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## Editorial.

THINGS are speeding up nowadays. Nevertheless not even at Wembley has modern Science succeeded in producing a perpetual motion machine, though the human one, exhibited in almost continuous procession, approximates to it; nor does it believe in a new law of energy. Therefore we may not suppose that a beneficent Providence has produced, and patented for the sole use of slackers, a novel law of inertia, namely, that work does itself, and we are glad to see that the slow-brained and soft-bodied believers in this ancient error are rapidly undergoing conversion. We would draw the attention of any who still desire to pose as hindrances in the hive of industry to the history of the self-drugged drone who, after being not only tolerated but even indulged by the outraged workers whom he expects to do everything for him, even to the performance of his toilet, is at last ignominiously ejected, and done for in the most satisfactory but unpleasantly horrible fashion.

We warmly welcome contributions from the pens of certain versatile sportsmen of the cricket elevens and hope that their lead will be followed by many other members of the School, not merely because winter with its cheerful fires is coming and the editorial waste-paper box is empty, but chiefly because our first care, far from being that of our chilblains, is that the pages of *The Burian* should abound with the best of articles and the brightest of artistry. We are sure that our readers will enjoy the team work in the production of the match accounts and we hope that the result may seem as varied and be as much admired as the batting strokes of the writers.

The summer term is always busy and enjoyable and this one has been no exception to the rule. The activities have been endless and the enjoyment continuous. Cricket has gone with a swing. Fives has revived in spite of the heat. Ground-work may have killed the weed but has not unduly-developed the grouser. Bi-weekly baths have in no wise damped the ardour of aspirants to honours in the swimming contests. Not a few boys have relaxed their natural naughtiness and mental vagabondage and done a good stroke of work which has

warmed them up to try "all out" in the exams, and excited in their master's minds the sanguine suspicion that something is due to happen sooner or later.

The Corps has worked hard, and, thanks to the untiring energy of Captain Hendin and Lieutenant Dancy, backed by the efforts of Sergeants Birmingham and Harris, together with the co-operation of the cadets, and last, but by no means least, the great interest of the Head Master, at the inspection, it very favourably impressed Gen. Duncan, the G.O.C. this district, and again won for itself an excellent report. Now some of its members are expecting to add to their experiences the privilege of going to camp at Mytchett, Aldershot, the military capital of the country.

The Scouts are now a large and flourishing troop. We understand that many of them are going to march away to Ickworth Park, with drums beating and colours flying, on July the 29th, to their first camp. In anticipation of this important event most members of the troop are endeavouring at least to live up to their motto.

It is our sad duty to chronicle the deaths of several well-tried and deeply respected friends of the School. Sir Adolphus Ward, D.Litt., O.B., was a man known not merely to his School and at Cambridge where for nearly a quarter of a century he was the Master of Peterhouse College, and in 1909 Vice-Chancellor of the University, but he was a litterateur of world-wide reputation and a most charming gentleman of the old school. Miss Davenport, who disciplined the Prep. for many years, will be remembered by her past pupils as the firm friend and dispassionate benefactress of their youth.

In conclusion we should like to wish our readers a pleasant camp and a jolly holiday as a fitting conclusion to a very strenuous, and we hope not unsuccessful, School year.

### Cambridge Letter.

PETERHOUSE COLLEGE,  
CAMBRIDGE.

The Easter Term is perhaps the most important for many reasons. I suppose the most important events of the term are the horrible examinations which worry everyone. Most people seem to leave all work till the last week; but I advise all Burians not to do this, as I know it is fatal.

Once exams. are over, however, there suddenly commences a full week of pleasure, known as "May Week." During this week one can spend time quite easily by going to the Races, College Balls, Concerts, Theatres, etc., etc., and if the weather is fine there is always the river; of course if wet, the activities are somewhat damped!

This term is also the last which many men spend in Cambridge, and I can assure everyone that the three years goes far too quickly, even when one has to work!

A Cambridge Letter would not be complete this term without congratulating A. L. Morton and W. J. Thompson on their success in the English and Maths. "Trips" respectively.

Before closing it is with much regret that I have to refer to the death of Sir Adolphus William Ward, Master of Peterhouse since 1900. Peterhouse, the "Varsity," and Bury School have all lost a very keen and valuable friend. He was a great supporter of the School, and as a Governor attended meetings and took a great interest in all school activities up to the last.  
G.J.H.

### Verse.

#### DAYBOYS v. BOARDERS.

##### PEAN I.

Attend ye gladsome Foreigners and you, ye Dayboys too,  
I tell a stirring story of fresh deeds of derring do.  
It came to pass one summer's day, the time it was high noon,  
The year was 1924, the month was sultry June,  
That on the cricket field were met, all in their white array  
The Royalists and Foreigners full joyously to play.  
Full fealty Captain Birmingham a coin spun in the air,  
Right wisely Captain Alston, as it fell, did "Tails" declare;  
And therefore did the Foreigners, with loud hurrah and shout,  
Elect to bat, and from the pav., turn the dour Dayboys out.  
Thus it chanced that Chubby Gowen and Fletcher big and fat,  
First having faced the camera proceeded next to bat,  
And sturdily they faced the foe, for both are useful men,  
And kept the bowlers guessing till the score it rose to ten.  
Then Thurlow thought a heavy think and bowled a wondrous  
ball,  
And Gowen's wicket "Lo-and-bold!" upon the ground did fall;

But Fletcher hit out merrily and scored a dozen runs  
 Ere Abbott caught him napping from a ball of Captain Brums.  
 Then Ruoff and eke Robinson in quick succession came,  
 But Captain Alston stopped the rot and played a dashing  
 game.

When he had made his 18th run there came a warning shout,  
 As Goliath at the wicket put David's down and out.  
 Then Doolittle the dauntless to the wicket did descend,  
 And he and smiling Stacpoole did right valiantly contend,  
 Then Lovelock scored a two to leg; next in the score book  
 found

Is Tubby's contribution, like his figure wondrous round.  
 There was another batsman who to the occasion rose,  
 Vigors secured 5 runs (not out) before the innings close;  
 And 70, in conclusion, upon the board was seen,  
 To Wright who bowled his darndest fell five wickets for 15.

#### ÆAN II.

The Royalists now batted, and they meant to have some fun;  
 They walked in slowly to the crease but came out at the run,  
 For Fletcher had his eye in, and the fielding was not bad  
 Except for the poor batsmen who retired both wise and sad.  
 First Fulcher lost his wicket then Thomson followed him,  
 And Bond, when badly run out, tore his halo in the Gym.  
 Next G. G. had a gallop which did not improve the turf,  
 Then in his second over, Fletcher fairly shook the earth.  
 He dismissed the Dayboy Captain and amidst a great to-do  
 Awhile the whole School held its breath, he did the hat-trick,  
 too.

