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EDITORIAL

All connected with this school, and especially those Old Boys and Masters who were here during the period 1907-1932, will wish to join us in congratulating Dr. and Mrs. Tovey on the great occasion of their Golden Wedding (August 28th, 1953). On August 26th a large gathering of relations and friends enjoyed their hospitality at Tockington Manor, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Tovey. It was indeed a "red-letter day", made all the more enjoyable by the brilliance of the sunshine, the beauty of the surroundings and by the knowledge that Dr. and Mrs. Tovey were in such good health and spirits.

It is with the deepest regret that we record the resignation through ill health of the Rev. Canon Coley from the living of Holy Trinity. He has not been well for some considerable time but his decision to resign his living is the result of a recent nervous breakdown for which he has been receiving treatment in Guy's Hospital. Many Old Boys, especially those whom he prepared for Confirmation, will join us in offering our sympathies to Canon Coley and also our gratitude for the helpful interest he took in this school. We earnestly trust that a complete return to normal health will not be long delayed.

Since the above paragraph was written, the sad news has reached us that Mrs. Coley passed away on February 20th. May Canon Coley and his daughter be given strength to bear this added burden of sorrow.

In November 1952, the School and the Old Shaftonian Club lost a very great friend in the person of Reginald James Jesse who passed away after a long period of indifferent health. He will always hold a very high and honoured place in the memories of all connected with the School. Not only did he represent the O.S. Club on the Board of Governors but he was a tower of strength to the headmaster in his fight for Aided Status. He also initiated him into Freemasonry in 1936. Mr. Jesse is sadly missed in the village of East Knoyle and in this

neighbourhood and our kindest thoughts and sympathies go out to Mrs. Jesse and to her large family and to all his personal friends, of whom he had many.

We also record with much sorrow the death on December 21st, 1952, of W. Mothersdale. He left the school in 1888 and has for many years been a very generous contributor to the various school funds. In fact, Mr. Minchin received two guineas from him for the Games Fund a fortnight before he died. To Mrs. Mothersdale we offer our very deepest sympathy in the great loss she has sustained.

CORRESPONDENCE

(Letter from Mr. Minchin)

My dear Old Boys,

I cannot let the script of this School Magazine go to the printers without including a few words to all Old Shastonians who have passed through this school since September 1907. The approximate number is 2,500 and, apart from those who came and left during the period of the 1914-18 war, I know you all.

For the past thirty-three years I have partly edited the School Magazine and the time has come to hand over this and my other work to younger hands.

I have sent in my resignation to the School Governors to take effect from the end of the summer term. It will not be easy to go because I have enjoyed my work, more particularly that part of it done in the classroom. The Education Act made my task very much more difficult and exacting and both Mrs. Minchin and I will be glad to get a rest.

Under the new Articles of Government, I feel certain that this School will go on from strength to strength. Some day I hope that parents will regain the right to send their sons across a county boundary to the school of their choice. This is a right which should never have been taken from them and it should be restored with the minimum of delay.

My Governors have appointed Mr. J. A. Brett, M.A. (Oxon), of Canford School to take my place and I know you will give him a warm welcome and also the same friendly and helpful support you have always given to me and for which I thank you very warmly.

After next July my home address will be "Aramus", Windmill Lane, Minchinhampton, Gloucestershire. If any Old Boy happens to be in the Stroud area, Mrs. Minchin and I will be very pleased to see him.

I hope to see many of you before next August and many others at our future O.S. gatherings. Good Luck to you all.

Yours sincerely,

R. B. MINCHIN.

SCHOOL NEWS

To Mr. Bayliss we offer our very deepest sympathy on the loss of his father in November last.

Our congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Brooke on the birth of their little son on November 12th, last.

Miss Anne Evison, who used to be Mr. Minchin's secretary, was married to Mr. Michael Warner on June 11th. She and her husband hold appointments in the Foreign Office.

It is with very real regret that we record Dr. Shutt's departure from Cann Rectory. As a Governor he brought to the Board's deliberations a full knowledge of educational matters in general and of this school's problem in particular. He was also kind enough to provide a school dormitory at Cann Rectory for a number of years and to do some part-time teaching in Religious Knowledge when the school was without a Scripture master. We thank him very warmly for his services to the school and wish him much happiness in his work at Exeter.

We heartily congratulate Mr. P. H. Edmonds, who was on the staff here from Sept. 1935 to Dec. 1936 and has since been the senior English Master at Lydney Grammar School, on his recent appointment to the headmastership of Yorebridge Grammar School, Askrigg, Yorkshire.

TERM III, 1951

VALETE

A. E. Christopher	Form Vb	Entered Term III, 1947.
P. W. Hayward	.. Form Vb	Entered Term III, 1946.
R. E. Oxford	.. Form Va	Entered Term III, 1946. Prefect.
G. Taylor	.. Form Vc	Entered Term III, 1947.
R. F. Tozer	.. Form Va	Entered Term III, 1945. Prefect. Football XI, 1950, 1951. Football Colours, 1951. Cricket XI, 1951. Cert "T."
G. Godwin	.. Form Va	Entered Term II, 1950. Cert, "T."

TERM I, 1952

NEW BOYS

None

Prefects:—R. M. Kemp (Head Prefect), M. G. Hallett (Sen. Day-Boy Prefect), P. L. Cole, L. C. Dibben, C. H. Drake, G. I. Drew, R. S. Gibb, R. M. Humphries, D. N. Ireland, R. W. S. Law, C. S. Philip, J. P. H. Webber.

Head Boys:—A. R. Allum, M. E. Doggrell, C. J. Evans, J. A. Forward, R. S. Humphrey, S. D. A. Johnson, I. Kirby, E. H. Macey, F. L. Partington, O. C. Salisbury, D. W. Scott, D. J. Winskill.

VALETE

None.

TERM II, 1952

NEW BOYS

R. J. Dunley

D. G. Harding

Prefects:—R. M. Kemp (Head Prefect), M. G. Hallett (Senior Day Boy Prefect), P. L. Cole, L. C. Dibben, S. H. Drake, G. I. Drew, R. S. Gibb, R. M. Humphries, D. N. Ireland, R. W. S. Law, C. S. Philip, J. P. H. Webber.

Head Boys:—A. R. Allum, M. E. Doggrell, C. J. Evans, J. A. Forward, R. S. Humphrey, S. D. A. Johnson, J. Kirby, E. H. Macey, F. L. Partington, O. C. Salisbury, D. W. Scott, D. J. Winskill.

VALETE

D. N. Ireland	..	Form VA	Entered Term III, 1947. Prefect. Rugby XV 1951, 1952. Rugby Colours 1952. Cert. "A."
L. G. Pitman	..	Form IIA	Entered Term III, 1951.
P. L. Cole	..	Form VI	Entered Term III, 1942. Prefect. Cricket XI, 1952. Football XI, 1951. Sergt. Cert. "A." S.C. 1950. G.C.E. (adv.), 1952.
E. J. Davie	..	Form VA	Entered Term III, 1947.
M. E. Doggrell	..	Form Vc	Entered Term III, 1943. Cricket XI 1949-52. Cricket Colours 1951. Football 1950, 1951. Rugby XV, 1952. "Johnson" Batting Cup, 1951, 1952. "Dennis" Tennis Cup, 1951, 1952. "Spry" Fives Cup, 1951, 1952. "Sportsmans" Cup 1951. "Windebank" Bowling Cup, 1952. "Daniel" Under XIV Cup, 1948, 1949.
C. H. Drake	..	Form VI	Entered Term III, 1945. Prefect. Football XI, 1950, 1951. Football Colours 1951. Rugby XV, 1952. "Rousell" Football Cup, 1952. G.C.E. 1951.
G. I. Drew	..	Form VA	Entered Term III, 1945. Prefect. Football XI, 1951. Rugby XV, 1952. Sergt. Cert. "A." Cert "T." Champion Athlete, 1952. "Davis" Mile Cup, 1952.
S. J. Fricker	..	Form VA	Entered Term III, 1946. Cert "T."
J. R. Hall	..	Form VA	Entered Term III, 1946. G.C.E., 1952. Rugby XV, 1952. Sergt. Cert "A." Cert. "T."
M. G. Hallett	..	Form VI	Entered Term III, 1945. Prefect. S.C., 1949. G.C.E. (adv.), 1951 and 1952.
G. J. Hatch	..	Form VA	Entered Term III, 1945.
R. M. Kemp	..	Form VI	Entered Term I, 1949. Head Prefect. Cricket XI, 1950-52. Colours, 1951. Football XI, 1951. Rugby XV, 1951, 1952. Colours 1952. Sergt. Cert. "A." Cert. "T." High Jump Record, 1951 (5ft. 2in.) S.C., 1950, G.C.E., 1952. "Windebank" Bowling Cup, 1951. "Sportsmans" Cup, 1952.
R. W. S. Law	..	Form VI	Entered Term III, 1945. Prefect. C.S.M. Cert "A." Cert. "T." S.C. 1950. G.C.E. (adv.), 1952.

R. S. Gibb	.. Form VI	Entered Term I, 1946. Prefect. Cricket XI, 1952. Rugby XV, 1952. Cert. "A." Cert. "T." G.C.E., 1951.
P. W. Page	.. Form VA	Entered Term III, 1947. G.C.E., 1952.
I. G. Palmer	.. Form VA	Entered Term III, 1947. Cert "A." G.C.E., 1952.
C. S. Philip	.. Form VA	Entered Term II, 1951. Prefect. Rugby XV, 1952. G.C.E., 1952.
M. Randall	.. Form VA	Entered Term I, 1949.
P. N. Rendell	.. Form VA	Entered Term I, 1950. G.C.E., 1952.
D. W. Scott	.. Form VA	Entered Term III, 1944. G.C.E., 1951. Cricket XI, 1950, 1952. Colours 1952. Football XI 1950, 1951. Colours 1951. Cert. "A." Cert. "T." "Genge" Fielding Cup, 1952.
R. Shean	.. Form VA	Entered Term III, 1946. Football XI, 1951. G.C.E., 1952.
A. M. White	.. Form IIIA	Entered Term III, 1948.

TERM III, 1952

NEW BOYS

<i>Corinthians</i>	<i>Romans</i>	<i>Spartans</i>	<i>Trojans</i>
E. R. Walmesley	M. G. Lillie	A. R. Hall	B. Stevens
J. M. Middlemas	N. R. Prynne	M. E. Johnson	A. J. Cornwell
H. N. Coombs	F. J. Kaul	C. A. L. Coward	R. J. A'Barrow
J. E. Strange	F. J. Roberts	T. J. Ridgway	R. H. May
M. J. Gaskin	C. R. P. Wilcox	A. J. C. Hughes	J. T. George
D. E. Smith	E. J. Trigger	D. W. F. Blandford	K. G. Bridle
R. E. Cake	P. R. Drew	L. J. Fry	M. A. B. Young
R. A. Pike	A. V. Fletcher	A. J. Wright	
	R. F. Humphries	C. Smith	
	P. F. Clubb		
	A. R. Archer		

Prefects:—J. P. H. Webber (Head Prefect), F. L. Partington (Senior Boarder Prefect), A. R. Allum, L. C. Dibben, C. J. Evans, J. A. Forward, R. S. Humphrey, R. M. Humphries, S. D. A. Johnson, I. Kirby, D. J. Winskill.

