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KING EDWARD VI. SCHOOL.  
BURY ST. EDMUND'S.  
SUFFOLK.

### *Editorial.*

WHAT is a "public school"? This question, put recently in a letter to a London Paper, produced, among other answers, one of particular interest to all who are connected with this School. In it the writer recalled that all the Charters granted by King Edward VI. contained a phrase of special legal import—"libra schola grammaticalis"—and explained that, so used, "libra" meant free from all superior authority save that of the Crown, and "schola grammaticalis," a school equipped to teach languages, particularly Latin, and thus to prepare its pupils for a University education. The writer concluded that the definition of a public school, nearest to the original meaning of the words, would be "a Royally chartered school, open to pupils from the whole realm, and equipped to prepare them for the Universities."

Such a School ours has ever been, and it is both appropriate and satisfactory to be able to record that the last pupil the School prepared for a University education, B. C. King, has now crowned a brilliant University career by securing a scientific appointment in the Colonial Service. We offer King our warmest congratulations and best wishes. Another outstanding University distinction is the election into Fellowship at Trinity College, Cambridge, of G. S. Gough. This follows his appointment last Summer to a University lectureship in Engineering. Here also we are proud to offer our congratulations and good wishes to an Old Burian who has profited so well from his preparation here. May others soon follow in the footsteps of these, our distinguished schoolfellows. That more do not do so is due in part to the modern desire to have done with schooling, and to embark on what are supposed to be the pleasures of adult life, at the earliest possible moment, regardless of the fact that a school career cut short is often bitterly regretted too late, in after life.

The present term is notable for two major events, first Speech Day, when the School was honoured by the presence of the distinguished great grandson of a former Headmaster, and deeply impressed by his happy and stimulating address, a

full report of which follows by the courtesy of the *Bury Free Press*. The second event was the production by the School Dramatic Society of three one-act Plays, given with great success to a packed audience at the Athenæum. Fuller details follow, but we must here record our admiration for the unlimited trouble taken by all concerned, both on, and off, the stage, and render them our sincere appreciation and thanks; they have continued worthily a famous old tradition of the School.

We should like to be permitted to offer sympathy and good wishes for recovery to our Comptroller, and very good friend, Mr. Holland, whose ill-health obliged him to abandon his visit to the United States, and has deprived us of the pleasure of a visit this term.

It is a pleasure to welcome a newcomer to the Staff, Mr. R. T. Forrester, B.Sc., who is doing his best to teach us mental agility and pertinacity, in the shape of Mathematics, and the same qualities in the physical sphere through the medium of boxing. Our readers may be assured that studies in both these noble arts are making satisfactory progress.

The term's weather has been favourable to games. Our Matches section contains a long list of old familiar fixtures, and although one or two have dropped out for causes beyond our control, new ones have been found to take their places. If the Matches won seem fewer than those lost, it is not because good will and effort have been wanting, but because our players, more often than not, have had to meet older and heavier sides. By general consent our Elevens have played pluckily and gamely.

It is a pleasure to note a very substantial increase in the strength of the O.T.C. Contingent, due to some relaxation by the War Office of the minimum age limit. When this was raised a few years ago our numbers were sadly affected, hence the present concession is welcome, although the Scout Troop is thereby deprived of some of its older, and most valuable, members.

In case they should be overlooked amidst the many interesting features of this Number, may we draw our readers' attention to the School List, printed in full on a later page, and also to the School Calendar for 1937-38, which will be found at the end, and which gives the dates of School events and holidays up to the beginning of the Autumn term of 1938.

In conclusion, the Editor begs to offer to each and every one of his readers his best wishes for a happy Christmas and a prosperous New Year. It is his earnest hope that all who belong to the first of the Grammar Schools of King Edward VI. to receive its Charter may derive from membership of so ancient, and so famous, a community life long inspiration to aim high and to persevere always for the honour of their School and the good of their King and Country.

### Speech Day.

Saturday, October 2nd, the last day of Summer time, might also be described justly as the last day of Summer. Our guests assembled in the Dining Hall for tea, and were then able to adjourn for a few minutes fresh air before reassembling in the Big Schoolroom, which was packed to capacity. The unusual day, and time, though unfortunately preventing some from attending, enabled others to be present. Punctually at six o'clock, our Deputy Comptroller, Alderman E. L. D. Lake, took the Chair, and proceedings commenced with an address from Sir William Malkin, G.C.M.G., C.B., K.C., the great-grandson of a former Headmaster and grandson of an Old Burian. The report which follows of Sir William's brilliant address is taken by kind permission from the *Bury Free Press* of October 9th.

"One of the many reasons why this country is never likely to submit to a dictator," he said, "is the sense of humour which its inhabitants possess. A dictator must always be taken seriously. If he is not taken seriously, he cannot dictate. He cannot possibly afford to become an object of humour, but if a dictator ever succeeded in establishing himself in England, the English sense of humour would have him out of office in about six months. I feel in this time when democratic institutions in many countries seem to fail, when in many countries personal liberty seems always to be a dying cause, that the preservation of our liberties in this country, the preservation of our ancient institutions, are very largely due to the English sense of humour and proportion."

King Edward VI. Free Grammar School in Bury St. Edmund's, said Sir William, in giving an interesting survey of its history, was without doubt the first of the King Edward VI. foundations. All the better known of his other schools—

Sedbergh, Sherborne, Shrewsbury, and Christ's Hospital—were all junior to Bury School, whose objects were to place learning within the range of everyone.

The School was founded in the year 1550, and therefore in only 18 years time, it would qualify to celebrate the fourth centenary of its foundation. Among the 150 Old Boys who attended the tercentenary celebrations in 1850 were the Bishop of London, two of His Majesty's Judges, and three or four Members of Parliament. What was interesting about the English public schools system, and that School in particular, was not so much the fact that they were centuries old, but the fact that they were still flourishing and fulfilling an important part in the national life.

A sense of proportion and sense of humour were characteristics closely connected with our public schools. He had attended a very large number of international conferences and had had to work with men of almost every nationality. While there were no doubt many qualities in which other nations excelled us—the French were certainly more quick and brilliant, and the Germans were more thorough, and so on—the Englishmen he had known and met on these occasions had shown a certain capacity for dealing with difficult situations and of keeping their heads while doing it, that exceeded the capacity of other nations. At Geneva not long ago, when the situation was particularly trying, someone said to him that he noted with so much interest that the English always seemed to call their particular enemies by pet names. The English had a particular faculty for facing serious questions and situations in a sort of level-headed way. That quality was particularly valuable when things were going wrong. He thought the same thing applied in the field of politics and constitutions. It might be that the essential element in the proper working of Parliamentary Government might be something very near what he called a sense of proportion. The system of public school education and its traditions were particularly valuable for the formation of that sense of proportion and that sense of humour which was such a valuable element in our national life.

In the course of his report, the Headmaster said "If I were asked for a definition of true education I think I should say it was preparation by life at school for life after school. By this I mean, that during his school days, a boy should have learnt from experience something of such fundamental qualities as application to any job that may fall to his lot; loyalty to the

organisation he belongs to, which he serves and from which he benefits; sportsmanship in the best sense of the word; we may also hope that he is animated with something of the spirit of 'charity' as defined in the Epistle to the Corinthians—about the best definition of a 'gentleman' that could be framed. These are high standards and ideals, and if our boys can be shown to come even within sight of them, I think we may fairly conclude the School is succeeding proportionately in serving the purpose for which it was founded 387 years ago."