Then from the Pav. steps there was heard a voice from out  
 the crowd—

'Twas our future—bishop Hextall giving benediction loud.  
 When the echoes were exhausted the procession formed again,  
 As 8 more Royalists for nought would at the stumps remain,  
 Since, at one end Fatty Fletcher was having his full fling,  
 Bowling his greasiest lightning with the nastiest sort of sting,  
 While David, at the other, slung his missile with an aim  
 That routed out the Royalists and gained him deathless fame,  
 For in 4 balls delivered he thrice the wickets hit  
 And missed the hat-trick only in case Marshall had a fit.  
 The Innings closed for 23, the Boarders overjoyed  
 Sang praises in the Dayboys ears, who were not too annoyed,  
 But took their beating with good grace in very sporting style:  
 May Fortune in the Football match give the better side her  
 smile.

D. NIB.

#### THE WICKET-KEEPER'S DREAM.

When in my dreams I take my stand  
 Behind the stumps: in that glad land  
 I little fear "Bill Fletcher's" wife,  
 Or dread the evil batsman's smile.  
 To Birmingham I stand right up  
 And should the batsman think to cut  
 Then he will find his number up,

*In my dreams!*

Whene'er a catch I seize, I'm sure  
 To hear the crowd's applauding roar.  
 If an appeal by me is made  
 A voice says "Out!" and then "Well played!"  
 Is shouted, which my friends "Encore!"  
 As, with a duck's egg for his score,  
 The batsman troubles us no more,

*In my dreams!*

Well now, these dreams are very fine,  
 But this good luck is never mine  
 Except in sleep, where 'tis my lot  
 To dream success crowns every plot.  
 Alas, when I the bowler face  
 Then all these wonders ne'er takes place

*Save in my dreams!*

G. W. GOWEN.

#### Obituary.

##### SIR ADOLPHUS WARD.

We record with deep regret the death of Sir Adolphus William Ward, Master of Peterhouse. Sir Adolphus enjoyed a world-wide reputation as an historian, and it is with pride that we can claim him as an Old Burian.

Born at Hampstead in 1837, he was the son of John Ward, C.B., Minister resident to the Hanse Towns, and through his father was a grand-nephew of Arnold of Rugby. Sir Adolphus spent a large part of his youth abroad, and during his residence at Leipzig he laid the foundation of his immense knowledge of German History. The time spent at Bury was also of great advantage to him as a scholar, for he came here in 1854 during the Headmastership of the distinguished Classical Scholar, John William Donaldson.

On leaving School he entered at Peterhouse, and in 1859 obtained a First Class Classical Tripos. He became a Fellow of Peterhouse in 1861, and was subsequently an assistant lecturer, first at Peterhouse, and then at Glasgow. He became in 1866 Professor of English Language and Literature, and of Ancient and Modern History at Owen's College, Manchester, then recently founded. Here he remained for thirty years.

It was at Manchester that his great practical abilities first came into full play, for it was largely due to his efforts that Owen's College was formed, in 1880, into an independent University. Sir Adolphus was elected Principal of Owen's College in 1889, and held this office until 1897.

In addition to his practical duties Sir Adolphus carried on a vast amount of historical and literary work. A few of the volumes from his pen are: a translation of Curtius's "History of Greece," a "History of English Dramatic Literature to the Death of Queen Anne," an edition of Marlowe's "Dr. Faustus," and a monograph on Chaucer and Dickens. He was President of the British Academy, the Royal Historical Society, and the English Goethe Society; joint Editor of the "Cambridge History of English Literature," and Editor of the "Cambridge Modern History."

But his vast Scholarship was never greater than the strength of his humanity could bear: he realised in fact the Renaissance ideal of scholarship, combining learning with a wide knowledge of humanity, a marvellous insight into current politics, and a never failing sympathy for his fellow men.

He was a Governor of Bury School, for which, it is pleasing to note, he always retained the warmest affection, his interest in its welfare being shown by the fact that in 1909 he undertook to put the School Library in complete repair.

W.H.S.

FRANK CHAPMAN.

[Account taken from the "Bury Free Press."]

After two months illness at his home, at Christchurch Street, Ipswich, Mr. Chapman passed away on Sunday, June 22nd. Not only in Bury, but throughout a wide area his death is lamented, and sincere sympathy felt for Mrs. Frank Chapman (Miss Lilla Tinkler) in the loss she has sustained. Mr. Chapman was the third and youngest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Chapman, of St. Andrew's House, Bury St.

Edmund's, an old and esteemed Bury family. He was educated at King Edward VI. Grammar School, 1895-99, and was articled to Mr. Campbell Smith at the Borough Town Hall. During the War he joined the Royal Field Artillery, subsequently receiving a commission, and saw active service in France. After the war he went to Ipswich, where he was manager of The British Law Insurance Company, Ltd. He leaves also a small son and daughter. He was laid to rest in the Bury St. Edmund's Cemetery on Wednesday afternoon, June 25th.

MISS M. DAVENPORT.

It is with regret that we hear of the death of Miss Davenport, which took place at Budleigh Salterton. She was mistress of the preparatory form from 1912 to 1918, when she left us in order to nurse an invalid sister. All Burians who came under her sway will remember her stern sense of duty, and her uncompromising attitude towards offenders until they had repented of their ways and made good. Notwithstanding this trait, Miss Davenport was very warm-hearted, and many Old Boys will doubtless remember her practical kindness and thoughtfulness for them. She had the interests of the School very much at heart, and was a devoted champion of the Foundation and of her protégés.

None who observed her method, or who has seen the results of her teaching could doubt her capability of bringing up a boy in the way he should go, and those who experienced it are monuments to her memory. Her advice was stimulating, and being culled from the depth of experience well worth considering, moreover, she was always ready to back up her opinions and give assistance as well as advice.

She was a connoisseur in matters of taste, and an authority on points of etiquette. Generous by nature, she hid her good deeds from public view as if they had been failings. But the point in her character which impressed those of us who had to do with her most was her courage. We shall not easily forget her pluck and coolness on a certain air-raid night. By her calmness in the face of danger, her usefulness in time of need, and her tenacity in playing a waiting or a losing game she showed that she had no small measure of the true British spirit which even the rigour of a Victorian lady's upbringing had failed to subdue. May her unconquerable spirit find the consummation of its needs in the heavenly places to which it has taken its flight.

