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Editorial.

LAST term was, in many ways, a very pleasant one. The weather was delightful, our bill of health was excellent, and our football eleven improved in a most surprising manner, becoming quite a good and clever team. But the most satisfactory news of all was that the Governors of the School met on the last day of the term, and decided to build our Memorial Hall during the approaching summer months. This gratifying news has been welcomed by us all—past and present boys alike; we have not yet obtained all the money we shall require, but we feel confident that when the Hall is built the necessary money will soon be forthcoming.

We deeply regret to have to record the death of the Vice-Chairman of our Governing Body, Mr. M. H. Beaufoy. He was one of the School's best friends, and any scheme for our welfare found in him an ardent and generous supporter. We are most grateful for his many kindnesses, and would like to take this opportunity of expressing our deep sympathy with Mrs. Beaufoy and her family in their very sad loss.

We are sorry to state that Dr. Blucke has left Shaftesbury and is no longer our School Doctor. We very much regret his departure, and gladly take this opportunity of thanking him for all he has done for the School. Many old boys have good cause to remember his skill and kindness, and we hope that Mrs. Blucke and he will have many years of happiness before them in their new home.

The second Old Boys' Dinner, held in London, was an unqualified success. An account of it appears elsewhere in our columns, and it only remains for us here to offer our hearty congratulations and thanks to all who helped to make it such a thoroughly delightful function. May the next one be equally successful!

School News.

NEW BOYS.

B. K. Johnson (S).
D. G. Longmore (R).

A. D. Summers (S).
J. F. Whidborne (C).

(N.B.—The letter in brackets after each name denotes the boy's School House).

VALETE.

- A. F. E. CASE.—Form V. Entered September, 1919. Passed Competitive Exam. for Royal Air Mechanic, Nov., 1922.
- F. W. CLARKE.—Form VI. Entered Sept., 1916. Passed Cambridge Preliminary Locals, July, 1918; Camb. Senior Locals, July, 1921 and 1922. Prefect, September, 1922.
- C. J. COLE.—Form V. Entered April, 1918.
- F. J. DREW.—Form IVA. Entered September, 1919.
- H. E. MITCHELL.—Form VI. Entered May, 1913. Passed Cambridge Preliminary Locals, July, 1915, Prefect, May, 1921. Cricket XI., 1920, 1921, 1922. Football XI., 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922 (Captain, 1922). Sergt., Cadet Corps, May, 1922.
- G. F. SIMPSON.—Form V. Entered May, 1919. Prefect, Sept., 1922. Cricket XI., 1922. Football XI., 1922.
- W. J. SQUIRE.—Form VI. Entered September, 1918. Passed Cambridge Senior Locals (III. Class Honours), July, 1922.
- G. C. WOODHAM.—Form IVA. Entered September, 1917.
- G. C. H. WOOLSTON.—Form VI. Entered January, 1915. Passed Camb. Senior Locals, July, 1922.

PREFECTS.

W. H. B. Windebank (Head Prefect).
N. J. Lawrence. P. G. H. Barter. C. W. Frayling. S. M. Jones.
L. D. D. Brett. J. Icke. L. B. Law. E. B. Brice.

HEAD BOYS.

G. J. B. Brice. J. E. R. Dean. R. W. Drake. A. G. Egremont.
E. L. Hesse. O. R. G. Phillipson.
H. W. Tovey. F. N. Windebank. F. M. Woodcock.

HOUSE CAPTAINS.

Trojans—O. R. G. Phillipson. *Spartans*—W. H. B. Windebank.
Romans—N. J. Lawrence. *Corinthians*—C. W. Frayling.

FOOTBALL.

The final order of merit for 1922 was as follows:—H. E. Mitchell (capt.). S. M. Jones, W. H. B. Windebank, A. G. Egremont, C. W. Coaker, J. Icke, G. F. Simpson, F. N. Windebank, E. B. Brice, L. D. D. Brett, R. A. Hitch, J. M. Jeffreys.

EXAMINATION SUCCESSES.

- A. F. E. Case has been successful in the Competitive Exam. for Royal Air Mechanics.
- J. P. Cross passed the "School" Examination (Elementary Division) of the Associated Board of the R.A.M. & R.C.M. in Pianoforte Playing.

PRIZES.

- VA. FORM { W. J. Squire (presented by Rupert Williams, Esq.)
 { L. B. Law (presented by G. H. Imber, Esq.)
- VB. " —E. A. G. Manton (presented by H. P. Barnitt, Esq.)
- IVA. " { A. Roberts (presented by Mrs. Burridge).
 { E. B. Brice (presented by Dr. Tovey).
- IVB. " { G. J. B. Brice } ("Macklin" prizes).
 { E. H. Stickland }
- IIIA. " { E. W. Gocher (presented by the Misses Brown).
 { T. S. Law ("Macklin" prize).
- IIIB. " { E. J. Tucker ("Macklin" prize).
 { G. J. Oxford.
- II. " —A. J. Sharp.

SCHOOL HOUSES.

The boys in the School were divided into Houses as follows:—

TROJANS—(Colour, *Purple*).

H. E. Mitchell (Capt.)		
C. W. Coaker	F. C. Imber	B. G. Ryall
L. Combes	H. G. Kennedy	R. E. Roberts
A. S. Court	R. H. Kennedy	H. R. Sims
H. Dalton	W. J. Knaption	E. T. Street
F. B. Dare	L. B. Law	A. F. Tinkler
R. B. Dasher	T. S. Law	H. W. Tovey
H. M. Gale	R. M. Law	D. H. Tovey
H. N. Gauntlett	E. List	K. H. Tucker
R. Geyton	S. J. List	E. J. Tucker
R. Hale	W. E. List	P. A. Tucker
E. P. Hindley	A. J. Mitchell	H. B. Tuffin
R. A. Hitch	R. T. A. Millard	J. W. L. Waters
R. H. Hitch	H. L. M. Patten	J. B. Waters
G. R. Imber	O. R. G. Phillipson	

ROMANS—(Colour, *Yellow*).