He went on to give details of two recent benefactions. One was an endowment sufficient to provide an entrance scholarship of rather more than £10 a year, which they owed to the exertions of an Old Burian to commemorate his late distinguished brother, also an Old Burian; at the same time it commemorated the link between their School and another fine old Bury School, the Guildhall Feoffment Boys' School. It is to be known as the "E. F. Wise Memorial Scholarship."

The second gift was a beautiful rose bowl, generously presented to the School by Mrs. John Greene in memory of her husband, the late John Wollaston Greene, to be awarded each year to the boy adjudged to have set the best example and to have served the School most faithfully.

#### THE PRIZE-WINNERS.

Sir William Malkin presented the prizes as follows:—

Form V.—Cambridge Local School Certificate: First, P. E. Williams; second, J. A. Cross. History prize, given by Rev. Canon W. T. Farmiloe: First (of 12 "credits"), G. B. Hawksley.

Form IV.—First, E. Wolfendale; second, E. J. M. Miller.

Form III.—First, J. A. C. Herbert; second, H. G. Colson.

Form II.—First, M. W. Neil; second, A. G. Smith.

Form I.—First, K. G. E. Howes.

Preparatory Form.—First, P. A. Fraser.

Forms I. and II.—Handwriting Prize, given by Miss Burroughs: A. G. Smith.

J. W. Greene Memorial Challenge Cup.—J. A. Hutchison.

## The Plays.

Last year, owing to structural alterations at the Athenæum, we were not able to present any plays. This year it was possible to resume the movement commenced in 1935 and by early October the plays had been decided on, and rehearsals had commenced, with the date of production fixed for Tuesday, November 30th, a week earlier than we should have preferred had the hall been available. The weeks that followed meant hard work for all, and congratulations are due to them for participating with such good will. Shortly before production Stearn unfortunately fell ill, and Brassel was called upon to take his place. This meant that the latter was performing in two plays, and necessitated a rearrangement in the order of presentation, the farce coming first and the tragedy last. Meanwhile the sale of tickets was going well, and a few days before the performance we were assured of a full house. Everything went splendidly on the great occasion, and without going into any detailed criticism of the plays or actors, the Society may fairly be congratulated on a high level of acting ability. To be able to speak one's part is much; to add gestures is more; but to feel one's self, and to make others feel, is the greatest thing of all. It is no more than the truth to say this was accomplished. No account would be complete without reference to all those who helped behind the scenes and in the auditorium; their work is just as essential for success, and they well deserve our thanks.

The full programme was as follows:—

### "THE POISON PARTY,"

a Burlesque Comedy by F. Sladen Smith.

The Queen Mother	...	...	T. C. Gilchrist.
A Servant	...	...	P. R. Brennan.
The Cardinal	...	...	S. Willis.
The King	...	...	P. E. Brassel.
Denise de Beaujolis	...	...	J. E. Wombwell.
M. de Beaujolis	...	...	G. F. Bevis.

Producer—L. W. Hibbins, M.A.

### "THE BOY COMES HOME,"

a Comedy by A. A. Milne.

Philip	...	...	E. J. M. Miller.
Mary	...	...	P. E. S. Webb.
Aunt Emily	...	...	M. E. Frankish.
Mrs. Higgins	...	...	E. Wolfendale.
Uncle James	...	...	J. Hearn.

Producer—F. H. Swainston, B.A.

### "ALLISON'S LAD,"

a Tragedy of the Civil War by B. M. Dix.

Lieut. Robert Goring, of the Cavalier Party	M. B. Rumsey.
Tom Winwood	H. S. Turner.
Francis Hopton	H. J. Chrystal.
Capt. George Bowyer, of the Cavalier Party	P. E. Brassel.
Col. Sir William Strickland, of the Cavalier Party	R. H. W. Burgess.
Col. John Drummond, of the Roundhead Party	D. F. Barnard.
Producer—R. W. Elliott, M.A.	

Perhaps we may conclude with an extract from the account which appeared in the *Bury Free Press* of December 4th: "..... it has to be placed on record that these youthful performers acquitted themselves extraordinarily well. And the audience thought so too, if one can judge from their enthusiastic applause."

And now we intend to sit back for a while, and let the Third Form show us at the end-of-term concert how a play should be acted. We shall be on the look out for budding talent, however, for we now hope to make our production an annual event.

## Football.

### BURY SCHOOL v. BURY THURSDAY 2ND XI.

On Thursday, October 7th, the School entertained Bury Thursday 2nd XI. The visiting captain won the toss and decided to play up the hill first.

From the start it was obvious that the School were going to score, but, owing to over-eagerness, many open goals were missed. After about a quarter-of-an-hour Chrystal scored from a centre from Brennan, and a few minutes later found the net again. Meanwhile our opponents had scored once. The School continued to attack and Brennan ran through and scored. Then in about five minutes our opponents netted twice to make the score 3-3. Before the interval Brennan and Miller scored two more goals for the School. Half-time score: School 5, Bury Thursday 3.

On the resumption the visitors attacked and netted once more. A period of mid-field play ensued, but finally the School broke away and Kiddy ii. netted. During the last quarter-of-

an-hour the School team tired considerably allowing the visitors to add four more goals and run out winners by 8 goals to 6.

This was the School's first match, and every member played well, Brennan in particular playing a fine game on the right wing.

Score: Bury School 6, Bury Thursday 8. Team—

*Bury School.*—Stearn, goal; Hearn, P. Boughton, backs; P. Parkyn, Cross, Crawley, halves; Brennan, Miller, H. J. Chrystal (capt.), Caruth, K. Kiddy, forwards. H.J.C.

#### BURY SCHOOL v COUNTY SCHOOL.

This game was the first away match of the season, and the pitch was hard and dry. Chrystal, having won the toss, decided to play up the slope against the wind. The opposing side kicked off and carried play into our half; then the School retaliated, but despite opportunist attempts on the part of the inside forwards, failed to net. The County School forwards resumed their attack, and this time managed to score. After taking many shots they were soon two goals ahead.

At the beginning of the second half our forward line tried to break away again but the play soon went against us and two more goals were scored in quick succession due to the lack of co-ordination in the School Eleven. The score remained unchanged after this, the School forwards being too closely marked, and our backs covering up somewhat better.

The final result was: County School 4, Bury School 0. Team—

*Bury School.*—Stearn, goal; Hearn, P. Boughton, backs; P. Parkyn, Cross, Crawley, halves; Brennan, Miller, Chrystal (capt.), Caruth, K. Kiddy, forwards. J.A.C.

#### BURY SCHOOL v. THE BREWERY 3RD XI.

On Saturday, 16th October, the School, playing the Brewery 3rd XI. away on the Victory Ground, scored their first victory of the season, by winning 8—3.

The School lost the toss but took the lead very quickly when Chrystal scored with a rising shot within two minutes of

the starting whistle. Chrystal scored again but the Brewery reduced the lead. The School went ahead with Chrystal heading in from Brennan's centre. The Brewery again reduced the lead, only to see Chrystal score another goal. At the end of the half a misunderstanding between the School defenders let the Brewery through a third time.