Head Boys:—M. E. Andrews, R. G. Hyde, C. G. S. Janes, M. W. B. Janes, E. H. Macey, E. A. Mann, O. C. Salisbury, A. M. Stacey, G. F. Stacey, P. B. Tamplin, P. A. Tomlinson, P. M. Toms, R. B. Upton-Brown.

VALETE

M. Andrews	.. Form VA	Entered Term III, 1947. G.C.E., 1952.
P. D. Alner	.. Form VB	Entered Term III, 1947.
A. G. Ambrose	.. Form VC	Entered Term III, 1948.
J. C. Blandford	.. Form VB	Entered Term III, 1947. Football XI, 1952.
J. Imber	.. Form VB	Entered Term III, 1948.
R. G. Mullens	.. Form VB	Entered Term III, 1947.
P. B. Tamplin	.. Form VA	Entered Term II, 1951. G.C.E. 1952.

TERM I, 1953

NEW BOYS

J. Smith (*Trojan*)

Prefects:—J. P. H. Webber (Head Prefect), F. L. Partington (Senior Boarder Prefect), A. R. Allum, L. C. Dibben, C. J. Evans, J. A. Forward, R. S. Humphrey, R. M. Humphries, S. D. A. Johnson, I. Kirby, D. J. Winskill.

Head Boys:—M. E. Andrews, R. G. Hyde, C. G. S. Janes, M. W. B. Janes, E. H. Macey, E. A. Mann, A. J. Newman, O. C. Salisbury, A. M. Stacey, G. F. Stacey, P. B. Tamplin, P. A. Tomlinson, P. M. Toms, R. B. Upton-Brown.

VALETE

D. S. Pike .. Form VA Entered Term III, 1948.

N. Prynne .. Form II Entered Term III, 1952.

TERM II, 1953

NEW BOYS

J. Osbourne (*Corinthians*)

Prefects:—J. P. H. Webber (Head Prefect), F. L. Partington (Senior Boarder Prefect), A. R. Allum, L. C. Dibben, C. J. Evans, J. A. Forward, R. S. Humphrey, R. M. Humphries, S. D. A. Johnson, I. Kirby, D. J. Winskill.

Head Boys:—B. Foot, R. G. Hyde, C. G. S. Janes, M. W. B. Janes, E. H. Macey, E. A. Mann, A. J. Miller, A. J. Newman, O. C. Salisbury, A. M. Stacey, G. F. Stacey, P. M. Toms, T. R. L. Williams.

VALETE

P. J. Alford .. Form VB Entered Term III, 1948.

A. R. Allum .. Form VI Entered Term I, 1944. Prefect. Rugby XV, 1952, 1953; Colours 1953. Football XI, 1950, 1952. Sergeant. Cert. "A." Cert "T." G.C.E., 1952. G.C.E. (adv.), 1953. Entrance Exam. to R.M.A., Sandhurst.

P. Barrett .. Form VB Entered Term III, 1945. Under 14 Long Jump Record.

P. R. Bradley .. Form VA Entered Term III, 1945. Cert. "A." Cert. "T." G.C.E. 1953.

M. E. Breeds .. Form VA Entered Term II, 1945. G.C.E., 1953. Rugby XV, 1953. Football XI, 1952. Champion Athlete, 1953.

D. Coward .. Form VB Entered Term III, 1948.

J. Coward .. Form VB Entered Term III, 1948.

R. J. Coward .. Form Vc Entered Term III, 1949.

D. W. Davidge .. Form VA Entered Term III, 1948. G.C.E., 1953.

L. C. Dibben .. Form VI Entered Term III, 1944. Prefect. Cricket XI, 1952, 1953. Colours, 1953. G.C.E., 1952. G.C.E. (adv.), 1953.

C. J. Evans .. Form VA Entered Term III, 1947. Prefect. G.C.E., 1953.

J. A. Forward	..	Form VA	Entered Term III, 1948. Prefect. G.E.C. 1953.
J. T. George	..	Form IIA	Entered Term III, 1952.
R. R. Hall	..	Form VA	Entered Term III, 1948. Rugby XV, 1953. Cert. "A." Cert. "T."
I. Hayter	..	Form VA	Entered Term III, 1947.
A. J. C. Hughes	..	Form IIA	Entered Term III, 1952.
R. S. Humphrey	..	Form VA	Entered Term III, 1944. Prefect. Football XI, 1952. Cricket XI, 1951—1953. Cricket Colours, 1953. Cert. "A." Cert. "T." G.C.E., 1953.
R. M. Humphries		Form VA	Entered Term III, 1948. Prefect. Rugby XV, 1953. Sergeant, Cert. "A." Cert. "T." G.C.E., 1953.
R. G. Hyde	..	Form VA	Entered Term III, 1948. Football XI, 1952. Colours 1953. Rugby XV, 1953. Cricket XI, 1952, 1953. Cricket Colours, 1952. "Genge" Fielding Cup, 1953. "Rousell" Football Cup, 1953. G.C.E., 1953.
S. D. A. Johnson	..	Form VA	Entered Term III, 1947. Rugby XV, 1951, 1953. Colours, 1952. Cricket XI, 1952, 1953. Colours, 1953. "Windebank" Bowling Cup, 1953. Cert. "A." Cert. "T." G.C.E., 1953.
E. H. Macey	..	Form VI	Entered Term III, 1947. Cert "A." Cert. "T." G.C.E., 1952, 1953.
E. A. Mann	..	Form VA	Entered Term III, 1946. Cert. "A." Cert. "T."
M. D. Mayne	..	Form VB	Entered Term III, 1945. Cricket XI, 1953.
F. T. Moody	..	Form VA	Entered Term III, 1948. G.C.E. 1952 and 1953.
F. J. Parsons	..	Form VA	Entered Term III, 1947. G.C.E., 1953.
A. J. Power	..	Form VB	Entered Term III, 1948. Cert. "T."
B. Ridout	..	Form Vc	Entered Term III, 1948.
O. C. Salisbury	..	Form VI	Entered Term III, 1946. G.C.E., 1951 G.C.E. (adv.), 1953. "Davis," Mile Cup 1953.
E. G. Sims	..	Form VA	Entered Term III, 1948. G.C.E., 1952.
G. F. Stacey	..	Form VA	Entered Term III, 1947. G.C.E., 1952, 1953. Football XI, 1952.
R. A. G. Stainer	..	Form VA	Entered Term III, 1948. G.C.E., 1953. Football XI, 1952.
B. Stoodley	..	Form Vc	Entered Term III, 1949.
B. Thorn	..	Form Vc	Entered Term III, 1948.
P. A. Tomlinson	..	Form VA	Entered Term III, 1947. Cricket XI, 1953. Colours, 1953. Rugby XV, 1953. Cert. "A." Cert. "T." G.C.E., 1952, 1953.
P. M. Toms	..	Form VA	Entered Term III, 1948. Cert "A." Cert. "T." G.C.E., 1953. "Spry" Fives Cup, 1953.

- R. B. Upton-Brown Form VA Entered Term III, 1945. G.C.E., 1953. Cricket XI, 1951—1953. Colours 1953. Football XI, 1952. Colours 1952. Rugby XV 1952, 1953. G.C.E., 1953.
- J. P. H. Webber .. Form VI Entered Term III, 1948. Head Prefect. Football XI, 1951, 1952. Colours. Rugby XV, 1952, 1953. Cricket, 1953. C.S.M. Cert. "A." Cert. "T." "Tovey" Shooting Cup, 1952. G.C.E., 1952. G.C.E. (adv.), 1953.
- D. J. Winskill .. Form VI Entered Term III, 1946. Prefect. "Cert. "A." Cert. "T." G.C.E., 1952, G.C.E. (adv.), 1953.

TERM III, 1953

NEW BOYS

<i>Corinthians</i>	<i>Romans</i>	<i>Spartans</i>	<i>Trojans</i>
D. A. Alford	R. J. Christopher	B. J. Young	P. C. Woodley
D. Parsons	B. R. Sumsion	P. Giles	W. R. Moody
C. A. Matthew	R. C. Merefield	J. Taylor	M. J. Haraing
P. N. Cannell	D. J. Curtis	C. Allen	M. F. Milner
M. Croft	B. Stacpoole	B. R. Roberts	D. J. Main
A. D. Fisher	M. Perrett	A. Cranmer	A. P. Clapp
R. Middlemas	M. P. Freemantle	A. J. Grant-Evans	L. J. Wyatt
A. Woodward	M. G. Parsons	C. H. Dowding	T. B. Noyes
T. Dacombe	D. F. Grimwood	R. Gibbons	P. D. Steel
M. Galindo	V. G. Humphries	B. E. Jeans	P. G. Lewis
B. Williamson			J. M. Porter
K. I. M. Ingram			J. Mayo
C. A. Wright			
R. Morgan			
P. G. Hill			

Prefects:—F. L. Partington (Head Prefect), I. Kirby, C. G. S. Janes, A. M. Stacey, K. Terrington, B. Foot, M. W. B. Janes, A. J. Newman, B. Johnson.

Head Boys:—T. R. L. Williams, A. J. Salisbury, K. J. Sanger, W. Tunley, B. J. W. Pingree, A. J. Miller, R. G. Quick, J. R. Mann, J. M. B. Evans, M. B. Sims.

WINNERS OF CUPS, Etc.

1952

"Johnson" Batting Cup.....	M. E. Doggrell
"Genge" Fielding Cup.....	D. W. Scott
"Windebank" Bowling Cup.....	M. E. Doggrell
"Daniel" Under 14 Cup.....	J. A. Harris
"Dennis" Tennis Cup.....	M. E. Doggrell
"Rousell" Football Cup.....	C. H. Drake
"Davis" Mile Cup.....	G. I. Drew
"Spry Fives Cup.....	M. E. Doggrell
"Tovey" Shooting Cup.....	A. M. Stacey
"Sportsman's" Cup.....	R. M. Kemp

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1953

"Johnson" Batting Cup.....	F. L. Partington
"Genge" Fielding Cup.....	R. G. Hyde
"Windebank" Bowling Cup.....	S. D. A. Johnson
"Daniel" Under 14 Cup.....	A. J. Cornwell
"Dennis" Tennis Cup.....	C. G. S. Janes
"Rousell" Football Cup.....	R. G. Hyde
"Davis" Mile Cup.....	O. C. Salisbury
"Spry" Fives Cup.....	P. M. Toms
"Tovey" Shooting Cup.....	J. P. H. Webber
"John Miles" Shooting Cup.....	B. E. Dobinson
"Sportsman's" Cup.....	R. A. G. Watkins

General Certificates of Education were awarded to the following boys :—

1952

ADVANCED LEVEL

P. L. Cole	.. (E, F.)
L. C. Dibben	.. (m. p. g.)
M. G. Hallett	.. (E, F, H.)
R. M. Kemp	.. (g, p.)
R. W. S. Law	.. (M, P, C.)

