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Editorial.

RESIGNED as we are to most readers skipping our polished efforts on the front page of this magazine, our pride has been still further humbled recently by overhearing a small boy's artless question, "What is the *Burian*?" Baffled but not beaten, we have since been browsing on the answer we ought to have made, but were unable to think of in time; we now reply that the *Burian* is the magazine of the Bury School, written by boys, young and old, for boys old and young. This answer is satisfying and comforting, as it would seem to absolve us from the task of writing an Editorial. Granted this, all we need to do is to give a brief summary of the events of the term, and draw attention to the chief items of interest within, which we now proceed thankfully to do.

Logically, if not chronologically, the events of the term began last holidays. To our surprise, and very great regret, Mr. White decided during the holidays to leave us, and to accept a more responsible post at Kent College, Canterbury. We have since heard that though he likes Kent, he misses a good deal he enjoyed in Suffolk. We hope Mr. White may visit us before the end of term, and possibly put in some days at Scout camp. He will be heartily welcome. The other holiday event was the visit of a large party to Dinant. This was a great success, as the detailed account which follows will show.

Term actually began on a date unusually early, April 21st, and Sports came at the end of the first fortnight, on the very last day of the fine spell that ought to have come the following week, but didn't. Two days after Sports the School dispersed for the Coronation and Whitsun holiday which ended on May 18th. Most of us have never had a holiday in May before, and even the weather, cold and gloomy as it was generally, could not spoil such a unique experience. Hardly had we resumed when annual O.T.C. Inspection was upon us. The report, summarised within, is as favourable as has been the case for many years now; congratulations to all concerned.

The next event was Old Boys' Day on June 12th, in lovely weather. A goodly company of Old Burians assembled at the School and sat down to tea. The Cricket Match was won by the School after a close and exciting finish. The impromptu presentation of a bat to H. J. Chrystal in recognition of his fine innings was a gesture from the Old Burians that the School greatly appreciated.

The week following saw a Full Inspection of the School by the Board of Education—the previous Full Inspection took place as long ago as 1928. A formidable-looking band of visitors descended upon us; all sorts of unusual things happened; even the days of the week were altered, and no one quite knew where he was. Though inwardly uneasy, we all did our best to appear calm and collected, but breathed a sigh of relief when the visitation finally departed, with a promise of a report in cold print towards the end of the Summer holidays.

After this storm, the calm of the normal summer term was restored, with plenty of Cricket and a record of success for our First XI., the like of which has not been seen for several years. We offer our hearty congratulations, and refer our readers to our Matches Section.

As we write these lines, the final preparations for the Cambridge examinations, and the preliminary arrangements for our O.T.C. and Scout camps are busily in hand. We offer our best wishes to both candidates and camps; may the former have kind questions and the latter good weather. We are specially pleased to note that the number attending O.T.C. Camp is the highest for some years, while that for the Scout Camp is a record too.

Thus the Summer term of 1937 with its work and pleasure, its anxieties and reliefs, is fast drawing to a close. All who have put their shoulders to the wheel and have helped things along, will soon be able to write a satisfactory "finis" to the most memorable term we are ever likely to live through.

Dinant, 1937.

Extracts from the Diary of our Belgium Trip.

WEDNESDAY, 7th APRIL. Nineteen boys and Messrs. Elliott and Swainston left Victoria by the 2 p.m. train, after the Bury party had seen the Coronation preparations. Crossing on the "crack" Prince Baudouin was very pleasant.

THURSDAY, 8th APRIL. Mine host of the Pension Renaissance conducted us round Brussels, visiting the Palais Royal, St. Gudule and the Grande Place. An hour by train took us to Waterloo, where we saw the Panorama of the battle and climbed the 208 steps of the Mont Du Lion to see the whole battlefield stretched at our feet. A visit to two interesting museums concluded the stay in Brussels. After tea we en-trained for Dinant.

FRIDAY, 9th APRIL. Became acquainted with the clean attractive little town; many visited the Citadel. In the afternoon we walked to the ruins of Bouvignes castle. The heat and thirst drove us to seek refreshment at Sommiere whence we returned, cross-country, to Dinant.

SATURDAY, 10th APRIL. Afternoon walk to Fonds de Leffe, a fine walk, will we ever forget the "road" from the valley to the hilltop, or the long show at the Cinema Royal in the evening?

SUNDAY, 11th APRIL. *En route* for Han-sur-Lesse by 9 a.m., past finely wooded valleys, many chateaux, including the King's Chateau de Ciergnon. At Han we boarded the motor tram which took us winding up over the Faule Rocks, down which we walked to see the river disappear into the cliff; we did not see it again till we had passed through over a mile of subterranean passage and cave. Some caves were as big as St. Pauls, notably the Salle de Armes, where we had coffee, and the Salle du Dôme. We returned to sunlight and rain by boat on the reappearing Lesse.

MONDAY, 12th APRIL. Walk to the Chateau de Walzin, river Lesse in flood and so we had a long detour to reach the station at Gendron-Celles.

TUESDAY, 13th APRIL. By motor coach through the Ardennes, much varied scenery; craggy river valley, cultivated plateau, fir slopes and tobacco fields. At Bouillon we spent an hour or so realising how unpleasant a mediaeval castle could be. On our return we passed over one of the battlefields of August, 1914.

WEDNESDAY, 14th APRIL. A short visit to France. Givet was found to be a very sleepy town.

THURSDAY, 15th APRIL. 6.30 a.m., Good-bye to Dinant. A comfortable journey to Ostend, not so pleasant to Dover, and a late start on our first English train for a week; still, we got to Bury on time after a very pleasant holiday.

Athletic Sports, 1937.

May 6th turned out an ideal day for Sports, bright and sunny, but not oppressively hot. There was a large gathering of parents and friends, and very keen competition throughout. Prizes were given away by Lady Tilley, after which the visitors were entertained by Mrs. Wadmore and the Headmaster to tea in the dining hall. The account that follows is taken with due acknowledgements from "The East Anglian Daily Times" of May 7th.

The School Champion cup, given by the Rev. A. W. Callis, was won by J. H. Chrystal, with a total of 46 points. His closest rival was F. J. Crawley, Junior Champion last year, who had a total of 42 points. F. R. A. N. Kiddy, with 26 points, became the holder of the "Under 15" Champion cup, given by the late Rt. Hon. Earl Cadogan, K.G., and he was closely followed by J. A. Cross, two points behind. The Sports Challenge Bowl, presented by Lord Moyne, was won by the Foreigners.

The results were:—

100 YARDS (under 15).—1 J. Hearn, 2 E. Parkyn, 3 J. A. Cross. Time, 11 4/5 secs.

100 YARDS (under 13).—1 R. J. Bugg, 2 J. E. Wombwell, 3 A. W. Neil. Time, 14 secs.

HIGH JUMP (under 15).—1 G. O. Farrow, 2 J. A. Cross, 3 P. R. Boughton. Height, 4ft. 2 1/2 ins.

