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Occasional and O.M.A. Notes.

Steeplechase postponed.

School closes Tuesday, April 3rd.

School re-opens Wednesday, April 18th.

Founder's Day Service, Thursday, May 24th.

School re-opens Tuesday, June 12th.

Summer Term ends Friday, July 27th.

The Founders' Day Sermon will be preached by the Rev. Canon J. J. Scott, Sub-Dean of the Cathedral and a Governor of the School.

Some of the doings of the School since Half-Term have been enough, if he has heard of them, to bring joy to the heart of Mr. Neville Chamberlain, for since that time there has grown up in our midst a new organism—a system of National Service. Deliberation on the subject by the Staff, its election of a Committee to consider what could be done, the latter's adumbration of a plan, the distribution of a Registration Form on which each boy should state what work he was either engaged on or ready to undertake, the classification of the returns—no light task with numbers as great as they are—by a Boys' Committee, the allocation of groups to the various departments under their respective officers, have all contributed to the sending forth of a fledgling-scheme which has already begun to use its wings with the full vigour of its newly-found strength.

For a time at least all the energy hitherto expended on athletics and outside pursuits will be used directly in the national interests. The results show that while many boys are occupied in useful work at home, the School has, apart from the O.T.C. and the Scouts, a large supply of labour available for agricultural purposes, employment in public offices, etc., and utilisation of waste. Each week-end there should be between 250 and 300 helpers at the various digging centres, about 100 engaged in unloading, etc., and a considerable number allotted to paper-collecting and kindred occupations.

If agricultural hopes are realised, the effects will be seen in some alleviation of the pressure of want caused by lack of vegetable supplies, while the subjoined extract from a letter from Mr. F. Gobey shows the value of the work performed by the first two parties at the L. and Y. Carriage and Waggon Works.

“The work carried out by your boys on Saturday and Sunday has been most satisfactory, and our Chief Mechanical Engineer and I are delighted with the results.”

Record.—Total hours, $425\frac{1}{2}$; Weight moved, 133 tons, 6 cwts.; weight moved per boy per hour, 6.26 cwts.; No. of waggons unloaded, 20. Now, Owlets, have you enrolled for the holidays? If not, do so at once.

Amongst the answers given to the questions in the “Attestation Forms” are the following:—“Have you a spade?” “Yes, but when any weight is put on it it bends.”—“Do you help your parents?” “Yes.” (Father’s comment, “Very unwillingly.”) On one paper the applicant expressed great eagerness to undertake any or all forms of service, twelve in all. But to the question of fixed engagements after School, he replied that he had at least one hour’s music practice each evening, whilst unfortunately he was full up on Saturdays. The spirit indeed was willing, but—

The selection of Mr. A. D. Hall (O.M.) for the post of Permanent Secretary to the Board of Agriculture is likely to have important consequences. Mr. Hall was first Principal of the South-Eastern Agricultural College, Wye, and in 1902 was made Director of the Rothamsted Experimental Station. This is the oldest and most renowned experimental farm in the country, and is associated for all time with the names of Gilbert and Lawes, the great pioneers of research work in agriculture. On the formation of the Development Commission Mr. Hall was appointed agricultural representative, so that he brings to his new post an experience which could not be surpassed.

We publish, at the end of this issue, the additional list of O.M.A. members, since the last issue.

Contributions, other than those relating to the O.M.A., will be received by Mr. C. L. Barnes, at the School.

N.B.—Will members please note that subscriptions should be paid to Mr. FRED ETCHELLS, Assistant Secretary, at the School, and that changes of address should be notified (also to Mr. ETCHELLS) without delay.

O.M. Chronicle.

Mr. A. D. Hall, F.R.S., has been appointed Permanent Secretary to the Board of Agriculture, in succession to Sir Sydney Olivier.

Mr. J. R. Finlayson was on the deputation which interviewed Mr. Austen Chamberlain with regard to Indian Cotton Duties March 8th.

Professor G. Waterhouse, who is now a D.Litt. of Dublin, has an article on "Wanted, a Policy," in the March number of "Modern Language Teaching."

Vaughan H. Stott is on the staff of the National Physical Laboratory at Teddington, and is working on optical glass.

F. D. Ascoli, of the I.C.S., has written a book on the Early Revenue History of Bengal.

G. M. Jadhava is on the staff of the Roan School, Greenwich, under Mr. Hope.

Mr. Robert Bailey Clegg, I.C.S., has been created a Knight Commander of the Indian Empire. He was on the Board of Revenue, Madras, and a member of the Governor's Council for making laws and regulations.

Mr. F. Jones, M.Sc., has a "Note on the Action of Hydrogen on Sulphuric Acid," in the Proceedings of the Manchester Literary and Philosophical Society, 1916-17.