Half-time score: Bury School 4, the Brewery 8.

During the second half the School had matters almost all their own way. The score soon rose to 5—3 and then to 6—3, Chrystal netting from a penalty. Then followed a period during which the School forwards could do everything but score, Caruth being most unlucky. Finally, however, this player scored, and towards the end Chrystal touched in his seventh goal.

Final score: Bury School 8, the Brewery 3.

Throughout the match the School played well, particularly the forwards; Boughton was conspicuous in defence and Cross was the best half, while Stearn in goal was quite safe.

Team—

*Bury School.*—Stearn, goal; Hearn, P. Boughton, backs; P. Parkyn, Cross, Crawley, halves; Brennan, Miller, H. J. Chrystal, Caruth, K. Kiddy, forwards. P.W.R.P.

#### ROYALISTS v. FOREIGNERS.

On Saturday, 23rd October, the Royalist v. Foreigner football match was played. H. J. Chrystal, the Foreigner captain, won the toss and played uphill. It was soon evident that the match was going to be keenly contested. The Royalists attacked strongly, but a brilliant save by North thwarted their efforts. They were, however, rewarded when their left broke away and Bugg scored at very close range.

Straight from the ensuing centre the Foreigner forward line went through. Chrystal gained possession of the ball and drew the defence over to the left and scored through them with a cross shot.

The Royalists again attacked but were repulsed. Towards the end of the first half Chrystal again drew the Royalist

defence across to the left and passed to Frankish who missed a completely open goal. Half-time 1—1.

After the interval there was a long period of mid-field play, neither set of forwards shooting very accurately. With about a quarter-of-an-hour left for play Bugg again broke away on the left and had very hard luck with a good shot which hit the cross bar, but Turner was on the spot to bang the rebound into the roof of the net.

After that, play was continually centered in the Royalist half, but despite the fact that the whole of the Foreigner team attacked vigorously, the Royalists managed to hold out until the final whistle blew. The final score was: Royalists 2, Foreigners 1.

This match was refereed by J. H. Chrystal, last year's captain. Teams—

*Royalists.*—Stearn, goal; Hearn, Boughton, backs; Close, J. A. Cross (capt.), Crawley, halves; Brennan, Turner, Caruth, Wombwell, Bugg, forwards.

*Foreigners.*—North, goal; F. Kiddy, Miller, backs; D. Parkyn, P. Parkyn, Tooth, halves; M. Rumsey, J. Frankish, H. J. Chrystal (capt.), A. Neil, K. Kiddy, forwards. D.F.B.

#### BURY SCHOOL v. BURY THURSDAY.

On Thursday, October 28th, the School entertained Bury Thursday. The visiting captain won the toss and decided to play uphill.

In the early stages of the game there was not much to choose between the two teams; but the School gradually gained the upper hand and scored through Chrystal. From the resultant centre our opponents dashed straight up the field and equalised. A slip on the goal-keeper's part allowed Chrystal to score another goal, and later he scored again from Cross's centre.

Half-time score: Bury School 3, Bury Thursday 2.

On the resumption of play Bury Thursday attacked strongly but not until mid-way through the half were they able to score. It was at this stage that our opponents' weight began

to tell and they scored four more goals in quick succession. But the School fought back and Cross scored another goal with a good first time shot.

Final score: Bury School 4, Bury Thursday 7. Team—

*Bury School.*—Stearn, goal; F. Kiddy, Hearn, backs; Parkyn, Boughton, Crawley, halves; Cross, Miller, Chrystal, Caruth, K. Kiddy, forwards. F.K.

#### BURY SCHOOL v. THE OLD BOYS.

The match was played on Saturday, October 30th. The weather was fine, with a keen fresh wind blowing up the pitch. The School captain, H. J. Chrystal, won the toss and decided to play uphill. Before half-time Thurlow and J. H. Chrystal each netted for the Old Boys, but the School, despite several attacks, had not scored.

After the interval the School made a determined effort which resulted in a goal from Miller. This marked the start of a ding-dong battle which lasted until the end of the game. The Old Boys re-opened their score with a goal from J. H. Chrystal. Soon after this goal H. J. Chrystal ran through to score with a hard ground shot to the left-hand corner of the net, thus bringing the score to 3—2 in favour of the Old Boys. Towards the end of the game the Old Boys took repeated shots and Stearn, the School goal-keeper, who made several brilliant saves, cannot be blamed for letting one in from Plumridge. The final whistle saw the Old Boys the winners by 4 goals to 2. The School, although beaten, was by no means disgraced, the whole game being played in a real sporting spirit. Teams—

*Bury School.*—Stearn, goal; F. Kiddy, Hearn, backs; P. Parkyn, Cross, P. Boughton, halves; Miller, Caruth, Chrystal, K. Kiddy, Crawley, forwards.

*Old Boys.*—G. M. Chrystal (capt.), goal; E. P. W. Boccock, A. R. Gilchrist, backs; W. J. L. Gardner, G. H. Goffin, F. G. M. Hooper, halves; J. C. Balaam, E. N. Plumridge, J. H. Chrystal, H. Thurlow, H. J. Nicklin, forwards. F.J.C.

## BURY SCHOOL v. ELY.

Played at Ely on Thursday, November 4th. The School lost the toss and played uphill. The game proceeded at a very fast pace until after about seven minutes Ely scored. The home team seemed to be more used to the slippery ground, and it was not long before they were in the lead. Towards the end of the first half the School made several attacks but each time they were repelled. The Ely centre-half was the outstanding player, being very fast and able to control the slippery ball very well.

The score at half-time was 5—0 in Ely's favour.

For a quarter-of-an-hour after the resumption Ely pressed hard but could not score. However, after this lull goals came one after the other. The Ely centre-half scored two goals with terrific shots which left the goal-keeper helpless. Altogether eight goals were scored in the remaining half-hour of the second half. Caruth at inside-left played the best game for the School.

Final score: Ely 18, Bury School 0. Team—

*Bury School.*—H. J. Chrystal (capt.), goal; Cross, Caruth, backs; Boughton, F. Kiddy, Miller, halves; Crawley, Brennan, P. Parkyn, Stearn, Hearn, forwards. E.J.M.M.

## BURY SCHOOL v. BREWERY 3RD XI.

This match was played on the School ground on Saturday, November 18th. The sun shone brilliantly throughout but it was very cold.

The Brewery won the toss, and the School kicked off against the sun and a slight wind. Play was fairly even in the opening stages, but after about twenty minutes Crawley beat the goal-keeper in a race for the ball and scored. This was the only goal scored until two minutes after half-time, when the Brewery made two quick raids which each resulted in a goal. Towards the end the School attacked strongly but without any success. Then the Brewery broke away and scored the last goal of the match. When the final whistle blew, the School was throwing everything into the attack. Team—

*Bury School.*—Stearn, goal; F. Kiddy, Hearn, backs; P. Parkyn, Cross, P. Boughton, halves; Miller, Caruth, Chrystal (capt.), K. Kiddy, Crawley, forwards. P.R.R.B.

