	12	3	25	0	Total	...	58		
Simkins	11.1	1	49	2	F.O.W.—1-0, 2-0, 3-29, 4-34,				
Minns	5	2	19	2	5-44, 6-46, 7-50, 8-50, 9-50				
Southgate	3	0	19	0					
Marriott	2	0	3	1					
	o	m	r	w					
Shelbourne	9.2	6	6	6	Shelbourne	9.2	6	6	6
Ellis	8	3	20	2	Ellis	8	3	20	2
Davidson	4	1	10	0	Davidson	4	1	10	0
C. Smith	3	0	11	1	C. Smith	3	0	11	1

School won by 75 runs

School v. Culford C.C. (Away) 14.7.55.

School				Culford					
V. Farthing b Smeltzer	...	30		Pease ct Brown b Shelbourne	11				
Jolliffe b Smeltzer	...	0		K. Bishop b Brown	...	39			
Shelbourne b Bishop	...	7		G. Bishop ct Stittle					
D. Smith b Smeltzer	...	17		b Shelbourne	...	3			
C. Smith run out	...	31		J. Nunn ct Shelbourne					
Jones b Bishop	...	16		b Davidson	...	7			
Napier b Edwards	...	2		Chatwin b Shelbourne	...	9			
Mendham not out	...	0		Edwards not out	...	12			
Stittle, Davidson, Brown	...	0		Smith not out	...	19			
did not bat				Smeltzer, Jones, E. Nunn,					
Extras (b 3)	...	3		Emmerson did not bat					
				Extras (b 5, lb 3)	...	8			
Total (for 7 wks. dec.)		106		Total (for 5 wks.)		108			
F.O.W.—1-4, 2-17, 3-52, 4-61,				F.O.W.—1-17, 2-22, 3-32, 4-55,					
5-101, 6-106, 7-106				5-75					
	o	m	r	w		o	m	r	w
G. Bishop	6	0	31	2	Shelbourne	9	0	45	3
Smeltzer	11	0	43	3	Davidson	5	0	29	1
Pease	6	0	22	0	Brown	5	0	21	1
Edwards	2-2	1	2	1	C. Smith	2	1	5	0

Culford won by 5 wickets

School v. Stowmarket (Home) 16.7.55.

Stowmarket				School					
Harwood b Ellis	...	3		V. Farthing not out	...	19			
Haggard b Shelbourne	...	7		Jolliffe lbw Sutton	...	0			
Sutton b Ellis	...	10		Shelbourne lbw Copping	...	5			
Talbot b Ellis	...	3		D. Smith not out	...	15			
Burch ct D. Smith									
b Shelbourne	...	0							
Hayward ct Jones b Ellis	...	12							
Ford b Shelbourne	...	0							
Pleasance lbw Shelbourne	...	4							
Copping b Ellis	...	0							
King b Ellis	...	0							
Fox not out	...	0							
Extras (b 5)	...	5		Extras (b 5, lb 1)	...	6			
Total	...	44		Total	...	45			
F.O.W.—1-15, 2-15, 3-22, 4-28,				F.O.W.—1-1, 2-16					
5-32, 6-32, 7-44, 8-44, 9-44, 10-44									
	o	m	r	w		o	m	r	w
Ellis	12	6	19	6	Sutton	7	1	23	1
Shelbourne	12-3	4	20	4	Copping	6	2	14	1
				Haggard	0-2	0	2	0	

School won by 8 wickets

SECOND ELEVEN RESULTS, 1955.

7.5.55.

v. Northgate (Away) Match Drawn.

Northgate—109-7 dec. (Herring 37, Spall 22, Aldous 20 ; Napier 3-16, Brown 3-32)
 School—59-9 (D. Thurlow 18, P. Farthing 10 n.o. ; Coates 5-9)

12.5.55.

v. Culford School 3rd XI. (Away) Culford won by 3 Wickets.