L. Golding's article, "The 10th of Ab," appeared in the *Manchester Guardian*, March 7th, 1917.

Mr. Garnett did the drawings for Mr. Richard Flanagan's "Much Ado About Nothing" Souvenir.

Mr. Barnes has a Paper on "Parallels in Dante and Milton" in the January number of the *Manchester Quarterly*.

Lieut.-Col. A. J. Bailey has been appointed J.P.

T. L. Agar, "The Homeric Hymns," *Classical Review*, March, 1917.

S. Wassilevsky, "Russia's Friends," *Leeds Mercury*, 2nd December, 1916.

T. B. Partington contributes an article on "The Missionary's Acquaintance: The Mosquito," to the *Messenger for the Children of the Presbyterian Church of England*.

Obituary.

CHARLES HUGHES, 1851—1917.

We much regret to announce the death of Mr. Charles Hughes, which took place on Saturday, March 3rd, at his house in Kersal. He was at the School in Dr. Walker's earlier period, though not for long under his personal influence. On proceeding to Owens College, he won the Dalton Senior and Junior Scholarships in Mathematics, and became an M.A. of London. In public life he was a member of the Manchester School Board for some time, but never sought re-election after 1888. He took a warm interest in the Independent Theatre movement and helped to introduce or revive several plays at the Gaiety. In 1903, under the title of "Shakespeare's Europe," he published for the first time the Travels of Fynes Morrison. This was followed by an essay on "Willoughby, his Avisas." He edited Clymont's "Defence of the Realm" for the Clarendon Press, and Mrs. Piozzi's "Thraliana," with numerous extracts from her diary hitherto unpublished. In the course of his last illness he wrote for the great Shakespeare Tercentenary volume called "Shakespeare's England," edited by Sir Walter Raleigh, the chapter on Travel. The School always retained a warm place in his heart, and recently he placed half an acre of land at our disposal for the cultivation of vegetables. Digging was carried on there during the last holidays, and this term Mr. Hughes used to wave his greeting from the study window.

My brother, Charles Hughes, was not very old when he died on March 3rd, but his schooldays at the Manchester Grammar School belong to a date which is now in the limbo of forgotten things. Truly many alterations had even then taken place. When my father was at school there in the thirties, he had to go at 7 a.m., and take his own candle in winter, but in the main the old ways were adhered to. Practically there was no instruction in anything but Latin

and Greek. My brother entered more than half way up the school, and had been extremely well grounded in Mathematics and Mechanics, so that he knew less of them when he left the Grammar School than when he entered. The only touch of English literature was in the poems which had to be turned into Greek or Latin verse. At one time they used a volume called "*Arundines Cami*," which had a delightful collection of miscellaneous English poems on one side and Greek or Latin renderings of them on the other; an immense amount of the rather long school hours was given to verses. Mr. F.W. Walker was the High Master, and taught the sixth form; he was very severe and worked the boys fearfully hard. My brother was only six weeks in the sixth form; I wish I could remember the almost incredible list of what was read in those six weeks; he used to say that three months of it would have killed him. There were no paying boys then; it was just the old foundation, but the boys in the main came from well-to-do families, where the fathers were able to let their sons spend some years on the classics, as the foundation of a liberal education. All the boys wore mortar-boards, and when you reached the sixth form you had the silken tassel hanging over one eye. Oh, the pride of younger sisters and brothers! There were no songs, no games, no playing-fields, no physical exercises of any description, and I do not think that any of the masters took the least notice of the boys out of school hours. All this seems out of touch with the modern theory and practice, and very old-fashioned and rather inhuman, but there were some remarkably fine broad-minded scholars as results. My brother without doubt enjoyed his school days thoroughly, and always had a loyal affection for the School, also he formed many friendships there which lasted through life. During his last illness, it gave him great pleasure to sit in the window of his study and watch some of the Grammar School boys digging up part of his garden to plant potatoes, and thus link up his later days with very early ones.

LILIAN BROADFIELD WORTHINGTON.

The War.

George Lewis Brown, who was at the School from 1901-1903, has recently gone out to Salonika as a voluntary worker and ambulance driver with the French Red Cross. He was an active member of the School Orchestra, so it is fitting he should be made musical director of the gramophone kindly presented to the party of 27 Britishers, who have volunteered for this good work, and are now on their way through the "danger zone." His contemporaries at Manchester Grammar School and Ducie Avenue will wish him God-speed and good luck. During the last few years, Mr. Brown was well known on 'Change and in the cotton mill districts as a representative of Mr. Walter S. Nesbitt, of Market Street.

KILLED.