220 YARDS (open).—1 J. H. Chrystal, 2 J. A. Hutchison, 3 P. B. Watkins. Time, 26 2/5 secs.

220 YARDS (under 15).—1 F. R. A. N. Kiddy, 2 J. Hearn, 3 E. Parkin. Time, 26 4/5 secs.

220 YARDS (under 13).—1 R. J. Bugg, 2 J. E. Wombwell, 3 I. D. Birdseye. 30 4/5 secs.

SCOUT RACE.—1 Turner, 2 Caruth, 3 Rumsey.

AGE RELAY RACE (Challenge Cup given by Mr. G. Carter).—Royalists beat Foreigners.

SCHOOL LONG JUMP.—1 J. H. Chrystal, 2 J. A. Hutchison, 3 G. B. Hawksley. Distance, 16ft. 10 1/2 ins.

QUARTER MILE (under 15).—1 F. R. A. N. Kiddy, 2 J. Hearn, 3 J. A. Cross. Time, 66 secs.

SCHOOL QUARTER-MILE (Challenge Cup given by Mr. W. A. Crack).—1 F. J. Crawley, 2 P. B. Watkins, 3 J. H. Chrystal. Time, 61 4/5 secs.

HALF-MILE HANDICAP.—1 Brennan, 2 Miller.

SCHOOL HIGH JUMP ("Orpen" Challenge Cup).—1 S. Willis, 2 F. J. Crawley, 3 G. B. Hawksley and J. A. Hutchison. Height, 4ft. 5 3/4 ins.

JUNIOR RACES.—11-12, S. F. Smith; 10-11, Evans; under 10, Eley.

HALF-MILE RELAY RACE (Challenge Cup given by Mr. E. L. D. Lake).—Foreigners beat Royalists.

POTATO RACES.—Junior, Kiddy i., Senior, Chrystal ii.

SACK RACE.—Sewell.

OLD BOYS' RACE.—T. H. Gould.

TUG-OF-WAR (Cup given by Messrs. Oliver).—Foreigners beat Royalists.

EGG AND SPOON RACE.—Parkyn ii.

EVENTS PREVIOUSLY DECIDED—

SCHOOL MILE ("P. F. Groom" Challenge Cup).—1 F. J. Crawley, 2 J. A. Hutchison, 3 P. R. Brennan. Time, 5 mins. 35 2/5 secs.

MILE (under 15).—1 J. A. Cross, 2 F. R. A. N. Kiddy, 3 J. E. Wombwell. Time, 6 mins. 3 secs.

CROSS-COUNTRY (Cup given by Old Buriens' Association).—1 P. R. Brennan, 2 F. J. Crawley, 3 O. C. M. Jennings. Time, 22 mins. 35 1/5 secs.

SCHOOL 100 YARDS ("Jack Hinnall" Challenge Cup, given by the Old Buriens' Association).—1 G. B. Hawksley, 2 J. H. Chrystal, 3 P. B. Watkins. Time, 11 2/5 secs.

THROWING THE CRICKET BALL.—1 J. H. Chrystal, 2 F. R. A. N. Kiddy, 3 R. J. Caruth. Distance, 81 yds. 10 1/2 ins.

SCHOOL HALF-MILE.—F. J. Crawley, 2 J. H. Chrystal, 3 O. C. M. Jennings. Time, 2 mins. 32 1/5 secs.

ABSTRACT OF SPORTS ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.		PAYMENTS.	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Balance from 1936	2 8 8	Prizes	5 16 5
Donations	2 1 11	Printing	1 19 6
Sale of Programmes	2 0 11		
Balance Deficit	3 9 5		
	£7 15 11		£7 15 11

J. M. WADMORE,
Hon. Treas.

R. W. ELLIOTT,
7/7/37.

Coronation Celebrations.

BURY ST. EDMUND'S ON ANGEL HILL.

At 11 o'clock on Wednesday morning, the Mayor proclaimed George VI. King and Emperor. Old and young had gathered together on the Hill, looking down towards the Abbey Gate—that majestic monument that has seen so many Monarchs come and go. It was indeed an admirable setting for yet another historic occasion. At nightfall, when the dusk hid flags and bunting, lights sprang up everywhere. Streets were ablaze with colour; buildings, new and old, were flood-lit; most spectacular of all were the illuminated flower beds and trees of the Abbey Gardens. People came long distances to see the sight, and it was said that Bury's illuminations were the third best in the Kingdom. J.A.C.

BURY ST. EDMUND'S STREET SCENE.

Thursday saw an improvement in the weather. In the evening the bon-fire was lit, and the torch-light procession in which a number of us took part, paraded the town, concluding with a brilliant display of fireworks in the Abbey Gardens. Next night, under a canopy of fairy lights, there was dancing on the Cornhill and in the Buttermarket until midnight. It will be a long time before we of Bury St. Edmund's shall forget our Coronation celebrations. R.H.P.

LONDON, OUTSIDE BUCKINGHAM PALACE.

Roused at a very early hour, on Wednesday morning, we left our billets at University College School by omnibus, alighting just inside the Coronation area. Marching down Constitution Hill to the Queen Victoria Memorial we had a good view of the decorations. Even thus early the stands were thronged, and the pavements packed with serried ranks behind the men of the Royal Air Force who there lined the route. Our place was on the base of the Memorial, facing the Palace. Behind us were representatives of all sorts of Native units, each in their characteristic uniform. After a short wait parts of the great procession began to move off; soon the guards of honour furnished by the Navy, the Army, and the Air Force fell in in

front of the Palace; then came the King's procession. The Royal Coach, all golden, was a wonderful sight, looking as if it had come out of a picture. The procession of the Colonial Contingents followed, the men of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police looking most impressive, and earning a special cheer. By now a drizzle set in, increasing gradually to a steady rain, but when the King's gilded coach returned about three-thirty our loyalty was not damped, and cheers once more resounded to the skies. J.A.H.

RICHMOND, SURREY, THE DEER PARK.

On Friday evening, the route, over a mile long, was packed with people. Soon drums could be heard, and the glare of torches seen approaching from the distance. First came a battalion of the Surrey Regiment, then the Canadian Mounted Police, their uniforms rich red in the torch-light; next were Scouts and Sea Scouts, last a number of cars most marvellously decorated. When the procession had all passed and everyone had assembled in the Park, there was community singing, followed by a grand firework display. At midnight the National Anthem was sung and people began to go home. I was very tired when I got in and fell asleep almost at once; all the same I shall long remember the Coronation. H.J.L.T.

Cricket.

BURY SCHOOL v. BURY THURSDAY.

Played on the Victory Ground. This was the School's first match, and as it happened, their first game too. The weather was fine, but the pitch played very slowly.

The School opening pair were not together long and only four runs were on the board when the first wicket fell. Caruth played a very creditable innings to make sixteen, he being the only School batsman to face the bowling with any confidence. Our "tail" did not wag too well, and we were dismissed for forty-eight runs.

The School began very well with the ball, the first two of the Thursday's wickets falling for no runs, and their third for five.

All through the innings they were struggling for runs. Only one batsman stood up to the School bowling with any assurance, and he scored a hard-hit twenty-one. Our opponents just managed to beat us with one wicket to spare. The School fielding was not too good, and had all the catches been held, we should probably have won. Scores:— J.H.C.

