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**OLD BOYS' NOTES.**

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We offer our hearty congratulations to Sir J. O. SKEVINGTON, F.R.C.S., on his being made Knight Commander of the Victorian Order for his distinguished services in the War.

We regret to announce the death of Dr. FRANK NICHOLSON, who has so long held a distinguished place amongst the medical men of Hull. The Editor had a letter from him not very long ago, speaking of his schooldays here.

Two interesting letters from Old Boys are published in this number.

Old Boys are earnestly invited to subscribe to the Magazine, and so keep alive a link with the School. Subscriptions (1/6 per annum) should be sent to Mr. J. HOLLOWAY, BSc., Shenstone, Grammar School Road, Brigg.

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**SCHOOL NOTES.**

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We beg to thank Lt-Col. O. Sutton-Nelthorpe for sending us another of the General Headquarters War Maps of Northern France.

The Cricket Season has been one of the most successful in the history of the School.

There have been 165 boys on the Register this term.

We offer our sympathy to Brown and Tock in their illness, and to Mrs. Thompson, of Appleby, whose son was so suddenly taken from us.

We said good-bye last term with much regret to Miss E. A. Hinchliffe, M.A., who had been with us several years and had identified herself with so many sides of our school life. We wish her every success in her new sphere at Wakefield High School.

Mr. Knight received a very hearty welcome on his return from military service.

Mr. W. Lamb, M.A. Oxon, B.A. Lond., lately Lieutenant in the 5th Lincs. Regt., has joined the staff.

The proceeds of an end-of-term concert and the offertory at a School Service, amounting to two guineas, were given to Sir A. Pearson's Workshops for the Blind.

We hear that plans have been passed for the new class-rooms and school hall which we so urgently need.

We shall soon have to look to our laurels educationally. The Girls' High School is to be opened in September under Miss Lardelli, Oxon, as Headmistress.

The Editor has been obliged to omit many items of news owing to lack of space.

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## Obituary Notice.

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HUBERT JOHN THOMPSON, son of Mrs. M. Thompson, of Appleby, aged 14 years, died July 10th, 1919. He won a Lindsey Scholarship in 1917, and had been nearly two years in the School. On the day previous to his death he was playing cricket in the Second Eleven Match against Market Rasen, and seemed to be in his usual vigorous health. He was a promising boy and will be much missed.

A Memorial Service was held in the School on Sunday morning, July 13th, and in the afternoon the Headmaster, Mrs. Bryant and several of his schoolfellows were present at the grave side at Appleby.

### *Requiescat in Pace!*

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## **THE SCHOOL WAR MEMORIAL.**

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It is proposed to erect a memorial to the memory of the Old Boys who fell in the War. A committee has been appointed, and subscriptions may be sent to Mr. A. E. Knight at the School, who is acting as treasurer. Suggestions are invited. Two have been made, a tablet, and a library with a tablet. Secretaries: Godfrey Goodman and E. Brown.

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## **LETTER FROM LIEUT. J. G. ECCLES, INDIAN ARMY.**

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DUZDAP, EAST PERSIA,

31, 5, '19.

Dear Mr. Editor,

I receive the "Briggensian" regularly from home, and I look forward to reading it. I find it most interesting, and I read it from cover to cover. I thought to-day that you and my old school chums would like to hear from me, where I am and how the world is using me.

I have already spent a year in India. It has been a very happy year. I could, I am sure, write many pages on the custom and scenes of the country, but owing to space that is impossible in this letter.

I have been stationed in several places but for the most part in Fatehgarh, a small station eighty miles North West of Cawnpore on the banks of the Ganges. Fatehgarh possesses a fine old fort and was the scene of fighting during the Mutiny. There was here a very heavy massacre of English people, two men escaping out of a number of sixty. I have been lucky in getting some good shooting (or shikar, as we call it). The Ganges is full of crocodiles, and I have been successful in shooting several large ones. Also wolf and deer are obtainable there. I know this will excite some of your readers, especially some of the boys at school who no doubt will envy me.

I was there attached to an Indian Infantry dépôt. The men were good soldiers, and it was indeed a pleasure to be one of their officers. Just a few words of command are given in English, and at first it is quite amusing to listen to the native instructors. Their command "quick march" especially is amusing. They cannot say "quick" but say "quk". The men talk Urdu, which is not very difficult, and one is soon able to converse with them. The drill and nearly all the work is similar to that of the British Army. I am now setting out upon a most interesting and probably an exciting journey. I am proceeding to Turbat in East Persia. I am now at the rail-head Duzdab. I have a five hundred miles "trek" before me on pony and camel. I shall be about six weeks on the way. I have been exceedingly lucky in obtaining an appointment as a Supply Officer, and I am looking forward to seeing a new country. Duzdab is fifty miles across the border into Persia and two hundred and fifty miles from Quetta (India). We are encamped on a sandy plain surrounded by high hills. The wind is strong, and we get sand storms daily, which are most unpleasant. Your clothes, your shoes and all you possess become full of sand. But in

spite of this the climate is very good, far nicer than the hot plains of India.