School—37 (Last 4-9, Wright 3-14)
 Culford—40-7 Sennitt 12 ; Brown 3-13, Berry 2-11)

21.5.55.

v. Silver Jubilee (Away) Silver Jubilee won by 6 wickets.

School—28 (Lockwood 6-12, Sturgeon 3-15)
 Silver Jubilee—31-4 (Clarke 16 n.o.)

2.6.55.

v. Kings School, Ely (Home) Kings won by 8 wickets.

School—54 (Lawrence 16 ; Starling 8-27, Keene 2-15)
 Kings School—55-2 (Jessop 22, Brewin 12, Lawrence 10 n.o.)

11.6.55.

v. Soham (Home) Soham won by 52 runs.

Soham—95-6 dec. (Holmes 27 n.o., Cox 17 ; Nurrish 3-22)
 School—43 (Lawrence 15 ; Cox 4-6)

14.6.55.

v. Culford School 3rd XI. (Home) Match Drawn.

School—127-5 dec. (Lawrence 27, Colson 30, Nurrish 24, Coxon 17 n.o.)
 Culford—90-4 (Reid 37 n.o., Dewing 14 n.o. ; Brown 4-30)

25.6.55.

v. Thetford (Away) School won by 32 runs.

School—72-7 dec. (Jolliffe 30 n.o. ; Upstone 4-25)
 Thetford—40 (Upstone 23 ; Brown 6-13, Jolliffe 4-27)

U.14 ELEVEN RESULTS, 1955.

7.5.55.

v. Northgate (Away) Northgate won by 7 wickets.

School—62 (Wills 26 ; Cunnell 5-13)
 Northgate—64-3 (Warwick 36 n.o., Cunnell 20)

12.5.55.

- v. **Culford** (Away) School won by 21 runs.
School—62 (Wills 14, King 12; Bailey 6-25, Keall 4-12)
Culford—41 (Julnes 20; Johnston 6-12, Woodrow 3-8)

14.5.55.

- v. **Stowmarket** (Away) Match Drawn.
School—59 (Wills 27; Ward 3-13)
Stowmarket—29-4. Rain stopped play.

2.6.55.

- v. **Kings School, Ely.** School won by 9 wickets.
Kings—18 (Woodrow 5-9, Johnston 3-6)
School—22-1 Woodrow 9 n.o.)

11.6.55.

- v. **Soham** (Home) School won by 3 wickets.
Soham—83 (Fowler 25, Taylor 15; Johnston 6-25)
School—87-7 (Pallant 34, Johnston 10)

14.6.55.

- v. **Culford** (Away) Culford won by 21 runs.
Culford—103-6 dec. Plume 40, Keall 26 n.o.; Wills 3-20)
School—82 (Woodrow 38, Pallant 27; Pryke 5-10)

25.6.55.

- v. **Thetford** (Away) Thetford won by 24 runs.
Thetford—56 (Hewitt 12, King 10; Johnston 3-18)
School—32 (Hewitt 7-9)

HOUSE MATCHES.

SENIOR.

9.6.55.

- Yorkists v. Tudors** (Match Drawn)
Tudors—76 (Ellis 19; D. Smith 7-16)
Yorkists—75-7 (Shelbourne 18 n.o., D. Smith 14;
Ellis 3-25, Mendham 3-23)

23.6.55.

- Tudors v. Lancastrians** (Tudors won by 87 runs)
Tudors—99 (Proctor 40 n.o., Berry 15; P. Farthing 6-30)
Lancastrians—12 (Ellis 6-3, Jolliffe 3-4)

30.6.55.

- Yorkists v. Lancastrians** (Yorkists won by 32 runs)
Yorkists—85-9 (Smith 36, Jones 9; Napier 3-28)
Lancastrians—53 (Lawrence 8, Moore 8; Shelbourne
7-29)

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9.6.55.