## Cricket.

## BURY SCHOOL v. KING'S SCHOOL, ELY.

This match was played at Ely on May 15th. Ely won the toss and put the School in to bat on a wet wicket. The School innings began disastrously, the first wicket falling before a run had been scored. Disaster dogged the batsmen. Bond was placed *hors de combat* and the School were dismissed for the poor total of 22.

Ely also began badly, three wickets falling for 9 runs, and the innings closed for 68.

On going in to bat a second time the School did even worse, eight wickets falling for 11 runs.

The School fielding on the whole was good, and Sutherland, who was fielding as a substitute, made an excellent catch. M.J.B.

## BURY SCHOOL v. AMPTON.

This match was played on May 17th on the School ground, under favourable weather conditions. Our visitors, who were rather late in arriving, batted first. They hit with great vigour, and runs were quickly made, although wickets fell fairly frequently. The Ampton batsmen were dismissed for 107 runs, Birmingham being mainly responsible for the wickets.

The School started very shakily, but a stand by Fulcher and Alston inspired the rest of the team with more confidence, and a draw was forced.

The scores were:—Ampton, 107; and the School, 51 for eight wickets. D.A.

## BURY SCHOOL v. COUNTY SCHOOL.

This match was played on the 14th of June, a very warm day, on the County School ground. The School lost the toss and were set to field. The School bowling was good, and the home side were dismissed for 24 runs, 8 being the highest score.

The School replied with a score of 80. Alston was the only batsman to reach double figures. Scores:— G.F.

COUNTY SCHOOL.—Spall, 0; Price, 0; Porter, 2; Robinson, 7; McLaine, 0; Gaught, 8; Downing, 1; Girling, 0; Rednall, 0; Andrews, 3; Highway (not out), 0; Extras, 3. Total, 24.

BURY SCHOOL.—Fulcher, 5; Alston, 10; Fletcher, 0; Birmingham, 1; Thomson, 3; Gowen, 1; Bond, 0; Ruoff, 0; Fulcher II, 0; Gould, 2; Abbott (not out), 4; Extras, 4. Total, 30.

## BURY SCHOOL v. BOBY'S ATHLETIC.

This match was played on the School ground in glorious weather on Saturday, June 21st. The School lost the toss and were put out to field. Mr. Manley and Birmingham were the only bowlers who appeared to give any trouble whatever to the opposing side, they took four wickets for 29 runs and three for 16 respectively. Boby's were out by the tea interval for 94.

Things began to look black for the School when they commenced their innings, three wickets falling in the first over for 2 runs. Mr. Manley was the only School batsman who faced the bowling with any confidence, making 14. Eventually the School were all out for 43 on the stroke of time. Gowen is worthy of honourable mention for fielding exceedingly well at point. W.F.

## BURY SCHOOL v. OLD BOYS' XI.

The match was played on June 28th in excellent weather. The Old Boys won the toss and batted first. Their innings, but for a brilliant 86 (not out) by Lipscomb, would have been a failure. The innings closed at 112. Ruoff, the most successful bowler, got six wickets for 31. The School fielding was keen throughout.

Alston was soon dismissed, and Fletcher joined Fulcher, who had opened the innings for the School. They made 40 and 44 respectively before being dismissed. The School innings closed at 154. Scores:— G.W.G.

BURY SCHOOL.	
D. Alston, b J. E. Stearn ... ..	7
G. D. Fulcher, c Tilbrook, b Hinnell ... ..	44
W. Fletcher, c & b W. J. McGlone ... ..	40
M. Birmingham, c & b J. E. Stearn ... ..	13
W. E. R. Bond, b A. S. Waugh ... ..	5
G. W. Gowen, b A. S. Waugh ... ..	3
F. R. E. Thomson, c & b Ashton ... ..	17
L. Fulcher, b Tilbrook ... ..	12
T. Ruoff, lbw b A. S. Waugh ... ..	1
G. Gould, not out ... ..	1
H. Thurlow, st Lipscomb, b Ashton ... ..	0
Extras ... ..	11
Total ... ..	154

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
J. Ashton, b Birmingham ...	22	c Fletcher, b Birmingham	47
W. J. McGlone, b Birmingham ...	3	run out ...	20
J. E. Stearn, run out ...	3	lbw b Fletcher ...	2
G. J. Hinnell, c L. Fulcher, b Fletcher	29	not out ...	3
G. H. Lipscomb, not out ...	36	not out ...	30
E. D. Boby, c & b Ruoff ...	11	b Fletcher ...	0
A. S. Waugh, c Birmingham, b Ruoff	0	c Birmingham, b Ruoff	0
C. Tibbrook, b Ruoff ...	5	b Birmingham ...	6
E. Baringham, b Ruoff ...	0	c & b Fletcher ...	14
C. F. Steed, c Fulcher i., b Ruoff ...	1	run out ...	6
H. A. Conlan, c Fletcher, b Ruoff ...	0	c Alston, b Birmingham	0
Extras ...	2	Extras ...	5
Total ...	112	Total (for 9 wkts.)	133

## BURY SCHOOL v. EAST ANGLIAN SCHOOL.

On Thursday, July 3rd, we played the E.A.S. on our ground. The pitch was in a fairly soft condition, it having rained somewhat during the course of the morning. Our opponents won the toss and went out to field. The School's first two wickets fell in rapid succession for 0 and 8 runs respectively. However, Fletcher and Birmingham played exceedingly well, in spite of our opponents' smart fielding, and brought the score up to 47 for three. Birmingham eventually was caught after making 31 runs in good style.

In the meantime it had been raining heavily, so much so that the match had to be abandoned when we had obtained 82 runs for eight wickets.

T.B.F.R.

## BURY SCHOOL v. BOBY'S ATHLETIC.

This match was played on the School ground on July 8th, under favourable weather conditions, except for a high wind which blew along the pitch. The School won the toss and decided to bat first. Owing to the good bowling of Bridge and Plume the home team were dismissed for 26, Bond being the only batsman to make double figures. The visitors soon found runs easy to make, and Bridge and Candler made 49 and 31 respectively, enough to overtake the School total.

F.T.

## ROYALISTS v. FOREIGNERS.

The Dayboys' and Boarders' Match resulted in a spirited contest. On paper the former team appeared the stronger, as it included at least six members of the School team, the Boarders claiming four. Batting first, the Foreigners made 70 runs. Alston 18, and Fletcher 12, were the only batsmen to reach double figures. It took seven bowlers 29 overs to dismiss all the Foreigners. Wright took five wickets for 15 runs, and Birmingham caught Robinson brilliantly.