N. J. Lawrence (Capt.)		
L. D. D. Brett	E. L. Hesse	R. E. J. Richards
P. G. H. Barter	T. R. Hewer	A. Roberts
R. D. Ball	J. L. C. Hocken	P. A. Ryall
R. E. Cooper	W. J. Hoddinott	F. B. Saunders
E. L. Cross	J. I. Hughes	W. A. Sharpe
J. E. R. Dean	G. R. K. Johnson	H. J. Shepard
W. J. R. Dean	W. J. Langdon	G. F. Simpson
A. G. Egremont	L. G. Lowther	B. L. Sims
E. A. A. Foote	R. W. Mansfield	E. H. Stickland
C. W. Francis	R. H. Miles	R. H. M. Stirling
E. W. Gocher	S. P. Mitchell	A. N. Targett
A. V. Goffe	R. Mumford	A. R. Watts
H. G. Gray	G. J. Oxford	
T. Hayter	H. E. Rebbeck	

SPARTANS—(Colour, Royal Blue).

W. H. B. Windebank (Capt.)

A. R. Abbott
F. Case
F. W. Clarke
J. R. Cleall
N. Cornthwaite
J. P. Cross
R. C. Day
B. Day
W. J. Doggrell
F. J. Drew
R. E. Godfrey
C. A. Green
T. A. Green
G. L. Harding

S. H. Harding
G. J. Hiscock
F. Hoddinott
D. N. Hoddinott
R. G. S. Hull
M. C. W. Johnson
S. M. Jones
M. G. Jones
W. E. Loney
E. A. G. Manton
J. H. McLachlan
K. G. Mitchell
R. L. Padfield
F. G. Peckham

P. Scammell
A. G. Stehlik
W. J. Squire
T. Squire
G. C. Tovey
W. G. Walsh
G. W. T. Whitworth
E. W. Whitworth
F. N. Windebank
J. S. Windebank
G. C. Woodham
H. G. Young

CORINTHIANS—(Colour, Green).

C. W. Frayling (Capt.)

E. J. Baker
R. B. Batten
G. J. B. Brice
E. B. Brice
R. B. Brown
A. J. Combes
H. L. Coombs
S. H. Coombs.
C. J. Cole
R. S. Cole
W. F. Cole
J. L. Cole
R. E. Dean
C. R. Dickenson

C. R. Dickenson, jun.
R. W. Drake
J. S. Foley
E. J. Foote
C. A. Gardner
C. G. F. Hazell
T. J. M. House
B. C. House
J. Icke
J. M. Jeffreys
R. W. Lambert
N. H. Lock
T. G. Lock
W. C. G. Milverton

R. J. Milverton
J. N. Morgan
W. Parsons
J. Powney
R. Scadden
A. J. Sharp
L. S. J. Wilcox
F. M. Woodcock
G. C. H. Woolston
J. Woolston
R. R. Wyatt
G. Wyatt

Football.

IT is with the greatest pleasure that we put on record the performances of our 1922 Football team. They had a most successful season, and it was very unfortunate that we were unable to arrange quite so many School matches as we usually do. Of those schools who did oppose us, however, Southampton was the only one who was able to lower our colours, and then only by the odd goal in five.

No team could have been more enthusiastic over their football, and our congratulations and thanks go to H. E. Mitchell, their captain, for the excellent example of keenness and good sportsmanship which he set the whole school.

While not minimising the skill of the team as a whole, it must be admitted that the outstanding features of the season's play were Coaker's excellent display at full back and Icke's clever forward play at inside right. W. H. B. Windebank, too, was exceptionally good, and he and Coaker made an admirable pair of backs. The position of goal-keeper was filled only after

a good deal of experimenting. C. W. Frayling could not reproduce last season's form, and was superseded by R. A. Hitch, who, though safe, could never aspire to brilliancy. The half-back line was sound, but slow; H. E. Mitchell, in the centre, fed his forwards very judiciously, and L. D. D. Brett was a glutton for hard work. J. M. Jeffreys tackled well, but will never make a really good footballer until he can make better use of his right leg. The forward line was quite above the average, and improved very much as the season advanced. Its combination was good, it possessed plenty of speed, and the ball control was excellent. The shooting was, however, inconsistent; but even that, we must admit, was occasionally of a very high order. F. N. Windebank (outside left) was a success from the start, and combined well with G. F. Simpson in the inside position. Unfortunately the latter, who is quite a promising footballer, sustained an injury half way through the season, and was unable to play in the later matches. His place was filled by E. B. Brice from the half-back line, and we congratulate the latter on the way he adapted himself to forward play. A. G. Egremont in the centre-forward position was, like Brice, a little slow, but his footwork was clever and his energy and optimism invaluable. Icke was in a class by himself, and is one of the most finished footballers we have ever had. S. M. Jones (outside right) was the disappointment of the season, and for some reason or other could not produce his 1921 form; he and F. N. Windebank shared the same fault, and were too fond of stopping the ball and going back, instead of centring while in their stride.

The team, however, in spite of all these criticisms, was distinctly a good one, and was always worth watching. Several of its members, we are glad to say, will be with us next year, and will, we hope, be a nucleus on which we can build a team as good as—if not better than—the one which represented S.G.S. in 1922.

The Second XI. were good enough to win two out of their three matches, but it cannot be said that they were a good team. Their weakness lay in the forward line, and it is worthy of note that at the present moment the School—outside the first eleven—is singularly lacking in good forwards. Backs and halves are comparatively plentiful, and we hope that several of these may next year develop into forwards efficient enough to fill the gaps in the first eleven's line of attack. Frayling, in goal, was quite brilliant at times, but at others he played as if he were on the verge of a nervous breakdown! Dean and Phillipson made a very useful pair of backs, and Stirling was the pick of a moderate half-back line. The forwards were mostly small and inexperienced, and were never

together. Johnson and Hesse were perhaps the best, but we fancy that the former will make a better half than forward. Team:—C. W. Frayling, goal; J. E. R. Dean, O. R. G. Phillipson, backs; G. C. H. Woolston, R. H. M. Stirling, E. P. Hindley, halves; M. C. W. Johnson, G. J. B. Brice, A. R. Watts, G. J. Oxford, E. L. Hesse, forwards.

The "Under 14" XI. won both their matches, and contained some very promising youngsters. J. L. Cole made quite a satisfactory goal-keeper, M. C. W. Johnson and J. S. Windebank formed a good pair of backs, and R. E. Roberts, who is very young, also played back in one match. The half-back line was composed of three Lilliputians, namely, R. E. Richards, W. J. Knapton and W. E. Loney; all three are footballers in the making, whose enthusiasm for the game is inexhaustible. A. T. Squire was the pick of the forward line, and will, with added experience, develop into a good inside forward. R. H. Hitch, D. N. Hoddinott and P. Scammell were all quite useful; but K. H. Tucker, in the centre, did not make the improvement we anticipated; their shooting, too, was very weak. Team:—J. L. Cole, goal; J. S. Windebank, M. C. W. Johnson, backs; R. E. Richards, W. J. Knapton, W. E. Loney, halves; D. N. Hoddinott, R. H. Hitch, K. H. Tucker, A. T. Squire, P. Scammell, forwards.