- Yorkists v. Tudors** (Yorkists won by 8 wickets)
Tudors—40 (Eustace 11; Woodrow 4-10, King 3-8,
Miles 3-5)
Yorkists—41-2 (King 15 n.o., Pallant 13 n.o.)

23.6.55.

- Tudors v. Lancastrians** (Lancastrians won by 55 runs)
Lancastrians—110-3 (B. Johnston 38 n.o., Wills 33)
Tudors—55 (Johnston 6-17, Reeve 2-8)

30.6.55.

- Yorkists v. Lancastrians** (Lancastrians won by 8 wickets)
Yorkists—59 (Woodrow 17, Miles 11, Pallant 10;
Johnston 6-26)
Lancastrians—60-2 (Wills 18, Downing 16 n.o., Reeve
12 n.o.; Johnston 10)

Royalists v. Foreigners (21.7.55)

Royalists				Foreigners			
Stittle b Shelbourne	...	2		Jolliffe ct Lawrence b Ellis	...	2	
Ellis b Shelbourne	...	4		Shelbourne lbw Ellis	...	6	
Turvey b Smith	...	0		Dixon lbw Brown	...	0	
Napier b Smith	...	2		D. Smith lbw Ellis	...	5	
C. Smith ct Jones b Shelbourne	...	0		Jones not out	...	16	
Lawrence b Jolliffe	...	5		Mendham b C. Smith	...	6	
Proctor ct Shelbourne b Smith	...	0		Woodall ct Lawrence b Ellis	...	0	
Davidson b Jolliffe	...	14		King run out	...	1	
Thurlow not out	...	1		Skan ct Turvey b C. Smith	...	0	
Nurrish ct King b Shelbourne	...	4		Ward not out	...	0	
Brown b Shelbourne	...	0		Ransome did not bat	...		
Extras (b 11)	...	11		Extras (b 8, lb 1)	...	9	
Total	...	43		Total	...	45	

F.O.W.—1-2, 2-5, 3-16, 4-17,
5-36, 6-37, 7-38, 8-41

	o	m	r	w		o	m	r	w
Shelbourne	7-3	3	16	5	Ellis	9-1	3	20	4
D. Smith	5	3	9	3	Brown	4	1	10	1
Jolliffe	2	0	6	2	C. Smith	5	1	6	2

Foreigners won by 2 wickets

School v. Headmaster's XI. (22.7.55)

Headmaster's XI.				School			
P. S. Smeltzer ct Napier b Ellis	3	Jolliffe b Grimwood	19				
D. J. Simkin ct & b Ellis	1	Farthing b Simpkin	4				
Mr. Grimwood ct Lawrence		Napier b Grimwood	4				
b Shelbourne	1	D. Smith b Grimwood	15				
Maj. Nurrish ct V. Farthing		C. Smith lbw Simkin	2				
b Ellis	3	Mendham lbw Simkin	0				
Mr. Smith ct & b Ellis	0	Jones lbw Grimwood	5				
W/Cdr. Bailey run out	7	Shelbourne not out	5				
Mr. Ellis b C. Smith	11	Davidson ct Greenhalgh					
Mr. Skan ct & b Jolliffe	15	b Grimwood	1				
Sq/Ldr. Greenhalgh not out	8	Lawrence not out	3				
R. W. Elliott b Ellis	5	Ellis did not bat					
E. Edwards b Ellis	4						
Extras (b 1)	1	Extras (b 2)	2				
Total	59	Total	60				
F.O.W.—1-1, 2-4, 3-8, 4-8, 5-8,		F.O.W.—1-9, 2-26, 3-29, 4-36,					
6-21, 7-35, 8-50, 9-55, 10-59		5-36, 6-49, 7-52, 8-56					
Shelbourne	7	Smeltzer	6.5	1	22	0	
Ellis	9.3	Simpkin	9	2	24	3	
C. Smith	3	Grimwood	8	3	12	5	
D. Smith	2						
Jolliffe	2						

School won by 2 wickets

FIRST ELEVEN BATTING AVERAGES.