The Royalists were got out in a spectacular manner for 28 runs. Fletcher was bowling his best and in spite of the good wicket seemed almost unplayable. He obtained six wickets for 17 runs, five of which were clean bowled. He also contrived to do the hat trick, including some of the best Royalist bats in his bag. When Alston went out at the other end all resistance collapsed. He bowled 4 balls, getting three wickets for no runs. The fielding of the Foreigners was smart and neat. Gowen, at the wicket, let no byes past. Scores:—

FOREIGNERS.	ROYALISTS.		
G. W. Gowen, b Thurlow ...	2	G. D. Fulcher, b Fletcher ...	4
W. Fletcher, c Abbott, b Birmingham ...	12	F. R. E. Thomson, c Vigers, b Fletcher ...	1
T. B. Ruoff, b Wright ...	3	E. R. Bond, run out ...	2
R. A. Robinson, c Birmingham, b Wright ...	0	G. G. Carter, b Fletcher ...	5
D. Alston, run out ...	18	M. J. Birmingham, b Fletcher	0
G. W. Doolittle, c Bond, b Wright ...	6	C. F. Gould, b Fletcher ...	0
A. W. Stacpoole, b Wright ...	7	E. Wright, not out ...	7
E. T. Whiting, b Fulcher ...	0	A. Shearing, b Fletcher ...	0
O. F. Lovelock, b Wright ...	2	K. Abbott, b Alston ...	2
F. E. Woodgate, run out ...	0	L. Fulcher, b Alston ...	0
A. D. Vigers, not out ...	5	H. Thurlow, b Alston ...	0
Extras ...	15	Extras ...	2
Total ...	70	Total ...	23

## BURY SCHOOL v. COUNTY SCHOOL.

The match was played on July 12th on the School ground under ideal conditions. The County School won the toss and decided to bat first. They were quickly dismissed with the comparatively small total of 42. Their captain was the only batsman to make any resistance to the School bowling; he managed to put together 21 runs before being bowled by Birmingham.

The School then went in and made 108 runs for eight wickets, Birmingham contributing the highest score of the season in a well-earned 47. The School then declared and were left with half-an-hour to try to gain an innings victory. They succeeded in dismissing six men before stumps were drawn. H.W.J.

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#### BURY SCHOOL v. NEWMARKET RAMBLERS.

A match against the above-mentioned team on a very soft wicket resulted in a win for the School by 6 runs. The scores were 84 and 28 respectively.

Fletcher took five wickets for 10 runs, and Jones ii. four for 2.

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#### SECOND ELEVEN MATCHES.

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

This match was played at Livermere on June 21st in beautiful weather. The School lost the toss and were put in first. After batting for about an hour the last wicket fell for 25. Then Livermere went in and compiled a score of 52.

Fulcher ii. took four wickets for 4; Wright, four wickets for 10.

Thus the School lost by 27 runs, after a very enjoyable game. Scores:— E.T.W.

Bury School.—Stacpoole, 2; Whiting, 7; Doolittle, 0; Fulcher ii., 3; Carter, 0; Wright, 0; Shearing, 8; Thurlow, 0; Parks, 0; Lovelock, 2; Woodgate (not out), 2; Extras, 1. Total, 25.

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##### BURY SCHOOL 2ND XI. v. WESTGATE BREWERY.

This match was played on the School ground on the 10th of May. The visitors won the toss and batted first.

H. W. Jones bowled well, taking eight wickets for 84 runs, while W. Fletcher took two for 27.

Fletcher and Bond batted well, making 20 and 18 respectively; two useful scores, which helped to bring the total up to 85, as against the visitors' 68. Thus the match ended in a win for the School. G.G.C.

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

This match was played on 24th May, on the School ground. The visitors batted first and made 58; W. Gray making 18, and F. Norton 10.

Ruoff and Gowen, both confirmed stone-wallers, opened the School's innings. Fletcher hit lustily for 23, and Carter helped the score with 16. After this the School collapsed rather badly, only making 10 more runs for seven wickets, which made our score 55. The visitors won the match by 3 runs, a very close finish. G.G.C.

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

This match was played at home in excellent weather. The School batted first and collapsed rather badly, the visitors dismissing us for 11 runs. The Ely team batted well, especially Waring, who made 22 in fine style. Thurlow bowled well for the School, taking three wickets for 20 runs. Ely made 72 for eight wickets when they declared. The match thus ending in a win for the visitors by two wickets and 61 runs. G.W.D.

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##### BURY SCHOOL 2ND XI. v. EAST ANGLIAN SCHOOL.

This game was played on Thursday, July 3rd, on the East Anglian ground. The School won the toss and decided to field first. After about ten minutes play the first wicket fell for 17 runs. Four more wickets fell for a total of 88 runs, then play was stopped because of the rain, and the game was unable to proceed again. E.H.W.

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##### BURY SCHOOL 2ND XI. v. WESTGATE BREWERY.

This match was played in ideal weather on the Victory Ground. The School lost the toss and went out to field first. Wright and Thurlow bowled well, the former taking four wickets for 24 runs, the latter four wickets for 26 runs. The Brewery's final score was 97. The School innings lasted for about an hour, but only 24 runs were scored. After tea the School followed on, and made 21 for three wickets. Thus a very pleasant game ended in a loss for the School. G.W.G.



THE 1ST XI & THEIR AUTOGRAPHS.

27-6-19

THE WICKET KEEPER.

VICE CAPTAIN.

UMPIRE.



B.D. Fulcher.



D. Alston



RESERVE.



(J.B. 49)



Eric R. Bond & Thomson



H. Pugh.



Thurlow.



S. Fulcher



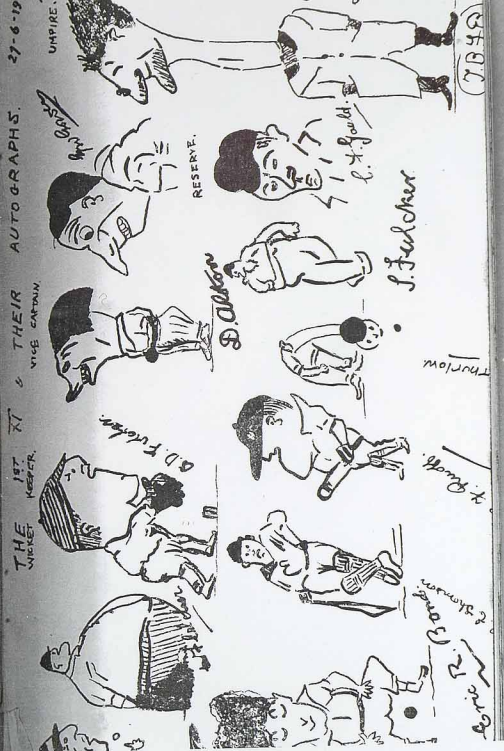
C. T. Gould.