## BURY SCHOOL v. COUNTY SCHOOL.

This match was played at home on November 20th. The School captain won the toss and elected to play down-hill. The weather was fine, but early-morning rain had made the pitch wet.

The exchanges were fairly even, but the School forwards could not pass the heavy County defence. The County pressed hard, but, thanks to fine keeping by the School's small 'keeper, there was no score until after twenty minutes' play. Then, a high dropping shot passed well above Bugg's reach. A few minutes later the County went further ahead from a corner. After the centre kick, Caruth scored with a high shot similar to that of the County's first goal.

Half-time score: Bury School, 1; County School, 2.

After the re-start the County pressed, but when the School halves managed to send their forwards away, erratic shooting and corners prevented any score. The remainder of the half saw the School defending, occasional breakaways being spoiled by bad passing. Before the whistle went, the County added three more goals to their total.

Final score: Bury School, 1; County School, 5. Team—

*Bury School.*—Bugg, goal; F. Kiddy, Hearn, backs; Parkyn, J. A. Cross, P. Boughton, halves; Brennan, Miller, H. J. Chrystal (capt.), Caruth, Crawley, forwards. J.D.H.

## BURY SCHOOL v. HARDWICK RESERVES.

On Saturday, December 4th, the School played Hardwick Reserves at home. Chrystal (capt.) was extremely fortunate in choosing to kick down first half, as there was no wind then, but towards the end driving sleet fell full into the visitors' faces.

In the first half the School completely outplayed Hardwick, Miller and Chrystal scoring two goals each, and the Hardwick right-back accidentally scoring through his own goal. Hardwick's inside-left made a break-away, and scored with a hard shot into the corner.

In the second half play was still one-sided. Chrystal scored again, and a short while afterwards Bugg put in a very



hard and well-placed shot which whistled into the right-hand corner. During the sleet which followed, Hardwick made headway, scoring three goals in about five minutes, but their great improvement was too late.

Bugg, Mr. Forrester and Boughton i. deserve high praise, as they each played an excellent game. Brennan, too, returned to his old style.

Final result: Bury School, 7; Hardwick Res., 4. Team—

*Bury School.*—P. Boughton, goal; Hearn, F. Kiddy, backs; P. Parkyn, J. A. Cross, Mr. Forrester, halves; Brennan, H. J. Chrystal (capt.), Miller, Caruth, Bugg, forwards. R.J.C.

## CHARACTERS OF THE ELEVEN.

### 1st ELEVEN.

- H. J. CHRYSTAL (captain and centre-forward). Has captained the team well and inspired his side with his enthusiasm and energy. Though small for his position in the centre, his play has proved him to be very much at home.
- J. A. CROSS (vice-captain and centre-half). Has played consistently well throughout the season, and shown both dash and stamina. His fine heading has saved many dangerous situations.
- R. J. CARUTH (inside left). The best dribbler in the team. Passes and shoots very well. Must attempt to improve his heading. Should develop into a first-class inside forward.
- P. R. R. BOUGHTON (left-back). Has the best first-time kick in the team. Heads extremely well. During Stearn's absence has shown his prowess as a goalkeeper.
- F. KIDDY (right-back). Tries hard and has a sound kick. His speed has saved many dangerous situations. Must try to retain his position more. Heads quite well.
- P. PARKYN (right-half). A very consistent player who sticks to his wing-man. Heads very well, but must try to improve his first-time kicking.

- MILLER (inside-right). Works very hard. Passes and heads well. Must shoot sooner when near goal.
- BRENNAN (right-wing). Before half-term he played really well. His centres were well-placed and his dribbling was excellent. Has since played considerably below form.
- HEARN (left-back). Tries very hard and heads quite well. Kicks cleanly. Must recover more quickly when beaten. Has improved considerably during the season.
- STEARNS (goalkeeper). The most improved player in the team. Though not very stylish, he is very sound. Has played some really excellent games. Must attempt to gather the ball more cleanly.
- CRAWLEY (left-wing). Must use his weight more. His speed has been a great asset to him, but he is inclined to take the ball too far downfield before centering. Takes his corners well, but must improve his heading.

### Also played—

- BUGG. Has played in goal and on the left-wing. In both positions he showed great promise. In goal is very stylish and confident.

### 2nd ELEVEN.

- GILCHRIST (captain, left-back). As captain does not give his team enough encouragement. Must mark his inside-forward, and must attempt to recover more quickly when beaten.
- K. KIDDY (right-half). Has played several games in the 1st XI., where, although handicapped by size, he did very well. A hard worker and a good header. A constructive player.
- TOOTH (left-half). Works very hard but is inclined to attempt too much, with the inevitable result that he does not mark his winger. Heads well.
- TURNER (centre-forward). A very hard worker. Has not had much support from his wingers. Must shoot sooner and try to improve his heading.

WOMBWELL (inside-left). A young player who should develop into a good footballer. Has a good sense of positional play and has an accurate shot.

FARROW (centre-half). Tries hard. Dribbles and clears well. Must try to improve his heading.

M. RUMSEY (inside-right). Has played quite well throughout the season. Retrieves and passes the ball well. Must shoot sooner.

CLOSE (right-back). Has a good strong kick. Must try to recover more quickly when beaten. Could improve his heading.

NORTH (goalkeeper). Has his "off" days. Has played some good games. Collects the ball well. Must try to prevent giving away so many corners.

M. FRANKISH (left-wing). Must move more quickly when in possession of the ball. Centres quite well. Must try to improve his heading.

CHAMBERS (right-wing). If he would only run harder he would develop into a useful winger. Must look where he is kicking the ball. Heads fairly well.

Also played—

J. FRANKISH (inside-right). Has the right ideas but is afraid to put them into practice when opposed to bigger teams. His heading has shown a distinct improvement.

### Games Review.

This season the weather has been very kind to football. Only one game, that against Ely, had to be cancelled. The Thetford match was unfortunately cancelled owing to their having scarlet fever. We heartily thank Mr. Swainston for the excellent fixture list with which he provided us. He renewed a fixture with the Brewery 3rd XI. and arranged for new fixtures with Hardwick Reserves. Unfortunately matches with a team from Boby's could not be arranged because our fixture list was already full.

Our team has played together very well throughout the season. We managed to win two matches out of nine.

Mr. Pike has been with us again this season and has given us considerable assistance.

This season a new system of refereeing has been tried. Masters have refereed the 1st, 3rd and 4th sets and a member of the 1st XI. has refereed the 2nd set. This has proved very successful.

Amongst the Juniors there are quite a few players of promise. Under the enthusiastic captaincy of D. K. Parkyn, the Junior XI. has had quite a successful season.

Let us hope that next term we shall have a successful hockey season. Half of last year's team will still be here and the 2nd XI. last season was very promising.

H.J.C. (capt.)

### Hockey Fixtures, 1938.

Sat.	29 Jan.	Y.M.C.A. "A"	H.
Thurs.	3 Feb.	Suffolk County "A"	H.
Sat.	5 "	Depôt	A.
"	12 "	Northgate School	A.*
"	19 "	R. v. F.	
Thurs.	24 "	Culford School	H.*
Sat.	26 "	Old Boys	
"	5 Mar.	Northgate School	H.*
Thurs.	10 "	Culford School	A.*
Sat.	12 "	Depôt	H.