	Inns.	Not Out	Runs	Highest Score	Aver.
V. Farthing	9	2	170	52*	24.3
D. Smith	14	1	202	42	15.5
C. Smith	15	2	157	60*	12.1
Jones	15	1	139	36*	9.9
Napier	11	0	90	24	8.2
Shelbourne	15	1	109	25	7.8
Jolliffe	5	0	39	19	7.8
Mendham	14	1	84	19	6.5
Davidson	12	2	48	12	4.8
Stittle	10	0	45	14	4.5
Lawrence	5	2	10	4*	3.3
Ellis	10	5	15	8	3.0
Turvey	6	1	16	6	2.6
Wearn	5	0	7	5	1.4
Also Batted :—					
Colson	1	0	9	9	9.0
Nurrish	2	0	1	1	0.5
Hopwood	2	2	6	5*	0.0
Brown	1	1	6	6*	0.0
Thurlow	3	0	10	8	3.3

* Denotes not out innings.

BOWLING AVERAGES.

	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Aver.
Ellis	134.4	40	289	35	8.257
Shelbourne	111.5	38	263	25	10.52
D. Smith	20	4	59	5	11.8
Davidson	69.1	13	189	11	17.181
Jones	46	12	109	5	21.8
Also Bowled :					
Brown	9	0	35	2	17.5
C. Smith	11	1	40	2	20.0
Jolliffe	4	0	10	1	10.0

CATCHES.

5 Stittle ; 4 V. Farthing ; 3 Jones, Shelbourne ; 2 D. Smith, C. Smith, Davidson, Lawrence, Ellis ; 1 Napier, Jolliffe, Brown, Turvey, Hopwood, Wearn.

School Runs per Wicket—12.1

Opponents Runs per Wicket—12.4

Total Runs scored by School=1,369 which include 77 byes, 15 leg byes, 7 wides and 7 no balls.

Total Runs scored by Opponents=1,143 which include 111 byes, 13 leg byes, 9 wides and 2 no balls.

BEST WICKET PARTNERSHIPS.

- 36 v. Soham (A) Farthing, Stittle.
- 23 v. Thetford (H) Farthing Shelbourne.
- 71 v. Old Boys (H) Farthing, D. Smith.
- 23 v. Soham (H) Jones, Shelbourne.
- 40 v. Culford C.C. (A) Jones, C. Smith.
- 58 v. Bury C.C. (H) C. Smith, D. Smith.
- 23 v. Sudbury (H) D. Smith, Shelbourne.
- 18 v. Bury C.C. (H) C. Smith, Davidson.
- 35 v. Northgate (H) Mendham, Jones.
- 31 v. Ely (A) Napier, Ellis.

FIRST ELEVEN RECORD.

Played	16	Won	3
Drawn	5	Lost	8

CRICKET REVIEW.

The cricket season has not been at all uneventful. The results perhaps are not as good as they ought to be but every game has been enjoyable and played in a good spirit.

The first eleven vastly improved as the term progressed and by the end of the season an admirable eleven was fielded. The main reason for the improvement was the greater stability of the opening batsmen and the return to form of the speed attack. The cricket played was of generally high standard and the games towards the close of the season were the best seen for a considerable time. The middle batting was strong but when needed the tail often wagged successfully. The only time that the latter really failed was against Culford School.

Fielding in the team was mixed. Slip fielding was generally weak but the out-fielding was passable and the throwing-in was good. Wicket-keeping proved a problem and altogether there were three wicket-keepers during the season.

On the whole it was a most enjoyable season, with good cricket, a scoring rate of about a run a minute, and matches pleasant to play in and to watch.

The second eleven had a fair season. Aply led by Lawrence they had a good spirit and tried hard. Their best match was against Culford School, the result being a draw. However, it is hard to keep a constant eleven because of the first eleven calls and because of the claims of athletics.