News has been received of the death, by accident whilst flying, of 2nd Lieut. Arthur Ball, K.O.R. Lanes., attached to R.F.C., on Monday, February 19th. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ball, Waverley House, Cheadle. He joined the K.O.R. Lanes. at the outbreak of war as a private, won his commission, and then volunteered for the Royal Flying Corps. He was sent out to Salonika last September; in November was transferred to Alexandria, and appointed Flight Instructor first at Cairo, then at Ismailia, where he met his death.

Major Harold Primrose, R.F.C., writes from Ismailia, having known him for some little time at Heliopolis: "I was glad to have him as one of my instructors here. I always had the highest opinion of him both as an instructor and as a thorough good sportsman without an ounce of fear—altogether the right type of officer for the R.F.C., and one our branch of the service can ill afford to lose. He died a noble death in the service of his King and Country in the full execution of his duty, while testing

a machine. What exactly caused the accident will never be known. . . . Your son was a great favourite with all ranks, and a splendid tribute was paid to him at the military funeral. Detachments of officers and men came from the various units near here who knew him (the 6th Manchesters to which he originally belonged had just recently arrived at Ismailia). The squadron officers are erecting a suitable stone over his grave to mark our respect and affection for a noble fellow."

The Chaplain of the N.Z.R.M. Camp, writing on behalf of the O.C. and officers and men says: "Your son was very popular amongst his men, and they looked upon him as an able man."

Private Sydney Cohen (died of wounds). Cohen was the fourth son of Mr. M. Cohen, of Ashlea, High Street, C-on-M. He was educated at Victoria Park School and Manchester Grammar School. He enlisted in the 16th (Pals) Battalion of the Manchester Regiment in August, 1914, and was wounded in January, 1916. A shell burst in his billet and he was seriously injured in the chest. He was brought over to a hospital in Southport, but has for the last ten months been nursed at home. He was 19 years of age.

Second Lieutenant Keith F. A. Orrell, 6th South Lancs. Regiment, was killed in action on January 13th, 1917, in Mesopotamia. He passed the Parliamentary Law Examination in May, 1912, and the Intermediate in March, 1914, and was preparing for the final when he joined up.

Second Lieutenant John Swale, R.M.L.I., died on February 18th, 1917, of wounds received in action. Previous to the outbreak of war he was a Trooper and then Lance-Corporal in the Duke of Lancaster's Own Yeomanry.

After several months' service in France, where he was made a Corporal, he returned to England to take up a commission,

and was gazetted to the Royal Marine Light Infantry in December, 1916. He then went back to France again. On the night of February 15th he was in command of a wiring party when the enemy opened fire, and he was dangerously wounded, his death occurring three days later. A brother officer writing home to his mother says:—"We all feel deeply the loss of your son. As a messmate he was always so cheery. As a soldier he was of the most kind, and ever ready to undertake any duty no matter how difficult or dangerous. He was always so reliable." John Swale entered the School in 1898, on the Modern Side, and left in the early part of 1904.

WOUNDED.

Second Lieutenant F. J. Taylor, R.F.C., was wounded on Shrove Tuesday in a fight of two English machines against six Germans. He had his propeller broken and several control wires shot away. In spite of that he managed to get back to the British side of the line. His femur is broken, and he is suffering from the shock of the fall. He is the son of Mr. George Herbert Taylor, Head Teacher of the Higher Blackley School, and held a Junior Secondary Scholarship.

Mr. R. H. Carney, Mechanic, First Grade, Royal Naval Air Service, was reported wounded on Wednesday, February 14th, by a bomb dropped from hostile aircraft in the vicinity of Dunkerque. Mr. Carney was Swimming Teacher at the School. He joined the Navy, and was in the Battle of Jutland, aboard H.M.S. "Malaya." From there he was transferred to the Royal Naval Air Service, and crossed to Dunkerque on the day on which he was wounded.

Private Alan Thompson, of the 2/7th Manchesters, attached King's (Liverpool Regiment), younger son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thompson, of West Bank, Park Road, Ashton-upon-

Mersey, formerly of Timperley, has been wounded, and is now in hospital. In a night bombing raid about the middle of September his right hand was badly shattered, and he was wounded in the knee by shrapnel. Subsequently his hand had to be amputated. Private Thompson joined the colours in August, 1914, and went to the front in July last. He was an expert shot. Having joined before he attained the age of eighteen he had the experience of celebrating his twentieth birthday in the trenches. He is a member of Timperley Cricket Club, was educated at the Manchester Grammar School, and before enlisting was with Messrs. George Peak and Co., Manchester.

MISSING.

John Marsden was at the School on the modern side. On leaving us he went to Sir Jacob Behrens & Co., and from there to Reiss Bros., which firm he represented on 'Change. He was married in 1914, and has a little son just two years old. He went out in July, 1916, was attached to the 8th Loyal N. Lances., and was reported missing 26th July. No news since.