CHARACTERS OF FIRST ELEVEN.

[The names are arranged in their final order of merit.]

- H. E. MITCHELL (centre half).—Fed his forwards very well and played consistently well in every match. Inclined to be slow on a sticky ground. Fine kick and a good shot. Is also a brilliant goal-keeper. Knows the game thoroughly, and proved an ideal captain.
- S. M. JONES (outside right).—Did not make the improvement we hoped for. Has plenty of pace, but little skill. Centres very nicely, but often too hard. Uncertain shot. Very keen.
- W. H. B. WINDEBANK (left back).—A fine natural footballer, good enough for any school team. Tackles well, kicks powerfully, and has plenty of pace. His combination with Coaker was a feature of the season.
- A. G. EGREMONT (centre forward).—Originally a half, but went to the forward line to stimulate the attack. Soon adapted himself to his new surroundings, and proved a great success. Clever with his feet. Combined well with his inside forwards, but was inclined to neglect the wings. Good shot.

- C. W. COAKER (right back).—The best footballer in the school. Quite surpassed all expectations, and has now developed into quite a "class" back. Watches the game very carefully, and is always in his place. Uses his head in more ways than one, and kicks exceptionally well.
- J. ICKE (inside right).—Easily the best of a good forward line. Very clever with his feet, and is not afraid to try the unusual. Combined well with his centre-forward, and always kept the game "moving." Very good shot.
- G. F. SIMPSON (inside left).—A hard-working forward with plenty of dash. Combined well with F. N. Windebank, and was always ready for a pass. Good shot. Unfortunately sustained an injury half way through the season.
- F. N. WINDEBANK (outside left).—A very much improved player. Centres well, and has very much increased his speed. Inclined to stop and to go back before centring. Good shot.
- E. B. BRICE (inside left).—Took Simpson's place at half-term, being the only half who had any idea of forward play. Proved quite a success in his new position. Passes well, but is rather slow and methodical in his movements. Good shot.
- L. D. D. BRETT (right half).—Improved very much as the season advanced. Full of energy and enthusiasm, and is an excellent tackler. When he can control the ball a little better, will be quite good. Fair shot.
- R. A. HITCH (goal).—Came into the team at half term, and thoroughly justified his selection. Although not so good as Mitchell was last season, he could generally be relied on.
- J. M. JEFFREYS (left half).—Took Brice's place at half term. A good tackler, but at present is too slow and "one-footed." When he can learn to use his right foot, will be quite good.

DETAILS OF MATCHES.

S.G.S. ("A" Team) v. Warminster G.S., home, Oct. 18th, Won 7-2.—Played under ideal conditions except for a strong wind blowing down the field. School forwards, with the wind behind them, were soon attacking, and our first goal came from Windebank with a nice shot from the left wing. Our forwards showed much better combination than their opponents, and three more goals were scored before half time (Watts 1; Icke 1, Simpson 1). Soon after the interval, Warminster scored from a scrimmage near the goal, and later scored another under somewhat similar circumstances. Our

backs and halves, however, worked exceptionally hard against the wind, and the ball was rarely far from our opponents' goal. Simpson scored two more goals, one from an excellent pass by Windebank, and the other was the outcome of a brilliant run by Icke. The last named was responsible for our last goal a few seconds before time. The team played well for their first match. Hitch (in goal) was quite safe, Coaker kicked well at back, and the three halves—Brice, Brett and Jeffreys—all got through a lot of very useful work. Icke and Windebank were the pick of the forwards, while Watts and Simpson were seen to advantage in the first half.

S.G.S. v. Mr. Minchin's XI., home, Oct. 25th, Won 8-4.—A very even game during the first half, but youth asserted itself in the later stages, with the above result. School played well for their first match, and it was soon evident that our prospects for the season were as bright, if not brighter, than they were at the same time last year. Simpson was the most prolific "goal-getter" with four to his credit, and he was ably backed up by Icke (2) and F. N. Windebank (2). L. D. D. Brett, for Mr. Minchin's team, also shewed great promise.

S.G.S. v. Wimborne G.S., home, Nov. 8th, Won 8-3.—School were soon on the offensive, and the first few minutes' play produced two goals at Wimborne's expense, Egremont being the scorer in each case. Our opponents then got busy, and some excellent work by their inside forwards resulted in two goals. Half time arrived with the score standing at 2-2. Our forwards and halves were not very clever during the first half, but after half time they gave an excellent display of football. Egremont scored our third goal from a good corner kick by F. N. Windebank, but Wimborne shortly afterwards equalized, Hitch, in goal, being at fault. From this point to the end of the match School had it all their own way, and some really fine football was seen. Icke seemed to come out of his shell, and gave an excellent and clever display of forward play. He was ably backed up by F. N. Windebank and Jones, while Egremont and Simpson got through some hard work. The backs were always safe and worked well together, W. H. B. Windebank excelling in tackling, while Coaker's display of kicking on a sticky ground was admirable. The halves were rather slow, but the conditions were all against them. They, however, improved considerably in the second half, and many nice passes were received by the forwards. An excellent game resulted in a score of 8-3. (Egremont 3, Icke 2, F. N. Windebank 1, W. H. B. Windebank 1, Brice 1).

S.G.S. (Under 14) v. Warminster G.S. (Under 14), Nov. 16th, away, Won 4-3.—A very even game, the result being uncertain right up to the finish. A fog hung over the ground

and made the ball very greasy and heavy; but in spite of this handicap the game was bright and fast. Dick Hitch opened the scoring for us with a good shot, and after Warminster had drawn level, Squire put us "one up" with a beauty. Shortly after changing ends, Squire added another; and then Warminster scored twice in a quarter of an hour. A few minutes before time our forwards broke away from mid-field, and Dick Hitch won the game for us with a capital effort. M. Johnson was excellent at back, the halves were all "triers" without being brilliant, and Hitch and Squire were the pick of the forward line.

S.G.S. v. Motcombe, home, November 18th, Won 3-0.—School shewed much better combination than their opponents, and good work by the forwards, backed up by some excellent work by the defence, enabled us to score on three occasions. Icke (2) played capital football, and was always worrying our opponents' defence. Motcombe, however, put up an extraordinary good fight, but they found our defence very sound and not at all inclined to give away goals.