BURY SCHOOL.—J. H. Chrystal (capt.) 4, Hawksley 7, Miller 3, Mr. Stroud 0, Chrystal ii. 0, Boughton 3, Caruth 16, Brennan 3, Kiddy 1, Iggulden 2, Watkins (not out) 6. Extras 3. Total 48.

BURY THURSDAY.—51 for nine.

BURY SCHOOL v. GREENE, KING'S 2ND XI.

On Saturday, May 22nd, the School visited the Victory Ground to play the Greene, King's 2nd XI. The School captain lost the toss and the Brewery decided to bat first. On the arrival of the opening batsmen at the wicket it began to cloud over, but fortunately no rain fell throughout the game. It was not until 18 runs were on the board that the opening pair were separated. Iggulden holding a fine catch off Miller's bowling. The next batsman was soon disposed of, but the opposing captain arrived at the wicket and soon, with Mr. Bevis, settled down into a long stand. The partnership was eventually dissolved by Mr. Stroud, and the remaining batsmen's wickets soon fell to the bowling of Mr. Stroud and Chrystal i. The Brewery innings closed with 114 on the score-board.

After tea, Chrystal i. and Hawksley opened the School innings. The partnership lasted for a considerable time, but the scoring was slow. Hawksley's wicket fell when the score had reached 24. Miller, the next batsman, was unfortunately bowled, and Mr. Stroud went out to take his place. A long stand between Mr. Stroud and Chrystal i. became evident, both players batting extremely well. It was not until the score reached 59 that Chrystal was out to a catch. Chrystal ii. reached the crease to find only one over remaining.

The day's play ended in a draw, the School's total standing at 69 for four. Score:—

BURY SCHOOL.—Chrystal i. (capt.) 13, Hawksley 19, Miller 5, Mr. Stroud 27 not out, Chrystal ii. 3, Boughton, Caruth, Iggulden, Watkins, Kiddy i., Brennan, did not bat.

BURY SCHOOL v. COUNTY SCHOOL.

On Saturday, May 29th, the School visited the County School ground. The game, which was played in ideal weather, was very thrilling, and ended in a win for the School by six wickets.

Having won the toss, the County School elected to bat first. With the first ball of the game, the opposing captain was caught. Five balls later another player was back in the pavilion, both players were victims of Chrystal i. After this disastrous start, the following batsmen played carefully and runs came steadily. Finally they were all out for 72. The feature of the innings was the fine batting of Sayer, who went in first and was last out, having made 81 of his side's 72.

The School started no less disastrously than their opponents. Four wickets were down and only 12 runs on the board when Caruth joined Chrystal i. These two stayed together until they had passed the County School's total. Putting on 87 runs, Caruth's 49 contained only two chances, whilst Chrystal i. carried his bat for a faultless 47. Both batsmen were extremely unfortunate not to reach 50. The School's ultimate score was 109 for eight wickets. Scores:— H.J.C.

BURY SCHOOL.—Hawksley 0, J. H. Chrystal (capt.) 47 not out, Miller 2, Chrystal ii. 4, Boughton i. 0, Caruth 49, Kiddy i. 0, Parkyn i. 0, Watkins 0, Brennan and Kiddy ii. did not bat. Extras 7. Total 109 for eight wickets.

COUNTY SCHOOL.—72 all out.

BURY SCHOOL v. CULFORD SCHOOL.

Played at Culford on June 8rd. The weather was fine, and Chrystal i. having won the toss elected to bat first. Disaster soon came to the School when Chrystal i. played on without a run on the board. Miller came in and joined Hawksley who was playing quite well until he was bowled for 7. When the next wicket fell at the same score things looked black for the School. Caruth, however, came in next, and 26 runs were added before Miller was caught at point after scoring 22. Caruth carried on in good style, but after Boughton went a collapse set in, the last five batsmen being sent back to the pavilion for the addition of only 14 runs. Caruth was last man out and scored 23.

After the tea interval Culford were left an hour-and-a-half in which to score 68 runs. The opening pair scored very freely

before one of them was unluckily run out. Chrystal ii. bowled very well, but could not stop the batsmen knocking off the remaining runs with five wickets still to fall.

Scores:—

E.J.M.M.

BURY SCHOOL.—Hawksley 7, Chrystal i. 0, Miller 22, Chrystal ii. 0, Caruth 23, Boughton 0, Kiddy i. 0, Parkyn i. 0, Watkins 0, Brennan 1, Kiddy (not out) 0. Extras 14. Total 67.

CULFORD.—69 for five.

ROYALISTS v. FOREIGNERS.

A dull morning turned into a sunny afternoon for the annual Royalist v. Foreigner cricket match. Caruth, the Royalist captain, won the toss and chose to bat. Boughton and he opened the batting. After scoring 8 runs, Boughton's wicket fell lbw. to J. H. Chrystal. After this the wickets fell at regular intervals, Caruth alone holding out. However, Caruth was lbw. to H. J. Chrystal after scoring 16. The Royalist innings closed for 47 runs.

Hawksley and J. H. Chrystal opened the Foreigners' innings. When Hawksley had made 22 he was bowled by Caruth; J. H. Chrystal was bowled when he had made 16, and Chrystal ii. for 8 runs. Miller and Kiddy played out time. Final score 76 for three. Scores:— P.R.B.

ROYALISTS.—Caruth (capt.) 16, Boughton 3, Hearn 0, Hooper 0, Brennan 2, Gilchrist 2, Wombwell 5, Bevis 2, Cross 4, Jennings (not out) 2, Turner 0. Extras 11. Total 47.

FOREIGNERS.—Hawksley 22, Chrystal i. (capt.) 16, Miller (not out) 25, Chrystal ii. 3, Kiddy i. (not out) 5, Rumsey, Watkins, Kiddy ii., Hutchison, Iggulden, Parkyn i. did not bat. Extras 5. Total 76 for three.

BURY SCHOOL v. MR. LAKE'S XI.

This year, Coronation year, Mr. Lake invited the whole School to watch this match on the Victory Ground on June 10th, and kindly provided everyone with tea and ices. The under 14 XI. played the Silver Jubilee School at the same time.

Mr. Lake won the toss and put the School in to bat. Chrystal i. and Caruth opened the innings, but Caruth was soon bowled by Clarke. After this only Chrystal ii. put up any strong resistance, and he scored a good 25.

Mr. Lake and Mr. Samson opened the innings for Mr. Lake's XI. but they were soon out with only a few runs on the board. When Wright and Nicholl came together after a few more wickets had fallen, the School's total was easily passed.

Scores:—

P.R.R.B.

BURY SCHOOL.—Caruth 1, Chrystal i. 8, Miller 3, Chrystal ii. 25, Hawksley 4, Kiddy i. 7, Iggulden 0, Boughton i. 4, Brennan 1, Watkins 0, Parkyn i. (not out) 0. Total 63.

MR. LAKE'S XI.—Mr. Lake 7, Mr. Samson 2, Wright 35, Ortwell 4, Till 5, Mr. Robins 12, Nicholl 34, Chrystal 12, Clarke 4, Gilchrist (not out) 2, Covill did not bat. Total 126.