DISTINCTIONS.

CAPTAIN F. A. BEARN, M.C., D.S.O.

Captain F. A. Bearn, R.A.M.C., entered the School in 1903 on the Classical side. After leaving the School in 1908 he passed into the Medical School of the Manchester University. Here he succeeded in gaining the Dauntsey Medical Scholarship, and later in 1913 he won the Turner Medical Scholarship. In 1914 he graduated M.B., Ch.B., with distinction in Surgery. For some time he was both Resident House Physician and Resident House Surgeon at the Royal Infirmary. On the outbreak of the War he joined the Special Reserve of the Royal Army Medical Corps as Lieutenant, being promoted the

following April to the rank of Captain. In 1915 he went to France, being attached as Regimental Officer to the 9th Black Watch. He passed through the Loos engagement, where he was slightly wounded. He was twice mentioned in Field Marshal French's dispatches, and was awarded the Military Cross for "gallant and distinguished conduct in the field." The last year he has been on the Somme attached to the 9th Black Watch, and on the 18th August was severely wounded whilst attending to wounded men on the field. In F.M. Sir Douglas Haig's recent dispatches Captain Bearn was again mentioned and awarded the Distinguished Service Order.

The D.S.O. was awarded for devotion to duty and attending to wounded men on the battlefield regardless of personal danger.

CAPTAIN PERCY BLYTHE.

Mentioned in despatches. His C.O. writes:—"I recommended him for a reward immediately after the action at Guillemont on July 31st, 1916, for his courage and gallantry in rallying his company, which had suffered severe casualties, when, although wounded himself, he continued to lead his men against a portion of the position that was held in strength by the Germans. How strong that position was we were only to learn weeks afterwards, for as you are aware the village was not finally taken till the month of September. I have the warmest admiration for your son, and his loss to the battalion was deeply felt by all of us."

His Majesty the King of Serbia has awarded the Order of the White Eagle to Lieut.-Col. A. E. Cronshaw, of the Manchester Regiment, for his work in the Dardanelles. Colonel Cronshaw is now in command of the Seventh at El Arish, East of Suez. Lieutenant Geo. Chadwick, of the 7th Manchester Regiment, has received the same decoration.

In the War Office list of Officers whose names have been brought to the notice of the Secretary of State for valuable services rendered in connection with the war, is the name of Staff Captain Charles Potts, M.A., one of the Grammar School Masters, Commanding Officer of the School Contingent of the O.T.C., who was appointed to the War Office Intelligence Dept. in October, 1914. He is an old Grammar School boy who took his first class Honours in French and German at Manchester University, and was appointed to a Modern side mastership at the Grammar School, 1915. His parents live at 12, Parris Wood Road, Didsbury.

Mr. E. C. Kittson.

Mr. E. C. Kittson's appointment to an interpretership in the Army had been hanging over us for some time. He left us in the middle of March at short notice. We understand there were two pleasant little ceremonies at which his boys presented him with a handsome fountain pen and letter case. No report of the speeches has reached us. Rumour says they were made in French, and our reporter's shorthand does not stretch to French. The School has been very fortunate in having even for so short a time so gifted and eminent an exponent of the Direct method of modern language teaching. We wish we could have kept him; there are not many teachers under whom a boy so rapidly feels his legs in French and German. Mr. Kittson carries with him all our best wishes for success in his new work.

The Ruhleben Prison Camp.

Mr. Israel Cohen (O.M.) has presented to the School Library a copy of his "The Ruhleben Prison Camp" (Methuen, 7s. 6d. net). It is a vivid record of a nineteen months' imprisonment under German Military rule, that is to say, under indignities, deprivations and barbarities such as would be a lasting disgrace to any nation except Germany—the exception is made because adding finite to infinite does not increase the total. Mr. Cohen had been acting as correspondent to several English newspapers for three years before the fatal 4th of August, 1914, and was interned in the following November. The conditions at Ruhleben were then very bad, there were no bedsteads, the food was indifferent and almost uneatable, six men were assigned to a box which had been set apart for one horse, sharp punishments were inflicted for trivial offences, and in a word, if the prisoners had known at the outset what was in store for them, many would have died by their own hands rather than endure it. By degrees, owing to the efforts of Mr. Gerard, the late American Ambassador, and of various organisations called into being for their relief, this unhappy state of things was modified to some extent, and the summer of 1915 was passed in comparative comfort. The spirit of the men, with few exceptions, was excellent, and the British public heard with pleasure of the games, concerts, theatrical performances, language classes, and other activities which had been instituted in the camp. The undercurrent of sorrow which still pervades all these things is not perhaps sufficiently realised in this country; to the captives themselves they offer the only means of escape from abiding melancholy, and some do not escape. No remark made by Mr. Cohen in the whole book can exceed in poignancy the conclusion of the preface, where he says:—

No visitor to Ruhleben, whether official or private individual, whether neutral or allied, however profound his sympathy, however acute his observation, however shrewd and penetrating his sagacity, and however long

his visit, can appreciate even a tithe of the cumulative effect of the physical, mental, and moral sufferings of the men who have been interned there for the last two years and more.