I often think of the happy days I had at B.G.S. and the good fellows I met there.

Well Mr. Editor I will close. If you can possibly spare the space to publish my poor letter, I shall be very much indebted to you. With best wishes to the old school, your paper and yourself.

I am, yours sincerely,

J. G. ECCLES.

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### **BRIGG GRAMMAR SCHOOL SPORTS DAY.**

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The first public Athletic Sports, after an interval of four years owing to the War, were held in the School Playing Field, on June 4th. A large number of friends of the School were present, amongst whom were many Old Boys recently demobilised from the Army. The Judges were Messrs. R. N. Sutton-Nelthorpe, W. A. Bean, D. Briggs, G. Goodman, M. G. Smith (of Grimsby), and the Headmaster. The other officials were Mr. A. E. Knight, Starter, Mr. E. E. Piercy, Clerk of the Course, Mr. W. Lamb, Marshal of the Course, Mr. T. N. Sumpter, Timekeeper, and Mr. J. Holloway, Secretary.

The various events were well contested, and some of the younger boys especially promise to become fine athletes. Armour's fine throw of 88 yards was a notable event.

The Committee wish to thank very heartily the donors of the Prizes. No circular appeal was made, but our friends were, as usual, exceedingly generous. Our thanks are especially due to Mr. M. G. Smith (of Grimsby), for a handsome Junior Challenge Cup.

Mrs. Talbot Cliff, who kindly consented to present the prizes, made a speech to the boys, which we all appreciated.

Tea on the lawn was a popular feature of the days proceedings.

Mr. Bridgewater kindly lent chairs.

EVENTS AND DONORS OF PRIZES.

*High Jump (Junior)*: 1st prize (by Mrs. W. E. Hodgson) Hodgson i; 2nd (by J. Deebank, Esq.) Wright; Deebank and Drury tied for 3rd.

*Throwing Cricket Ball (Junior)*: 1st prize (by Mr. & Mrs. W. Lamb) Wright; 2nd (by E. Piercy, Esq.) Dunham; 3rd Drury.

*High Jump (Senior)*: 1st prize (by W. B. Robinson, Esq.) Baker i; 2nd (by J. Deebank, Esq.) Procter; 3rd Watson i.

*Hurdles*: 1st prize (by Mrs. J. Landers) Watson i; 2nd (by Miss Couldrey) Baker i; 3rd (by H. Tyson, Esq.) Gale.

*100 Yards (Junior)*: 1st prize (by Dr. Adair) Clayton; 2nd (by A. J. Gregory, Esq.) Hodgson i; 3rd Wright.

*100 Yards under 12)*: 1st prize Hodgson ii; 2nd Meggitt; 3rd Wells (prizes by Capt. A. T. Driskell.)

*100 Yards (Senior)*: 1st prize (by A. E. Knight, Esq.) Jarman; 2nd (by W. C. Rowbottom, Esq.) Baker i; 3rd Jeffrey i.

*Throwing Cricket Ball (Senior)*: 1st prize (by T. Wright, Esq.) Armour; 2nd Procter; 3rd Steggle.

*Quarter Mile Handicap*: 1st prize (by Mrs. Bryant) Jeffery iii; 2nd (by P. H. Campion, Esq.) Peacock; 3rd Jeffery i; 4th Bridgewater and Landers (tie).

*Long Jump (Senior)*: 1st prize (by J. H. Sergeant, Esq.) Baker i; 2nd Tyson; 3rd Fox.

*Long Jump (Junior)*: 1st prize Quickfall; 2nd Wright and Taylor (tie); (prizes by Capt. G. Goodman).

*Half Mile Handicap*: 1st prize (by J. B. Wallhead, Esq.) Baker i; 2nd (by G. E. Watson, Esq.) Jeffery ii; 3rd Peacock; 4th Briggs.

*Slow Bicycle*: 1st prize (by W. Glover, Esq.) Hepworth; 2nd (by Mrs. Wells) Adair; 3rd Moody.

*220 Yards under 12*: 1st prize (by J. H. Elwood, Esq.) Peacock; 2nd Meggitt; 3rd Jones.