BURY SCHOOL v. OLD BOYS' XI.

This match was played on the School ground, on Saturday, 12th June. The weather was ideal for cricket.

The Old Boys commenced batting at eight minutes past twelve. Their first wicket fell for 17 runs, Mitchell making 18 of them. Shortly afterwards Evans fell lbw. to Chrystal ii., making 18 runs also. 30 runs were scored before dinner. After dinner Pughe and Tilbrook brought the score to 59, and then Pughe was bowled by Miller. The remaining wickets were taken quite easily, Miller taking six for 38, and Caruth three for 10; Tilbrook was the only batsman to make a good score, he made 32. Quite early in the afternoon the Old Boys were all out for 80 runs.

The School had quite 8 hours to make 81 runs, and the School captain decided to play very steadily. Hawksley and Chrystal i. opened the innings. After three overs the former was caught by Evans, who was deep on the off; the score stood at 7 for one wicket. Miller and Chrystal i. came out early and the score was 26 for three wickets. Next, Chrystal ii. came in, batting very steadily. The rest of the side held up their end but each came out for a low score, while Chrystal ii. had time to continue an excellent innings, making 49 not out. Including 8 extras the School was only 12 runs ahead of the Old Boys at the fall of the last wicket. School, 92 runs. Old Boys' XI., 80 runs.

Scores:—

R.J.C.

OLD BOYS.—H. Thurlow 0, J. Mitchell 13, G. Evans 13, R. F. Pughe 10, Tilbrook 32, G. Chrystal 1, Winearls 4, S. J. Pughe 0, A. R. Gilchrist 0, Plumridge (not out) 1, Parkyn 1, Substitute 0.

BURY SCHOOL.—J. H. Chrystal (capt.) 9, Chrystal ii. (not out) 49, Miller 11, Caruth 4, Hawksley 5, Boughton i. 0, Kiddy i. 2, Brennan 0, Hearn 3, Watkins 1, Kiddy ii. 0.

BURY SCHOOL v. COUNTY SCHOOL.

Saturday, June 19th, turned out to be a reasonably fine afternoon for the School's return match with the County School.

The visitors won the toss and elected to bat first. Facing the bowling of Miller and Chrystal i. they started very badly, losing two wickets for 6 runs. The third wicket, however, put on 41 runs, but after that, wickets fell steadily and the whole side was out for 86. Chrystal i. did well, taking six for 84. Miller also with four for 20. The County had taken 80 minutes for their 86 runs and the School had only 75 minutes in which to get the necessary runs to win, thus they had to beat the clock as well as their opponents.

Chrystal i. and Hawkesly put on 25 runs for the first wicket but it hardly seemed as if the School were scoring quickly enough to win. However, the subsequent batsmen adopted a more aggressive policy and gradually the School's chances rose. It was thanks to these more aggressive batsmen that the School passed their opponent's total with five minutes to spare. Scores:— R.H.P.

BURY SCHOOL.—Chrystal i. 18, Hawksley 11, Miller (not out) 35, Chrystal ii. 5, Caruth 12, Boughton (not out) 6, Kiddy i., Hearn, Watkins, Iggulden, Kiddy ii., did not bat. Extras 6. Total for four wickets 93.

COUNTY SCHOOL.—86 all out.

BURY SCHOOL v. BURY THURSDAY.

On June 24th the Grammar School played their return match with Bury Thursday. Bury Thursday won the toss and elected to bat.

Holt and Taylor were soon dismissed but Finch made 24 before being bowled by Miller. Apart from Finch only Chapman and Lacey could stand up to the bowling, Lacey making 37 not out. With the score at 112 for six Bury Thursday declared.

Hawksley and Chrystal i. opened the School innings, but with only 1 run on the board Hawksley was caught. Miller was next in and was the most successful batsman, making 17. Chrystal ii. played very confidently for 9, but Boughton and Kiddy i. were both run out. The School, however, managed to play out time and when stumps were drawn Hearn had 7 to his credit and Iggulden 2. Scores:— G.F.B.

BURY SCHOOL.—G. B. Hawksley 1, J. H. Chrystal 6, E. J. Miller 17, R. J. Caruth 1, H. J. Chrystal 9, Boughton i. 1, Kiddy i. 5, Hearn (not out) 7, Watkins 6, Iggulden (not out) 2, Kiddy ii. did not bat. Extras 5, Total 60 for eight.

BURY THURSDAY.—112 for six.

BURY SCHOOL v. THETFORD GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

The weather was fine but not too bright for this match, which was played at home on Saturday June 26th. The Thetford captain won the toss and chose to bat first.

Thetford started off disastrously, losing their first wicket at 3, their second at 6, whilst four wickets fell at 11. With the score at 18 they had lost seven wickets, thanks to some good bowling by Miller, who took three wickets in one maiden over. However, their tail gave a mighty wag, and the score rose to 47 for eight. Another wicket fell at 48, but the last pair saw 50 up, and actually reached 68 before the last batsman had the ill-luck to play on.

The School started off with no less misfortune, losing their first wicket at 2, the second at 7 and the third at 11. Then the score grew and at 44 we had lost only three wickets. It was a grand race with the clock now, and with 6 minutes to go we needed 18 runs to win. A gallant effort by Caruth and Boughton brought the score to 68, when stumps were drawn. This was indeed "brighter cricket" and the batting showed an excellent standard.

Bowling for the School Miller took four wickets for 20 runs. He also took a brilliant catch in the slips which would not have disgraced the famous "Wally" Hammond.

Scores:—

J.H.C.

BURY SCHOOL.—G. B. Hawksley 4, J. H. Chrystal 0, E. J. Miller 14, H. J. Chrystal 15, R. J. Caruth (not out) 16, P. R. Boughton (not out) 13. Extras 8. Total 68 for four wickets. Kiddy i., Watkins, Hearn, Iggulden, and Kiddy ii. did not bat.

BURY SCHOOL v. THETFORD GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Played away on July 8th. The opposing captain, having won the toss, elected to bat first. The conclusion of the first over, however, saw the dismissal of the opening pair without a single run being scored. The next two batsmen formed a more substantial partnership and there were 46 runs on the board before it was broken. Chrystal ii. then took over the bowling from Chrystal i., and by keeping up a good and steady length, dismissed the seven remaining batsmen for 18 runs. Thetford's total at the end of their innings read 88 runs.

The School innings was opened by Caruth and Boughton, the latter, however, being given out lbw. on his third ball. The following over proved even more disastrous as both Caruth and

Miller were out. Then started the Chrystal i. and Chrystal ii. partnership. Both players batted well, and it was not until 82 runs were on the board that Chrystal i. was out lbw. The next batsman did not stop long, but Chrystal ii. was still in and scoring well. The few remaining players, however, could not hold out long enough for Chrystal ii. to make the necessary runs, and the School innings closed with the School's total standing at 56 runs, of which Chrystal ii. had made 29 not out.

Score:— G.B.H.