The junior elevens are playing well. The under fourteens have some useful cricketers who should come on well if handled properly. The eleven was captained by Johnston (ii) who should do well as a bowler.

The under 13's and under 12's were a great disappointment, both being defeated heavily. There seems to be a lack of good cricketers in the lower forms and interest seems sparse, which accounts for the poor results.

No review would be complete unless it thanked Mr. Dart for the excellent fixture list and Wyard for his preparation of such first-class pitches. We are grateful, too, to the umpires and scorers and to Jolliffe for his work in the sports store.

C.C.F. Notes

No official inspection of the Corps was held this term, but a short ceremonial parade took place on June 28th. A senior officer from East Anglian District was to have attended, but his visit had to be cancelled at the last moment, and the salute was taken by the Headmaster. A Map Exercise was held on June 7th, and a full scale Field

Exercise on July 19th. In the latter we were joined by the C.C.F. Contingent of the King's School, Ely, at Fornham Park. We missed the genial presence of Lt.-Col. Pye who has organised so many of our Field Days, but we had the assistance of three N.C.O's from the 4th Suffolks and the Depot.

The Annual Camp was held at Dibgate, near Folkestone, from July 26th to August 3rd, and we were fortunate in enjoying fine weather the whole time. For the first time, W.D. transport carried all our stores, kit and rifles back to the School, which made the journey home much easier than usual.

Promotions—

3.5.55	To be	C.M.S.	Sgt. Jones.
	" "	C.Q.M.S.	Sgt. Shelbourne.
	" "	Sgt.	Cpl. Coates.
	" "	Cpls.	L/Cpl. Addis.
			" Davey.
			" Davidson.
			" Smith, C.
			" Smith, D.
			" Woodall.
	" "	L/Cpls.	Cadet Parkhouse.
			" Turner, P.

R.C.C.

C.C.F. Camp

"First impressions are most lasting." With this proverb in mind, I cannot fail to focus my immediate attention upon that all too important question—army food. Upon arriving at Dibgate Camp, the advance party were seated ceremoniously before a hot supper which may only be described as being calculated to send Philip Harben and his contemporaries into a state of permanent retirement, there to reflect upon their numerous failings. Those individuals who enjoyed the food congratulated the Sgt. Cook upon his successful attempt to produce an appetising meal and were not at all disillusioned by the churlish reply, "Make the best of it, it's the last you'll get!" Remaining faithful to the proverbial expression referred to, I dismiss all opinions expressed concerning later meals. We may reflect, however, that the Sgt. Cook certainly knew what he was talking about.

A series of exercises and demonstrations proved that the Camp lacked nothing in the brilliant organisation to which

we have become accustomed. A full scale platoon attack made our feeble efforts appear in an entirely inferior light. Not that we lacked courage. A certain N.C.O. with a flair for carrying out an operation in the true Errol Flynn tradition earned himself the reputation of being the only man who has won the V.C. posthumously on no less than two occasions.

There was a popular theory, now universally acknowledged, that the good humoured rivalry existing between schools in this country must inevitably break out into open hostilities when the opposing factions are amalgamated during the annual corps camp. The combined forces of two famous public schools succeeded admirably in their attempt to break up the N.A.A.F.I., a source of unlimited amusement to those fortunate enough to have the time and opportunity to survey the scene, a source of grief to those directly involved in the clash.

The subject of broken bones instantly turns the thoughts of a cadet to that exhilarating experience which awaits him each year at the 303 Range. He scrambles eagerly into position, takes aim, fires, is violently precipitated backwards and scrambles back into position, a puzzled and wary boy, to repeat the performance. We gained two first-class and nine second-class badges.

The significance of this creditable display was somewhat dimmed by the fine turn-out we achieved for the Church Parade the following day, Sunday. In the words of the Royal Fusiliers Sgt.-Major, we put our backs into it—a valued compliment from a hardened W.O.