\* 2nd XI. played on opposite ground.

### School Notes.

VALETE—Sixth Form.	J. M. Hooper, House Prefect.
	J. A. Hutchison, Head Boy, First winner of the "J. W. Greene" Cup, Sergt. O.T.C.
	O. C. M. Jennings, School Prefect, Cpl. O.T.C.

Fifth Form.	E. J. R. Ainley, Cpl. O.T.C. J. H. Chrystal, School Prefect, Captain of Football, Hockey and Cricket, 1986-87, L.-Cpl. O.T.C. E. Fulcher, House Prefect. G. B. Hawksley, House Prefect, L.-Cpl. O.T.C. R. H. Petch, House Prefect.	
Fourth Form.	J. F. F. Smith. P. B. Watkins.	
Third Form.	T. T. H. Hichens.	} Parents having moved from Bury St. Edmund's.
Second Form.	R. Hichens. J. B. Hichens.	
First Form.	J. E. Walton.	
SALVETE—Fourth Form.	T. G. Close	R.
Third Form.	P. R. Robinson	F.
Second Form.	M. W. Armstrong J. H. Asquith K. P. Darby C. H. Peacock P. C. G. Brander M. G. Isikson	R. R. R. R. F. R.
First Form.	J. H. Garrod D. J. E. Clamp D. G. T. Mountney G. S. Wright	R. F. F. R.
Preparatory.	B. R. Bloomfield P. F. Webb	R. R.

Congratulations to P. W. Parkyn on becoming School Prefect and Head Boy, to R. H. H. Burgess on becoming School Prefect, and to F. J. Crawley, J. A. Cross, T. C. Gilchrist and H. J. Chrystal on becoming House Prefects. Congratulations to H. J. Chrystal on being appointed Captain of Football, and to J. A. Cross on becoming Vice-Captain.

Congratulations to O. C. M. Jennings on passing in Geography in the London Intermediate, to E. J. R. Ainley, P. E. Brassel, P. R. Brennan, F. J. Crawley, J. A. Cross and

O. R. Todd on gaining London Matric exemption and their School Certificates, and to G. F. Bevis, D. M. O'N. Brittain, J. H. Chrystal, H. J. Chrystal, E. Fulcher, T. C. Gilchrist, G. B. Hawksley, R. H. Petch and P. E. Williams on gaining their School Certificates.

A hearty welcome to Mr. R. T. Forrester, B.Sc., who, in addition to teaching us Mathematics, is also showing us how to box. The latter class, at all events, is very popular both with Foreigners and Royalists. We shall look forward to a sporting display later on.

The relay race for the Mitchell Swimming Cup was held on July 20th. Both teams had trained considerably, and the race was the closest yet, the Royalists winning by a yard, in 2 minutes 17 3/5 seconds for the four lengths.

The P.T. Competition was held on July 28rd, the Foreigners winning by 100 points to the Royalists' 91. Once again the Officer judging commented on the high standard reached by both teams and the capabilities of both instructors.

Congratulations to J. A. Hutchison on his success in the examinations for Naval Paymaster Cadetships—he came third on the list. We wish him every success in his future career.

The best batting average for the Cricket Season of 1987 was secured by J. A. Caruth with a score of 15.4. Caruth thus became the winner of the bat so kindly presented by our Deputy Comptroller, Alderman E. L. D. Lake.

Congratulations to J. F. F. Smith on securing a position with the Potters Bar Urban District Council. Quite a number of Old Burians now hold posts in Municipal Offices.

We were pleased to receive from the Headmaster of Wolaroi College, Orange, New South Wales, a copy of his school magazine, and a request for the *Burian* in return. This was duly sent with warm greetings from the Old Country.

Hearty congratulations to J. A. Hutchison on being the first winner of the John Greene Memorial Cup. The Cup is to be awarded annually to the boy judged to have been of most service to the School, apart from games. The award was announced at Speech Day.

A party of forty of the older ones among us were privileged to see "The Mikado," this year's production of the

Bury St. Edmund's Amateur Operatic and Dramatic Society. The wonderful music, bright lines and striking tableau of this Gilbert and Sullivan classic delighted us all.

The School was once again honoured by official invitations from the Mayor to attend Armistice Sunday Service at the Cathedral on November 7th, and the united open-air Service on Angel Hill on November 11th. On both occasions the weather was kind.

It has become a point of honour with the School that the supply of Haig Poppies should be sold out. We are happy to say this was again the case, with the result that the sum of £2 8s. 3d. was realised for the Fund.

A bright and novel entertainment was given one evening about a week later on behalf of the Ex-Services Welfare Society, which assists men of the Forces and Mercantile Marine injured mentally in the War. Donations given spontaneously during the evening amounted to a substantial sum, showing that present members of the School "have not forgotten."

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#### ROYALIST NOTES.

This term has been busy, interesting and quite successful. We welcome a number of new Royalists, and hope that they will assist their House in every possible way. Crawley, Cross and Gilchrist are our new House Prefects. We congratulate them.

In the sphere of sport we are pleased to record that our team, captained by Cross, was victorious in the Royalist v. Foreigner match. May this be an inspiration for the future. We also congratulate Boughton i., Caruth and Cross upon being awarded their full colours.

The revival of the Boxing and Fives Clubs is much appreciated by Royalists who, however, have yet to fill the "gym" completely. Perhaps this will be rectified next term. Many thanks to Mr. Clifton and Mr. Forrester for the trouble they have taken in coaching our members.

Finally, although this term has been successful, it has not been so successful that we can rest on our laurels. For the future may we hint that the P.T. and Games Cup have remained

"in another place" for quite long enough? The narrow margins of our past defeats is proof that with the addition of "that little extra something" in the way of effort, we shall be still more successful in terms to come. R.H.H.B.

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#### FOREIGNER NOTES.

Throughout this term we have not only been blessed with good health, but also with fine weather. No games-days and only a few Sundays have been spent indoors.

We congratulate H. J. Chrystal on becoming a House Prefect and Captain of Football, E. J. Miller and F. R. A. N. Kiddy on gaining their half-colours, and H. J. Chrystal, D. F. Barnard and E. Parkin on becoming lance-corporals in the O.T.C.

We were rather unfortunate not to force a re-play, at least, in the Royalist v. Foreigner football match. However, all great teams suffer slight set-backs now and then. Moreover, the 2nd XI, ably captained by D. F. Barnard, regained the Grudgings Cup for the Foreigners by a 4-0 win. We hope to augment this revenge by a handsome victory at Hockey next term. We also hope to retain the P.T. Cup.

A Boxing Club and a Fives Club have been started this term. Both have been well supported by Boarders, among whom they first originated. Thanks are due to Mr. Forester and Mr. Clifton, who had both spent much time and trouble organising them.

Nor must we fail to mention the Prep. Dorm. Model Motor Car Club, organised by P. A. Fraser, to foster Dormitory spirit. First and second prizes were awarded by the organiser to Terry and Coombs respectively.

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#### O.T.C. Notes.