S.G.S. v. Old Shastonians, home, Nov. 22nd, Lost 2-3.—A very keenly-contested game. School opened the scoring shortly after the start, Egremont netting after some good work by the inside forwards. The Old Boys then became aggressive, but their forwards were not very effective, and several openings were not taken advantage of. Icke, however, scored our second and last goal a few minutes before half time. With a re-arranged forward line the Old Boys played much better football, and were soon level, L. W. Toomer and H. C. Watts scoring the goals. Both defences were strong, especially the two pairs of backs—A. D. Miles and H. B. Spry for the past, W. H. B. Windebank and Coaker for the present. The final goal of the match came from H. C. Watts after some excellent work by G. W. Clarke at outside right. School forwards were good during the first half, but deteriorated during the second. F. N. Windebank and Jones were not at their best, the former no doubt missing Simpson, who was unable to turn out owing to an injury. The halves worked hard, but were slow; and Coaker and Windebank at back were admirable.—*Old Shastonians*: M. G. Watts, goal; H. B. Spry, A. D. Miles, backs; R. C. Wyatt, W. J. Doggrell, J. S. Pike, halves; E. H. Simpson, L. W. Toomer, H. C. Watts, E. W. R. Strange, G. W. Clarke, forwards.

S.G.S. (2nd XI.) v. Old Shastonians (2nd XI.), home, Nov. 22nd, Lost 3-4.—Our second team put up a very creditable defence against a faster and heavier team, and were only just defeated by the odd goal in seven. A. J. Combes opened the scoring with a nice shot, but at half time the Old Boys had

secured a lead. The second half produced football of a "ding-dong" character, each side scoring alternately. For the School, Stirling played an excellent game, and he was ably "backed up" by the two backs—Phillipson and Dean. The Old Shastonian team was as follows: P. J. Watts, goal; S. J. Granger, F. C. Innocent, backs; R. N. Tayler, R. G. Mitchell, W. J. Clarke, halves; W. Alford, A. C. Roberts, J. B. Brown, S. B. Webb, T. A. B. Webb, forwards.

S.G.S. v. King Edward VI. School, Southampton, home, Nov. 25th, Lost 2-3.—This proved to be an exciting game, and the score was a true estimate of the value of the two teams. Our opponents were faster and heavier, and were superior to us in their half-back line. Our combination, however, was superior, and Coaker—ably backed up by Windebank—was the best player on the ground. The opening stages of the game went in our favour, and some very clever work by Icke enabled Brice to score two nice goals. The latter, considering his inexperience of forward play, was seen to advantage throughout the game. Southampton then broke away and registered a goal which Hitch should have saved. Half time, 2-1. As in the previous match, our forwards seemed to lose some of their energy, and except for Icke, who did some remarkably good things only to follow them up with weak shooting, they were never really dangerous. Our opponents, however, were always keeping Windebank and Coaker busy, and a good shot from an inside-forward brought the scores level. A ding-dong struggle to obtain a lead followed, and from a melée in front of goal Southampton secured the winning goal only a few minutes before time. A word of praise is due to Coaker for his fine game, while Brice, Brett, Icke, Mitchell, and the brothers Windebank also played well.

S.G.S. (Under 14) v. Warminster G.S. (Under 14), home, Nov. 28th, Won 7-1.—School gave a much better display of football in this match than they did when they went to Warminster. Our superiority over our opponents was shewn in the extra pace and weight of our backs, the tackling of our halves, and better combination among the forwards. Squire opened the scoring after some good work by himself at inside and Scammell at outside right. This was shortly followed by one from Knapton, which cannoned off an opposing back, and a little later Hitch scored with an excellent long shot. Half time arrived with the score at 3-0. During the second half we had matters all our own way, goals being scored by Hitch (2), Squire (1), Tucker (1), while Warminster scored once only. Cole, in goal, was rarely tested, but the two backs were quite safe; and Loney, Knapton and Stickland (at half) gave the opposing forwards no rest. Tucker was poor at centre-for-

ward, but both wings played well. Hoddinott sent in some good centres from the left, and Squire was the best forward on the ground.

S.G.S. (2nd XI.) v. Warminster G.S., away, Dec. 6th, Won 3-1.—Played with a light ball in rather breezy weather, so consequently the football shewn was not of a very high standard. Our forward line was not very clever, but their bustling tactics were soon successful, Johnson scoring the first goal with an excellent shot. Some very even play followed, and Warminster were unlucky not to score, the ball rebounding from the cross-bar. Shortly before half time Watts scored after some good work by Hesse on the left wing. Half time, 2—0. School went straight away from the kick-off and forced a corner from which a goal resulted, the ball rebounding from an opposing player. From this point until the end Warminster were much the better side, but our backs and goalkeeper were quite safe, and only conceded one goal. Final score, 3—1. The team, on the whole, played well; but the forward line was poor in combination. Stirling was easily the best of the halves, and controlled the ball well. Phillipson and Dean were excellent at back, and Frayling played his best game of the season.

S.G.S. (2nd XI.) v. Milton Abbas School, away, Lost 1-5.—After play had been in progress for a few minutes, G. J. Oxford scored for us from a centre by E. P. Hindley; but before long it was evident that the Milton Abbas boys were the better side, and when half time arrived they had scored four times. On changing over, the game was rather more even, but the home team managed to score once more, and so won easily by five goals to one. Our team, although beaten by a better side, gave a disappointing display; the backs and halves shewed plenty of energy, but their kicking was poor, and the forwards did not combine at all well. C. W. Frayling kept goal very creditably, and he, E. L. Hesse and G. C. H. Woolston were the pick of a moderate lot. For Milton Abbas, the centre-forward, centre-half and backs all played admirably.

HOUSE MATCHES.

At the beginning of the current School year we initiated a new system of House Competitions, which, judging from the results already achieved, should prove a very great source of interest to all concerned in the out-door life of the school.

The School is now divided into four groups, or houses, namely, the Corinthians (green), Spartans (royal blue), Trojans (purple) and Romans (yellow). Inter-house Senior and Junior

Competitions will be held in football, cricket, athletics, tennis and swimming, the marks assigned to the winners of tennis and swimming being slightly less than those assigned to football, cricket and athletics. Last term the boys in each House elected their house captain, and also a football captain, who was responsible for the selection of their first and second elevens. H. E. Mitchell (Trojans), W. H. B. Windebank (Spartans), N. J. Lawrence (Romans), and C. W. Frayling (Corinthians), had the honour of being the first house captains, and are to be congratulated on the thorough and sportsmanlike manner in which they carried out their various duties.