*Old Boys Race*: 1st prize E. Brown; 2nd G. Bains; (prizes by Capt. G. Goodman).

*One Mile Handicap*: 1st prize (by J. Smith, Esq.) Jeffery iii; 2nd Lee; 3rd (by A. E. Spilman, Esq.) Crompton; 4th Burgess.

*Egg and Spoon Race*: 1st prize (by A. Gibson, Esq.) Richardson; 2nd Burgess; 3rd Mylne.

*Inter-House Relay*: 1st prize Sheffield House; 2nd Nelthorpe House; 3rd Yarborough House (prizes by Dr. Goodman).

*Three-legged Race*: 1st prize (by Mr. & Mrs. Holloway) Naylor and Patterson; 2nd Burgon and Collins; 3rd Burgess and Strickland.

*Sack Race*: 1st prize Whiteley; 2nd Jones; 3rd Tyson i; (prizes by H. W. Dook, Esq.).

*Inter-House Tug-of-War*: 1st Yarboro; 2nd Sheffield; 3rd Nelthorpe.

*Consolation Race (Senior)*: 1st prize Kettle ii; 2nd Drinkall.

*Consolation Race (Junior)*: 1st prize Rowbottom; 2nd Handley.

*Senior Challenge Cup*: J. R. Baker.

*Junior Challenge Cup*: Wright.

*Under-Twelve Challenge Cup*: Peacock.

*Houses*: Sheffield, the Champion House, with 159 points; then came Yarboro' with 87 points; Nelthorpe 83 points.



## **"THIRTY YEARS AGO" AND TO-DAY.**

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The words of a popular music-hall ditty,

"Your Daddy did the same thing 50 years ago,  
He acted in the same old way,"

coupled with my recent visit to the happy hunting grounds of my youth, on the occasion of the School sports, served to awaken in me memories that may perhaps amuse the rising generation of to-day.

Our Sports then in those days were run on much the same course as that you compete on to-day. One or two small differences there were; the long jump for instance, was near the old elm that still stands near the sanatorium. We had no "shie" in those days, when the most interesting events were the steeplechase and obstacle race, at any rate from the spectators' point of view. The course for the steeplechase started in the school field close to the cricket ground. From there it lay over the hedge into what is now Mr. Wm. Smith's garden, forty yards from this hedge it turned at a right angle and ran in a direct line from there to a point about the centre of Mr. Willey's pasture field that borders upon the road to Wrawby. Thence it turned sharply back again re-crossing the dike and hedge into the school field close to the large beech upon whose massive bole can still be seen the initials of a past generation of Briggensians. Across the neighbouring pond, which in those days was deep and well filled with water, and much wider than we could jump, a finish was made with one round of the course as you all know it to-day. A very mild introduction this to some of the cross country courses we came across in later days, but even here a thrill was occasionally provided, and I well remember one competitor going head first into the ditch approaching Mr.

Willey's field. The star performer over this course for two or three years in the early '80s was C. W. Hill, of Newstead, a relative of whom we fancy we saw competing in the long jump this year.

I wonder if a word or two here to the competitors of to-day would be taken amiss from one who has tried hands and feet in all the forms of sport he saw the other day? Anyhow whether or not, here goes! You long jumpers, you must learn to jump higher, sprint further before you jump, and let your run up be a real sprint reaching your best pace at the take off; the sprint should give you the length, the jump should be mainly for height. Sprinters, you must practice your start—try the "crouch"—and some of you were not sprinting but running on the flat of your feet. The high jump of the juniors particularly was quite good. A word for the Sports Committee here—a little more room should be allowed. To competitors—learn to jump in pumps, you will be more independent of the state of the ground. The highest jumpers do not try to kiss their knees when they go over the bar, but lie nearly full length along it and roll over it, difficult to learn but most effective. In the longer races, how many of you put your hands to the plough and only finished half a furrow! more than one of you, I fancy, could have run into a place had you but gone all the way; a bad beating will often be more instructive for future years than an easy win.

Now you boys! don't you appreciate the efforts of your pals? The most lasting and appreciated part of my own winning in those long past years was not the prize, nor the sweet smile of the bonny lady who presented it to me, but the genuine full-throated howl of "Well run, sir!" which greeted its presentation, from those who had been beaten and who knew from that what work had gone to the winning.

Heigho! my pen has run away with me till I doubt if you, Mr. Editor, will care to use any of this. I had intended to give other more amusing experiences, but they must await another idle hour; I much doubt, too, if having read this you are at all likely to be like *Oliver Twist* and ask for more.

## CRICKET NOTES.

B.G.S. 1st XI. v. BRIGG BANKS. At Brigg.