ORDINARY LEVEL

A. R. Allum	.. (e.lg, e.lt., f, h, m.)
E. H. Macey	.. (e.lt., f, h, g, m.)
P. N. Rendell	.. (e.lg., e.lt., f, m, g.sc.)
C. H. Drake	.. (e.lt., g, m, g.sc.)
D. J. Winskill	.. (e.lg., e.lt., f, h.)
A. M. Stacey	.. (e.lt., h. m., g.sc.)
P. B. Tamplin	.. (e.lg., l, f, m.)
J. R. Hall	.. (e.lg., e.lt., m.)
I. G. Palmer	.. (e.lg., e.lt., f.)
O. C. Salisbury	.. (e.lg., m.)
M. A. E. Andrews	.. (r.k., m.)
G. J. Hatch	.. (e.lg., e.lt.)
I. Kirby	.. (e.lg., m.)
E. A. Mann	.. (e.lt., m.)
R. Shean	.. (a, m.)
G. F. Stacey	.. (f, m.)
P. A. Tomlinson	.. (f, m.)
L. C. Dibben	.. (e.lg.)
R. S. Gibb	.. (m.)
J. P. H. Webber	.. (m.)
S. J. Fricker	.. (e.lt.)
S. D. A. Johnson	.. (e.lt.)
P. W. Page	.. (e.lt.)
C. S. Philip	.. (a.)

1953

ADVANCED LEVEL

A. R. Allum	.. (E, f, H.)
L. C. Dibben	.. (M, p.)
O. C. Salisbury	.. (e, f, H.)
J. P. H. Webber	.. (g, M, p.)
D. J. Winskill	.. (E, F, H.)
E. H. Macey	.. (m.)

ORDINARY LEVEL

M. W. B. Janes	..	(e.lg., e.lt., l, f, h, m, g.sc.)
M. J. Hallett	..	(e.lg., e.lt., f, h, m, g.sc.)
C. G. S. Janes	..	(e.lg., e.lt., l, f, h, m.)
A. J. Newman	..	(e.lg., e.lt., f, h, g, m.)
G. F. Stacey	..	(l, f, h, g, m, g.sc.)
M. E. Breeds	..	(e.lg., e.lt., h, m, g.sc.)
J. R. Mann	..	(e.lg., e.lt., f, h, m.)
K. J. Sanger	..	(e.lg., e.lt., f, m, g.sc.)
T. R. L. Williams	..	(e.lg., e.lt., f, h, m.)
F. L. Partington	..	(e.lg., f, h, m.)
A. J. Salisbury	..	(e.lg., l, f, m.)
C. J. Evans	..	(e.lg., e.lt., f, h.)
R. M. Humphries	..	(h, g, m, g.sc.)
S. D. A. Johnson	..	(e.lg., e.lt., h, g.)
I. Kirby	..	(e.lg., e.lt., h, m.)
A. J. Miller	..	(e.lg., f, h, m.)
E. G. Sims	..	(e.lt., h, g, m.)
R. B. Upton-Brown	..	(e.lt., h, m, g.sc.)
R. A. G. Watkins	..	(e.lg., e.lt., h, m.)
R. M. Conibear	..	(e.lg., g, g.sc.)
B. G. Johnson	..	(e.lg., e.lt., h.)
F. J. Parsons	..	(e.lg., f, a.)
P. A. Tomlinson	..	(e.lg., f, m.)
A. M. Stacey	..	(e.lg., f.)
P. R. Bradley	..	(a, m.)
D. W. Davidge	..	(f, h.)
R. G. Hyde	..	(e.lg., e.lt.)
B. D. Long	..	(m, g.sc.)
R. G. Quick	..	(e.lt., m.)
R. A. G. Stainer	..	(f, m.)
P. M. Toms	..	(e.lt., m.)
E. H. Macey	..	(g.sc.)
J. A. Forward	..	(m)
R. R. Hall	..	(e.lg.)
R. S. Humphrey	..	(e.lt.)
E. A. Mann	..	(h.)
F. T. Moody	..	(m.)

The letters in brackets after each name represent the subjects in which passes were obtained. A capital letter denotes a pass at the Advanced Level.

E.Lg. English Language	M. Mathematics.
E.Lt. English Literature	P. Physics
F. French	G.Sc. General Science
L. Latin	A. Art
H. History	C. Chemistry
G. Geography	
R.K. Religious Knowledge	

GAMES NOTES

Rugger, 1952

v. WIMBORNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL. Lost 3—6.

This was an even game, lost because of a loose defence. The forwards were good, particularly Kemp, Drake and S. D. Johnson.

v. WIMBORNE TOWN.A. Won 15—11.

A bright and keen game full of exciting episodes. Kemp, Drake and Johnson again shone amongst the forwards. Kirby and Allum were good on the wings and Hall made several powerful bursts through the centre.

v. PORTCHESTER SCHOOL. Lost 8—9.

Another keenly fought and even game which School should not have lost. Chances came from penalty kicks from good positions. Kemp inspired his side and the threes made good use of the ball on the few occasions they received it.

v. POOLE GRAMMAR SCHOOL. Lost 0—11.

A hard game played in a light drizzle. It was lost because of weak tackling. Kemp and Johnson often gained possession in lines-out, but could not get the ball back. The forwards were out-weighted.

v. PORTCHESTER SCHOOL. Lost 5—38.

The game was closer than the score suggests. Weak tackling again caused defeat, with poor touch-finding a contributory cause. School had no answer to the cross-kick employed by the Portchester threes.

v. WIMBORNE. Lost 3—18.

If School had played to the whistle, the score would not have been so adverse. Watkins played a fine game at full-back.

The following were awarded their colours for the season; R. H. Kemp (Capt.), A. R. Allum, D. N. Ireland, S. D. Johnson, I. Kirby.

1st XV.—R. A. G. Watkins (F.B.), G. I. Drew (R.W.), A. J. Newman (R.C.), J. R. Hall (L.C.), J. Kirby (L.W.), A. R. Allum (F.H.), R. B. Upton-Brown (S.H.), D. N. Ireland, R. S. Gibb, C. H. Drake, R. H. Kemp, S. D. Johnson, A. B. Jones, J. P. Webber, A. M. Stacey, F. L. Partington (Forwards).

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MASTERS v. SHAFTESBURY TOWN. Abandoned. Masters 64 for 6.

Mr. Scalbert and Mr. Brooke had a bright opening partnership but only Doggrell was otherwise successful.

MASTERS v. SHERBORNE TOWN 2ND XI. Masters 109 for 5 dec. Sherborne 85 for 6. Drawn.

Mr. Brooke was top scorer with 26 and tail-enders Scott and Upton-Brown with 11 and 12 respectively carried the score above 100. Doggrell bowled well.

1st XI v. CLAYESMORE. Won by a wicket and 25 runs.

Clayesmore had scored 50 for 6 when Doggrell dismissed the last four batsmen with successive balls. C. Janes 17, Scott 16, and Partington 15, ensured victory.

1ST XI v. BISHOP WORDSWORTH'S SCHOOL. 1st XI 113 for 7. Bishop Wordsworth's 39 for 9. Drawn.

Humphrey scored an invaluable, if lucky, 44. The early Bishop Wordsworth batsmen collapsed, but the middle and tail resisted stubbornly. Doggrell raised hopes by taking the ninth wicket with the fifth ball of the last over, but No. 11 survived the last ball. Doggrell took 7 wickets.

MASTERS v. BOURNEMOUTH SPORTS CLUB. Masters 114. B.S.C. 102. Won.

After a good opening partnership, Bournemouth were skittled by Mr. Scalbert, who also gave a good start to the Masters' batting. Mr. Cole and Mr. Bates both had lively innings.

MASTERS v. AGRARIANS. Masters 147. Agrarians 121. Won.

Old boy, John Harding, made 55 of the Agrarian's total. The earlier batsmen for the Masters did not long survive and the position was critical when Doggrell and Partington lost their wickets, but Mr. Bates and Kemp stayed long enough to pass the Agrarians' total.

UNDER 14 v. BLANDFORD UNDER 14. S.G.S. 58, Blandford 96. Lost.

Baker, Strickett, Wareham and Harris, D., contributed most to our score. Woods and Harris were the most successful bowlers.

MASTERS v. POOLE GRAMMAR SCHOOL MASTERS. Masters 65, Poole 67. Lost.

Mr. Scalbert gave a fine display in making 41 of the 65 and was given most support by Mr. Hopton with whom he had a partnership of 23. Poole's ninth wicket fell at 64, but the last man stayed while three runs were added.

1ST XI v. CLAYESMORE. S.G.S. 53 for 5, Clayesmore 52. Won.

After losing 5 wickets for 15 runs, Clayesmore reached their total of 52 with a good last wicket partnership. S. D. Johnson took 4 wickets for 12 and Doggrell 4 for 15. Partington batted well in scoring 35 not out.

S.G.S. A XI v. POOLE GRAMMAR SCHOOL A XI. S.G.S. 80, Poole 117 for 8. Lost.

Poole batted slowly before tea but more briskly afterwards. Their declaration was late and when Hyde had batted confidently for 25, a drawn game seemed certain, but our middle batsmen threw their wickets away.

1ST XI v. CANFORD II. 1st XI 46 for 9. Canford 45. Won.

Doggrell bowled aggressively and in taking 8 wickets for 14, virtually dismissed Canford himself. Half of our batsmen were out for 31 and it was left to Scott (18) and C. Janes (16) to take our score past Canford's.

2ND XI v. CANFORD III. 2nd XI 138 for 8. Canford 79 for 9, Drawn.

Tomlinson, Watkins, Drake, Palmer and P. Cole batted well. Terrington took a wicket with the first ball of the Canford innings and M. Janes 4 for 14.

1ST XI v. GILLINGHAM GRAMMAR SCHOOL. 1st XI 99 for 6. Gillingham 64. Won.

Gibb (37) was most successful with the bat. Kemp took 6 wickets for 21 and Doggrell 4 for 24.

MASTERS v. SHERBORNE TOWN II. Masters 138 for 7. Sherborne 73.