Our grateful thanks are due to Major Candy, Lieut. Dart and our hosts, the Royal Fusiliers, for their unfailing efforts to effect a triumphantly successful camp. B.H.P.T.

Scout Notes

The usual programmes have been run by the seniors during the last two terms. Progress has been disappointing: Hazel has gained the second-class badge, but no other second or first-class badges have been earned. Four new recruits have been invested.

There are now 35 in the troop, including 6 seniors. Two boys have the first-class badge and 10 the second. King has been appointed P.L. of the Cobras in place of Pearson, who has left.

The response to Bob-a-Job week was very good indeed. A total of £18 3s. 9d. was earned, an average of about 11s. per head.

The Summer Camp was held at Gillott Hey Farm in the Snake pass, Derbyshire, from 9th to 23rd August. The site was an excellent one, situated at an altitude of 1,000 feet close to Kinder Scout, and the weather was extremely good, enabling a full programme of walks and wide games to be carried out. Many of the 15 who attended had no previous experience of camping, but all fully enjoyed the camp. The D.C. (Dr. Andrews) paid us a visit and awarded a camping standards certificate. The camp was certainly one of the happiest and most successful held in recent years. I should like to thank all for their co-operation and for the excellent scouting spirit they displayed; in particular I am very grateful to J. Dangerfield for again giving his assistance as A.S.M.

The Butterfield Cup has again been awarded to the Lions.

Patrol Competition :	Patrol	P.L.	Points
Easter Term :	Beavers	Tipper	70
	Kestrels	Miles	60
	Lions	Ward	52
	Cobras	Pearson	41
Summer Term :	Kestrels	Miles	207
	Lions	Ward	206½
	Cobras	King	169½
	Beavers	Tipper	160½
			D.A.Y.

House Competition

Easter Term :	Lancs.	Yorks.	Tudors
Work	15	30	0
Hockey	5	10	0
Fives	0	10	5
P.T.	5	10	0
	—	—	—
	25	60	5
Summer Term :	—	—	—
Work	15	30	0
Cricket	0	6	3
Fives	0	4½	4½
Athletics	6	3	0
Swimming	0	6	3
P.T.	6	3	0
	—	—	—
	27	52½	10½
	—	—	—
Totals for year :	87	167½	15½
			D.A.Y.

Savings

	Easter Term			Summer Term		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Form 6	4	13	0		11	0
5	27	18	6	1	14	0
4	6	15	0	6	1	6
3	6	18	6	4	3	6
2	6	6	0	4	6	6
1	5	14	0	3	10	6
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	£58	5	0	£20	7	0

Greatest number of contributors in any one week:
Easter Term—28 Summer Term—24. D.A.Y.

School Notes

VALETE—

Form VI.

D. W. Jones.	Head Boy ; John Greene Bowl ; Cricket Captain ; 1st XI. Football & Hockey ; C.M.S. Cadet Corps ; Cert. 'A' Pts. 1 & 2 ; Senior Scout P.L. ; Athletics Champion.
M. Q. Shelbourne.	School Prefect ; Hockey Captain ; 1st XI. Cricket ; C.Q.M.S. Cadet Corps ; Cert. 'A' Pts. 1 & 2.
G. D. Morley.	School Prefect ; Cpl. Cadet Corps ; Cert. 'A' Pts. 1 & 2.
P. K. C. Beatty.	1st XI. Hockey.
B. Burrows.	1st XI. Hockey.
J. C. Grove.	Cert. 'A' Pts. 1 & 2.
J. L. Wearn.	1st XI. Hockey ; John Greene Bowl.
B. Woodall.	Asst. Librarian ; Cpl. Cadet Corps ; Cert. 'A' Pts 1 & 2.
B. L. Coates.	Sgt. Cadet Corps ; Cert. 'A' Pts. 1 & 2.

Form V.