B.G.S.

Cross, c Hewitt, b Naylor	...	...	13
Walker, c Allen, b Hewitt	...	...	3
Mr Holloway, b Street	...	...	9
Mr Gregory, b Naylor	...	...	14
Mr Sumpter, b Ripon	...	...	27
Mr Knight, b Goodman	...	...	26
Armour, b Goodman	...	...	0
Gale, not out	...	...	19
Marshall, lbw Naylor	...	...	15
Richardson, did not bat			
Hall, did not bat			
Extras	...	...	10
Innings declared closed.	Total for 8 wickets		136

BRIGG BANKS.

Goodman, c Holloway, b Marshall	...	...	23
Hewitt, b Armour	...	...	0
Strange, b Marshall	...	...	4
Ripon, b Marshall	...	...	0
Raynham, c Armour, b Marshall	...	...	3
Briggs, b Holloway	...	...	0
Street, b Holloway	...	...	11
Allen, c Armour, b Holloway	...	...	4
Naylor, b Marshall	...	...	0
Dibben, c Sumpter, b Holloway	...	...	16
Pocklington, not out	...	...	0
Extras	...	...	2
	Total		63

Armour 1 wkt for 19 runs, Marshall 3 for 24, Mr Holloway 4 for 17.

## B.G.S. v. OLD BOYS' XI.

## OLD BOYS' XI.

Leaning, b Armour	...	...	8
Layne, b Armour	...	...	4
Surtees, c Hall, b Armour	...	...	0
Barlow, b Marshall	...	...	7
T N Sumpter, c Kirkland, b Gale	...	...	18
Sewell, lbw Marshall	...	...	6
Dickinson, c Armour, b Marshall	...	...	0
Hewitt, c Baker, b Gale	...	...	4
W Bains, not out	...	...	16
H Sumpter, c Kirkland, b Marshall	...	...	14
G Bains, b Marshall	...	...	0
Extras	...	...	5
Total			82

Marshall 5 wkts for 28 runs, Armour 3 for 30, Gale 2 for 19.

## B.G.S.

Bryant, c T Sumpter, b Surtees	...	...	9
Cross, c Leaning, b Surtees	...	...	2
Gale, b Sewell	...	...	26
Armour, b Surtees	...	...	9
Walker, run out	...	...	2
Marshall, b Sewell	...	...	1
Hall, b Sewell	...	...	0
Baker, c and b Sewell	...	...	0
Richardson, c Leaning, b Hewitt	...	...	2
Kirkland, c and b T Sumpter	...	...	3
Baxter, not out	...	...	6
Extras	...	...	9
Total			69

B.G.S. 1st XI. v. DE ASTON, MARKET RASEN. At Brigg.

## B.G.S.

Bryant, c Trafford, b Reynolds	...	...	2
Cross, not out	...	...	25
Walker, lbw Bourne	...	...	4
Gale, b Reynolds	...	...	3
Armour, c Cleaver, b Bourne	...	...	7
Marshall, b Reynolds	...	...	2
Hall, c Reynolds, b Burkitt	...	...	4
Richardson, b Bourne	...	...	3
Procter, c Dorner, b Bourne	...	...	3
Baker, b Bourne	...	...	2
Baxter, c Dorner, b Bourne	...	...	2
Extras	...	...	5
Total			62

DE ASTON.

Richmond, b Marshall	...	1
Cleaver, b Armour	...	0
Bourne, c and b Gale	...	15
Reynolds, c Cross, b Armour	...	4
Burkitt, b Marshall	...	3
Dorner, b Marshall	...	0
Trafford, c Hall, b Gale	...	0
Drakes, run out	...	0
Burton, c Gale, b Marshall	...	4
Rose, c Richardson, b Marshall	...	2
Carson, not out	...	0
Extras	...	2
Total		31

Armour 2 wkts for 20 runs, Marshall 5 for 9, Gale 2 for 2.

B.G.S. 1st XI. v. THE STAFF.

B.G.S.

Walker, c Jeffery ii, b Mr Knight	...	11
Cross, c Mr Gregory, b Mr Lamb	...	5
Marshall, c Hepworth, b Mr Lamb	...	2
Gale, b Mr Sumpter	...	1
Armour, b Mr Holloway	...	26
Hall, st Mr Gregory, b Mr Briggs	...	2
Richardson, b Mr Holloway	...	0
Baxter, c and b Mr Lamb	...	8
Baker, b Mr Holloway	...	1
Procter, not out	...	3
Kirkland, c Hepworth, b Mr Holloway	...	4
Extras	...	9
Total		72

STAFF.