Sherborne soon lost four wickets for a meagre 13 runs, but Vincent and Muspratt helped to a final score of 73. The Masters quickly passed the Sherborne total. Mr. Scalbert (43), Mr. Bates (39).

A XI v. BLANDFORD GRAMMAR SCHOOL. A XI 101 for 9 dec., Blandford 88 for 2. Drawn.

Most of the 1st XI were playing for the Masters at Sherborne and the A XI did well to draw with a strong Blandford side, thanks chiefly to a fine innings of 40 by B. D. Cole.

1ST XI v. FOSTERS. 1st XI 158 for 7 dec., Fosters 71. Won.

Hyde played an aggressive innings of 77, making 39 of the 43 runs of the opening partnership. Half Fosters XI were out for 45, only House (10) offering any resistance. Partington took 3 wickets for 14.

1ST XI v. WIMBORNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL. 1st XI 107 for 4. Wimborne 106 for 8. Won.

Wimborne declared at 106 for 8. Doggrell was our chief scorer with 46, Hyde giving solid aid with 20. Doggrell's bowling analysis was 5 for 35.

UNDER 14 v. FOSTERS. S.G.S. 132 for 4 dec., Fosters 56 for 3. Drawn.

The batsmen of both sides were superior to the bowlers. Taylor (39) and J. Harris (50) batted well.

UNDER 14 v. WIMBORNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL. S.G.S. 86, Wimborne 56. Won.

The Harris brothers, D. and J. contributed most to our total. Pingree bowled well without having much luck. He finished with 3 for 19.

MASTERS v. BOURNEMOUTH SPORTS CLUB. Masters 143, B.S.C. 144 for 7. Lost.

Doggrell scored quickly before being caught on the boundary for 49. Mr. Minchin played a grand innings of 59. Doggrell was our most effective bowler with 6 for 59.

2ND XI. v. CLAYESMORE 2ND XI. S.G.S. 115, Clayesmore 85 for 8. Drawn.

Our batting was uneven only Drake and Johnson getting runs among the earlier batsmen and Stacey, A. M. and Cole, P. L., among the tail-enders. Clayesmore reached 86 for 6 but then just managed to save the game.

UNDER 15 v. CLAYESMORE UNDER 15. S.G.S. 40, Clayesmore 42 for 5. Lost.

Not one Shaftesbury batsman could reach double figures. Clayesmore lost their first three wicket cheaply. B. D. Cole 2 for 14, Miller 2 for 18.

1ST XI v. OLD BOYS' 1ST XI. S.G.S. 207 for 3, O.B. XI 136. Won.

The Old Boys' total was the highest against the 1st XI for the season. Hugh Friend scored 44 and Doggrell took 5 wickets for 43. Doggrell gave a good start to School's innings with 44 and Upton-Brown, 66 not out, and Kemp, 39 not out, consolidated his efforts.

2ND XI v. OLD BOYS' 2ND XI. 2nd XI 138, O.B. XI 139. Lost.

The O.B.'s. score was due mainly to the hard-hitting partnership of Jack Miles and J. T. Green. Drake took 6 wickets including, at one period, 3 for 0. Newman, A. (48) and Johnson, S. D. (44) were School's chief scorers.

MASTERS v. SHERBORNE SCHOOL 2ND XI. Masters 186 for 9 dec. Sherborne 187 for 6. Lost.

Mr. Scalbert and Gibb made a good opening stand of 71 before the former was out for 44. Gibb (37), Mr. Bates (38), Doggrell (25). Sherborne lost 4 wicket for 68 but a fifth wicket stand of over a hundred runs brought them victory.

1ST XI.—R. N. Kemp, M. E. Doggrell, F. L. Partington, D. W. Scott, R. B. Upton-Brown, R. S. Humphrey, R. S. Gibb, C. G. S. Janes, L. C. Dibben, R. G. Hyde, B. D. Cole.

Colours for the season were awarded to : R. M. Kemp (Capt.), M. E. Doggrell (Vice-Capt.), F. L. Partington (Old Colours); R. G. Hyde, D. W. Scott, R. B. Upton-Brown.

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1ST XI v. BOURNEMOUTH SCHOOL. Lost 1—6.

School were three down at half-time, the defence being unable to cope with the clever work of Bournemouth's inside forwards. School's forwards came more into the picture in the second half and Watkins scored from an acute angle.

1ST XI v. BLANDFORD GRAMMAR SCHOOL. Lost 2—5.

The score was one all at half-time but Blandford netted twice soon after the interval. When Newman A. was carried off injured, Blandford had the game all their own way.

UNDER 14 v. BOURNEMOUTH SCHOOL. Won 5—4.

The Under 14 XI led 3—1 at the interval but Bournemouth then had more of the play, scoring 3 to our 2. Vincent 2, Wareham 2, Parker 1.

UNDER 14 v. BLANDFORD. Won 3—2.

School played well in the second half to turn a 2—1 defeat into a 3—2 victory. Parker 2, S. Newman 1.

1ST XI v. GILLINGHAM GRAMMAR SCHOOL. Lost 3—2.

Gillingham's 3 goals were scored in the first stage of the game by their centre-forward. After the interval, School played the better football and nearly forced a draw. Terrington 2.

UNDER 14 v. GILLINGHAM. Lost 2—5.

Gillingham did not have such an easy game as the score suggests. At the start of the game our backs were shaky and our opponents scored 3 goals. Parker and Newman, S. had one goal each.

1ST XI v. OLD BOYS. Lost 3—5.

From the first minute this game was fast and lively and kept the spectators on their toes. Webber 2 and Terrington 1, scored for School. Tory 3, Streeter 1, Toogood 1, for the Old Boys.

2ND XI v. OLD BOYS. Won 6—1.

The Old Boys made their best efforts during the first five minutes of the game and the early part of the second half. Scorers, School, Kirby 3, Tomlinson 1, Blandford 1, Bleach (o.g.). Old Boys, Flower.

1ST XI v. WIMBORNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL. Won 4—1.

In the first half, School combined well and scored four times through Watkins. Late in the second half, Jones, A. B., left-back, was injured and School were on the defensive, but could not prevent Wimborne scoring once.

UNDER 14 v. WIMBORNE. Lost 5—7.

Our Juniors played well in the first half but cracked under pressure after the interval. Parker 3, Vincent 1, S. Newman 1.

1ST v. LORD WEYMOUTH'S. Won 4—1.

A poor game played in poor conditions. Both sides worked hard but to little avail in the slippery conditions. Terrington 2; Watkins 2.

UNDER 14 v. LORD WEYMOUTH'S. Lost 3—4.

Although the Juniors, fielding many reserves, led 2—0 at half-time, their lack of ability showed itself as the game progressed. Parker 2, Wilmot 1.

1ST XI v. BOURNEMOUTH SCHOOL. Lost 2—5.

Bournemouth attacked strongly at first and took the lead, but School fought back. However, in the later stages, our opponents scored four quick goals. Webber 1, Watkins 1.

UNDER 14 v. BOURNEMOUTH SCHOOL.

Abandoned with the score at 6—1 against. Owing to the state of the pitch this match had to be abandoned ten minutes after the start of the second half.

1ST XI v. WIMBORNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL. Lost 1—3.

The 1st XI scored first through Allum, but from then on Wimborne dictated the course of the game.

UNDER 14 v. WIMBORNE. 2—2 Drawn.

This match, played in a high wind, was marred by the mis-kicking of the S.G.S. backs. Parker 1, S. Newman 1.

1ST XI v. GILLINGHAM GRAMMAR SCHOOL. 4—4 Drawn.

Gillingham scrambled three goals after the interval to rob us of our interval lead of 3—1, but a break through the defence and goal by Watkins brought us level. Watkins 3, Stainer 1.

UNDER 14 v. GILLINGHAM. Lost 4—6.

In the first half there was little our defence could do to stop Gillingham scoring five goals. Our forwards changed the picture in the second half by scoring four, but Gillingham went further ahead with another goal. Parker 2, Wareham 1, Vincent 1.

MASTERS XI v. ST. BONIFACE. Won 4—1.

The theological students scored first but Mr. Williams soon equalised and Watkins gained the lead before half-time. Mr. Brooke scored a third and Terrington made it a final 4—1.

1ST XI v. BLANDFORD. 4—4 Drawn.

An apathetic match which Blandford seemed to be winning easily but twenty minutes before the end, School woke up and scored three quick goals. Webber 2, Stainer 1, Allum 1.

Colours for the season were awarded to :—R. A. G. Watkins (Old Colour), J. P. Webber, R. B. Upton-Brown, R. G. Hyde, A. J. Newman.

1ST XI.—R. B. Upton-Brown (G.), G. F. Stacey (R.B.), A. B.

Jones (L.B.), A. M. Stacey (R.H.), R. G. Hyde (C.H.), A. J. Newman (L.H.), R. A. Stainer (R.W.), J. P. Webber (Capt. I.R.), R. A. G. Watkins (C.F.), K. J. Terrington (I.L.), A. R. Allum (O.L.).

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1ST XV v. WIMBORNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL. Lost 3—20.

Wimborne were not so superior as the score suggests. The game was a forward battle. Wimborne scored first, then school equalised with a try by Watkins. At half-time it was 3—6 against School.

1ST XV v. POOLE GRAMMAR SCHOOL. 3—3 Drawn.

School took the lead with a penalty goal by Watkins, which they kept until well into the second half when Poole crossed for a try. During the last five minutes the game was on the Poole line.

1ST XV v. PORTCHESTER. Lost 0—22.

Portchester were held to 8 points in the first half, but then their greater experience told. Watkins played brilliantly at full-back.

1ST XV v. WIMBORNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL. Lost 8—13

After losing a good forward in Jones, A. B., and being 13 points down at half-time, School fought back. Allum scored a try which was converted by Kirby who also crossed the line to score himself.

1ST XV v. PORTCHESTER. Lost 3—17.

During the first half it was nearly all Portchester. The School pack fought hard against strong opposition but when they hooked the ball it rarely reached the wings. Evans scored a try.

1ST XV v. POOLE GRAMMAR SCHOOL. Won 11—6.

At the interval the score was 6 all. Most of the play in the second half was in Poole territory. Kirby a try and a penalty goal; Hyde a try which Partington converted.

Colours for the season were awarded to :—A. R. Allum (Capt.), I. Kirby (Vice-Capt.), both old colours, R. A. G. Watkins, A. M. Stacey.

1ST XV.—A. C. Jones, K. J. Terrington, A. B. Jones, B. Johnson, R. M. Humphries, F. L. Partington, R. G. Hyde, R. B. Upton-Brown, A. J. Newman, I. Kirby, A. R. Allum, A. M. Stacey, R. A. G. Watkins, J. Webber, J. B. Evans, R. R. Hall. S. D. Johnson, who had been elected captain, could not play throughout the term owing to injury.