The Football Competition was won by the Trojans, who thus take 6 points (3 for 2nd place in the Senior, and 3 for 1st place in the Junior competition). The Corinthians won the Senior competition, and so take 5 points; while the Spartans and Romans scored 1 and 0 respectively. These marks will be added to the marks obtained in the other sports, and the ultimate winners will hold the House Shield for the year.

The Trojans.—Not a strong side on paper, but on the field proved a difficult team to beat. H. E. Mitchell was a tower of strength at centre-half, and Coaker's brilliance combined with Phillipson's energy in the defence, made up for the absence of talent in the forward line. The 2nd XI. proved to be a good side and won all their matches, Knapton, Roberts and L. Combes playing splendidly.

The Corinthians.—A well-balanced 1st XI., with Icke in the forward line to get the goals, and Frayling (in goal) who, when in form, was a great asset to the defence. The 1st XI. won all their matches, but the 2nd XI. could not claim a victory. E. B. Brice, R. R. Wyatt, Jeffreys and Woolston, A. J. Combes and G. Brice, all shewed promise for the 1st XI.

The Spartans.—When picked, the 1st XI. was considered a good side; but they did not do so well as was generally anticipated. The three brothers Windebank were the mainstay of the team, and they were ably backed up by K. G. Mitchell (in goal) and M. C. W. Johnson (back). The 2nd XI. had an excellent little forward line, which was well supported by H. G. Young and W. E. Loney in the defence.

The Romans.—Misfortune overtook them after their first match, G. F. Simpson (their captain) being unable to play, owing to a sprained muscle. Egremont and Brett must be specially mentioned for their good football, and J. Dean, Hesse and Stirling were always in the picture. Richards was the most promising of a very fair 2nd XI., while Gocher will some day be a good goalkeeper.

RESULTS OF HOUSE MATCHES.

SENIOR.			JUNIOR.		
Spartans v. Trojans...	...	3-3	Spartans v. Trojans...	...	1-2
Corinthians v. Spartans...	...	3-0	Corinthians v. Spartans...	...	1-2
Romans v. Spartans	...	1-0	Romans v. Spartans	...	1-4
Trojans v. Corinthians	...	0-3	Trojans v. Corinthians	...	3-2
Romans v. Corinthians	...	2-3	Corinthians v. Romans	...	0-1
Trojans v. Romans	...	3-1	Romans v. Trojans	...	0-4

Library.

WE are very grateful to P. G. H. Barter and his Day-boy Assistants for the excellent way in which the Library is organised, and we are greatly indebted to L. B. Law for making new shelf accommodation to house the non-fiction department; and also to P. G. H. Barter and F. W. Clarke for overhauling and renovating all the books that were showing signs of wear and tear.

The following are the books added since our last issue:—

TITLE.	AUTHOR.		DONOR.
"The Big Town Round-up" ...	... Raine	...	E. L. Hesse
"The Secret of the Silver Car" ...	... Martyn	...	"
"Boris, the Bear Hunter" ...	... Whishaw...	...	J. R. Cleall
"Brown, A-1" ...	... Stooke	...	"
"Tregeagle's Head" ...	... S. Hocking	...	"
"With French at the Front" ...	... Brereton	...	"
"The Return of Clubfoot" ...	... Valentine	...	"
"Waverley" ...	... Scott	...	Mrs. Blucke
"Tom, Dick and Harry" ...	... Reed	...	"
"A Knight on Wheels" ...	... Ian Hay	...	"
"An Airman's Outing" ...	... Contact	...	"
"Hudson Bay" ...	... Ballantyne	...	"
"Exploits of Brigadier Gerard" ...	... Doyle	...	"
"Dr. Nikola" ...	... Boothby	...	"
"Hero and Heroine" ...	... Hope	...	"
"The Lost Middy" ...	... Fenn	...	"
"A Knight of the White Cross" ...	... Henty	...	"
"In Quest of the Giant Sloth" ...	... Stables	...	"
"Naval Intelligence" ...	...	...	"
"The Magnetic North" ...	... Robins	...	"
"British Butterflies" ...	... Coleman	...	"
"Commander Lawless" ...	... Bennett	...	"
"Bealby" ...	... Wells	...	"
"Secrets of the Woods" ...	... Long	...	"
"The Perils of Peking" ...	... Graydon	...	"
"The Pearl Divers of Roncador Reef" ...	... Becke	...	"
"Captain Blood" ...	... Sabatini	...	"
"The Yellow Pup" ...	... Everett-Green	...	J. S. Foley
"Heroes on Land and Sea" ...	... Holmes	...	"
"The Crystal Hunters" ...	... Fenn	...	"
"The Night Club" ...	... Jenkins	...	F. W. Clarke
"No. 87" ...	... Heat	...	"
"The Return of Tarzan" ...	... Burroughs	...	"

Cadet Corps.

The following Cadets were granted their discharge at the end of last term:—Sergt. H. E. Mitchell, Cadets F. W. Clarke, G. C. Woolston, C. J. Cole, W. J. Squire and G. F. Simpson. We are very sorry to lose them, as they were all in the Corps for a number of years and did excellent work, especially Sergt. Mitchell, who, as leading N.C.O. at the last camp, performed his duties very satisfactorily.

PROMOTIONS (Sept. 21st, 1922).—To be *Sergeants*, Corpls. N. J. Lawrence and W. H. B. Windebank; to be *Corporals*, Lce.-Cpls. O. R. G. Phillipson and E. B. Brice; to be *Lance-Corporals*, Cadets F. M. Woodcock and S. M. Jones.

The Corps Bugle-Band has done excellent work under Sergt. N. J. Lawrence, and their keenness in practice has resulted in an efficiency which will take a lot of beating in the future. The band is now fully equipped, even to dress-cords and badges, and drummer's apron, and their turn-out is very smart.

We have now got a properly-equipped Quarter-Master's Stores, which has been well arranged and fitted by Sergt. N. J. Lawrence; assisted by Cadet R. R. Wyatt. Cadet L. B. Law fitted up the carbine cupboard.

The Corps was photographed in the middle of October, and afterwards had a very enjoyable and instructive "field day" on Hart Hill.

On Armistice Day, the Band and the School assembled at the School flag-staff, and the *Last Post* was sounded; and, after the "silence," the *Reveillé*. This most impressive ceremony was admirably carried out under Bandmaster Sergt. N. J. Lawrence.