## CHARACTERS OF THE ELEVEN.

- \*M. J. BIRMINGHAM. An efficient and popular captain. As a batsman he is hard-hitting and has science, is apt to be too impatient when playing himself in. A fast bowler of merit, rather too fast and short at times. A very good field.
- \*D. ALSTON. His batting is enterprising. Is handicapped by his size, needs to get more on top of the ball. A useful change bowler and a very good field.
- \*G. D. FULCHER. A very good bat, but is inclined to be rather nervous on starting. Has kept wicket with increasing skill.
- \*W. FLETCHER. A very strong consistent bat. With more practice and experience should be very hard to dislodge. His bowling is good, and also his fielding.
- §G. W. GOWEN. A stylish bat, is handicapped by his size. His fielding is very good.
- §T. B. RUOFF. An excellent slow bowler. His batting is fair, but he is inclined to draw away from leg balls. An excellent first slip.
- §F. R. E. THOMSON. An excellent field. His batting is weak as he is inclined to "slog."
- W. E. R. BOND. His batting is fair. His fielding is weak. He must learn to get behind the ball to stop it.
- H. W. JONES. An excellent bowler and a safe field. His batting is rather weak. Has been handicapped through injuries.
- C. F. GOULD. A good field, shows promise as a bat, but is at present unreliable and needs to practice.
- K. R. ABBOT. An excellent field. With practice he should become a useful bat and bowler.
- Also played:—
- L. FULCHER. A good field. His batting is weak, but improving. Shows promise as a bowler.

\*1st XI. Colours.

§Half-Colours.



## SECOND ELEVEN CHARACTERS.

- †G. G. CARTER (Capt.) Has proved a careful and considerate captain, and has managed to make a very fair team out of a set of untrained players. Should attempt to play with more freedom and introduce a bit more "punch" into his methods.
- †E. WRIGHT. A strong and enterprising bat, and a good bowler. Has fielded well.
- L. T. FULCHER. Is a promising bowler, but needs to bat more steadily.
- H. THURLOW. Another promising bowler. Has a good eye and plenty of energy, and should make a good bat with practice.
- E. T. WHITING. A very smart fielder, and a reliable bat. Good on the leg, but needs to practice playing off-balls. Is becoming a bowler by sheer persistence.
- A. SHEARING. A cautious bat who can hit hard, and a very fair change bowler.
- T. D. PARKS. Has played very well as wicket-keeper. His batting is fair.
- G. W. DOOLITTLE. Rather slow in the field. Has been unfortunate as a batsman. Can hit a ball hard but must learn to play a straight bat.
- O. F. LOVELOCK. A smart fielder and promising bat. Should be a useful player when bigger and stronger.
- F. E. WOODGATE. An excellent fielder, but apt to be slow off the mark. His batting is crude.
- A. STACPOOLE. With practice should make a good medium-pace bowler. Has a good idea of batting, and when he plays a straight bat is difficult to dislodge. Rather sleepy in the field, with hard practice might make a first-class cricketer.

Also played :—

- R. A. ROBINSON. Must learn not to swipe at everything. His fielding has much improved, throwing in is good. Might make a useful fast bowler if he would pitch the ball up.
- F. TURNER. With more experience and practice should develop well. At present lacks confidence and alertness.

G.G.C.

‡2nd XI. Colours.

### Games Review and Prospect.

With but one member of last year's eleven remaining, and but eight of the combined 1st and 2nd XIs., the cricket prospect was not too encouraging. However, the season has not been unsuccessful, and there seems at last to be a considerable amount of cricket talent in the School. The record so far is—four matches won, four lost, and two drawn. This result is due to the great keenness exhibited by the members of the team, the number of net practices indulged in, and the excellent lead given by the School Captain, Birmingham. Further incentive to do well at the game has resulted from the gift of a bat for the best batting average kindly presented by Mr. E. L. D. Lake.

There has been considerable smartness exhibited in the field, and a healthy rivalry has been stimulated by the Captain's offer of a fielding prize. But in our opinion the most promising feature of the play has been the bowling. There is a considerable wealth of bowlers in the School, and the great majority are really trying to master the most difficult department of the game; the results are distinctly encouraging, and it is to be hoped that the more successful will continue to practice as assiduously as they have been doing and reap corresponding results. An average ball is being keenly competed for. There have been some junior games and nets in the evenings, and a quantity of talent has come to light, which it is hoped with careful coaching may in a few years develop into teams of which the School will be proud and from which the Varsities and Counties will be glad to draw recruits.

The pitches have played exceedingly well this year. A fair amount of work has been done on them, the plantain family has considerably diminished, but its enemies have been too few to exterminate it in one brief campaign, and now in the holiday it will doubtless disseminate its myriads of seeds again and render a great part of our efforts labour lost. Nevertheless some of us will be eager to match the prongs of our weeders against its proud spike of seeds again in the winter term.

The field has been cut regularly and frequently and is now in better condition than it has been for very many years. Ground-fielding "in the country" is no longer an uncertain occupation. Even the square has been cut by the horse mower, this has saved members of the team many a toil-

some hour which they have gladly devoted to the game, and for which they, and especially the cricket captain, desire to thank Col. Wadmore, whose interest in sport, and skill in organisation has made the ground work so much lighter and the games correspondingly more enjoyable. At the beginning of the term grass seed was sown in the goal mouths and on the more worn parts of the field: this, thanks to the moist season, has grown strongly. Amongst improvements, five new seats have been placed on the field, and the pavilion has been re-decorated. Gowen has further embellished it by tinting the Tudor roses. Porter, Lacey i., Turner ii., and Whiting have improved the interior and done a variety of useful things. Doolittle, Parks, and Miles deserve honourable mention for sodding and watering; Lovelock has slain thousands of weeds; Smith has used the shears to admiration; and Hextall has made himself useful in many invaluable ways. Many other boys had done willing and able service, and the Foreigners to a man have done their bit with interest.

The House matches, some of which were played on half-holidays, and some from 4 to 5.30 on two evenings, were a very interesting series. The Tudors ran out winners with a comfortable margin of points. The Foreigners also won the Royalists v. Foreigners match, and to make a triple event of their successes this term, came out top also in work, though the other houses were close up. We append lists of meritorious individual achievements and averages, and would refer you to the match accounts and scores for further personal information.