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1ST XI v. BLANDFORD GRAMMAR SCHOOL. Lost 3—4.

Blandford gained two early goals because of bad covering by School's defence, and a third just before half-time. Meanwhile Kirby

netted for School. After the interval, School put everything into attack and Watkins scored twice. Just before the final whistle Blandford shot the winning goal.

1ST XI v. WIMBORNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL. 5—5 Drawn.

School led in the first half by 4—1 with three goals from Watkins and one from Terrington. Watkins netted again just after the interval but Wimborne scored four times in quick succession.

UNDER 14 v. WIMBORNE. Lost 2—7.

Cornwell, Simpson and Cranmer were the best of our Juniors, but weak passing cost the School the game.

1ST XI v. FOSTERS. Won 2—1

Fosters scored a quick goal but School attacked for the rest of the half but could get only one goal by Watkins from a Kirby pass. It was not until three minutes from the end that Terrington put the winning goal in the net.

1ST XI v. GILLINGHAM GRAMMAR SCHOOL. Won 10—1.

Gillingham were the first to score but hardly ever played outside their own half for the rest of the game. Watkins 5, Terrington 2, Parker 2, Newman, S. 1.

UNDER 14 v. FOSTERS. 3—3 Drawn.

This was a ding-dong affair with each side scoring in turn. Milverton 2, Edwards 1.

UNDER 14 v. GILLINGHAM. Won 7—6.

All Gillingham's goals came in the second half, when Cox at centre-half was injured. Jarvis played well in his first game. Edwards 4, Archer 2, Cranmer 1.

1ST XI v. OLD BOYS' 1ST XI. Lost 2—5.

Partington fumbled early and Streeter tapped the ball into the net. Watkins equalised but Doggrell scored to give the Old Boys a 2—1 lead at half-time. Kirby soon equalised but Doggrell completed the hat-trick with 2 more goals and Tory scored a fifth.

2ND XI v. OLD BOYS' 2ND XI. Lost 4—6.

For the first twenty minutes both sides attacked in turn, then the Old Boys netted twice and the right back turned the ball into his own goal. Tozer put the Old Boys further ahead soon after the interval and the final score was 4—6

1ST XI v. WIMBORNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL. Won 4—3.

This match was a triumph for Watkins who scored all four goals.

MASTERS v. ST. BONIFACE. Won 19—1.

The rain poured down during this game and the students lacked physical fitness. Watkins 9, Mr. Brooke 3, Terrington 3, Kirby 2, Mr. Bayliss 2.

1ST XI and MASTERS v. A SOUTHERN AMATEUR LEAGUE XI. Lost 1—12.

This was a pleasant return to a pre-war fixture. Our visitors played skilful and entertaining football which was much too good for us.

UNDER 15 v. MODERN SCHOOL. Lost 4—5.

School had much the better of this game territorially, but the Modern School were superior in front of goal. Our Juniors did not combine well. Taylor 2, Parker 1, Wareham 1.

1ST XI v. BOURNEMOUTH SCHOOL. 3—3 Drawn.

Bournemouth soon had the ball in our net and at half-time led 2—0. Immediately after the interval they added another goal, but School, undismayed, kept well in the game to claim the remaining goals. Terrington 2, Watkins 1. Newman, A., Morton, Stacey, played well in defence.

UNDER 14 v. BOURNEMOUTH. Lost 1—7.

On the whole, our Juniors did well to keep the score within the limits of 7. Vincent scored our goal in the last minutes.

1ST XI v. FOSTERS. Won 4—1.

S. Newman, Parker, Terrington and Watkins were our scorers. After half-time the pace of the game slowed because of the muddy ground. The School halves played well, particularly Newman, A. at centre-half.

1ST XI v. GILLINGHAM GRAMMAR SCHOOL. Won 5—2.

The game was played in appalling conditions and many passes went astray because of the mud. At half-time the score was 2—1 in our favour but an equaliser came from a goal-mouth scramble just after the re-start. The rest of the game was entirely in our favour. Watkins (3), Terrington 1, Cole 1.

UNDER 14 v. FOSTERS. 2—2 Drawn.

Fosters were on top at first but Cranmer then scored for School, quickly followed by one from Archer. At the interval the score was 2—1. Fosters were superior in the second half, but could do no more than get the equaliser.

1ST XI v. BLANDFORD. Won 6—1.

This being the last away game, the 1st XI were anxious to maintain their unbeaten away record. They played very good football for the first 40 minutes, deteriorated for the next 25, then came back strongly. Cole 4, Watkins 2.

1ST XI v. BOURNEMOUTH. Lost 2—3.

Bournemouth brought a strong XI but only just managed to win in a thick mist which hid half the field from the players. S. Newman 1, Cole 1.

Colours were awarded for the season to:—R. A. G. Watkins, A. Newman (both old Colours), B. Morton, F. L. Partington, A. B. Jones, A. M. Stacey, K. Terrington, M. Sims.

The 1ST XI were chosen from:—R. A. G. Watkins (Capt. C.F.), A. Newman (Vice-capt. C.H.), F. L. Partington (G.), B. Morton (R.B.), A. B. Jones (L.B.), A. M. Stacey (R.H.), M. Sims (L.H.), I. Kirby (R.W.), B. D. Cole (R.W.), G. Parker (I.L.), S. Newman (L.W.).

UNDER 14 XI.—D. Simpson (G.), J. Jarvis (R.B.), M. Wilmot (L.B.), G. Davis (R.H.), E. R. Cox (C.H.), B. Hitchings (L.H.), B. Edwards (R.W.), M. Vincent (I.R.), A. Archer (C.F.), M. Milverton (I.L.), D. Parsons (O.L.), A. Cranmer (O.L.).

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MASTERS v. SHAFTESBURY TOWN. Masters 112, Shaftesbury Town 165, Lost.

Bright knocks by Mr. Brooke (20) and Partington, were the highlights of the Masters' innings. Mr. Minchin, 4 for 55 was most successful with the ball.

1ST XI v. FOSTERS. 1st XI 132 for 9 dec.; Fosters 41. Won.

Our early batsmen failed but the tail-enders did well. Jones, M. (22), Tomlinson (21), Cole (19), Johnson (18 n.o.). Johnson bowled with deadly accuracy to take 6 for 19.

1ST XI v. CANFORD II. 1st XI 76 for 3, Canford 72. Won.

Canford had no answer to the bowling of Upton-Brown (3). Partington (3), and Johnson (2). Partington gave a fine display in scoring 52 n.o.

MASTERS v. BOURNEMOUTH SPORTS CLUB. Masters 99, B.S.C. 123. Lost.

Mr. Cole with 7 for 20 did most to dismiss the Club. Only Partington (46) and Mr. Bayliss (22), offered any resistance to our opponents' attack.

MASTERS v. AGRARIANS. Masters 99 for 6. Agrarians 189 for 6 dec. Drawn.

Maurice Tory (63 n.o.) and Humphreys (33 n.o.), played havoc with our bowling and only a stubborn resistance by Mr. Bayliss (40 n.o.) and Mr. Cole (10 n.o.), saved the game.

1ST XI v. WIMBORNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL. 1st XI 117 for 8 dec., Wimborne 56 for 6. Drawn.

Upton-Brown (23) and Cole (22 n.o.) were our chief scorers, only Johnson otherwise doing anything substantial. Wimborne were in no hurry to score, being content to draw the game.

1ST XI v. GILLINGHAM GRAMMAR SCHOOL. 1st XI 110 for 3 dec., Gillingham 10. Won.

There were seven ducks in the Gillingham innings for they were demoralized by the fast bowling of Dibben, 4 for 1 and Johnson, 4 for 5. Partington was again top scorer with 50.

1ST XI v. BISHOP WORDSWORTH. 1st XI 123 for 5 dec., Bishop Wordsworth 48 for 1. Drawn.

The weather curtailed the playing time. Partington was again in great form with 50 n.o. Our bowlers were making little impression on our opponents No. 1.

MASTERS v. OAKDENE TOURING XI. Masters 106 for 7 dec., Oakdene 66 for 8. Drawn.

Partington (33) was once more the outstanding batsman. Mr. Cole 4 for 15, bowled well.

1ST XI v. CLAYESMORE. 1st XI 86, Clayesmore 91 for 9. Lost.

Mayne (35) and Cole (20) were the only batsmen to prove effective and Upton-Brown 5 for 35 had no one to support him in attack.

1ST XI v. FOSTERS. 1st XI 105 for 7 dec., Fosters 20 for 5. Drawn.

This match was frequently interrupted by rain which finally saved Fosters from defeat. Humphrey was top scorer with 21 and Dibben 2 for 8, Upton-Brown 1 for 3, Cole 2 for 1, all bowled well.

1ST XI v. DORCHESTER GRAMMAR SCHOOL. 1st XI 42, Dorchester 95 for 8 dec. Lost.

Dorchester declared, leaving us only an hour's batting. Foolishly all our batsmen threw away their wickets trying to do the impossible.

MASTERS v. BOURNEMOUTH SPORTS CLUB. Masters 134 for 8 dec. Match abandoned.

M. Doggrell returned to help the Masters and scored 35 good runs. Mr. Scalbert (25) and Mr. Cole (17) were the only others to make something. At tea it started to pour with rain.

MASTERS v. SHERBORNE SCHOOL 2ND XI. Masters 44 for 3, Sherborne 41. Won.

Sherborne were easily dismissed by Mr. Cole 4 for 16 and Mr. Minchin 5 for 25. Mr. Brooke with 24 helped to knock the runs off quickly.

1st XI v. CLAYESMORE. 1st XI 44, Clayesmore 45 for 8. Lost.

This was the first time that Clayesmore has beaten us twice in one season. Upton-Brown 3 for 15 and Partington 3 for 14, bowled well.

1st XI v. OLD SHASTONIANS. 1st XI 12 for 4, Old Shastonians 122. Abandoned.

The rain after tea saved the present boys from a heavy defeat, N. L. Friend (24) and M. E. Doggrell (34) did most for the Old Boys.

UNDER 15 v. CLAYESMORE. Under 15 126 for 8, Clayesmore 119. Won.

Pingree 4 for 32 and A'Barrow 3 for 26 were chiefly instrumental in the dismissal of Clayesmore. Taylor, T. D. (18), Newman, S. (14), Harris D. (15), Warr (17), Cornwell (15), Cushnie (34 n.o.), scored consistently.

UNDER 15 v. CLAYESMORE. Under 15 64 for 6 dec., Clayesmore 64 for 4. Drawn.

Taylor, T. D. (33), was impressive. Only the clock saved us.

2ND XI v. CANFORD III. 2nd XI 80, Canford 88. Lost.