BURY SCHOOL.—P. Boughton 0, R. J. Caruth 0, E. J. Miller 2, J. H. Chrystal (capt.) 14, H. J. Chrystal (not out) 29, G. B. Hawksley 8, Kiddy i. 0, Hearn 0, Iggulden 0, Kiddy ii. 1. Total 56.

BURY SCHOOL v. CULFORD.

Played on the School ground on July 8th.

Chrystal won the toss and put Culford in first. The School started off well, two batsmen being sent back with only 10 runs on the board. It looked as though Culford would be dismissed cheaply. However, after this encouraging start the bowling lost its vim and was hit about all over the field. Bentley scored 52 before being caught by Chrystal ii. With the score at 145 for five Culford declared. Caruth was the most successful bowler for the School, taking two for 24.

With twenty minutes or so still to play before the tea interval Hawksley and Chrystal i. opened the School batting. The ball was inclined to bump a little and it was not long before Chrystal was out with only 6 on the board. Miller came in and only one more run was added before he was out. In the last over before tea Chrystal ii. who, with Hawksley had put on 17 valuable runs was caught after making 6. The first over after the tea-interval saw Hawksley back in the pavilion and soon after with 81 runs on the board Caruth was out, and the remaining five wickets fell quickly. The School were all out for 42.

Scores:— E.J.M.H.

BURY SCHOOL.—G. B. Hawksley 9, J. H. Chrystal 1, E. J. Miller 1, H. J. Chrystal 6, R. J. Caruth 3, P. B. Boughton 3, Brassel 4, Kiddy i. 0, Hearn 0, Watkins 1, Kiddy ii. (not out) 0. Total 42.

CULFORD.—146 for five (declared).

The account of the return game against Messrs. Greene, King's 2nd XI. to be played on July 17th, will be found on a later page.—ED.

Games Review.

Throughout the term we have been blessed with fine weather, and as a result no match has been held up, while we have been robbed of one practice only.

We all have to thank the Headmaster for obtaining Mr. Stroud, our coach, again this season. He has done invaluable work for us and taught us how to handle the bat and ball correctly.

This year our batting has been of a much higher standard and this is borne out in the averages. The highest average last year was just over 8. This year there are five people with averages well over 10. The fielding, too, has been very keen, and our bowlers have put up some good performances.

Above all this, there is one thing which has made the season one of the most successful and enjoyable in recent years, and that is the good spirit that has prevailed in every match of both teams. Everyone has done his bit towards the smooth running of the elevens by his keenness and perseverance when we were with our backs to the wall.

We have to thank Mr. Swainston for providing us with such an excellent fixture list. Our thanks are due, too, to all the members of the Staff for their interest and useful suggestions.
J.H.C. (Capt.)

CHARACTERS OF THE ELEVENs.

1st ELEVEN.

* *School Colours.* † *School Half-Colours.*

*J. H. CHRYSAL. Captain. Has captained the team enthusiastically and set the whole School an example of keenness in practice. On the field he has inspired his men, though perhaps his decisions after winning the toss and his arrangement of the batting order could be criticised. His batting has always been safe, sometimes brilliant, and he has bowled consistently well, though he must conserve his energy more. His fielding has maintained a very high standard throughout the season.

*H. J. CHRYSAL. A regular member of last year's team, he has done a great deal to help to pull the team round. A

very useful change bowler, but must look out to length. His batting has greatly improved during the season. A good slips fielder.

- *E. J. MILLER. The School's best bowler, who keeps a good length for long periods. A good No. 3 batsman, though he must back up more. His fielding is extremely good, and he is an exceptionally safe catch.
- *R. J. CARUTH. A very steady batsman with a very good leg stroke. His bowling has been rather disappointing, though he can be dangerous at times. A very good fielder and an excellent catch.
- †G. B. HAWKSLEY. Though an opening batsman he is inclined to be rather reckless before he has played himself in. Must not hesitate when calling for a run. His fielding is not too good, but he could improve it with a little effort.
- †P. R. BOUGHTON. A born wicket-keeper who takes the ball with a nice easy action. His anticipation has improved a good deal. A young batsman who will make plenty of runs. Must be very careful about being run out.
- †F. KIDDY. Could make himself into a good batsman by always playing up the line of the ball. He must not be afraid of going out to a ball, and can remedy this by taking centre about 2 ins. inside the crease. A good fielder and a sound catch.
- WATKINS. Batting is not his strong point though he has a good off-shot off his back foot. He must play the ball with a straight bat. His fielding has improved a good deal during the season.
- HEARN.—When making a shot he must make a complete backward stroke as well. His fielding is good, and he is a safe catch.
- IGGULDEN. As yet he is rather small, but he knows how to play a straight bat. Should not try to hit a six off every ball. His fielding is not too good, and he must throw the ball in quicker.
- KIDDY ii. As yet he has not lost the village swing, but if he tries he can easily cure that suicidal movement. His fielding is very good, and he is a very good catch.

2nd ELEVEN.

- HOOPER. Has captained the team quite well. His batting would improve if he was not so impatient. Quite a useful bowler and fielder.
- BRENNAN. A very useful opening bowler, but he sacrifices length for speed. His batting has improved immensely and he should be very useful next year. Fielding quite good.
- PARKYN I. By his performance in the nets he has shown that he can play a straight bat, and should not be afraid to do the same in matches. His fielding can be good but he must be more alert.
- AINLEY. Has the common failing of not playing forward to a ball he could easily push for a single. A very useful bowler who should make more use of his height. Must learn to catch in the orthodox manner.
- FRANKISH I. If he perseveres with his batting he should turn out to be a useful batsman. A useful change bowler. His fielding is quite good and he throws the ball in well.
- FRANKISH II. Must learn to play the ball with a straight bat, and not pull every ball round to the leg. A good opening bowler who keeps a good length for quite a while. His fielding is good.
- MANNERS. Must persevere with his batting, for, being a left-hander, he should be useful. A very keen player who fields well, but could concentrate more.
- RUMSEY I. Will make himself into a good batsman if he continues to play on present form. Has been quite consistent throughout the season. His fielding is quite good and he is a fairly safe catch.
- SMITH I. Has the makings of a good batsman if only he will remember to play the ball with a straight bat. Quite keen in the field but requires more practice.
- CROSS. His batting is not too good and he must learn to play a straight bat. His fielding is very good and he has a safe pair of hands.
- PARKIN III. Has a good eye and is a hard-hitting batsman. His defence must improve. His wicket-keeping has improved but he must use his hands more.

Also played—

BRASSEL. It is a pity that he cannot play regularly for the School as his batting is good. He is a good fielder and a very safe catch.

HUTCHISON. He could make a useful cricketer if he took more interest in the game. His batting is not steady enough. As a wicket-keeper he must move to where the ball is going and not kick one leg out.

J.H.C.

Football Fixtures, 1937.

1st XI. 2nd XI. Juniors.

October	9th	County School	A	H	H
"	28rd	R. v. F.			
"	30th	Old Boys			
November	*4th	Ely	A	H	
"	20th	County School	H	A	A
December	*2nd	Ely	H	A	
"	*11th	Thetford	H	A	

* Provisional Dates.

We hope to arrange fixtures with Bury Athletic and Bury Thursday United, and Junior fixtures with the Silver Jubilee School.