We wish to tender our warmest thanks to Mr. Dancy for his assistance at nets and games, a favour much appreciated by the younger boys; and we also seize this opportunity of expressing our gratitude to Col. Wadmore for the entertainment which he has so kindly accorded to the School evelens and to visiting teams.

The Fives Courts have been more used, and we have been pleased to see them occupied by Old Boys on several occasions. When the weather becomes cooler it is to be expected that the courts will be "booked up" on all possible occasions.

Football now looms large on the horizon, and there is every hope that the season will be an enjoyable and satisfactory one. It is as yet too early to say much of the team, we shall miss several players who were towers of strength in previous

seasons, but there is every reason to hope that the new blood will show its quality, and first-class men be found to fill the gaps in the team. Thus, with a sprinkling of veterans, the XI. should be of match-winning strain.

### BATTING AND BOWLING AVERAGES

to date, 20/7/24.

#### BATTING.

Name.	No. of Completed Innings.	Total No. of Runs.	Highest Score.	Times not out.	Average.
W. Fletcher	11	131	40	1	11.9
M. J. Birmingham	9	104	47	1	11.5
G. D. Fulcher	10	62	44	0	6.2
D. Alston	8	49	14	0	6.1
W. E. R. Bond	7	38	13	1	5.4

#### BOWLING.

Name.	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.	Wides.	No. balls.	Average.
H. W. Jones	41	6	133	20	0	0	6.6
W. Fletcher	92	19	229	31	0	0	7.3
T. B. F. Ruoff	31	4	109	13	0	1	8.3
M. J. Birmingham	71	13	215	24	9	2	8.9

E.T.W.

### GAMES ACHIEVEMENTS, 1924.

May 10th—BREWERY MATCH.

H. W. Jones ii. took eight wickets for 34 runs.

May 24th—BOBY'S 2ND XI.

H. W. Jones ii. took six wickets for 27 runs.

June 19th—ROYALISTS AND FOREIGNERS.

W. FLETCHER took six wickets for 17 runs and did the hat trick.

D. ALSTON took three wickets for 0 runs in 4 balls.

E. H. WRIGHT took five wickets for 15 runs.

G. W. GOWEN let no byes past.

June 28th—OLD BOYS' MATCH.

G. D. Fulcher i. made 44 runs in good style.

W. Fletcher made 40 runs in good style.

T. Ruoff took six wickets for 32 runs.

July 12th—COUNTY SCHOOL MATCH.

M. J. Birmingham made 47 runs.

M. J. Birmingham took four wickets for 22 runs.

W. Fletcher took five wickets for 17 runs.

July 14th and 15th—YORKISTS v. LANCASTRIANS.

G. D. Fulcher i. made 81 (not out).

July 17th—TRADESMEN'S MATCH.

G. W. Gowen let no byes past.

July 19th—NEWMARKET RAMBLERS.

H. W. Jones ii. took six wickets for 6 runs.

W. Fletcher took five wickets for 10 runs.

### O.T.C. Notes.

This Term the Corps has been busy preparing for the Annual Inspection, which was carried out on July 1st by General Duncan.

Since the inspection, preparations for camp have been taking place. This year the Corps go to Mytchett, near Aldershot. About 20 Cadets are going. Camp this year only lasts eight days instead of ten days.

By the end of the term about 24 parades will have been completed.

#### PROMOTIONS.

Cdt. F. R. E. Thomson to be Lance-Corporal.

Cdt. G. W. Doolittle to be Lance-Corporal.

M.J.B.

The following Report on the Inspection which was held on the 1st of July, by Major-General J. Duncan, C.B.,

C.M.G., D.S.O., the Officer Commanding the East Anglian Area, has been forwarded from the War Office with the Certificate of Efficiency :—

The War Office,

London, S.W., 1.

11th July, 1924.

9/O.T.C./6248,

S.D. 3.B.

**DRILL.**—All drill movements were well carried out, the marching and dressing was particularly good; the cadets were steady on parade. Extended order quite satisfactory.

**MANŒUVRE.**—The Contingent carried out a small tactical scheme very creditably. The principle of fire and movement was well understood. Battle drill by field signals was well carried out.

**DISCIPLINE.**—Excellent.

**TURN-OUT.**—Very good.

**ARMS AND EQUIPMENT.**—Quite satisfactory.

**BUILDINGS.**—The rifles are kept in racks in the gymnasium. It is hoped shortly to build a separate armoury.

**GENERAL REMARKS.**—The Corps is steadily increasing in efficiency, and the Cadets take their training seriously. It is hoped that next year more Cadets will present themselves for Certificate "A."

F. M. WITTS, Major, G.S.,

for Director of Staff Duties.

### Scout Notes.

It was said in the Easter number of the *Burian* that the Scouts were springing up like mushrooms on the playing field. It may have been so. This term the mushrooms have very frequently deserted the playing field to seek "fresh woods and pastures new."

These expeditions have been helped by the drum, the noise of which has frequently disturbed the peace of Tuesday

afternoon. Nevertheless, it has helped us greatly to learn to march in step, and we now realise that it is easier to march in step than out of it. Rumour whispers that the Corps now wishes to provide "music" also.

At the beginning of term an organised Inter-Patrol Competition was started. Marks are awarded at each parade for smartness and punctuality. Each month patrols are marked for smartness of drill and for the way in which they move about under the command of their P.L.'s. Marks are also awarded for tests passed during each month. Marks are lost by those who still cannot steer clear of the detention room. We realise now, more than ever, that we must all pull together if success is to be obtained. Failures penalise not only ourselves, but our patrols.

The winning Patrol for both May and June was the Eagle patrol. At the end of term a trophy will be awarded to the best patrol for the term. This is being provided by Mrs. Wadmore, Sen., to whom the Troop is very grateful for this kindness.

At the annual inspection of the O.T.C. the General inspected us also; while he was sorry we were not soldiers he said that we looked a very smart set of Scouts.

On the last Saturday of term we are to give a play at a Garden Party which the Commissioner gives annually to supporters of the Scout movement in the District. We are now very busy rehearsing this display which tries to show that Scouts may be useful.

But the subject uppermost in our minds at the moment is CAMP. We feel that it is going to be a very great and enjoyable experience for all of us. We shall be glad to look after ourselves in all things, and to show that we can be handymen. We are going to an ideal camping ground in Ickworth Park, and if the weather is kind to us, we should have a really Scouty time—and that means a good time.

F.E.T.

### Library Notes.

The Fiction Library has had another large consignment of books, 69 in number, added to it this term. These volumes have been bought with library funds. This brings the total up to 580.

Moreover, all damaged books have been repaired, and every book is now in thorough order.