We might quote many interesting passages from the book, relating to curious and even amusing events and diversions, but a well-known suffrage in the Litany is the most fitting comment.

The book is well illustrated and deserves to be read widely.

War Savings Association.

When the Government urged the country to "save and lend," and constituted a National War Savings Committee, it was felt that a War Savings Association should be formed at the School. Nothing however was done until Mr. Coulton was appointed to the Staff. Fitted by his experience at Barnet Grammar School—he had "run" an Association there before he came to us—he proposed a practicable scheme and made all arrangements. With praiseworthy speed the branch was formed with Mr. Horsley as Treasurer and Mr. Coulton as Secretary. A Boys' Committee was formed, composed of the heads of the respective sides of the School—Haygarth, Field, Snaith, Pickstone. It was proposed that the minimum weekly subscription be 6d., since a minimum of 3d. would mean a period of subscribing extending for considerably over a year.

With strong advocacy from the High Master the scheme was launched. Very soon the number of applicants began to increase by leaps and bounds. The Association was started on the 7th of February, by the middle of March the number of members was 370. The fact that no less than 206 £1 War Savings Certificates have been purchased proves that the Association is accomplishing its intended purpose.

Those concerned are anxious that the Association should be even more successful than it is now. All, therefore, are urged to apply in person to Mr. Coulton in his Room (16, N.B.), and to join without delay.

N. H. SNAITH.

The New Playing Fields.

These comprise a stretch of land (335 yards by 100-110) situated between the Manchester Athletic Club and Birchfields Road, Rusholme, and adjoining the University ground. The Playing-Fields' Sub-Committee, appointed by the O.M. Quatercentenary Committee in 1914, after a two years' exhaustive search for a suitable site, decided upon the above plot on Lord Egerton's Estate as the best obtainable. It can be reached from the School in 40 minutes, is already fit for playing purposes, and is particularly convenient for the large number of boys who live on the south side of town. The turf is good, and although games are temporarily suspended, there is no doubt that the plot will prove a most valuable addition to the athletic life of the School. The best thanks of the Sub-Committee are due to Mr. P. Woodhouse, J.P., who has carried through the financial negotiations connected with the purchase, and to Mr. F. Jones (Junior) for taking in hand the task of fencing the unprotected parts of the land, checking measurements, and other necessary objects.

These eight acres have been purchased with the money subscribed towards the inhibited celebration of our Fourth Centenary, and £1,000 have been handed over to the Governors out of the same fund to meet the expenses of the new road, if and when it comes to be made.

Scripture Union.

Never has the Scripture Union been so flourishing. We have now a membership of over two hundred—at least fifty more than at any previous time. Our members increased considerably during and directly following the National Mission last October, when the Lord Bishop of Manchester came to speak at Prayers, and when Rev. Spencer Elliott gave a series of addresses in the Lecture Theatre. During the last few weeks many clergymen have given inspiring and interesting addresses; we are grateful amongst others to Canon Green, Revs. Jas. Lockhart, A. N. Rowland, W. R. Cole, and Jas. Stirling. To Mr. Hartley, Rev. Meeson, and Mr. Chatterton we are also indebted. Some half-dozen sixth form boys, Shaw, G. Harrison, Horn, Green, and Snaith, have on occasion addressed the dinner-hour meetings. It is pleasing to note that many of the Upper School are not standing aloof as it has been their custom to do. There is now generally an attendance of 150; occasionally we have as many as 200. There is room for 200 more in the Lecture Theatre after dinner on Tuesdays and Fridays.

N.H.S.

Literary Society.

On February 13th, Haygarth in the chair, N. H. Snaith read a paper on "Mark Rutherford." Without going into the details of the life of Wm. Hale White (Mark Rutherford) except as much as can be gathered from his novels and the "Autobiography" in particular, the essayist gave a fine appreciation of great beauty of metaphor and description in Rutherford's works.

On February 27th, Snaith in the chair, J. B. Horn gave a paper on "Thomas De Quincey." His early years were briefly described, and a full narration given of his life at M.G.S. and his romantic escape. His life in London and at Oxford was alluded to, and a detailed account was given of his initiation into and final release from the habit of taking opium. Various extracts were then read to illustrate his versatility, rhythmical melody, and wonderful power of ecstatic feeling.

L.J.H.B.

Natural History Society.