O.T.C. Notes.

"To-morrow to fresh woods, and pastures new."

Twenty-seven in number, we leave on Monday, July 26th, for Strensall O.T.C. Camp, an unfamiliar part of the country to most of the Contingent. We shall return on Wednesday, August 4th. Our strength is particularly gratifying. Only five members of the Corps will be missing. It is regrettable that Sgt. Hutchison cannot be with us; we hope that Ainley will fill his new role with credit.

Our inspection by Major Jones of the General Staff passed off very well. Made after a most comprehensive examination

of the work of the Corps, his report was both instructive and encouraging.

Our three representatives duly witnessed the Coronation processions. Their accounts are given elsewhere.

Congratulations to O.C.M. Jennings on passing Certificate "A" examination so well, and to Ainley, Bevis, Hawksley, Stearn on qualifying as First-class shots.

R. W. ELLIOTT, Captain.

Scout Notes.

For the most part, this has been a very pleasant and profitable term for the Scout Troop. The generosity of the Weather Clerk has enabled us to spend most of the time out-of-doors, while the keenness of the Scouts and the interest of the Patrol Leaders has made possible a satisfactory amount of progress.

On May 12th, we were proud to be able to take our share in the Gigantic Good Turn initiated by the Chief Scout, when several of our members shared in the local distribution of Coronation Programmes, and earned favourable comments on their willingness and resource.

We were represented also at the District Branch of the World Coronation Celebration Camp, held at Nowton Park for the week-end 26th-27th June. With the kind consent of the Headmaster and the co-operation of Mr. Clifton, the boarder Scouts were privileged to hear the inspiring speech of the Chief Scout broadcast on that occasion.

The district Commissioner paid us a visit on the 22nd June, when he urged upon the boys the desirability of maintaining contact with scouting during the holidays and after their school life, and said that the District officials looked on the Scouts of the Grammar School as the Scoutmasters of the next generation.

"In the Summer, a Scout's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of—camp," and for many weeks preparation for this climax to Scouting activities have been in full swing.

The Camp will be held from Monday July 26th to Monday, August 9th.

Letters to the Camp should be addressed :

c/o G. Middleton, Esq.,
 "Sandways,"
 Eccles,
 Lessingham-by-the-Sea,
 Norwich.

We hope to make excursions from the Camp to Wroxham Broads, Felthorpe Woods, Blakeney Bird Sanctuary and Happisburgh Lightship.

Parents and friends who wish to visit the camp will be very welcome.

It will be appreciated if, as far as possible, they do so on Visitors' Day, Sunday, 1st August.

L.W.H.

A Visit to the "Odeon" Cinema.

On Saturday, June 19th, the Sixth Form paid a very interesting visit to the new "Odeon" Cinema, then still under construction.

First we were shown the heating apparatus which, in conjunction with a complicated air-washing machine, completely changes the air inside the building once every three-and-a-half minutes. After this, we saw the projectors, fire-proof shutters, curtain mechanism, and mercury-rectifiers for the electric current. We then went down on to the stage to see the lighting arrangements and other devices, all of which were clearly explained to us.

Thanks are due to Mr. Elliott and the Manager of the "Odeon" for arranging such an interesting visit.

R.H.H.B.

Sixth Form Library Notes.

The Librarian wishes to thank all those who have helped to keep the Library as tidy as possible this term. He begs to remind those about to leave of the custom of presenting a book to the Library in recognition of the benefit they have derived from such a fine collection of books. The first book to be presented thus bears the date 1560, so the custom is indeed an old standing one.

Fiction Library Notes.

The Fiction Librarian begs to acknowledge the following from H. J. L. Tooth:—

"Zeppelin in Adventures,"—*Marben*.
 "General Mallock's Shadow"—*Maxwell*.
 "Boys' and Girls' Books for 1937."

And from P. B. Watkins, "Three Men in a Boat,"—*Jerome*.

In addition more than twenty new books have been bought this term.

During the Full Inspection of the School the Fiction Library came in for attention; it was commented on very favourably as being of real value. The only criticism was that so few day boys belonged, and the suggestion was made that the Library should be moved to a room more easily reached by them. (We should be grateful for any helpful suggestion. Ed.)

School Notes.

VALETE— Third Form. A. J. Dyball.
 T. W. H. Rutherford.

SALVETE—Royalists. F. B. Evens.
 B. Francis.
 H. J. Rand.

Foreigners. A. C. T. Hawksley.
 R. F. Hawksley.

SCHOOL OFFICERS—

Head Boy	J. A. Hutchison.
Senior Royalist Prefect ...	O. C. M. Jennings.
VIth Form Librarian ...	O. C. M. Jennings.
Captain of Cricket ...	J. H. Chrystal.
Vice-Captain	
Fiction Librarian	P. W. R. Parkyn.

We congratulate G. F. Bevis and G. B. Hawksley on becoming House Prefects.

We also congratulate O. C. M. Jennings on passing Certificate "A" Examination.

Members of the three senior Forms had the privilege of seeing the film of "Romeo and Juliet" at the Playhouse, on June 4th. It was voted excellent.

Four of the Board of Education's Inspectorate spent two whole days carrying out a Full Inspection of the entire School. They tested every class and every subject and went most thoroughly into every School activity. Their report is not expected till about the beginning of next term. There is reason to hope that it will contain commendation as well as criticism. As it is nine years since the last Full Inspection few here had previous experience of such a visitation.

Members of the Sixth Form had the privilege of being taken over the new "Odeon" Theatre before its final completion, when the arrangements for ventilation and projection were explained.

We heartily congratulate P. E. Williams on his success in the competitive examination for Artificer Apprentices in the Royal Navy. He gained 1018 out of a possible 1600 marks, and came 62 in the order of merit out of 587 candidates who qualified. Our best wishes for his future.

The usual Rose Day collection was held on June 23rd, and raised the very respectable sum of £1 18s. 11d., about ten shillings more than in the previous year.

To mark the Coronation year, our Deputy Comptroller, Mr. E. L. D. Lake, invited the whole School to the Victory Ground on the occasion of the annual Cricket Match against his XI, and entertained us not only with a fine afternoon's Cricket, but also to tea, with ices to follow. Needless to say everyone enjoyed this exceptional treat, and a hearty vote of thanks to our host is recorded.

To the great regret of everyone neither of the Cricket Matches against King's School, Ely, could be played. The first because of a Scout function there, the second because of infectious illness at Ely. One of the Second XI. Matches against Thetford was also "misaid" owing to a misunderstanding of the Thetford Cricket Secretary. We had great hopes of giving Ely a good game and were correspondingly disappointed that they were obliged to cry off.