With only one or two exceptions, the whole of the Contingent attended Camp at Strensall from July 26th to August 4th. That was an excellent performance, but even better was the winning of the competition for the nearest lines in the Battalion on three occasions out of six—a testimony to the enthusiasm of the Cadets and to their painstaking efforts.

The weather was splendid, for not one drop of rain came along to interfere with the carefully planned programme of training, nor with the varied occupations of our leisure time.

It is pleasing to record that seventeen recruits have joined the Corps this term. They are making excellent progress under the careful guidance of a Sergt.-instructor from the Suffolk Regiment.

Mr. Swainston is preparing a large class of candidates for the Certificate "A" examination in March, and is hopeful of a goodly number of successes.

The following promotions have taken effect this term:—

Cadet Barnard to be L.-Cpl., 21-9-37.  
 " Bevis " " "  
 " Chrystal " " "  
 " Parkin " " "

R. W. ELLIOTT, Captain.

### Scout Notes.

Our numbers were considerably decreased at the end of last term, three Scouts left the School and eighteen "enlisted." We wish them all success in their new spheres, and trust that they will never forget the Chief Scout's saying, "once a Scout, always a Scout." With the addition of the recruits, our numbers are now thirty-four—quite a comfortable number with which to work.

Most of our working time this term has been devoted to increasing efficiency all round. By the end of term over 70 per cent. of the Troop will have obtained the Second Class Badge, so that next term we can make an early attack on that goal of every Scout, the valuable First Class Badge.

At the same time we have trained the recruits and they have been duly sworn in as life members of the Great Brotherhood of Scouts, links in a chain of fellowship that is spread through the whole world. We trust that the new recruits will do their best to make themselves good, happy and useful members of society by carrying their promise into their lives and by encouraging us to remember our Promise by their example.

The Patrol Shield was won last term by the "Foxes." The Shield itself has been completely restored, all the old tablets having been re-plated and polished and six new ones added.

Thirty Scouts, including a French boy who came as our guest, attended the Summer Camp at Eccles, and all of them spent a very pleasant and profitable time. A full description and an abstract of the Camp Account appear elsewhere. I should like to take the opportunity of thanking those parents and friends who did so much to help. L.W.H.

### SCOUT CAMP.

For the fifth year in succession the Troop held a most successful and enjoyable camp near Eccles-by-the-Sea from July 26th to August 9th. Besides the S.M. and A.S.M. and a French Scout who was the guest of the Troop, thirty of our own Scouts were present in camp for the whole, or part, of the time; as also was our old friend Mr. White.

The weather was delightful, there were no mishaps and, in the general opinion, it was the best camp to date.

Our "Camp Fires" increase in popularity. At one, held in conjunction with other Troops camping nearby, there were more than three hundred round the circle taking part in the sing-song and laughing at the many and various items groups of Scouts had arranged.

The abstract of accounts, given below, is striking proof of the efficiency and economy with which the camp was conducted. All concerned are to be warmly congratulated.

### ABSTRACT OF ACCOUNTS.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENSES.	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Subscriptions ...	48 5 0	Tents ...	11 10 0
Canteen Profits ...	1 0 0	Transport ...	6 0 0
From Troop Funds ...	5 1 6	Provisions ...	19 16 1
		Outings ...	11 10 0
		Fuel ...	2 0 0
		Miscellaneous ...	3 10 5
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From an account which, from lack of space, we are unfortunately unable to print in full, we select the following description of the visit paid to the North Haizeborough Light Ship:—

"The ship was a smallish vessel with a tall mast amidships, the lantern three-quarters of the way up, and an iron cage, the day mark, at the top. Above the deck-house was the hooter, blown by compressed air twice every minute in thick weather. Each blast is recorded by an instrument like a barograph, in proof that the warning has been given regularly. There is also a submarine bell which, with the help of hydrophones, can be heard by ships within a fifty-mile radius. In case the ship should begin to drag her moorings, there are two spare anchors with chains so made that they cannot kink. This precaution is very necessary as, at spring tides, the current runs as much as eight knots."

"The crew of the lightship were sorry when we left, as although they have one month's leave in three, the two months of duty are very monotonous. We brought back a number of letters to be posted, for as soon as our boat was sighted, most of the crew set to write home. The supplies of fresh bread and vegetables we took out with us were very welcome."

H.V.I.

### *Easter in France.*

The last two Easter holidays have been marked by enjoyable School visits to the Continent. Both visits have been to Belgium, but this year, owing to the fall in the exchange rate of the French franc, it is possible to go to France.

During my Summer holidays I was able to make advantageous terms with the proprietor of my hotel at Dinard. Dinard is a fine little town situated on a charming stretch of coast. Just across the river from our port of arrival is St. Malo, an ancient walled town. Not far away is the world-famous island monastery of Mont-St.-Michel, which we shall visit, as also the equally interesting little town of Dinan at the head of the estuary (by boat).

I have also made tentative arrangements for a football match to be played against a Dinard school team. Also the heated seawater swimming baths of the Casino may be open and available to the party at a moderate rate.

The party will most probably leave London at 7 p.m. on Monday, 11th April (travelling via Southampton and calling at the Channel Islands about 7 a.m. and 9 a.m. next morning), spend Easter at Dinard and reach London about 10 a.m. on Wednesday, 20th April. The inclusive charge for hotel, excursions and fares from London will be about £5 for those between 14 and 16, 5/- or 6/- less for those under 14, and about an equal amount more for those over 16.

When final arrangements have been made parents will be circularised and a quick response to the circular will be a great help in arranging accommodation on the trains and boats.

F.H.S.

### *Sixth Form Library Notes.*

The Librarian wishes to acknowledge the receipt of the following books:—

"The Voyage of the Discovery," by Scott. Presented by E. J. R. Ainley.

"England under the Hanoverians," by Robertson. Presented by R. H. H. Burgess.

During the past term Mr. Clifton has supervised a complete revision of the card-index system which, when finished, should enable any book to be found without preliminary search.

May next term's library cleaners be as successful as those this term, to whom grateful thanks are due. P.E.B.

### *Fiction Library Notes.*

The Librarian begs to acknowledge the following books:

"Salute the King," by A. Mee, very kindly given by Miss K. M. Ridley.

"The Deerslayer," by Fenimore Cooper, given by P. E. Williams.

"The Wizard of the Clouds," by C. Gilson, given by A. W. Neil.

"The City of no Escape," by T. C. Bridges, given by M. W. Neil.

In addition about twenty books, mostly historical novels, have been bought from Library Funds.

This term we have started a Historical Novels Section, which already contains over sixty volumes. As one of the Forms now has a period in which any historical novel may be read, the new Section is proving popular.

In spite of this, the Fiction Library is still not being used as much as it might, nor are the Library books always treated as carefully as they ought to be. There is no more useful habit to acquire than the ability to read and enjoy a novel, and the more one values books, the more care one will naturally take of them.

D.F.B.

### Old Boys' Notes.

**Old Burians' Hockey Match—  
Saturday, 26th February, 1938.**

**Old Burians' Cricket Match—  
Saturday, 11th June, 1938.**

We understand that Richard Fulcher has resigned his position with the Alliance and has entered Chadacre Institute. We wish him success in his new venture.