Mr Briggs, b Marshall	...	0
Mr Sumpter, c Kirkland, b Marshall	...	0
Mr Holloway, not out	...	18
Mr Knight, c Baxter, b Marshall	...	6
Mr Lamb, b Armour	...	13
Mr Gregory, not out	...	0
Mr Piercy, did not bat		
Hepworth, did not bat		
Alexander ii, did not bat		
Jeffery ii, did not bat		
Watson i, did not bat		
Extras	...	3
Total for 4 wickets		40

Marshall 3 wkts for 18 runs, Armour 1 for 10, Gale 0 for 9.

## B.G.S. 1st XI. v. CLEE GRAMMAR SCHOOL. At Clee.

## CLEE G.S.

Schwind, b Armour	...	...	7
Hotchin, b Marshall	...	...	5
Penniston, retired hurt	...	...	12
Watkinson, lbw Armour	...	...	3
Spurr, c Kirkland, b Gale	...	...	8
Gloyn, b Marshall	...	...	1
Mackrill, c Gale, b Marshall	...	...	2
Fowler, b Marshall	...	...	2
Barratt, c Hall, b Marshall	...	...	0
Barrowman, not out	...	...	1
Smith, b Marshall	...	...	1
Extras	...	...	6
Total			48

Marshall 6 wkts for 22 runs, Armour 2 for 16, Gale 1 for 4.

## B.G.S.

Cross, lbw Schwind	...	...	4
Bryant, c Schwind, b Spurr	...	...	7
Walker, not out	...	...	20
Gale, b Spurr	...	...	1
Marshall, c and b Hotchin	...	...	11
Armour, c Hotchin, b Schwind	...	...	3
Hall, run out	...	...	2
Baxter, not out	...	...	2
Baker, did not bat			
Procter, did not bat			
Kirkland, did not bat			
Extras	...	...	2
Total for 6 wickets			52

## B.G.S. 1st XI. v. GAINSBOROUGH G.S. At Brigg.

## GAINSBOROUGH.

## First innings.

## Second innings.

Doughty, b Armour	...	1	...	b Armour	...	6
Grice, b Armour	...	0	...	b Armour	...	5
Ross, b Armour	...	0	...	b Marshall	...	0
Vickers, c Procter, b Armour	...	5	...	not out	...	11
Platt, c and b Marshall	...	1	...	b Marshall,	...	2
Brocksome, b Marshall	...	12	...	c and b Armour	...	0
Rollett, lbw Armour	...	0	...	b Marshall	...	0
Fallet, c Bryant, b Marshall	...	0	...	b Armour	...	13
Johnson, b Armour	...	0	...	b Armour	...	2
Smith, c and b Marshall	...	3	...	b Armour	...	0
Streets, not out	...	0	...	c Baxter, b Armour	...	0
Extras	...	3	...	Extras	...	2
Total		25		Total		41

Marshall 7 wkts for 27 runs, Armour 13 for 32, Gale 0 for 2.

B.G.S.

First innings.		Second innings.	
Cross, c Doughty, b Fallett	10	c Fallett, b Grice...	4
Bryant, b Rollett	16	c Vickers, b Grice	16
Walker, b Grice	13	c Platt, b Brocksome	25
Gale, b Rollett	1	c Doughty, B Platt	3
Marshall, b Rollett	5	b Brocksome	0
Armour, c Grice, b Rollett	0	not out	21
Hall, b Grice	0	c Fallett, b Rollett	9
Baxter, c Ross, b Grice	4	not out	1
Kirkland, b Rollett	0	did not bat	
Richardson, b Rollett	0	did not bat	
Procter, not out	3	did not bat	
Extras	3	Extras	4
Total	54	Total for 6 wickets	83

B.G.S. 1st XI. v. Mr. CROSS'S XI. At Brigg.

Mr. CROSS'S XI.

J Kitchen, b Mr Knight	...	50
S Penty, b Marshall	...	3
S Smith, b Mr Holloway	...	3
R Smith, b Mr Holloway	...	1
Watkinson, b Marshall	...	0
R Radish, not out	...	67
H Elwood, run out	...	3
Mr Cross, not out	...	4
W Meanwell, did not bat	...	
T Smith, did not bat	...	
Extras	...	8
Total for 7 wickets		139

B.G.S.