Sims, M. was our only effective bowler. Were it not for Watkins (17) and Newman, A. (16), our score would have been very meagre.

A XI v. BLANDFORD GRAMMAR SCHOOL. A XI 102 for 5 dec., Blandford 41 for 2. Abandoned.

Dibben (41 n.o.), Humphrey 22, Janes, C. (18) gave us a good start.

2ND XI v. CLAYESMORE. 2nd XI 93, Clayesmore 35. Won.

Miller, 5 for 18, skittled Clayesmore and Quick (20), Watkins (24). ensured victory.

2ND XI v. OLD SHASTONIANS 2ND XI. 2nd XI 14 for 0, Old Shastonians 122. Abandoned.

Bleach (32), Palmer (32), Noble (26), Cole, M. J. (17) were the chief contributors to the Old Boys' score. Miller 4 for 30.

UNDER 14 v. FOSTERS. Under 14 75, Fosters 32. Won.

Otton (19), Forshaw (13), Wilmot (16). Cornwell 4 for 3, Foot 4 for 8.

UNDER 14 v. WIMBORNE GRAMMAR SCHOOL. Under 14 75, Wimborne 58 Won.

Otton (16) again batted well, as did Wilmot (18) and Cornwell (13). Cornwell 4 for 12.

UNDER 14 v. BLANDFORD GRAMMAR SCHOOL. Under 14 60, Blandford 8. Won.

Brock 4 for 6 and Foot 5 for 1, were unplayable. Otton (22) once more distinguished himself as an opening batsman. Strickett (21) came into his own in this match.

UNDER 14 v. BISHOP WORDSWORTH. Under 14 22 for 6. Bishop Wordsworth 86 for 2. Drawn.

Our innings contained five ducks and only time saved us from a heavy defeat.

UNDER 14 v. FOSTERS. Under 14 71 for 6 dec., Fosters 22 for 9. Drawn.

Wilmot was unlucky to be run out after scoring 35. Simpson, 4 for 7 nearly brought victory.

UNDER 14½ v. DORCHESTER. Under 14½ 87, Dorchester 71. Won.

Simpson 4 for 16 repeated his good bowling of the previous game. Harris J. (22) and Cornwell (25) were the agents of our victory. 1st XI colours for the season were awarded to F. Partington (Capt.), R. G. Hyde, R. B. Upton-Brown (all old Colours), C. G. Janes, B. D. Cole, S. D. Johnson, P. A. Tomlinson, L. C. Dibben, R. S. Humphrey.

The following represented the 1st XI:—F. L. Partington, R. G. Hyde, R. B. Upton-Brown, C. G. Janes, B. D. Cole, S. D. Johnson, P. A. Tomlinson, L. C. Dibben, R. S. Humphrey, M. W. Janes, A. J. Miller, M. D. Mayne, A. J. Newman, R. G. Quick, R. A. Watkins, J. P. Webber.

The following represented the Under 14 XI:—T. Otton, R. Forshaw, R. Strickett, A. J. Cornwell, M. Wilmot, R. Baker, D. Caines, N. Foot, D. Simpson, C. Collins, C. Wyndham, Brock, M. Vincent, A. Archer.

CADET CORPS

Since our last magazine was published the Corps has been very active and successful.

Two enjoyable Field Days have been held on Mr. John Harding's land at Tarrant Monkton and we are most grateful for his helpful co-operation.

The examination results have been outstandingly good as the following successes show:—

1952		1953	
<i>No. Entered</i>	<i>No. Passed</i>	<i>No. Entered</i>	<i>No. Passed</i>
Certificate A (Part 1)			
21	21	17	17
Certificate A (Part 2)			
17	7	17	17
Certificates T			
10	7	11	11

In 1952 we had our first War Office Inspection. Brig. E. N. K. Estcourt, D.S.O., O.B.E., came and his report was most gratifying. The 1953 Inspection was carried out by Brig. F. J. Mitchell, C.B.E., M.C. and his report was equally eulogistic.

The 1952 Camp was held at Pirbright during the last week of the summer term, forty-four cadets attending it. Fortunately C.S.M. Law had finished his G.C.E. Examination and was therefore able to give plenty of time to getting the camp kit ready. A considerable amount of the enjoyment of the Camp must be credited to him.

Courses have proved more popular and justly so, for they provide splendid training and are always most enjoyable. The following N.C.Os and cadets attended them:—

E. H. Macey	}	Field craft at Bulford.
W. Tunley		
R. A. Jones	}	Signals at Bulford.
I. Kirby		
R. J. R. Taylerson	}	Physical Training at Figsbury.
B. G. Johnson		
B. D. Cole	}	Drill at Dorchester.
A. H. Neale		

L. P. V. VEALE (Col.),
Officer Commanding.

PRIZE DISTRIBUTION, 1952

The Annual Prize Distribution was held at the School on May 9th, with the Chairman of the Governors (Mr. W. Farley Rutter) presiding.

The Chairman opened the proceedings by expressing a warm welcome to Sir Newman Flower, late head of the famous Cassell's Publishing Firm, who had recently come to live in Dorset at Tarrant Keynston. It was indeed a pleasure to have such a well-known native of Dorset on the school platform.

In his report Mr. Minchin said that the school had had a very successful year. Six sixth form boys had obtained G.C.E. certificates at the advanced level and no less than three of these had won County Major Scholarships, J. Handscombe a Dorset one and C. E. B. Butt and R. Woodhouse awards by the Wiltshire Education Committee. Eighteen boys had obtained certificates at the Ordinary Level. The high standard of the Cadet Corps had been maintained, seven cadets getting Certificates "A" and five getting Certificates "T." The cricket team had had a successful season but the football XI was a little below the average standard of previous years.

After presenting the Prizes and Certificates to their winners, Sir Newman Flower expressed his and Lady Flower's pleasure at being present on such an important occasion. He congratulated the boys who had distinguished themselves by gaining certificates and prizes and advised the unsuccessful ones to keep on trying. All could develop those qualities which produced the ability to live happy and successful lives.

The proceedings ended with a vote of thanks to Sir Newman Flower for his kindness and with the singing of the National Anthem.

PRIZE LIST 1952

Form Prizes.—Form VI, C. E. B. Butt, J. Handscombe; Va, R. D. C. Jones, O. C. Salisbury; Vb, F. L. Partington, A. J. Salisbury; Vc, P. W. Page, S. D. A. Johnson; IV, M. J. Hallett, C. G. S. Janes; IIIa, J. B. M. Evans, B. J. W. Pingree; IIb, J. G. Sidford, J. S. McLeod; IIa, A. J. S. Pratt, W. H. Kaul; Iib, P. M. Warr, T. J. Wareham

Special Prizes (for good Work and Progress). Divinity Prize, J. L. Jones.

Form VI, B. R. Roost, I. R. Stuckey, R. Woodhouse, M. G. Hallett; Va, J. L. Jones, D. J. Wiskill, A. R. Allum, J. P. H. Webber; Vb, E. H. Macey; IV, M. W. B. Janes, IIIa, M. D. Perry; IIa, P. G. Deacon-Smith.

Cambridge General Certificates of Education.—Advanced, J. Handscombe (Dorset Major University Scholarship); C. E. B. Butt (Wiltshire Major University Scholarship); R. Woodhouse (Wiltshire Major University Scholarship); I. R. Stuckey, B. R. Roost, M. G. Hallett.

Ordinary.—R. D. C. Jones, R. S. Gibb, J. L. Jones, D. W. Scott, O. C. Salisbury, C. M. Cobby, E. Revill, D. J. Jeffrey, L. G. Collins, J. W. H. Hunt, C. H. Drake, P. D. Christopher, G. S. Fletcher, P. E. Widdowson, B. R. Street, J. T. Green, H. W. Bradley, B. R. Prynn.

Cadet Corps Awards.—Certificates "A." L/Cpl. D. N. Ireland, L/Cpl. F. L. Partington, L/Cpl. P. A. Tomlinson. Cadets, B. G. Johnson, A. M. Stacey, P. M. Toms, R. B. Upton-Brown.

Certificates "T."—L/Cpl. T. R. L. Williams. Cadets, P. R. Bradley, D. Coward, C. J. Evans, R. G. Quick

PRIZE DISTRIBUTION, 1953

In view of the fact that the new Articles of Government came into force on May 5th and the constitution of the Governing Body was not

completed until the autumn, no official prize Distribution took place in 1953. At the end of the Summer Term, the Headmaster reviewed the work and activities of the past year, mentioning the good work of M. G. Hallett and R. W. S. Law in the previous year's Sixth Form and congratulated the boys who had done well in the Cambridge and School Examinations. He also congratulated Col. Veale and the Cadet Corps on the exceptionally good results obtained in March when no less than forty-eight cadets were entered for Certificates "A" (Part 1 and 2) and Certificates "T" without a single failure, a particularly fine performance.

PRIZE LIST 1953

Form Prizes.—VI., M. G. Hallett, R. W. S. Law; Va., A. J. Salisbury, F. L. Partington; Vb., C. G. S. Janes, M. W. B. Janes; Vc., M. G. Burt, G. D. Johnson; IV., B. J. W. Pingree, M. D. Perry; IIIa., A. J. S. Pratt, R. A. Jones; IIIb., D. J. Pope, J. H. Fishwick; IIa., M. Wilmot, D. I. M. Simpson; IIb., D. S. Halpin, C. I. Wyndham.

Special Prizes (for good work and progress).—Form VI, A. R. Allum; Va., E. H. Macey, P. B. Tamplin; Vb., M. J. Hallett; IV., J. B. M. Evans; IIIa., W. H. Kaul; IIIb., G. H. Parker; IIa., J. F. H. Phelps, C. J. Coombs; IIb., C. J. Collins.

Cadet Corps Awards. Certificates "A."—B. D. Cole, A. B. Jones, R. S. Humphrey, J. R. Mann, S. D. A. Johnson, A. H. Neale, E. A. Mann, R. R. Hall, A. J. Miller, M. W. B. Janes, T. R. L. Williams, E. H. Macey, C. J. Evans, J. S. McLeod, C. G. S. Janes, W. Tunley.

Certificates "T."—G. G. Burden, R. Dacombe, R. J. R. Taylerson, M. J. O'Dea, J. Coward, D. Woods, J. S. McLeod, B. D. Cole, W. J. Chettlburgh, B. A. Foot, A. J. Power.

CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT

In place of the traditional play in December, 1952, the Musical and Dramatic Societies combined to present *The Gondoliers* by Gilbert and Sullivan and this was so successful that it was followed this Christmas by the *Mikado*. We played to packed houses on all nights and the performances were thoroughly enjoyed by cast and audience alike. Mr. Gordon F. J. Hartless was musical director and made an excellent job of the production, ably assisted by E. Macey and J. Miller.