E. R. R. Power informs us he has recently gained the Degree of Ph.D. in the University of London as the result of four years' research work at the London School of Economics. We congratulate him most heartily. Power adds he would be pleased to make contact with any Old Burians who may come up to London University.

The Rev. Dr. W. K. Firminger writes from Hampton Court Palace to send us extracts from an interesting M.S.S. he came across recently. We thank him very much and consider ourselves privileged to print some extracts. Dr. Firminger adds he had just seen in the papers the announcement of the death of Cyril Harrison, son of the late Canon Harrison, formerly Vicar of St. James's. We much regret thus to have to record the death of another distinguished Old Burian.

G. Evans informs us that he has obtained Part I. of his A.C.I.I. We congratulate him on this success, and sympathise with him on being obliged, on medical grounds, to give up running, at all events for the present. He congratulates the School on the success of the Cricket Season, and sends best wishes for the Football.

B. C. Wood writes to tell us of his marriage, and to give his new address, "Invermark," Great Barton. Our congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Wood.

We were delighted to hear from a very senior Old Burian, T. L. Reed Cooper, now of 12, Boileau Road, Ealing, W. 5. He tells us he hopes to revisit the School ere long. He adds that he left school in 1881, and so never attended the new School, being under first Dr. Wratishaw, then Mr. Sankey at the old School in Northgate Street. We can assure Mr. Cooper of a very warm welcome when he does manage to find his way to our present abode.

We were pleased to get a line from J. Muff (1918-19), address, 68, St. Helen's Road, Westcliff-on-Sea, and an enquiry about the Old Burians' Association.

M. C. P. Groombridge is now at the Royal Military Academy, Woolwich. Congratulations and good wishes. His home address is changed to Shardelows Cottage, Horseheath, Cambs.

F. J. Wise sends us a long list of subscribers to the E. F. Wise Memorial Scholarship; among them, at a hasty count, more than a dozen Old Burians. The School is sincerely grateful, and pleased to think that the first scholar is already here.

W. Webster-Parsons tells us he has secured a post with the Wheat Commission. This was his ambition; we congratulate him on its realisation, and wish him all success.

We were very pleased to hear from J. A. Hutchison, on board H.M.S. "Vindictive," somewhere in the Mediterranean. Leaving Portsmouth on September 8th, the "Vindictive" crossed the Bay of Biscay, passed "Gib." without stopping, and so on to Naples; she is due home in time for Christmas. Hutchison says he is finding his O.T.C. training very useful, and his life busy and most varied and interesting. He sends us his good wishes which we warmly reciprocate.

We were very pleased to get a long letter from P. B. Watkins. His address is 83, Southlands Road, Bromley, Kent. He is with his father's shipping Firm, Harris & Dixon, at present in the Chartering Department, sending and receiving long cables. He sends best wishes to the School, and especially the XIs. Sometimes, he says, he wishes he was playing once more in goal, soaked to the skin, but hot with excitement as some huge opponent rushes up with the ball. We congratulate Watkins on his good fortune, and wish him success.

G. H. Goffin, writing from Oban House, London Road, Boston, tells us among other things that recently he was chosen to play Hockey for Skegness against Cranwell R.A.F., his side winning 7-3, after being 0-2 at the end of the first ten minutes. He adds he is also playing 'Soccer occasionally, and has plenty of work to do, so is quite happy and all his time occupied. May the School have good fortune, he ends, and win all their Matches, except against the Old Burians.

We congratulate G. H. Burdon on passing the qualifying examination of the Pharmaceutical Society, and thus becoming a fully qualified Chemist.

We were very pleased to hear from H. J. Nicklin, 39, Kenilworth Avenue, Wimbledon, S.W. 19; and hope to see him before long. We congratulate him on passing Part I. of the Bankers' Institute Examination, and wish him many further successes.

The address of W. E. and J. F. Smith is 41, Station Road, New Barnet, Herts. We are very pleased to hear good reports of both these Old Burians.

One of the large number of Old Boys we were so pleased to see at Speech Day was C. W. Turner (1882-85), who writes to say how much he enjoyed Sir W. Malkin's address; he kindly sends congratulations on what he calls the excellent arrangements, saying that in his opinion the change from Thursday to Saturday is a great advantage all round, as it gives an opportunity to fathers who are in business to come.

We had the pleasure of a visit from S. Pughe recently. He told us that his brother, R. Pughe, has obtained a Commission in the Supplementary Reserve of Officers, and has been posted to the King's Own Royal Regiment, and at present is stationed at Lancaster.

Last term we were able to record the appointment of G. S. Gough as Lecturer in Mechanical Sciences in the University of Cambridge. Now we are delighted to be able to congratulate him on his election to a Fellowship in Trinity College, Cambridge. G. S. Gough left school so comparatively recently as 1915, hence the great honour now accorded him is the more significant, and all the greater inspiration to members of the School at the present time and in the recent past.

We were pleased to get a letter from Rev. J. R. M. Wright. He is still at Hook, Surbiton, which he says is fast becoming urbanised; however he continues to like the work and the place. He went up to Durham for the Centenary Celebrations, and enjoyed being back again if only for a while. The *Burian*, he says, makes him feel old as he knows hardly any of the names; even those who appeared in this year's School Certificate List were in the Prep. in his day. This helps to bring home to us the rapidity with which the School population changes; Wright left in 1930, thus seven years has made a pretty clean sweep.

We were delighted to receive the following charming letter:—

10, Russell Mansions,  
144, Southampton Row,  
London, W.C. 1.

28th October, 1937.

Dear Sir,

We, the undersigned Old Bury Boys assembled at the above address for luncheon, desire to send our respectful greetings to the Headmaster of King Edward VI. School, Bury St. Edmund's, wishing the School prosperity. *Stet fortuna domus.*

Thomas Casson	left school	1885.
Euston J. Nurse	" "	1883.
F. Martin Flegg	" "	1884.
Charles W. Griffin	" "	1888.
Walter K. Firminger	" "	1886.
N. S. Lawrie	" "	1886.

The signatories of this letter may rest assured that the Headmaster is honoured, and deeply touched by their kind thought for the School and for himself.



The Rev. Euston J. Nurse tells us he has been Rector of Windermere for thirty-two years, and still rides a bicycle. He won the first bicycle race to be held in the Eastern Counties, and also a School race of one mile on the town cricket ground in 1876 or '77. Of Dr. Flegg he relates the following anecdote: in 1916 while serving with an Artillery Brigade, near Neuve Chapelle, after attending to some casualties he chanced to find an English book, "Prophecy and the War," by Rev. E. J. Nurse. Dr. Flegg sent the book to the Author, his old school friend. Later, at the request of the authorities of the War Museum of Paris, this copy of the book was deposited in the Museum, where it is now. We are most grateful for this interesting letter and congratulate the writer on his activity.

Saturday, October 30th, the date of the Old Boys' Football Match, was a lovely Autumn day. An account of the game, with list of players, will be found in our Matches Section. In addition to those playing, we were very pleased to welcome a large number of Old Burians, including several who had not revisited the School for a number of years:—

F. S. Wayman	1920—23
G. Nottage	1921—26
D. E. Turner	1923—27
G. H. Burdon	1923—80
D. Waugh	1918—22
S. S. Strickland	1915—22
J. P. Mitchell	1927—81
B. J. Clarke	1931—36

Later, a party of about twenty assembled at Dunn's for a meal, and then went on to see "The Mikado." Altogether the day was most enjoyable.