Bryant i, b S Smith	...	1
Cross i, c Kitchen, b Martin	...	1
Mr Sumpter, not out	...	24
Mr Gregory, b Martin	...	1
Walker i, not out	...	18
Mr Lamb, did not bat		
Mr Holloway, did not bat		
Mr Knight, did not bat		
Gale, did not bat		
Marshall, did not bat		
Baker, did not bat		
Extras	...	6
Total for 3 wickets		51

## B.G.S. 1st XI. v. Mr. BUSH'S XI. At Brigg.

## Mr. BUSH'S XI.

Bryan, b Marshall	...	...	1
Rowbottom, run out	...	...	2
Tingay, b Mr Knight	...	...	0
P Cross, b Marshall	...	...	11
Parr, b Mr Knight	...	...	0
Bush, b Marshall	...	...	0
H Sumpter, b Marshall	...	...	2
Bains, c Sumpter, b Marshall	...	...	13
Layne, b Marshall	...	...	1
G Cross, b Marshall	...	...	1
Leaning, not out	...	...	4
Extras	...	...	7
Total			42

Marshall 7 wickets for 12 runs, Mr Knight 2 for 23.

## B.G.S.

Cross, b P Cross	...	...	5
Bryant i, c Tingay, b Layne	...	...	26
Sumpter, c Bryan, b Cross	...	...	2
Mr Knight, not out	...	...	18
Walker i, c Leaning, b Layne	...	...	4
Gale, not out	...	...	5
Marshall, did not bat			
Hall, did not bat			
Baker i, did not bat			
Baxter, did not bat			
Kirkland, did not bat			
Extras	...	...	7
Total for 4 wickets			67

## B.G.S. 1st XI. v. BROCKLESBY PARK C.C. At Brocklesby.

## B.G.S.

Cross, b Letten	...	...	7
Bryant, b Holdway	...	...	3
Mr Sumpter, b Letten	...	...	2
Mr Knight, c Hewitt, b Holdway	...	...	4
Walker i, b Barker	...	...	12
Gale, c Letten, b Holdway	...	...	1
Armour, b Barker	...	...	5
Marshall, b Stainsby	...	...	22
Hall, b Stainsby	...	...	2
Hepworth, not out	...	...	3
Smith iii, b Stainsby	...	...	0
Extras	...	...	6
Total			67



BROCKLESBY C.C.

Stainsby, c Hall, b Armour	...	...	14
Barker, b Marshall	...	...	7
Letten, c and b Armour	...	...	42
Spilman, c Cross, b Armour	...	...	7
P Wynn, c and b Armour	...	...	11
J Wynn, b Armour	...	...	10
Furness, b Armour	...	...	2
Holdway, b Mr Knight	..	...	2
Cuthbert, b Mr Knight	...	...	0
Timaens, not out	...	...	4
Hewitt, b Mr Knight	...	...	0
Extras	...	...	5
Total			104

Marshall 1 wicket for 40 runs, Armour 6 for 49, Mr Knight 3 for 10.

B.G.S. 1st XI. v. DE ASTON, MARKET RASEN. At Market Rasen.

DE ASTON.

First innings.				Second innings.			
Richmond, b Marshall	...	6	...	b Armour	...	5	5
Reynolds, b Armour	....	0	...	st Walker, b Armour	...	1	1
Bourn, c Cross, b Marshall	...	6	...	b Marshall	...	11	11
Cleaver, st Walker, b Marshall	...	1	...	c Bryant, b Marshall	...	0	0
Dorner, b Armour	...	4	...	b Marshall	...	4	4
Burkett, c Richardson of Armour	13	...	...	st Walker, b Armour	...	8	8
Drakes, b Marshall	...	5	...	c Cross, b Armour	...	4	4
Trafford, b Marshall	...	13	...	c Bryant, b Marshall	...	2	2
Rose, b Armour	....	1	...	b Marshall	...	1	1
Burton, not out	...	0	...	not out	...	0	0
Carson, lbw Marshall	...	0	...	lbw Marshall	...	0	0
Extras	...	2	...	Extras	...	2	2
Total		51		Total		38	

Armour 8 wkts for 40 runs, Marshall 12 for 45.

B.G.S.

Cross, b Trafford	...	...	11
Bryant i, c Reynolds, b Trafford	...	...	12
Walker i, lbw Bourn	...	...	0
Gale, c Reynolds, b Trafford	...	...	5
Armour, lbw Reynolds	...	...	4
Marshall, b Reynolds	...	...	0
Hall i, b Bourn	...	...	6
Baxter, b Trafford	...	...	0
Baker i, c Bourn, b Trafford	...	...	0
Kirkland, not out	...	...	0
Richardson, b Bourn	...	...	0
Extras	...	...	8
Total			46

## B.G.S. 1st XI. v. OLD BOYS' XI.

## OLD BOYS' XI.

Barlow, run out	...	...	1
Sumpter, b Mr Knight	...	...	43
Sewell, lbw Marshall	...	...	2
Marshall, b Armour	...	...	4
Brown, b Armour	...	...	0
Green, c and b Armour	...	...	10
Leaning, c Walker, b Gale	...	...	5
Surtees, b Mr Knight	...	...	0
Dickinson, c Armour, b Mr Knight	...	...	3
Bains, b Mr Knight	...	...	6
Layne, not out	...	...	0
Extras	...	...	9
Total			83

Marshall 1 wkt for 30 runs, Armour 3 for 24, Gale 1 for 7, Mr Knight 4 for 13.