On Thursday, February 22nd, Mr. Bruton read a paper entitled "The Work of Earthworms in the Soil." With the aid of the Magic Lantern he gave us a very clear idea of the complex structure of the worm. He then spoke of its habits, and finally showed how much we are indebted to worms for the richness of our soil. The genius and inexhaustible patience of Darwin were revealed in his life-long study of this subject, one experiment taking 29 years to complete, and happily proving successful. There were 28 present.

On Thursday, March 8th, in the absence of the Vice-President, Webster (iv.y.) took the chair, and called upon the Secretary to give his paper on "Garden Friends and Foes." The magic lantern was unfortunately not available, but with the aid of illustrations and numerous microscopic slides the lecturer managed to keep us interested, and although he confined his remarks chiefly to the order Insecta, he had to be reminded that it was desirable to get home before tea.

The membership of this Society continues to increase, and if the weather is fine next term, there should be some good rambles, war-work permitting. Otherwise it will be necessary to continue the fortnightly meetings. The Secretary will be pleased to hear of anyone willing to give a paper towards the end of the term.

S. POPE.

Chess Club.

On February 13th the 1st Team played Hulme Church 2nd, at their Club :—

HULME CHURCH.		M.G.S.	
Absent	$\frac{1}{2}$	Mr. Willis (absent)	$\frac{1}{2}$
Absent	0	J. T. Thompson (by default) ...	1
J. Tatler	1	H. S. Jones (by default)....	0
W. Reilly	1	E. A. Lévy	0
T. Ainscow	1	C. E. Thompson	0
J. Richardson	1	F. W. Walton	0
Mrs. Simpson	0	T. Scott	1
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4 $\frac{1}{2}$		2 $\frac{1}{2}$	

On March 2nd the 1st Team played the United Methodist, this year's probable champions, and drew with them.

M.G.S.		UNITED METHODISTS.	
Mr. Willis	0	J. Barrow	1
J. T. Thompson	1	—	0
H. S. Jones	$\frac{1}{2}$	—	$\frac{1}{2}$
C. E. Thompson (by default)	$\frac{1}{2}$	—	$\frac{1}{2}$
F. W. Walton	1	Absent	0
T. Scott (by default)	0	—	1
R. Harrop	$\frac{1}{2}$	C. Kemp	$\frac{1}{2}$
	$3\frac{1}{2}$		$3\frac{1}{2}$

On Friday, 2nd March, the 3rd Team played Altrincham High School for Boys at Altrincham, and won by 10 games to 3. Another match was played on the 7th at the School, and we won again by 11 games to 3. The A.H.S.B. Chess Club has been recently formed, and we hope to have further matches with them.

On Friday, the 23rd February, a match took place between Sc. vi. and MT.a, the latter winning by 5 games to 2.

On Friday, March 9th, the 1st Team played the 2nd and won.

1ST TEAM.		2ND TEAM.	
F. W. Walton	1	F. McEachran	0
E. A. Lévy	1	J. R. Wilkinson	0
C. E. Thompson	0	G. S. Gleave	1
T. Scott	0	J. B. Hargreaves	1
V. H. Snaith	1	C. Bernadez	0
R. Harrop	1	R. D. Wormald	0
C. Kemp	0	A. B. Craig	1
	4		3

We were unable to have matches with Victoria University this year, owing to most of their players being in the Army.

The Club has now 100 members—a record, we believe. No new members will be admitted this term.

E. A. L.

Football.

FIRST ELEVEN v. SALFORD TECHNICAL SCHOOL.

Played at Swinton, Wednesday, February 14th. School immediately took the lead, Marquis and Dodson each scoring. The Technical School then attacked, and three goals came to them in a very short time. Before the interval Marquis made the scores equal. Half-time :

School, 3; Salford Technical School, 3.

The second half was even more exciting than the first, for the home team, playing strongly, soon obtained a lead of two goals. School, however, then took play to the other end, the right wing being most effective. Harris reduced the lead, and Marquis added three more. The defence played well considering the hard state of the ground, whilst Haygarth and Colling on the right wing were always dangerous. A conspicuous feature of the game was the excellent corner kicking by Colling. Result :

School, 7; Salford Technical School, 5.

Team :—Lamb; Evans and Fairclough; Blake, Rowbotham and Kemp; Colling, Haygarth, Marquis, Dodson and Harris.

FIRST ELEVEN v. MR. ROBINSON'S ELEVEN.

Played at the Cliff, Saturday, February 24th. Play was fairly even at first, but gradually School wore the visitors down and goals came from Marquis and Dodson. Half-time :

School, 2; Mr. Robinson's Eleven, 0.

In the second half School completely overplayed their opponents, who however managed to obtain one goal. The scorers for School were Haygarth, Colling (2), and Marquis (4). Result :

School, 9; Mr. Robinson's Eleven, 1.