An excellent report of the work done at the Summer Term Inspection has been received from Capt. & Adjutant Thwaites, D.S.O. (4th Dorsets). We were inspected in line, march-past in column and fours, platoon and company drill, extended order, physical training and games, and were complimented on our keenness, steadiness, and the creditable way in which N.C.O.'s handled both the Company and Platoons.

W. RAMSHAW (Capt.), O.C.

Christmas Entertainments.

OUR usual Xmas Entertainments were given on December 16th (matinée), 18th and 19th, and were, in the opinion of everybody, a great success. We had crowded houses on each occasion, and it is certainly fitting that what, we hope, will be our last performance in the old schoolroom, was easily the most successful one from a financial point of view, for we were enabled to pay over to our War Memorial Fund the sum of £47 17s. 6d. To all who helped to bring about this splendid result we offer our most sincere thanks; to Dr. Tovey and Mr. Ramshaw for many hours spent in the rehearsal of the musical part of the programme; to Mr. Watts for the production of the highly-amusing and cleverly-acted farce; to all the performers for their splendid efforts, and to Mr. Watmough, N. J. Lawrence, L. B. Law, F. B. Saunders and R. R. Wyatt for their excellent stage arrangements, which contributed so largely to the success of the entertainment and the comfort of the performers. A special word of thanks, too, is due to Geoffrey Woolston for his services as accompanist; he must have spent several somewhat weary hours on a piano stool; and we are very grateful for his help.

The first part of the programme was entirely musical, and opened with a glee, "Come, Fairies, Trip it on the Grass;" it was sung with plenty of life and attack, the basses being especially good. A concerted item followed, entitled "Derry Down Dey," in which good team work was very prominent, and it was obvious that a lot of time had been devoted to rehearsals. K. H. Tucker next sang *Ford's* charming seventeenth-century song, "Since First I saw your Face," and well merited the encore he received on the last evening; his rich middle register was delightful to listen to. J. Icke's burlesque Navy song was one of the successes of the evening; he was extremely funny, and his movements were all so natural that he gave one the idea that he had been on the stage for years. The three boys who sang "O Happy Fair" are to be congratulated on a very creditable performance; the music is not at all easy, but they battled manfully with their difficulties, and the rendering they gave on the Tuesday was excellent. Dr. Tovey's monologue, "Touchin' Fings," was warmly received, and later in the evening he also sang a musical medley entitled "House Hunting," which evidently expressed feelings with

which the audience was in complete sympathy. After another capitably-sung glee by the Choir—the ever-popular “John Peel,”—Mr. Ramshaw did a very clever monologue entitled “Buying a Wedding Present;” in response to a vociferous encore, he and F. W. Clarke gave us an interrupted story, the name of which we have not yet discovered! It was screamingly funny, and Clarke’s “D’you want any coals?” lingers in our memory still. Jack Windebank sang a song with a rousing chorus, entitled “On the Road to Anywhere,” and his clear enunciation and natural manner won him an encore on each occasion. The only other item on the first part of the programme was another concerted effort entitled “Down with the Whole Darn Lot,” by the same performers as in “Derry Down Dey;” it was splendidly done, the make-up and business being alike excellent, and the topical verses—especially the allusion to “a barren rock without a clock”—were obviously appreciated by the local members of the audience.

After a short interval the curtain rose for the time-honoured and popular farce, “Freezing a Mother-in-Law.” L. D. D. Brett, as Mr. Scrymgeour, the hen-pecked husband, entered whole-heartedly into the character, and sustained a lengthy and exacting role with the greatest credit. He was on the stage almost from the rise to the fall of the curtain, and without straining after effect he succeeded in making every point “tell,” and in getting every laugh out of the part that could legitimately be got out of it. In short, he gave a performance which could not well have been bettered, and which was as good a piece of sustained character acting as one could well wish to see. J. Ické, despite an exacting first-half of the programme, was excellent as the mother-in-law of the title, “as curst and shrewd as Socrates’ Xanthippe or a worse,” and, with Brett, undoubtedly carried off the honours of the evening. The part was by no means an easy one, but in voice, gesture and bearing, no less than in make-up, Ické’s performance left little room for improvement. He is remarkably “at home” on the stage, and evidences very considerable versatility. O. R. G. Phillipson, in the somewhat trying and verbose part of the scape-grace nephew, evinced a certain amount of nervousness in the first performance, but steadily improved, and gave a really good “show” on the two subsequent occasions. F. W. Clarke, as Walter Litherland, did not get much chance of shewing his histrionic paces, but made the most of his opportunities, and gave a creditable performance in a rather thankless part. Emily Scrymgeour, a somewhat disingenuous ingénue, was well played by H. W. Tovey, and once his initial nervousness was overcome there was little to criticize in his performance. The part did not afford great scope, but he made the most of his material.

The programme was as follows:—

PART I.

GLEE ... "Come, Fairies, Trip it on the Grass" ... *J. Parry.*
SCHOOL CHOIR.

CONCERTED ITEM ... "Derry Down Dey" ... *H. Jordan.*
F. N. WINDEBANK, E. B. BRICE, F. W. CLARKE,
S. M. JONES, J. ICKE AND G. C. H. WOOLSTON.

SONG ... "Since First I saw your Face" ... *Ford (1607)*
K. H. TUCKER.

SONG ... "Don't let 'em Scrap the
British Navy" ... "The Co-optimists."
J. ICKE.

TRIO ... "O Happy Fair" ... *W. Shield.*
J. S. WINDEBANK, R. B. DASHPER AND C. W. FRAYLING.

MONOLOGUES { (1) "Touchin' Fings." ... *H. E. Pether.*
(2) "Oh, Memory" ... *L. Harris.*
DR. TOVEY.

GLEE "John Peel" ... *arr. J. E. West.*
SCHOOL CHOIR.

MONOLOGUE ... "Buying a Wedding Present" ... *E. Hastings.*
MR. RAMSHAW.

CONCERTED ITEM ... "Down with the Whole
Darn Lot" ... "The Co-optimists."
F. W. CLARKE, F. N. WINDEBANK, E. B. BRICE,
S. M. JONES, J. ICKE AND G. C. H. WOOLSTON.

SONG ... "On the Road to Anywhere" ... *S. Sanders.*
J. S. WINDEBANK.

SONGS ... { (1) "House Hunting" ... *F. Cecil.*
(2) "Mr. John Blunt" ... *Anon.*
DR. TOVEY.

PART II.

"FREEZING A MOTHER-IN-LAW"

(A Farce in one Act)

By T. EDGAR PEMBERTON.