## B.G.S.

Cross, b Marshall	...	...	0
Bryant, b Surtees	...	...	7
Walker, not out	...	...	29
Mr Knight, b Surtees	...	...	0
Gale, b Marshall	...	...	0
Armour, b Surtees	...	...	1
Marshall, c Barlow, b Marshall	...	...	1
Hall, c Leaning, b Surtees	...	...	1
Hepworth, run out	...	...	0
Kirkland, b Marshall	...	...	4
Richardson, b Marshall	...	...	7
Extras	...	...	8
Total			58

CRITICISMS OF 1st XI.

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- G. ARMOUR (Captain). A capable and forceful bat, who plays a vigorous game. A very useful bowler, but is inclined at times to sacrifice accuracy to pace.
- F. E. GALE (Vice-Captain). Has developed a steady style this season. Should cultivate a more aggressive game. A valuable medium-paced change bowler.
- S. E. WALKER. A good steady batsman who heads the batting averages. Has done good work as stumper in the XI.
- W. CROSS. A batsman of the stone-wall type, valuable as first wicket man. Should try to adopt a more vigorous game.
- M. MARSHALL. A splendid natural bowler, who bowls with remarkable consistency. Has bowled practically unchanged in every match. A careful bat, but has had only moderate success.
- H. BRYANT. A stylish batsman, who has scored well this season. His habit of running short singles is to be recommended to others. At times, hits out well, but frequently fails to keep his bat straight.
- R. HALL. Left-handed batsman. Has had a somewhat unfortunate season. Should try to correct his faults of drawing away from the ball, and playing with anything but a straight bat.
- J. R. BAKER. Very fair bat. Play with a straight bat is recommended.
- G. N. BAXTER. The straight bat is recommended here also. Very good in the field.
- W. E. KIRKLAND. Steady batsman, who promises well. Very keen field.

## B.G.S. 2nd XI. v. DE ASTON, MARKET RASEN 2nd XI.

At Market Rasen.

DE ASTON.

First innings.		Second innings.		
Tombleson, c Hewitt, b Watson	0 ...			
Reeson, b Hepworth	3 ...			
Goodwin, b Watson	4 ...			
Pearson, c Dunham, b Alexander	4 ...	not out	...	2
Scott, c Jeffery, b Thompson i	16 ...	b Alexander	...	4
Timms, c Hewitt, b Alexander	6 ...			
Scupham, b Hepworth	17 ...			
Vickers, b Alexander	0 ...			
Hankin, c Hewitt, b Jeffery...	11 ...	not out	...	9
Richards, c Smith, b Thompson	1 ...			
Anker, not out	1 ...			
Extras	11 ...	Extras	...	2
Total	74	Total for 1 wicket		17

## B.G.S.

First innings.		Second innings.		
Hepworth, b Anker	0 ...	c Pearson, b Timms		9
Alexander ii, c Anker, b Goodwin	0 ...	c Hankin, b Scott...		19
Watson, c and b Anker	0 ...	b Goodwin	...	23
Hewitt, c Goodwin, b Anker	0 ...	c Scupham, b Scott		0
Kirkland, b Goodwin	1 ...	b Goodwin	...	2
Jeffery ii, b Goodwin	14 ...	run out	...	0
Smith iii, b Anker	1 ...	b Goodwin	...	2
Dunham, st Scott	1 ...	b Scott	...	3
Fox, c Vickers, b Scott	3 ...	b Goodwin	...	0
Thompson i, not out	7 ...	c Scott, b Goodwin		0
Steggles, b Scott	0 ...	not out	...	1
Extras	0 ...	Extras	...	3
Total	27	Total		62