The Librarian would be grateful for any gifts of books to the library.

Mr. Dancy has presented a book, "Poems by Rupert Brooke," to the VIth Form library, which has been much appreciated.

The Library has been a scene of activity on several evenings each week of the term. Mr. Barker has been renovating and arranging the books in preparation for the re-decoration of the room during the holidays. He has thoughtfully put some of the most popular works in positions easier of access.

E.T.W.

### School Notes.

VALETE.—E. W. Cook, Royalist Prefect, Hockey Colour, Lance-Corporal O.T.C., Secretary Debating Society; A. S. Waugh, Prefect, Head of Tudor House, Vice-Captain Hockey, Football Colour, Corporal O.T.C.; E. D. Boby, Vice-Captain of Football, Hockey Colour; E. L. Hall i.; D. K. Hall ii.; E. R. Fryer i.; G. R. King; E. I. Crowe.

SALVETE.—F. M. Farrow iii.; H. W. Jones ii.; J. F. Jones iii.; A. W. Stacpoole.

SCHOOL OFFICERS.—Head of the School and Organist, G. V. Richdale; Cricket Captain, M. J. Birmingham; Royalist Prefects, M. J. Birmingham, F. R. E. Thomson; G. D. Fulcher i., G. G. Carter. Foreigner Prefect, D. Alston. Librarian, E. T. W. Whiting. 2nd XI. Cricket Captain, G. G. Carter.

	LANCASTER.	TUDOR.	YORK.
House Captain	Birmingham	Alston	Fulcher i.
House Prefects	{ Carter Baker Lacey i.	Doolittle	{ Richdale Thomson
Games Captain	Birmingham	Alston	Fulcher i.
Vice-Captain	Carter	Robinson	Thomson

We congratulate Baker, Doolittle, Lacey i., and Bond on being appointed House Prefects.

Since the Cambridge Local Examinations come at the end of this term, the Governors have decided to hold a Speech Day early next term. The date chosen is Thursday, September 25th. We hope that many Old Boys will be able to come and give us the pleasure of their company and the encouragement of their plaudits. It would be a convenience if those who can come would communicate the fact a little time beforehand either to the Editor or the Head Master.

The School attended divine service at the Cathedral on Ascension Day according to custom.

We have been pleased to see the following Old Boys up this term—Messrs. G. J. Hinnell, Boby, Lipscomb, Conlan, Dowse, Strickland, Naish, Cook, and Lyndon-Smith.

We regret that the following names were omitted from the head of the Tudor House Hockey Colours in the last *Burian*: Fletcher, Alston, Hextall. It is almost inconceivable that such great ones should have been overlooked, but the impossible happens sometimes.

M. J. Birmingham, the School Cricket Captain, has awarded First XI. Colours to Alston, Fulcher i., Fletcher, Thomson, and Gowen, and Half-Colours to Ruoff. The Second XI. Captain, G. G. Carter, has awarded Colours to E. H. Wright.

The Foreigner and Tudor House Captain, D. Alston, has awarded House Colours to Robinson, Fletcher, Gowen, Ruoff, Whiting, Doolittle, Stacpoole, and Lovelock.

Lancastrian House Colours have been awarded by M. J. Birmingham to Carter, Fulcher ii., Lacey i., Clarke, Turner i., and Porter.

G. D. Fulcher, the Yorkist House Captain, has granted his House Colours to Thomson, Jones ii., Wright, Richdale, Bond, Thurlow, Gould, Abbott, Shearing, and Johnson ii.

We congratulate the happy recipients on their well-deserved distinctions.

This year the winners of House Cricket Colours are permitted to wear a belt, or sash, of the colours of their

house, and a double V of these colours round the yoke of their sweaters. These decorations, the distinguishing mark of talent, have been much sought after, and become the recipients almost as well as the deeds which won them.

#### HOUSE CRICKET MATCHES.

	1st XI. Winners.	2nd XI. Winners.		
Tudor v. Yorks	...	Yorks.	...	Tudor.
Tudor v. Lancs.	...	Tudor.	...	Tudor.
Tudor v. Yorks	...	Tudor.	...	Tudor.
Yorks v. Lancs.	...	Lancs.	...	Lancs.
Tudor v. Lancs.	...	Tudor.	...	Tudor.
Yorks v. Lancs.	...	Yorks.	...	Draw.
		Lancs.		Tudor.
Games' Points	1st XI.	12	86	24
Do.	2nd XI.	9	24	8
	Totals	21	60	27
Work Points	Totals	96'8	100'8	95'8

Thus the Tudor win the Cricket Term Shield.

Some members of the Corps paid a most enjoyable visit to Olympia to see the naval and military tournament early in the term.

The Whitsun holiday, which practically synchronised with the Bury and West Suffolk Agricultural Show, lasted from Saturday to Tuesday; it was much appreciated by all.

A School diving competition was held on Tuesday, July 22nd, at the Town Baths. Two entrants were chosen by each house. Smith ii. and Johnson ii. showed remarkably good form and won 1st and 2nd prizes respectively. The competitors and points (out of 24) were:—

Lancastrians	-	Nunn i., 11	Smith ii., 22
Tudors	-	Smith i., 9	Home, 16
Yorkists	-	Wright, 6	Johnson, 21

The carpenter's shop has become a very popular resort. The awful suspicion that wooden heads were being manufactured there on a large scale has now been allayed, since only a negligible quantity have appeared in form of late.

The dates of the School Football Fixtures, which have at present been arranged, are:—

E.A.S.	S., 4th Oct.	1st XI.	H., & S.,	1st Nov., A.
Ely	Th., 9th Oct.	"	H., & Th.,	27th Nov., A.
County	S., 18th Oct.	"	H., & S.,	15th Nov., A.
Thetford	S., 25th Oct.	"	A., & S.,	22nd Nov., H.
Old Boys	Th., 4th Dec.			

We are very pleased to hear that Hall i. and Hall ii. are doing well at Chelmsford Grammar School. Both took part in a Science demonstration on the opening of a new house. Hall i. obtained the 3rd prize in the 50 yds. back-stroke race in the Swimming Sports, while Hall ii. carried off three prizes: the 50 yds. under 14, 2nd prize for the running plunge, and 3rd prize for the three breadths with different strokes. We tender our heartiest congratulations to the two versatile brothers.

#### Old Boys' Notes.

Heartiest congratulations to J. N. B. Ashton on his success in the East of England Tennis Championship, played recently at Felixstowe. He played a most excellent game against J. H. Van Alen, the famous Cambridge Blue, in the Open Singles. Van Alen only just won after a hard struggle of 11—9, 6—4.