Dramatis Personæ:

Mr. Scrymgeour...	...	L. D. D. BRETT.
Ferdinand Swift...	...	O. R. G. PHILLIPSON.
Walter Litherland	...	F. W. CLARKE.
Mrs. Scrymgeour	...	J. ICKE.
Emily, her daughter	...	H. W. TOVEY.

Scene: A Sitting-room in the Scrymgeours' House.

Time: The Present.

base, would be a big class-room; above that a dormitory; and above that a complete sick-room or sanatorium. The Governors had consented to the buildings being erected, and it was hoped to raise the extra money by concerts and other means. He thought they would wipe off the debt in four or five years. He had a copy of the school hall plan, which he would be glad to show to any who wished to see it. There was one other point upon which he desired to touch. He wanted, if possible, to make the school magazine a more thorough medium between one old boy and another. It was primarily a record of what occurred at the school, but he saw no reason why it should not chronicle the doings and achievements of those who had passed out of the school. It seemed to him that anything which happened to them—whether they got married or took a wicket—(laughter)—anything which happened in their lives would be most interesting to their contemporaries. They could write to the Secretary (Mr. Minchin) or to himself. He got a great many facts given him verbally, but he was getting old, and his memory was nothing like what it used to be. If old boys would make a point of *writing* to him about anything of interest in their lives, he would make a point of seeing that it was chronicled in the next number of the magazine. That night, that Club had passed another milestone on its career, and he was very grateful for the support they had given him. Education was passing through some troublesome times as far as finance was concerned, and at times he wondered if all the worry was "worth while;" but a gathering such as they had that night put fresh heart into him, and made him think it was worth while; and as long as he had the support of his old boys he should go full steam ahead, and do his best to promote the prosperity of the school which he and they had learned to love so well.

Dr. Blucke proposed "The Club." He prefaced his remarks by saying that his son, Fred, sent his greetings to them all, and would have been present had not business in Paris prevented him. The toast of the Old Shastonian Club, he added, needed no recommendation from him, but it was of interest to them all to notice the growth and influence of the school during these last comparatively few years, and to know how the men, who were the boys, took such pride in their school, and how the good influence of the school radiated throughout their whole lives. There were some people who had the gift of knowledge, the virtue of charity, and the strength to impress their principles and impart their virtues to other minds, and it was their privilege to have known some who had combined all those characteristics in themselves. (Applause). He knew they were only waiting for him to utter one name, which they had already cheered; but which he felt certain they were anxious to cheer once more—he meant that of the Headmaster, Dr. Tovey, whom they all felt it a privilege to know and admire. (Cheers). He had done work for Shaftesbury School, the town and neighbourhood, which could not be calculated in any English terms. And there was one other name which was very closely associated with his, which they always spoke of with admiration and esteem—the lady who was affectionately regarded as the school mother, Mrs. Tovey; for, indeed, it might be said that Dr. Tovey was the father and originator of Shaftesbury Grammar School as it was to-day, and if that was true, it was equally true to speak of Mrs. Tovey as the mother of the school; and of every individual boarder of that school during term-time. No-one could express all the admiration and respect which he felt for Mrs. Tovey, knowing, as he did, her work for the school, and the individuals who composed that school. He had known her work as he had never known an individual work before, and that was saying something. It was said that like attracted like, and they did know Dr. and Mrs. Tovey were well matched: Might their son inherit the virtues of both. There was a star in their firmament which gave them a steady beam, and whose radiancy would expand and grow with time. Mr. Minchin, the secretary, and organiser of that valued club, was one whose virtues they all knew well. He believed he would, as

time went on, gain a place in the minds of his fellow men second only to the great work he had accomplished in keeping men in touch with their old school. It was a great thing for old schoolfellows to keep in touch with each other. They all began with the same ideals; they were all taught cricket. How true that was of Shaftesbury—real cricket—cricket in life and in play; to play a straight, good game, till their wicket fell to the great bowler who would take all their wickets in time. And what a privilege it would be for those who were successful to put out a helping hand to those who needed it. And who should be helped before their old school-fellow? The feeling of fellowship after they had left school was one to be cultivated and he responded to in every way; and who could be a better rallying point, and who more able, to be a rallying point than their Headmaster? (Applause). They had got a great centre in that Club, and they knew they could rely upon the steadfastness and organising abilities of Mr. Minchin, whose name he had pleasure in associating with the toast, "Success to the Old Shastonian Club."

Mr. Minchin, who was greeted with hearty applause on rising, thanked Dr. Blucke for his references to the Club, and the all too flattering remarks touching himself. He must, on behalf of the Club, say one word about Dr. Blucke. Their Chairman had toasted him from the school point of view. There was not one "old boy" who went back to Shaftesbury Grammar School who liked to leave the school without having had a word with Dr. Blucke. He had been a real "pal" to everybody in the school. Touching the work of the secretaryship of the Club, he declared that it was an absolute pleasure to him, and in doing that work he had a tremendous amount of help from Dr. Tovey. Mr. Wescott, the treasurer, gave his valuable help in financial matters, and he thanked him sincerely. He would also like to thank Mr. Robert Borley for his capable help in making arrangements for the dinner. He had expected him to be present that evening, but he had had to undergo a small operation, and that operation had prevented his attending. He did think they owed him (Mr. Borley) a very deep debt of gratitude for what he had done for them. In a Club like theirs, there was one great thing they must do; they must all pull together for the welfare of their dear old school. (Applause). As regards the membership of the Club, their present number totalled 206. (Applause). They had nine honorary, 105 life members, and 92 annual members. When the "old boys" first met they pledged themselves to support the War Memorial Fund, and he thought that they had done that to the utmost of their ability. At the present moment they had paid £75 towards the War Memorial, and they were going to make that sum up to £100.

Mr. Woodcock, Mr. Farley Rutter, and Mr. & Mrs. Johnson had very kindly offered to promote Whist Drives and Concerts, &c., in Shaftesbury, in aid of the War Memorial Funds, and he felt sure that the Club was most grateful to them.

Mr. Minchin said that he would be pleased to receive any subscriptions, however small, from any member who would not have the opportunity of being present at the whist drive or concert, and concluded by pointing out how necessary it was for the proper working of the Club that non-life-members should be prompt in the payment of their subscriptions.

The final toast of the evening, that of "Absent Members," was proposed by W. K. Sankey, and was followed by the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" and the National Anthem.

Old Shastonian News.