Team :—Lamb; Gobey and Frosch; Blake, Evans and Kemp; Flowers, Haygarth, Marquis, Colling and Dodson.

FIRST ELEVEN v. SALFORD TECHNICAL SCHOOL.

Played at the Cliff, Wednesday, February 28th. The Technical School fielded a much stronger side than on the previous occasion. School were the first to score. Haygarth after a good run along the wing centred for Dodson to give us the lead. A feeble shot from Marquis met with greater success than it merited, for the goalkeeper, apparently deceived by the ground, made no effort to stop it. A good shot from Colling was only just wide, and Haygarth repeatedly struck the crossbar with splendid attempts. Half-time :

School, 2; Technical School, 0.

On resuming our opponents reduced the lead, but Marquis easily increased the score from a centre by Flowers. Following another goal by the visitors, Haygarth put us further in front. Obtaining the ball about the halfway line he dashed along in good style and the goalkeeper had absolutely no chance with his final shot, which was a lovely drive. Not to be outdone Salford attacked again, and scored a third goal. Just on time Marquis put on a fifth. Result :

School, 5 ; Salford Technical School, 3

Team :—Lamb ; Evans and Frosch ; Blake, Rowbotham and Kemp ; Flowers, Haygarth, Marquis, Colling and Dodson.

OTHER RESULTS.

Saturday, February 10th.—Fourth Eleven v. Y.M.C.A. Team. Won, 4—2.

Wednesday, February 14th.—Third Eleven v. Salford Technical School

Second, Won, 6—4. Fourth Eleven v. Middleton Grammar School.

Won, 9—0. " Under 14 " Eleven v. Chetham's Hospital, Won, 8—0.

Saturday, February 17th.—" Under 14 " Eleven v Urmston Higher Elementary School, Lost, 1—4.

Saturday, February 26th.—Third Eleven v. Y.M.C.A. Fourth, Won, 6—1.

" Under 13 " Eleven v. North Manchester School Second, Lost, 2—4.

Saturday, March 3rd.—Second Eleven v. Warrington Grammar School, Lost, 1—0.

Saturday, March 10th.—" Under 14 " Eleven v. Swinton Schools, Won, 8—2.
F. M.

Lacrosse.

FIRST TWELVE v. OLD MANCUNIAN.

At Fallowfield, January 20th.—The Old Mancunians were the stronger team and played well together, and though having the lead throughout the game, by no means had all the play. In spite of strenuous efforts on the part both of our attack and defence we could not equalise the score. In the second half our attack was weakened by the loss of Wheatley Jones, who had to retire owing to an injury.

M.G.S., 7 ; Old Mancs., 13.

FIRST TWELVE v. STOCKPORT.

At Stockport, January 27th.—Owing to the illness of some of their members, Stockport had a much weaker team than we. As a result School had most of the play.

Score—M.G.S., 19 ; Stockport, 2.

FIRST TWELVE v. BOARDMAN.

At Eccles, February 3rd.—The absence, enforced by military duties, of several of the regular members of the team severely handicapped us. The attacks, two or three of whom were substitutes, were not organised, and failed to play together. The defence, on the other hand, on whom most of the work fell, played a good game, resisting most of the rushes of the opposing attacks, who were very quick.

Score—M.G.S., 6; Boardman, 13.

FIRST TWELVE v. HEATON MERSEY.

At Heaton Mersey, February 17th.—Heaton Mersey were in great strength, evidently for the purpose of avenging their defeat earlier in the season. School scored the first two goals. Then our opponents overtook us, and for the rest of the game were slightly ahead. In the last ten minutes we made great efforts to equalise, but were unsuccessful. Scott made some excellent saves in goal.

Although the ground was sodden as the result of heavy rains, and play was rather difficult, yet the game was very fast, and proved to be quite the most strenuous and exciting game we have played this season.

Score—M.G.S., 8; Heaton Mersey, 11.

N.L.E.

Harriers.

February 10th.—From North Manchester School. The hares were Mr. Hartley and Maguire. The trail was almost indistinguishable on the snow, and no blame attaches to the slow pack for losing it, which they did most completely. The fast pack, under Mounsey's expert guidance, followed it successfully. According to the annual custom, Mr. Dennis entertained us to an excellent repast, followed by an impromptu concert. Our hosts, Mr. Hartley and Harrison, contributed solos.

February 17th.—From Sharston. The hares were Rigby (O.M.) and Maguire, who chose a very good course over the perennially fresh country round here. The Sharston tradition of spiky hedges and sticky "plough" was well maintained.

February 24th.—From Blackley, with the H.O. Harriers. McEachran was hare with two of the H.O. pack. The run was somewhat longer than usual, and involved a good deal of the old Crumpsall run. Digging activities, and other forms of National Service, depleted our numbers considerably.