In a previous number we noted with gratitude and appreciation the kind offer by Mrs. John Greene to present a challenge cup to the School in memory of the late John

Wollaston Greene. Protracted discussions ensued as to the allocation of this cup. The late John Greene set little store on athletics, so that it was felt to be inappropriate that the memorial cup should be awarded on the result of any athletic event. On the other hand he rated character and service very high. Hence it was at last decided that every year the name of the boy who is judged to have set the best example and been of most service to the School shall be inscribed on the cup, which shall repose in the Big School room, or in the Dining Hall, according as the name is that of a Royalist or a Foreigner. The cup bears the inscription, "John Wollaston Greene, educated at King Edward VI. School, Bury St. Edmund's," actually it is an exceedingly handsome silver gilt rose bowl, and a very fine addition to the splendid collection of challenge cups which, from time to time, have been so generously presented to the School. Our very sincere thanks are due to Mrs. John Greene, who may be assured the School will treasure both the cup and also the memory and example of the Old Burian it commemorates. The first name to be inscribed on this new cup will be announced at next Speech Day.

We understand that Speech Day this year is to be held on Saturday, 2nd October, partly as an experiment to see if a Saturday may not be the more convenient day, partly to accommodate the Speaker, a descendant of the Benjamin Heath Malkin who was Headmaster from 1809 to 1828, and who himself is a distinguished Government Servant.

ROYALIST NOTES.

The Summer term is usually an eventful one, and this has been no exception. The Coronation was, of course, the high light, and the Royalists were well represented in the town's celebrations. A number took part in the torchlight procession, and from what we hear, everyone had a thoroughly enjoyable time which they are never likely to forget.

Congratulations are due to our Cricket Captain, R. J. Caruth, who so skilfully skippered our XI. against overwhelming odds.

The closeness of the results in the Athletic Sports should inspire Royalists to an even greater effort next year. F. J. Crawley was our most successful representative.

We must also congratulate G. F. Bevis on becoming a House Prefect.

It is satisfactory to hear that several of the older Royalists are returning next term, the most valuable years of school life both for the individual and the school are those after sixteen. It is equally satisfactory that most, if not all, the leavers have already obtained posts.

O.C.M.J.

FOREIGNER NOTES.

Looking back to the beginning of this term, much that was then in the hands of destiny has now been decided, and we may well congratulate ourselves on winning the Sports challenge bowl and the Tug-of-war cup once more. It was not until Sports Day was nearly over that victory came in sight, and much credit is due to J. H. Chrystal, who is also to be congratulated on winning the School Champion cup for the second year in succession. Nor must we forget all those boarders who obtained standard points for their house; it was these that tipped the scale in our favour, and but for them we should have lost. With this inspiration, we have good hopes for the Mitchell Swimming cup, and for the P.T. cup, both of which have yet to be decided.

We are pleased to be able to record that the Games cup remains in its accustomed place in the Dining Hall owing to our winning the Royalist v. Foreigner Cricket Match.

E. J. M. Miller and H. J. Chrystal are to be congratulated on obtaining their full colours, and F. Kiddy and G. B. Hawksley on their half-colours. P. E. Williams is also to be congratulated on passing into the Navy.

It is thus with the thought of success this term that we endeavour to leave you, so that those who return may be inspired to do their utmost to uphold so fine a record.

J.A.H.

BURY SCHOOL v. WESTGATE BREWERY 2ND XI.

This match was played on the School ground on July 17th. Having won the toss, the School elected to bat first.

Mr. Stroud and Chrystal i. opened the School innings and were not separated until 86 runs were on the board. Unfortunately Miller was soon dismissed, but Caruth and Mr. Stroud stayed together for quite a time and runs came freely. After Mr. Stroud was dismissed no one could stay with Caruth,

He, however, played a fine game and had made 29 before he was bowled. The School innings closed with the total 94.

The Brewery started disastrously, two wickets were down for 6 runs. Chrystal i. clean bowled Mr. Caruth, whilst Boughton stumped Gilchrist. Then Calton and Mr. Bevis (10) participated in a good stand, and were only separated when the latter was run out. The opposing captain joined Calton at the wicket, and they managed to stay undefeated until stumps were drawn. Despite their fast scoring, the Brewery were unable to force a win, and had scored 62 for three wickets when stumps were drawn. Score:—
H.J.C.

BURY SCHOOL.—Mr. Stroud 37, J. H. Chrystal (capt.) 4, E. J. Miller 0, R. J. Caruth 29, H. J. Chrystal 0, G. B. Hawksley 3, P. B. R. Boughton 0, F. R. A. N. Kiddy 5, Hearn 0, Watkins 0, Brennan 0. Extras 17. Total 95.

Old Boys' Notes.

Old Buriens' Football Match—
Saturday, 30th October, 1937.

This is the date of the last performance of Bury Operatic Society. It is hoped to arrange for an informal Supper and a visit to the Operatic, as last year.

The Old Buriens' Cricket Match, Annual Meeting and Dinner, were held on Saturday, June 12th. The weather this year was kind, the game was a good one with a close and exciting finish, the School winning by a few runs. H. J. Chrystal played a fine innings with a score of 50 (not out). A full report of the game will be found in our "Matches" section.

The Hon. Secretary reports that the Annual Meeting of the Old Buriens' Association was held on June 12th, when C. W. Turner took the chair. The chief decision was that while the annual subscription to the Association should remain at its present figure, 4/- a year, ten annual subscriptions should no longer confer life membership, and that for the future the single payment life membership subscription should be raised to £2 2s. J. L. Hunter was elected President for the ensuing year, with S. S. Strickland and G. M. Chrystal as joint Hon. Secretaries.

There was a very fair attendance at the Dinner, which followed the Meeting. In his speech the President urged every

Old Burian present to bring a friend with him next year, and so double the attendance. This the Hon. Secretary intends to make his slogan. After the Dinner there was a very fine display of "legerdemain" by Professor Ramsey.

We deeply regret to record the death of A. B. Ord who entered the School in 1885, first under Mr. Sankey, later Mr. Peile. At school he was a keen cricketer and played for the First XI. He saw active service at Gallipoli and in the Near East. After the war he came to live in Bury St. Edmund's and and was a frequent visitor to the School, taking a great interest in School affairs and serving as President of the Old Burians' Association from 1927 to 1929. The Association was represented at the funeral and a wreath was sent. Our sincere sympathy goes to Miss E. L. Ord.

H. Thurlow, who visited the School on May 29th, told us that in the recent Peterborough Musical Festival he had been adjudged first in the class for tenor soloists. We were very pleased to hear of this success, and of Thurlow's progress in the Insurance world, and congratulate him.

D. E. Turner, who now holds the rank of Flight Lieutenant, visited the School with his wife on June 19th. We were very pleased to see him and to welcome Mrs. Turner to the School, and much interested in Turner's descriptions of Service life in Malta. His present address is, Officers' Mess, R.A.F., Debden, Near Saffron Waldon.

We were very pleased to receive a visit from J. W. F. Calton a short while ago, and to hear of his continued progress at the Winchester Training College for Teachers.

Another visitor, on Sports Day, was T. H. Gould, home on leave from South America where he is in the Cable and Wireless Service. It was a pleasure to welcome him back to the School, and most appropriate that he should have been the winner of the Old Boys' Race.

B. W. Cockell, 1904-07, now of 8, Sparhawk Street, Bury St. Edmund's, also visited the School on Sports' Day.

We had the pleasure of a visit from J. L. Halliwell, now almost recovered, and back in Newmarket. It was a great disappointment to be obliged, for reasons of health, to give up his post in London; however, he is much better in Newmarket, and glad to get about again. He tells us that his brother, R. F. Halliwell, has about another year at Cranwell. Good wishes to them both.