P. J. Brown.	1st XI. Football.
N. J. Collard.	Cert. 'A' Pt. 1.
R. N. Ground.	Cert. 'A' Pts. 1 & 2.
J. Knox.	
F. D. Pearson.	Cert. 'A' Pt. 1.
D. G. Thurlow.	Cert. 'A' Pt. 1.
K. G. Thurlow.	Cert. 'A' Pt. 1.

D. W. Turvey.	Cert. 'A' Pt. 1.
R. J. Wade.	
Form IV.	
D. C. Barnard.	
Form III.	
O. F. Gant (April, 1955)	
M. C. Jackson.	
Form II.	
C. J. Bolton.	
R. C. Gent.	

We were fortunate enough to have a trip to Cambridge arranged for us to see the South Africans play the University and it was disappointing that more did not go.

The lecture programme has been an interesting one. Mr. Norton, a District Commissioner home on leave, spoke about Tanganyika, and Mrs. Watson on Denmark.

Congratulations to C. Smith on playing for Suffolk Grammar Schools against Norfolk, and to D. Smith and J. H. Lawrence on being chosen to represent Suffolk in the All England Sports at Manchester. The General Certificate, however, prevented their going.

End of term saw good-byes being said to Mr. Hallam and Mr. Edwards—the former was presented with an inscribed silver tankard and the latter with an electric toaster.

Old Boys' Notes

R. K. Edwards is working in the Cambridge City Library.

Heartest congratulations to R. L. Dodds on playing for the English Men's Hockey XI. against Wales, Scotland, Holland and Belgium, and for a British side against Holland.

J. L. Miles has been called-up for National Service and is in the R.A.E.C. at Exeter.

A. S. Marshall has almost completed his training at the College of S. Mark and S. John and has accepted a teaching post in Sevenoaks where he will specialise in English.

D. W. Mayhew has completed his Field Engineer training at Farnborough and has been posted to the 66 Independent Field Squadron in Breconshire.

Old Boys in and around London are quite active and there are frequent informal gatherings which are well attended.

We recently had a long and most interesting letter from J. M. Ross who has agreed to continue at the University of Rochester, New York, until December. Last Summer he toured the New England States, from Connecticut to Maine, with a long stay at Cape Cod. He is submitting two papers for publication in the American Journal of Chemistry. When Ross returns to England he will take the oral examination for his Ph.D.—his thesis was completed before he left England.

G. A. Butterfield is at King Alfred's College, Winchester.

Congratulations to E. F. R. Stearn on his appointment as Principal of the Leicestershire and Rutland Farm Institute and as Chief Agricultural Education Officer for the two Counties.

The Rev. M. C. Callis is now at Ibberton Rectory, Blandford, Dorset. His second brother, H. V. Callis, died a year ago at Southbourne, Hants.

H. W. Hutchings has retired to Old Orchard, Codford St. Mary, Warminster.

It was with regret that we heard of the death of W. H. ffiske. His copy of the School List has been presented to us by G. E. ffiske of Norwich. The latter recalls the unveiling of the Boer War Memorial in the Schoolroom and the practice necessary to get out of the habit of singing 'Queen' in the National Anthem.

We lately had the pleasure of meeting the father of C. A. Morris, who was home on leave from Buenos Aires. His son is now working in that city with the London and South American Bank; he speaks fluent Spanish, even preaching in that language, and is now waiting to see whether the lottery decrees he shall do nine months Argentinian National Service.

Congratulations to M. F. Last on his recent marriage and to I. F. McGeehan on his engagement.

Congratulations to R. L. Steele on his success in his Finals at Cambridge, to P. S. Love on passing his second L.D.S., to O. J. W. Gilbert on obtaining his Ph.D., and to G. E. Williams on obtaining his B.Sc.

We congratulate C. R. Rush and E. Parkin on their recent marriages. Once again Parkin travelled from Huddersfield for Old Boys' Day.

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