OWING to the General Election, the Fourth Annual General Meeting of the Old Shastonian Club was postponed from Wednesday, Nov. 15th, to Wednesday, Nov. 22nd. The President (Dr. Tovey) took the chair, and the following members were present:—Messrs. W. Ramshaw, G. G. Newell, W. J. Streather, W. Farley Rutter, F. R. Woodcock, A. J. Wescott, J. A. Norton, H. E. Light, S. Burrow, L. G. Prideaux, R. N. Tayler, F. C. Innocent, H. B. Spry, L. W. Toomer, T. A. B. Webb, F. E. P. Johnson, S. H. D. Johnson, M. G. Watts, W. Doggrell, J. B. Senior, T. L. Jones, A. D. Miles, S. J. Granger, R. G. Scott, H. A. Roles, W. R. Alford, T. R. Matthews, T. Hayden, H. S. Brown, J. S. Pike, E. H. Simpson, R. C. Wyatt, A. J. Prince, S. E. S. Johnson, F. A. H. Matthews and R. B. Minchin.

Dr. Tovey, Mr. A. J. Wescott, and Mr. R. B. Minchin were again appointed to the offices of President, Treasurer, and Secretary respectively, while the following were voted to the Committee for the year 1922-23:—Dr. G. W. Cheater, Messrs. W. Doggrell, R. G. Scott, L. G. Prideaux, M. G. Watts, E. Johnson, R. Borley, W. Farley Rutter and R. N. Tayler. Messrs. W. Farley Rutter and F. R. Woodcock again consented to act as the Club Auditors.

Thanks to the kindness and generosity of several members of the Club, we have been enabled to pay our last instalment to the War Memorial Fund. The Club has now paid £110 10s.; £75 was paid out of Club Funds, £30 was raised by a most successful Whist Drive promoted by Mr. & Mrs. Johnson and Mr. Woodcock, and the remainder (£5 10s.) was collected at the Old Shastonian Dinner. To Mr. & Mrs. Johnson, Mr. Woodcock and those members who so kindly contributed, we offer the Club's most grateful thanks.

We are very grateful to Dr. H. F. S. Blucke for his donation of a guinea to the Club Funds.

The following matches have been arranged for the Old Shastonian Cricket Tour:—

July 27th	...	...	...	v. Shanklin.
" 28th	...	...	...	v. Ryde.
" 30th	...	...	...	v. Newport.
" 31st	...	...	...	v. Ventnor.
August 1st	...	...	...	v. Ryde.

The team will leave Shaftesbury on Thursday, July 26th, the day after the Past v. Present match, and will stay at the Seagrove Hotel, Sandown. Will any member who wishes to

accompany the team on tour; kindly inform the Hon. Secretary as early as possible, because accommodation in the Isle of Wight, at that time of year, is often difficult to secure?

The *Shield* Sports are to be held, this year, on the School Ground, on Wednesday, March 28th, at 2.30 p.m. The *School Sports* will be held on Wednesday, April 4th, at 2.30 p.m. We shall be delighted to see any old boys who can attend, and we hope they will all enter for the Old Boys' race.

Dick Baker has passed his final Pharmaceutical Exam, and is now a qualified chemist and druggist. We offer him our hearty congratulations, and at the same time apologise for omitting to record the fact in our last number. It was entirely due to forgetfulness on the part of the Editor!

E. R. Polgreen has also recently passed the same examination, and we offer him also our hearty congratulations.

R. W. Mansfield is now in the National Provincial and Union Bank at Salisbury, and B. Hillier is in Lloyds Bank at Ludgershall. We also hear that R. V. A. Morgan contemplates entering Lloyds Bank.

G. C. Kelson is at present with his regiment, the Royal Marine Artillery, near Chanak.

G. W. West has started to learn the mysteries of boat-building.

E. B. Carpenter left Clifton College at Christmas, and shortly goes into residence at Oxford.

George Cheater has recently been successful in the exam. for the Diploma of Public Health, and we heartily congratulate him on his latest achievement. We are also delighted to hear that he contemplates matrimony in the near future.

Dr. Tovey has had a very interesting letter from S. C. Bowley, who is in Barclay's Bank at Oxford. We hope he is keeping up his music.

Many old boys will be interested to learn that Mr. W. H. Evans, who is now in India, has a son and heir.

Max Gardner sailed for New Zealand on 29th December, on the "Athênic." He intends to farm there, and we wish him every success in his venture.

Just after we had gone to press, last term, we heard that E. C. Mozley had undergone an operation for appendicitis, in Cape Town. We are delighted to hear he is convalescent again, and we have recently had a letter from him giving us many interesting details of the first two Test Matches out there.

Congratulations to C. E. Pearce on playing hockey for West v. East in the English International trial game.

H. E. Mitchell sailed for Cape Town on January 5th, on the "Suevic," and arrived there safely three weeks later. Dr. Tovey has received a letter from him posted at Teneriffe, where he was able to spend four hours on land.

K. S. Law has passed the Preliminary Science Exam. in Chemistry and Physics for the Licentiate in Dental Surgery.

Our hearty congratulations to J. H. Wescott and W. Doggrell on their engagements; we hear that both of them hope to be married this year.

May we take this opportunity of thanking "Old Shastonian" and "Friend" for their very generous support to the Whist Drive funds?

We deeply regret to hear that T. N. Langford is seriously ill.

W. J. Squire, who left last term, is now in the National Provincial & Union Bank, at the Blandford branch.

The following old boys have joined the Club since our last issue:—G. Johnson, E. G. H. Maidman, J. E. N. Doggrell, F. W. Clarke, G. F. Simpson, R. J. Mansfield, H. F. Jackson, E. H. Chandler, H. E. Mitchell.

We have just received a new price list from Messrs. Geo. Lewin & Co., Ltd. The Old Shastonian Colours may now be obtained at the following reduced prices:—Blazer, 45/-; cap, 5/6; silk open-end tie, 4/9; silk square, 13/6; knitted silk tie, 4/9; knitted wool socks, 4/6; sweater (with colours), 31/6; hat-band, 3/-; woollen scarf, 3/6; silk knitted scarf, 32/6.

All subscribers to the Magazine (except members of the O.S. Club) should send their subscriptions to Dr. Tovey (2/6 for three numbers).

No copy of a Magazine will be sent to *anyone* whose subscription has not been paid IN ADVANCE.

We have a number of back numbers which may be obtained at 3d. each on or before May 1st, 1923. *After that date only a few copies of each number will be retained for sale at 6d. each, and the remainder will be destroyed.*