To our great pleasure, N. D. Home called recently. He tells us he is now with Messrs. J. A. Prestwich & Co., famous as the makers of "J.A.P." Motors, and that his work takes him all over the country. He is becoming more and more interested in the technical side of his Firm's activities.

We have also had the pleasure of a visit from J. B. Hornby (1927-30). He told us that he has given up teaching and is now a representative of a well-known Firm of provision makers; he is married and has a small daughter. Our sincere congratulations and good wishes.

Another welcome visitor was E. P. W. Boccock, down from Leeds University for the vacation, and fresh from his O.T.C. camp at Scarborough. We were very pleased to hear of his promotion and send him our best wishes.

G. F. Bell writes to say he is looking forward to his marriage this Summer. His address is now 59, Bishop's Mansions, Bishop's Park Road, Fulham, S.W. 6. He would like to meet London Old Burians. This wish is so often expressed that, with the number of Old Burians in London, it should be possible to to revive the London Dinner again.

T. D. Parks writes to inform us he is engaged to be married. Our hearty congratulations and good wishes to him and to the future Mrs. Parks. His present address is, Oakway, Station Road, Normandy, Guildford.

C. R. Paine writes to say he has joined the 411th (Suffolk Yeomanry) Battery, and hopes shortly to attend annual Camp. We congratulate him on his public spirit.

H. I. Roberts has also joined the 411th Battery; he says it numbers several Old Burians. This is excellent news; for many years now there has been a steady stream of Old Burians to this famous and efficient Unit; long may the connection continue.

We were delighted to receive one of H. S. Sanders' interesting letters. Paine had been spending a week-end with him, they saw Norwich City play Aston Villa and met E. Morley on the ground. Sanders reports that he is very busy, working at the office all day and attending lectures and studying of an evening. Still he is able to meet a number of Old Boys, including J. L. Mears, F. W. Ortell and A. Meikle. We are most grateful to Sanders for his interesting letters and send him our most cordial good wishes.

Our very sincere good wishes to J. P. Mitchell on passing the Law Final. In writing to give us this good news he says it is a great relief to get exams. over; he started studying for the School Certificate nine years ago next Autumn, and this is his first breather since that distant, but well remembered start in the examination business. Actually Mitchell is to be congratulated that only so comparatively short a time has sufficed for gaining such a high professional qualification.

F. H. Jones is a faithful and welcome correspondent; he says. "I fear my letters are rather full of my work, but here is something that may interest you. At the present time solid carbon dioxide is considerably used under the name of 'Drikold' in the ice cream, and other frozen trades, and the question of insulation during transport from makers to users is important. Hitherto in order that the user may receive a twenty-five pound block, the factory have had to send out a twenty-eight pounds. Using our material 'Tropal' one fifth of this loss is saved. A short while ago the Duke of Kent paid us a surprise visit, and it fell to my lot to receive him, show him round and answer his questions. He seemed specially interested in the 'Stop-me-and-buy-one' tricycles we are insulating with our product." We are much interested, and thank Jones very much for his letter and for his good wishes to the School; we also congratulate him on his varied interests and on his good progress.

R. E. Newbatt, now a fully-fledged Sergeant Pilot, writes from the Sergeants' Mess, 108 (B) Squadron, R.A.F., Usworth, Castletown, Co. Durham, to say his squadron have been very busy on account of Empire Air Day, when the station had more than fifty thousand visitors and spectators. He encloses an interesting account from a local paper from which we learn that the R.A.F. Benevolent Fund was the gainer by £600 as the result of the display. We thank Newbatt very much and congratulate him on gaining his wings.

E. F. Taylor writes from 91, Guibal Road, Lee, S.E. 12, to say that after working "quite extraordinarily hard" he managed to pass the School Certificate with credits in French and German; he recalls with surprise that he was often put into detention here for doing bad French exercises. [We fancy what he really means is that he is grateful to us for the trouble we took with him when he was younger and did not work so extraordinarily hard.—E.D.] Anyhow, he is now in a Stock Broker's Office, and is enjoying the work. He concludes by wishing the *Burian* and the School many more long years of happiness, and hopes that some day he may re-

visit the School to walk the corridors, and the dorms., the courtyard and the field as he used to. We appreciate these good wishes and reciprocate them warmly.

G. S. Gough (1909-15) writes from 2, Harrington House, Sussex Street, Cambridge, to inform us he has recently been appointed University Lecturer in Engineering. This is excellent good news, and we offer Gough our hearty congratulations on such a great distinction.

We hear J. O. Aitkens, now a member of the R.A.F. for about a year, is stationed at Manston, Kent. D. G. W. Aitkens has almost completed his first year in London. Our very good wishes to both; we should like to hear more of them.

We are delighted to hear that B. C. King (1925-32) has gained the Degree of M.Sc. at Durham, and been elected a Fellow of the Geological Society of London. We send him hearty congratulations from his old School and wish him further successes.

We have the pleasure of a further letter from M. C. C. Husk enclosing a glossary of mining terms compiled by himself, and not to be taken too seriously. Pressure of space prevents our printing the glossary in full, but we are able to give the following brief extracts:—

MINE-SHAFT. A hole in the ground useful for dropping hammers and things down to the miners, who are trained to catch them on their heads.

MINER. Anyone who cannot get another job.

ASSAYER. The person who cooks little mud pies and subsequently tries to explain what they are made of.

TIME-KEEPER. The official who spends his time doing quite unnecessary calculations to ensure that *no one else* is overpaid.

REDUCTION-OFFICER. So called because he is reduced to a shadow looking for gold in the assorted rubbish sent up to him from the mine.

We thank Husk very much and apologise to him for any liberties we may have taken.

Old Boys about to go overseas may like to know that they can obtain from the Toc. H. Overseas Office, 42, Trinity Square, E.C. 3, information and advice, and also introductions to people able and willing to help them on first arrival.

At the Artists' Rifles Headquarters, Dukes Road, Euston Road, W.C. 1, a warm welcome awaits any would-be recruit. Several Old Burians are connected with this famous Unit, and the present Commanding Officer is an old friend of the Headmaster's.

If you have found items of interest in these Notes it is because some other Old Burian has written to the Editor, or called to see him. You are invited to do the same; items about yourself will be just as interesting to someone else as these have been to you.

E. J. Wise Memorial Scholarship.

As we go to press we hear with great pleasure that all arrangements are now in train for the first award to be made in time for next term. We are sure all Burians will join with us in appreciation of this benefaction which, as previously announced, is intended to commemorate a most distinguished Old Boy, and to mark his affection for, and loyalty to, the Guildhall Feoffment School, and the Bury Grammar School, both so long linked together, not only in the person of E. F. Wise, but also by many other Old Boys who, like him, have served or are serving their generation to the best of their powers.

The endowment of the Scholarship is the work of Major F. J. Wise who conceived the plan, and spared no pains to bring it to success. We all thank him for his thought and for his unremitting exertions.

Notices.

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