## B.G.S. 2nd XI. v. CLEE G.S. 2nd XI. At Brigg.

## CLEE.

First innings.		Second innings		
Turner, c Hewitt, b Alexander ii	0 ...	c Marted, b Alexander ii		1
Leggitt, b Hepworth	0 ...	b Alexander ii	...	2
Ingamelles, b Hepworth	4 ...	b Hepworth	...	3
Semple, c and b Alexander ii	0 ...	b Hepworth	...	0
Humphrey, b Hepworth	4 ...	b Hepworth	...	0
Ellerby, b Alexander ii	0 ...	c Richardson, b Hepworth		0
Longthorpe, c and b Hepworth	3 ...	not out	...	0
Nutley, c Richardson, b Alexander ii	1 ...	c Jeffery ii, b Hepworth		0
Christy, not out	0 ...	not out	...	3
Dishman, b Alexander ii	0 ...	did not bat		
Chapman, b Hepworth	1 ...	did not bat		
Extras	0 ...	Extras	...	2
Total	13	Total for 7 wickets		11

Hepworth 10 wkts for 10 runs, Alexander ii 7 for 10.

B.G.S.

Alexander ii, c Christy, b Semple	...	...	0
Jeffery ii, b Nutley	...	...	1
Hepworth, c Leggitt, b Semple	...	...	1
Richardson, b Semple	...	...	3
Jeffery i, c Humphrey, b Nutley	...	...	5
Watson i, c Ingamells, b Semple	...	...	0
Thompson i, b Semple	...	...	2
Hewitt, lbw Nutley	...	...	7
Smith iii, c and b Nutley	...	...	0
Jeffery iii, c Humphrey, b Nutley	...	...	0
Maxted, not out	...	...	0
Extras	...	...	3
Total			22

B.G.S. 2nd XI. v. DE ASTON, MARKET RASEN 2nd XI. At Brigg.

DE ASTON.

Reeson, b Alexander ii	...	...	1
Hankin, b Hepworth	...	...	4
Pearson, c Alexander i, b Hepworth	...	...	6
Goodwin, c and b Hepworth	...	...	6
Scupham, b Hepworth	...	...	1
Scott, b Hepworth	...	...	2
Tombleson, c Watson, b Hepworth	...	...	1
Anker, c and b Procter	...	...	2
Timms, c Dunham, b Procter	...	...	0
Vickers, c Watson, b Procter	...	...	2
Mennell, not out	...	...	2
Extras	...	...	4
Total			26

Alexander ii 1 wkt for 7 runs, Hepworth 6 for 13, Procter 3 for 4.

B.G.S.

Alexander i, c Anker, b Goodwin	...	...	3
Alexander ii, b Scott	...	...	10
Hepworth, c Anker, b Goodwin	...	...	0
Procter, b Goodwin	...	...	3
Hewitt, c Hankin, b Scott	...	...	2
Jeffery i, c Hankin, b Scott	...	...	6
Watson i, b Goodwin	...	...	3
Thompson i, c Scott, b Goodwin	...	...	2
Smith iii, c Scupham, b Goodwin	...	...	4
Maxted, c Scupham, b Goodwin	...	...	1
Dunham, not out	...	...	1
Extras	...	...	3
Total			38

## 1st XI. BATTING AVERAGES.

	<i>No. of Innings</i>	<i>Times not out</i>	<i>Highest Score</i>	<i>Total Runs</i>	<i>Average</i>
Walker i	12	3	29*	141	15'6
Bryant i	10	0	26	99	9'9
Armour	10	1	26	77	8'55
Cross	12	1	25*	87	7'9
Gale	11	2	26	65	7'5
Marshall	10	0	22	58	5'8
Baxter	7	3	8	23	5'75
Hall	9	0	9	26	2'9
Kirkland	7	1	4	13	2'33
Richardson	7	0	7	15	2'14

\* Signifies not out.

## BOWLING AVERAGES.

	<i>Overs</i>	<i>Maidens</i>	<i>Runs</i>	<i>Wickets</i>	<i>Average</i>
Marshall	136'6	30	304	54	5'63
Armour	92'6	13	240	39	6'16
Gale	21'0	4	43	6	7'16

## 2nd XI. BATTING AVERAGES.

	<i>No. of Innings</i>	<i>Times not out</i>	<i>Highest Score</i>	<i>Total Runs</i>	<i>Average</i>
Alexander ii	4	0	19	29	7'25
Watson i	4	0	23	26	7'25
Jeffery i	2	0	6	11	5'5
Jeffery ii	3	0	14	15	5'0
Thompson i	4	1	7*	11	3'6
Hepworth	6	1	9	13	2'6

## BOWLING AVERAGES.

	<i>Overs</i>	<i>Maidens</i>	<i>Runs</i>	<i>Wickets</i>	<i>Average</i>
Hepworth	—	—	46	18	2'5
Alexander ii	—	—	42	12	3'5