Besides this success Ashton won the Men's Handicap Singles and Men's Handicap Doubles, his partner in the latter being R. H. C. Weeks of the Orwell Club, Ipswich. We wish Ashton the very best of good fortune in his future tennis career.

We tender our congratulations to A. L. Morton who has obtained a Third-Class Honours in the English Tripos at Cambridge; also to G. J. Hinnell who has passed in Anatomy in the 2nd M.B. of the University; and to W. J. Thompson who has obtained a Second in Part I. of the Maths. Trip.

We are informed that R. G. Evans is leaving Dulwich College, where he has been a master for three years, to take up a post in one of the older public schools.

We congratulate C. F. Steed on passing the Law Intermediate Exam.

Of other Old Boys but little news has come through to us. E. W. Cook is now in a bank at Felixstowe, as is also C. G. Seth at Newmarket.



## The School List, 1924.

	FOREIGNERS.	ROYALISTS.	
	Tudors.	Launcestrians.	Yorkists.
Vth Form and Prefects.	D. Alston	M. J. Birmingham G. G. Carter	G. V. Richards G. D. Fulcher i. F. R. E. Thomson
Vth Form.	O. F. Lovelock W. S. Marshall i. E. T. W. Whiting	E. Baker A. W. Crack C. F. Lacey i. F. E. Turner	W. E. R. Bond F. Johnson i.
IVth Form.	G. W. Doolittle G. W. Gowen A. R. Hextall F. H. Jones i. A. J. Miles H. D. Smith i. F. E. Woodgate	M. L. Lacey ii. H. J. Pike i. E. N. Plumridge H. W. Porter B. C. Wood	H. R. L. Gooding C. L. Haddon H. W. Jones ii. S. C. Lummes A. G. Shearing E. H. Wright
IIIrd Form.	W. Fletcher C. D. K. Gent H. K. F. Marshall ii. G. Nottage T. D. Parks R. A. R. Robinson T. B. F. Ruoff A. W. Stacpoole E. D. Turner ii. A. D. Vigers	P. E. G. Bacon E. R. Burdon i. L. T. Fulcher ii. H. W. Henshall O. S. Nunn	K. R. B. Abbott W. A. Allen A. E. Farrow i. C. F. Gould J. M. Hankin- Turvin i. J. C. Johnson ii. G. K. Nice i. T. H. Phillips H. Thurlow
IIrd Form.	G. F. Bell H. Burlingham D. H. Burnside J. H. S. Fryer N. D. Home S. T. King i. M. S. Kirby T. A. Unwin	G. H. Burdon ii. I. S. Caie J. E. Clarke i. C. W. Cooper O. G. Jarman B. F. Lee A. Randell G. H. F. Smith ii. C. J. Tilbrook	J. Brighton i. C. E. Ely J. S. Farrow ii. J. W. Juby R. H. Land L. S. Rand
Ist Form	A. E. Bird R. K. Boardman K. G. Bowyer J. T. Dixon	R. C. Baskett D. Fulcher iii. E. Hallam i. B. G. King ii. T. W. Pike ii. F. M. Farrow iii.	D. A. Best A. J. Brighton ii. N. H. Felgett T. Graham R. R. Higgins E. Mathew G. T. Nice ii. C. K. Stubbing G. H. Sturgeon
Preparatory Form.	D. H. Elgar M. C. Husk H. I. Roberts	P. T. Champness J. F. Jones iii.	J. Hallam ii. T. C. Hankin- Turvin ii.

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## Calendar.

## MAY.

Thursday, 1st	... Term Begins. St. Philip & St. James.
Saturday, 10th	... Westgate Brewery Match (home).
Thursday, 15th	... Ely Match (away).
Friday, 16th	... Bathing Began.
Saturday, 17th	... Ampton Match (home).
Saturday, 24th	... Bobby's Athletic 2nd (home).
Monday, 26th	... Royal Naval and Military Tournament (Olympia).
Thursday, 29th	... Ascension Day. Agricultural Show.

## JUNE.

Thursday, 5th	} School Inspected.
Friday, 6th	
Saturday, 7th	} Whitsun Holiday.
Monday, 9th	
Wednesday, 11th	... East Anglian Match (away).
Saturday, 14th	... County School Match (away).
Sunday, 15th	... Trinity Sunday.
Saturday, 21st	... Bobby's Athletic (home). Livermere 2nd (away).
Tuesday, 24th	... Midsummer. St. John the Baptist.
Saturday, 28th	... Old Boys' Match.
Sunday, 29th	... St. Peter.

## JULY.

Tuesday, 1st	... O.T.C. Inspection. Performance of "Midsummer Night's Dream."
Thursday, 3rd	... East Anglian Match (home).
Saturday, 5th	... Bobby's Athletic (home). Westgate Brewery 2nd (away).
Saturday, 12th	... County School (away).
Tuesday, 15th	... St. Swithin.
Wednesday, 16th	... Cambridge Locals.
Thursday, 17th	... Tradesmen's Match.
Saturday, 19th	... Bobby's Athletic (home).
Thursday, 24th	... Mr. Hinnell's XI.
Friday, 25th	... St. James.
Saturday, 26th	... Ampton Match (away). Livermere 2nd (home).
Monday, 28th	... Break Up.
Tuesday, 29th	... Camp. Exeunt Omnes.

## SEPTEMBER.

Thursday, 18th	... Term begins.
Thursday, 25th	... Speech Day.

**Howlers.**

The shading (in the diagram of a volcano) is the solidified lather. (F.E.W.)

Derby is noted for its horse racing. (W.F.)

Abimelech went out and slew a lion with bear hands.  
(L.R.)

People used to go to the picture palaces not just for amusement and pleasure but for learning purposes. This "new learning" happened in the middle ages. (L.T.F.)

**Notices.**

The Subscription to the Old Boys' Association has been fixed at 10/6 per annum, this includes the cost of the "Burian." It should be paid to the Secretary: Mr. G. J. Hinnell, 62, Garland Street, Bury St. Edmund's. Subscriptions for 1924 are now due.

The "Burian" Subscription is 6/6 per annum. It is payable to "The Editor," at the School Hall. Subscriptions for 1924 are now due.

It is earnestly requested that all Subscriptions shall be paid as soon as they are due, since the finances of the magazine are still in a critical condition and copies cannot otherwise be supplied.

**Our Contemporaries.**

We beg to acknowledge the following:—"All Hallows School Magazine," "The Aldenhamian," "The Cantuarian," "The Cholmeleian," "The Elean," "The Exonian," "The Soham Grammarian," "King Edward's School Chronicle."

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