Recently we had occasion to compile a list of Old Burians who are serving in the various branches of the Defence Forces. We found about twenty names, including seven in the R.A.F., about half had gained Certificate "A" at School. Any Old Boy who is serving, but has not already notified us, is invited to do so; we feel sure our list is not complete.

Can any Old Burian throw light on an enquiry made by Mr. R. E. McCowens, of 1, Bonny Street, Camden Town, N.W. 1, who writes to say he has in his possession an old pewter mug inscribed, "To D. T. Rouse, presented by the boarders of the Grammar School, Bury St. Edmund's, May,

1804." Search of "The Bury Grammar School List" has failed to show the name of Rouse; it is possible that it was that of an Assistant Master.

We are grieved to hear B. G. King has been very seriously ill with pneumonia, while in Assam, and may have to return home permanently. All his friends will wish to give him their sympathy and good wishes.

E. J. R. Ainley has just taken the examination for admission to the Royal Military Academy, Woolwich. We hope to be able to congratulate him on passing in successfully.

B. C. King has secured an appointment as Chemist and Petrologist under the Colonial Office, and expects to proceed to Uganda shortly. We wish him the best of luck.

C. D. K. Gent tells us he expects to be moved shortly to Dewsbury, in the West Riding, and that he is looking forward to the change.

G. B. Hawksley has secured a temporary berth as Engineer's Clerk on the R.M.S. "Highland Princess" sailing for Monte Video, where she is due on Christmas Day. We wish him a successful voyage.

F. H. Jones sends us one of his interesting letters, for which our thanks. He sees a good deal of N. D. Home at the Slough Trading Estate, and has taken up Hockey again, playing for Bucks. on two occasions. Jones is as full of enthusiasm as ever in the activities of his Firm, which makes and markets a wonderful heat insulating material; it is now also being employed to sound-proof aeroplanes. We congratulate Jones and thank him for his good wishes to the School and ourselves.

By the kindness of Mr. Edward Thomas of Leeds we have received a copy of a rare school book, printed by Rivington and Longman, in London, in 1781. The book is entitled, "Maximan partem ex Indice Rhetorico Farnabii" in usum Scholæ Regiæ Grammaticalis apud S. Edmundi Burgum. The copy is the sixteenth Edition, so the book must have been much used. Inside the cover there appear the names John Law, 1790, and Juno. Grosvenor Marshall, 1814. Neither of them seem to have been Bury boys however. We are most grateful to Mr. Thomas for this interesting relic of the past.

## FOOTBALL.

## BURY SCHOOL v. BOBY'S 2ND XI.

Played on December 11th. The opposing captain won the toss and decided to kick down. Neither side scored until Chrystal broke away after a quarter-of-an-hour and opened the School's account. The School continued to press until half-time, and added four more goals through Chrystal (3) and Brennan.

During the second half play was almost completely centred around our opponents' goalmouth. They broke away once or twice, but found Boughton invincible. The School added five more goals through Crawley (3) and Chrystal (2). Crawley's goals came as a result of a great improvement in his play during the second half.

Final score: Bury School, 10; Boby's, 0. Team—

*Bury School.*—P. R. Boughton, goal; F. Kiddy, Hearn, backs; P. Parkyn, J. A. Cross, Miller, halves; Brennan, K. Kiddy, H. J. Chrystal (capt.), Bugg, Crawley, forwards.

H.J.C.

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**Notices.**
*The Burian Magazine.*

The Editor thanks sincerely all those who have contributed or otherwise helped in the production of this Number. He apologises for any mistakes or omissions and will be grateful for any corrections or additions.

The Editor specially thanks several Old Burians whose contributions are held over unavoidably for lack of space. He begs to point out that pressure on space would be far less acute if all Old Burians would be so very kind as to pay their *Burian* subscriptions when due, or at least at the first request. The total of the subscriptions outstanding at the moment amounts to a very substantial sum.

The Editor invites contributions from past or present Burians. All contributions must be written on one side of the paper only, and be accompanied by the writer's name—not necessarily for publication.

Annual subscription to the *Burian Magazine* is 4/6, or 5/- post free. It is a great help to the finances of the Magazine if subscriptions are paid in advance to:—

*The Editor, "The Burian,"*

*King Edward VI. School, Bury St. Edmund's.*

Copies of back numbers of the *Burian* may be obtained from the Editor, price 1/7 post free.

*Old Burians' Association.*

Annual Subscription to the Association is 4/-. Life membership of the Association may be assured by a single payment of £2 2s. 0d. Ten annual subscriptions no longer confer life membership. These alterations were carried at the last Annual Meeting of the Association.

Subscriptions should be paid to either of the Joint Hon. Secretaries:—

*S. S. Strickland, 47, Abbeygate Street,  
Bury St. Edmund's.*

*G. M. Chrystal, Hill Farm, Thorpe Morieux,  
Bury St. Edmund's.*

Old Burian ties (from 3/6), scarves (from 5/11), blazers (47/-), etc., are obtainable only from S. S. Strickland at the above address.

**Our Contemporaries.**

We beg to acknowledge the following:—"The Artists' Rifles Gazette," "The Chelmsfordian," "Culford School Magazine," "The Elean," "The Exonian," "The King Edward's School Chronicle," "The Kingsbridgian," "The Radiator," "The Rambler," "The R.M.A. Magazine," "The Magazine of Wolaroi College, Orange, N.S.W."

We are always pleased to exchange the *Burian* with other Schools; our address will be found inside the front cover.

### The School List, 1937-1938.

	ROYALISTS.	FOREIGNERS.
Sixth	P. R. Brennan **R. H. H. Burgess *P. E. Brassel *F. J. Crawley *J. A. Cross O. R. Todd	**P. W. R. Parkyn P. E. Williams
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L. W. Hibbins, M.A.		Miss J. R. Fry.
E. P. Hallam, B.Mus.		

*School Calendar, 1937=1938.*

The dates are those of first, and last, sessions. Except at the end of the Summer term, when parties leave for camps, and homes, on July 25th, boarders return the evening before the first session, and go home the morning after the last session.

1937 AUTUMN TERM, first session ... ..	Tuesday, 14th Sept.
Speech Day ... ..	Saturday, 2nd Oct.
1937 AUTUMN TERM, last session ... ..	Thursday, 16th Dec.
Christmas Day ... ..	Saturday, 25th Dec.
1938 EASTER TERM, first session ... ..	Tuesday, 18th Jan.
1938 EASTER TERM, last session ... ..	Thursday, 31st Mar.
Easter Sunday ... ..	Sunday, 17th April
1938 SUMMER TERM, first session ... ..	Thursday, 28th April
Whit-Sunday ... ..	Sunday, 5th June
Examinations begin ... ..	Monday, 11th July
Examinations end ... ..	Wednesday, 20th July
1938 SUMMER TERM, last session ... ..	Saturday, 23rd July
Camps begin ... ..	Monday, 25th July
August Bank Holiday ... ..	Monday, 1st August
1938 AUTUMN TERM, first session ... ..	Thursday, 15th Sept.

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