March 3rd.—From the Cliff. No hares were sent out and a pack run over the Steeplechase course took place.

T.G.S.

The Roll of Honour.

KILLED.

Ball, Arthur, 2nd Lieutenant, R.F.C. (in flying accident)

WOUNDED, INVALIDED, OR MISSING.

Carney, R. H., 1st Grade Mechanic, R.N.A.S. (wounded)
Carver, A. C., Signalman (injured while on a torpedo destroyer off Broadstairs)
Chadwick, Geo., Capt., Manchester Regiment, attached R.F.C. (wounded)
Hewitt, C., Lance-Corpl., Manchester Regiment (wounded)
Higson, H., Lieut., Lancs. Fusiliers (wounded and missing)
Holden, H. S., 2nd Lieut., Loyal N. Lancs. (wounded)
Laing, H., Bombardier, R.F.A. (ill)
Marsden, J., Loyal N. Lancs. (missing)
Swale, A. T., Pte., R.F. (invalided)
Taylor, F. J., 2nd Lieut., R.F.C. (wounded)
Wilson, T., Lance-Corpl., Manchester Regiment (wounded)

NEW NAMES.

Atkinson, J. P., Pte., A.S.C.
Atkinson, R. d'E., Pte., Manchester Regiment
Brown, G. L., Ambulance Driver, British Section, French Red Cross Society, Salonica
Brown, J., Pte., Royal Welsh Fusiliers
Brydon, G. L., Air Mechanic, R.F.C.
Campbell, C. J., 2nd Lieut., 285th Siege Battery
Charlesworth, H. B., Pte., Coldstream Guards
Corkill, F. J., Pte., Royal Welsh Fusiliers
Ford, F. K., 2nd Lieut., Machine Gun Corps
Grant, R. L., 2nd Lieut., R.F.C.
Hampson, C. G., Lieut.
Haslam, A., Lance-Corpl., A.S.C. (M.T.)
Hegarty, W. V., Royal Garrison Artillery
Hewitt, C., Lance-Corpl., Manchester Regiment
Jackson, G. F. S., 2nd Lieut., Manchester Regiment
Johnson, J. B., Pte., Wilts. Regiment
Jones, A. S., Pte., Army Ordnance Corps
Leeman, J. J., Pte., A.S.C.

Manson, H. R., 2nd Lieut., Manchester Regiment
 McCabe, S. T., Lieut., Royal Irish Rifles
 Ormerod, P. C., Lance-Corpl., Royal Engineers
 Polak, Philip, Pte., 6th Bn. K.S.L.I.
 Seddon, F., Telephonist, 132nd Heavy Battery, R.G.A.
 Thornley, P. J. C., 2nd Lieut., Lancashire Fusiliers
 Thorp, C. E., 2nd Lieut., 4th Royal Irish Dragoon Guards
 Tomlinson, B. E., Rifleman, Queen's Westminster Rifles

PROMOTIONS, CORRECTIONS OR TRANSFERS.

Beard, E., 2nd Lieut., 2/9th Bn. Manchester Regiment, should be struck out, as he is not in the Army
 Cronshaw, A. E., to be Lieut.-Col., Manchester Regiment
 Everard, R. W., late Corpl. Royal Fusiliers, now Lieut. Railway Transport Corps
 Fielding, H. H., Pte., now 2nd Lieut., Manchester Regiment
 Ford, F. K., to be 2nd Lieut., M.G.C.
 Grant, R. L., now 2nd Lieut., R.F.C.
 Jennison, H., to be Capt., West Yorkshire Regiment
 Knudsen, O. J., late 2nd Lieut., Manchester Regiment, now Staff Lieutenant
 Ormerod, P. C., now Lance-Corpl., R.E.
 Robinson, P. R., now Lieut., E. Lancs. R.E.
 Smith, S., Lance-Corpl., trans. to King's Liverpool Regiment
 Smylie, J. S., to be Capt., Manchester Regiment
 Stockdale, —, now Lieut., Manchester Regiment
 Watts, E., now Capt. and Adjutant, Cheshire Regiment
 Wilson, D., to be 2nd Lieut., Inland Water Transport, R.E.

DISTINCTIONS.

Chadwick, G. (M.C.), Capt., Manchester Regiment, attached R.F.C., Order of the White Eagle (Serbian Decoration)
 Cronshaw, A. E., Lieut.-Col., Manchester Regiment, Order of the White Eagle
 Duguid, C. F., Captain, Military Cross
 Laing, W., Capt., R.F.A., mentioned in dispatches
 Walker, S. E., Lance-Corpl., Canadian E.F., Military Medal

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1904	bSwale, John	Southmuir, Cavendish Road, Kersal.

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