The cast was as follows:—

<i>Duke of Plaza-Toro</i>	T. R. L. Williams
<i>Luiz</i>	John Miller
<i>Don Alhambra del Bolero</i>	S. D. A. Johnson
<i>Marco Palmieri</i>	E. H. Macey
<i>Guisepppe Palmeiri</i>	J. P. H. Webber
<i>Antonio</i>	R. A. G. Stainer
<i>Francesco</i>	I. Kirby
<i>Giorgio</i>	B. G. Johnson
<i>Annibale</i>	O. C. Salisbury

<i>Duchess of Plaza Toro</i>	J. R. Lillie
<i>Casilda</i>	J. H. P. Phelps
<i>Gianetta</i>	W. H. Kaul
<i>Tessa</i>	J. S. M. Mayo
<i>Fiametta</i>	A. J. S. Pratt
<i>Vittoria</i>	P. V. Burden
<i>Giulia</i>	C. I. Wyndham
<i>Inez</i>	R. S. Humphrey
<i>Gondoliers:</i>	C. R. M. Dorning, R. H. Orman, D. J. Roberts, G. D. Johnson, D. S. Pike, S. Newman, R. G. Stockley, J. D. Imber, R. M. Humphries, R. A. Ovenden, A. H. Neale, A. R. Allum.
<i>Contadine:</i>	F. J. Kaul, M. G. Lillie, J. E. Strange, N. B. Hitchings, E. R. Walmsley, A. N. MacLean.
<i>Stage Manager</i>	Mr. G. Scalbert
<i>Assistant Stage Manager</i>	A. M. Stacey
<i>Lighting Effects by</i>	R. B. Upton-Brown and F. L. Partington
<i>Stage Staff</i>	A. J. Newman, M. W. B. Janes, C. J. Evans, J. B. M. Evans
<i>Make-up:</i>	P. A. Tomlinson, J. S. McLeod, P. M. Toms, C. G. S. Janes, D. Coward, M. D. Mayne, N. R. M. Dorning, E. A. Mann, D. J. Cushnie, M. D. Perry, R. M. Conibear.
<i>Dance arranged by</i>	Mr. K. Reynolds
<i>Set designed by</i>	P. J. W. Pingree and W. Tunley
<i>Wardrobe Mistresses</i>	Miss E. B. Stow and Miss B. Butcher
<i>Business Manager</i>	Mr. B. S. Bates

The Show made a profit of £32 12s. 2d.

The Mikado — December, 1953

The unanimous verdict of the four packed houses who enjoyed the Mikado was that it was the best musical show we have produced yet at the School. The settings were delightful, the make-up good, the lighting most effective, and all the cast without exception made an excellent job of their parts; there were no weak spots.

There is, unfortunately, no space to give a detailed review of the show but we should like to congratulate very heartily all the thirty-five members of the cast and the twenty-seven helpers who worked backstage to make it such a success. Special congratulations must go to A. J. Miller, the assistant producer, and to Mr. Hartless who did the whole of the musical side of the show single-handed. We are sorry to have to report that it is the last show which Mr. Hartless will produce for us as he is going into the church in April. However, we hope that the series will continue with his successor.

In spite of very heavy expenses we made a profit of £34 18s. 7d.

CAST

<i>The Mikado of Japan</i>	.	.	.	.	.	.	Roger Orman
<i>Nanki-Poo</i>	.	.	.	.	.	.	John Miller
<i>Ko-Ko</i>	.	.	.	.	.	.	Lewin Williams
<i>Pooh-Bah</i>	.	.	.	.	.	.	Barry Johnson
<i>Pish Tush</i>	.	.	.	.	.	.	Brian D. Cole
<i>A Noble</i>	.	.	.	.	.	.	Michael Sims
<i>Yum-Yum</i>	}	.	.	.	.	.	John Mayo
<i>Pitti Sing</i>		.	.	.	.	.	Maurice Lillie
<i>Peep-Bo</i>		.	.	.	.	.	Peter Lewis
<i>Katisha</i>	.	.	.	.	.	.	William Kaul

Chorus of Nobles and School-Girls.

Nobles: G. D. Johnson, R. G. Stockley, C. I. Wyndham, N. Humphries, E. R. Walmsley, J. R. Lillie, A. H. Neale, J. A'Barrow, A. J. Salisbury, D. G. Fishwick, D. Halpin.

School-Girls: J. F. H. Phelps, D. I. Simpson, L. J. Wyatt, B. Humphries, W. R. Moody, C. R. P. Wilcox, J. Middlemas, B. Hitchings, F. Kaul, C. Coward, A. P. Clapp, P. Steel, A. Woodward, T. J. Ridgeway.

Stage Manager A. M. Stacey

Lighting . . . F. L. Partington, C. Green, B. J. W. Pingree

Property Manager A. J. Newman

Stage Staff: M. W. B. Janes, M. Burden, J. B. M. Evans, A. J. Cornwell

Make-up: Mr. G. Scalbert, C. R. M. Dorning, N. R. M. Dorning, T. C. Otton, A. C. Jones, A. B. Jones, J. McLeod, R. Dacombe, A. J. Lawrence, R. Strickett, P. M. Warr, P. Burden, C. Janes, W. Tunley.

Set designed and painted by **Wayland Tunley**

Wardrobe Mistresses . . . Miss B. Butcher and Miss E. B. Stow

Business Manager Mr. B. S. Bates

Musical Director and Producer . . . Mr. Gordon F. J. Hartless

Assistant Producer John Miller

MEMORIAL SERVICE

On July 25th, immediately before the Past v. Present Cricket Match, a short service was held in the Memorial Hall in memory of Captain John Kendall Miles of the 41st Field Regiment, Royal Artillery, who died on active service in the Middle East on November 24th, 1949.

The Service, which was attended by John's relatives and a large number of Old Boys, opened with a short eulogy from the Headmaster and the singing of Hymn 292 (Songs of Praise), one verse being finely sung by John Miller. Prayers were then offered by the Bishop of Sherborne and the Headmaster, the former proceeding to unveil and dedicate the memorial plaque. A fine sermon from the Bishop, who spoke in most sympathetic terms of John's service to his school and to his country, was followed by the hymn, "For all the Saints who from their Labours rest" and the Benediction.

O.S. NEWS

BIRTHS

March 26th, 1952	To Mr. and Mrs. John G. Ellison, a son.
Oct. 30th, 1952	To Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Welch, a daughter.
July 4th, 1953	To Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Tovey, a son.
June 18th, 1953	To Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mattocks, a daughter.
June 31st, 1953	To Captain and Mrs. K. J. U. Barnes, a son.

MARRIAGES

June 28th, 1952	Joseph M. Croxford to Miss Brenda Ridout.
Aug. 1st, 1952	John W. Wormald to Miss Rita Hewitt.
Sept. 6th, 1952	Tom W. Wormald to Miss Marjorie Jackson.
Sept. 20th, 1952	John C. A. Rothery to Miss Margaret Beechey.
Nov. 8th, 1952	George Brooks to Miss Patricia Mary Wilby.
Dec. 27th, 1952	Michael Hillkirk to Miss Inger Lise Sommerwold.
June 20th, 1953	George Tozer to Miss M. B. Coombs.
June 24th, 1953	John Cossins to Miss M. Farwell.
July 4th, 1953	Lawrence Clark to Miss Marjorie Turner.
July 25th, 1953	John Mattison to Miss Audrey Mattison.
Sept. 26th, 1953	John Hitchings to Miss Joan M. T. Clark.
Dec. 15th, 1953	R. W. Williamson to Miss J. Williams.

DEATHS

June 6th, 1952	Leonard D. Derry (in New Jersey)
Nov. 6th, 1952	R. J. White
Nov. 7th, 1952	Reginald J. Jesse.
Dec. 21st, 1952	W. Mothersdale.
Jan. 25th, 1953	Arthur C. Highman (in California)
April 21st, 1953	Percy Buckland

Our heartiest congratulations to Ian Stratton on taking his degree and diploma in Theology at Durham University. He was ordained by the Bishop of Winchester on September 20th and now holds a curacy at Shirley, Southampton. We also congratulate Gordon Talbot on winning a cadetship to Cranwell. He was the only R.A.F. recruit to secure this honour out of 133 candidates, a remarkably good performance. John Webber writes very cheerfully from Southampton

where he has secured an apprenticeship with the Vickers-Armstrong Company. Norman Friend has passed the final examination of the Institute of Chartered Auctioneers and Estate Agents and is now doing his national service. Charles Taylor has recently left the Benedictine Order and is doing welfare work at St. Francis Home, Shefford, Bedfordshire. David Williams has secured an appointment at the head office of the Prudential Assurance Co. in Holborn. Mr. Minchin called in to see him in November. Eric Macey is now a scientific assistant with the Ministry of Supply at Boscombe Down. Our very heartiest congratulations to Anthony Allum on being selected by the W.O.S.B. for entry to Sandhurst in March. John Fancott is still keeping wicket for the Stoke Bishop C.C. and captains their Sunday XI. Shaun Gibb has secured a commission in the Royal Air Force. David Davidge is now a Police Force Cadet Clerk in Wiltshire. Stanley Buckland and his wife visited England for the Coronation last summer and paid a very welcome visit to his old school. Roger Kemp and Robin Humphries have obtained their commissions in the Royal Engineers and R.E.M.E. respectively. We have recently heard that H. C. Watts had the great misfortune to lose his wife about two years ago and we offer him our deepest sympathy. Victor Osborne has retired from the Regular Army with the rank of Lieut.-Colonel. Ian and Phillip Ross are both first lieutenants in the Territorial Army. Michael Prynnne has returned from Germany and is now demobilised but Barry is still hunting bandits in Malay. Our very hearty congratulations are extended to A. C. Townsend on his appointment as deputy keeper of the Library of the British Museum. He took 2nd Class honours in the Classical Tripos at Magdalene College in 1926 and also in the Modern Languages Tripos in 1928. To John and Peter Ellison we offer our very deepest sympathy on the loss of their father. Rev. E. J. Pulman has taken his M.A. at Peterhouse, Cambridge, and is a very busy curate at Norton and Stoke in Somerset. It was good to see him at the O.S. Dinner in October. John L. Jones has obtained a post in the Central African Archives and is now in Rhodesia. Mr. Minchin has received a letter from Mr. Walter Arnold of 276, Dorchester Road, Weymouth. He left school in 1882, so must be one of the oldest Old Boys alive at the present time. Eddie Mozley also writes regularly from South Africa asking if any contemporary of his is now a great grandfather! Max Gardner writes again from New Zealand where he recently met Mrs. Hilltout, whom many Old Boys will remember as Miss Sheen. She was on the teaching staff here from 1916 to 1918. Robin Law is taking an Engineering Course at London University. We were delighted to see him at the O.S. Dinner with his father and three uncles—all Old Boys too. Our heartiest congratulations to F. C. Innocent and W. J. Burden on becoming Justices of the Peace in Gloucestershire and Wiltshire respectively. Our heartiest congratulations to L. A. Marchmont on his recent engagement to Miss

B. Oakley of Portsmouth. We warmly congratulate E. J. Hine on his recent installation as Worshipful Master of the King's Lodge in Gillingham. He is the fourth Old Boy to hold this office in this lodge during the last six years. A. B. Cluer writes often from Canada. His O.S. Blazer Badge interests his neighbours and he is able to give his Old School a boost. Fred Jennings who was married on April 8th, 1953 has been fortunate enough to get a farm near Calne and has really settled in. Peter Hunter Watts is serving as a Captain in the R.E.'s in Malaya and has managed to see a large proportion of that territory. W. Chandler has been manager of Lloyds Bank, Ltd., Walsgrave Road, Coventry for some time now. Charles Hunt is very happy living in "double harness" at Knight's Enham. It has been pleasant to hear from Lt.-Col. T. D. Obornie after a good many years. The years have passed quickly for J. A. Franks, L.L.M. who is now practising as a solicitor and a married man to boot. Tony Sansom, after returning from service in the Far East and Australia in 1948, enjoyed two years ashore in Portsmouth followed by three years in H.M.S. Indomitable and Vanguard on the staff of Admiral Creasy. He is at present working with the Exercise "Mariner" N.A.T.O. Analysis Team. R. P. Wiltshire proudly reports that he has a daughter "Margaret Helen" born 20th June, 1953. R. D. C. Jones is serving for two years in H.M.S. Bermuda based on Malta G.C. where he has just completed a commando course. He graduated from Dartmouth in July 1953. J. C. Harmer sailed for the Far East in November. He is in the R.A.F. and will not return to England for two and a half years. W. P. Lewis is working with the Forestry Commission in Axminster. When S. E. P. Hoyes played for North Dorset against Gosport he was closely marked by Pat Highley and Pop Marshall who are both teaching in Gosport. Pat has a sixteen month old daughter. Brian Hanley has won his "Triple Blue" at Sydney University. He played full back in the State Grand Final Rugby Football Match which the university won. As we go to press we hear with the deepest regret that Mr. Harry Johnson died on January 29th and we offer our deepest sympathy to Mrs. Johnson and her family. Mr. Johnson was the father of Sydney Johnson and the grandfather of Peter, David and Barry, all Old Shastonians.

Interesting letters have been received from Alan Johnston, John Clark, Colin Evitt, John Cole, John Phillips, Eric Macey and Ian Ross.

O.S. CLUB NOTES

In the two years since the publication of the last Magazine the activities of the Club have followed the normal pattern. There have been two Annual General Meetings in the Octobers followed by Dinners at the Grosvenor Hotel; the 1953 Dinner being particularly well attended and having, as guests, six of the newly appointed Governors

of the School. Unfortunately, the new Chairman of the Governors, the Bishop of Sherborne, was unable to come as he was on a mission in the Midlands, and Sir Cyril Norwood was kept away at the last moment by illness.

The London Dinners are becoming very popular among Old Boys living in the Home Counties, but there are many still whom we should like to meet again, for the Club Motto "Hæc Olim Meminisse Juvabit," means as much now as when it was first adopted.

The O.S. Cricket Tours are as enjoyable as ever both in regard to the actual matches and the social evenings spent after the day's play. Another series of games has been arranged for the August Bank Holiday period, in the neighbourhood of Godalming, Surrey. Those who wish to go on the tour should write to F. T. Gauntlett, Kingwood, Wormley, Godalming, Surrey.

At a Committee Meeting held on June 27th, 1953, Messrs. W. Farley Rutter and W. H. Armitage were appointed as the Old Shaftonian Club's representatives on the School's Board of Governors. These appointments are made for three years but are renewable. Mr. Bennett Young, a third Old Shaftonian, has been elected as a Foundation Governor, so the Club is well represented.

The ANNUAL DINNER, 1954, will be held at SHAFTESBURY on October 16th.

NEW MEMBERS

- A. R. Allum, Peveril, Blandford Road, Shaftesbury.
- P. Barrett, The Chalet, St. Leonard's Avenue, Blandford.
- P. L. F. Bradley, "Trees," Mount Pleasant, Pirton Road, Hitchin.
- R. B. Brown, c/o The Maltings, Congerston, Leicester.
- P. L. Cole, St. Rumbold's House, Shaftesbury, Dorset.
- D. Coward, West Chase Farm, Handley, Salisbury.
- J. Coward, West Chase Farm, Handley, Salisbury.
- N. A. Coward, West End Farm, Donhead, Shaftesbury.
- D. W. Davidge, Shaftesbury Road, Compton Chamberlayne, Salisbury.
- L. C. Dibben, 2a Coppice Street, Shaftesbury.
- M. E. Doggrell, Creech Hill House, Wimborne, Dorset.
- C. H. Drake, Holmlea, Motcombe, Shaftesbury.
- G. I. Drew, Les Effards, St. Sampsons, Guernsey, C.I.
- C. J. Evans, Lower Common Farm, Hazlebury Bryan, Sturminster Newton.
- S. J. Fricker, Huntingford, Gillingham, Dorset.
- R. S. Gibb, Orchard Close, Westfield Avenue, Hayling Island, Hants.
- J. R. Hall, 28 Telegraph Street, Shroton, Blandford.
- R. R. Hall, 28 Telegraph Street, Shroton, Blandford.
- G. J. Hatch, High Street, Hindon, Wilts.
- I. Hayter, Enmore Green Farm, Shaftesbury.
- R. S. Humphrey, 10 Highwoods, Leatherhead, Surrey.
- R. M. Humphries, Highwarden, Durlston Road, Swanage Dorset.
- R. G. Hyde, Milton Farm, East Knoyle, Salisbury, Wilts.
- D. N. Ireland, 31 Victoria Road, Salisbury, Wilts.
- S. D. Johnson, The Royal Hotel, Shaftesbury.

- R. D. C. Jones, "Kingsfield," Old Midford Lane, Coombe Down, Nr. Bath.
 R. M. Kemp, Hambledon View, Childe Okeford, Nr. Blandford.
 R. W. S. Law, 24 Lynwood Drive, Worcester Park, Surrey.
 E. H. Macey, 11 Doctor's Place, Tisbury, Salisbury, Wilts.
 E. A. Mann, Cross House Hotel, Fontmell Magna, Shaftesbury.
 J. S. Marshall, M.S. Palazzo, c/o Messrs. McAndrews, Ltd., Cunard Buildings,
 Water Street, Liverpool.
 M. D. Mayne, 9 Parkland Grove, Ashford, Middlesex.
 J. S. McLeod, 65 Wannock Lane, Willingdon, Eastbourne.
 P. W. Page, 33 Emerson Road, Poole.
 I. G. Palmer, 35 Sea Road, Boscombe, Hants.
 A. W. Pritchard, St. Georges' Road, Shaftesbury.
 M. Randall, 57 Alder Road, Parkstone, Dorset.
 O. C. Salisbury, East Coppleridge Farm, Motcombe, Shaftesbury.
 D. W. Scott, "Sarnia," High Street, Horsell, Woking, Surrey.
 P. L. Toms, "Park View," 25 Orchard Avenue, Lower Parkstone, Dorset.
 R. F. Tozer, Matron's College Farm, Whaddon, Alderbury, Salisbury.
 R. S. Walby, Upton Farm, Berwick St. John, Shaftesbury.
 J. P. H. Webber, "Iona," Victoria Street, Shaftesbury.
 D. J. Winskill, Fontmell Hill, Iwerne Minster, Blandford.
 R. Woodhouse, Lyndhurst, Mayfair Road, Laverstock, Salisbury.

CHANGES OF ADDRESS

- A. R. Abbott, Margaret Marsh Farm, East Orchard, Shaftesbury.
 W. E. Abbott, Manor Farm, Little Canford, Wimborne, Dorset.
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 J. A. Franks, 22 Alexandra Court, Maida Vale, W.9.
 T. G. Hart, Moorlands, Moberley Road, Salisbury.
 J. D. Hawkins, Monkton, Wimborne Road, Ferndown, Dorset.
 C. Hunt, The Bungalow, Knights Enham, Andover.
 S. H. Holloway, The Castle Farm, Deddington, Oxford.
 F. T. Jennings, Lower Littlecott Farm, Hilmarton, Nr. Calne, Wilts.
 Alan Johnstone, 97 Bracebridge Street, Nuneaton, Warwickshire.
 M. S. Keyser, Fir Tree Villas, Yalton Keynell, Nr. Chippenham, Wilts.
 W. P. Lewis, c/o Forestry Commission, Raymond's Hill, Axminster, Devon.
 J. W. London, Blakeney House, Hargham, Attleborough, Norfolk.
 J. C. Mattison, 104 High Road, Brickhurst Hill, Essex.
 E. Mattocks, Brendon Manor, Nr. Lynton, N. Devon.
 P. Mattocks, Casa Msida, Fairway Road, Lilliput, Parkstone, Dorset.
 W. J. Miles, 114 Perry's Lane, Wroughton, Swindon.
 O. C. Normandale, Depot King's Regt., Harrington Barracks, Formby, Liverpool.
 J. Old, Blackmore Vale Hotel, Sturminster Newton, Dorset.
 J. R. B. Pape, Namrik Mews, St. Aubyns, Hove, Sussex.
 J. Pearson, 46 The Drive, Alwoodley Park, Leeds.
 Rev. E. J. Pulman, The Vicarage, Stoke-under-Ham, Somerset.
 R. W. Rowland, Bracklesham, 37 Grange Road, New Haw, Surrey.
 A. J. Sharman, 1 South End, Cheddington, Leighton Buzzard, Beds.
 T. W. Souden, 4 Station Road, East Tisted, Alton, Hants.
 G. R. Tucker, 57 Victoria Road, Oxford.
 K. H. Tucker, Mill Farm, Blunham, nr. Bedford.
 R. P. Wiltshire, 100 Oriel Road, North End, Portsmouth, Hants.
 J. S. Windebank, Flat 4, 12A Coley Avenue, Reading.

O.S. GOLFING SOCIETY

As an increasing number of Old Boys are playing golf, Mr. Minchin is wondering if the above society cannot be revived. Laurence Combes, The Firs, Fovant, Salisbury, has very kindly consented to act as secretary until a Committee Meeting has been held and Mr. Minchin will be prepared to take his place later on if the support of Old Shastonians is good enough.

It is proposed to hold a Spring Meeting in May or June. Will all golfers please write **immediately** to Laurence Combes at the above address, giving him the following information :—

- (a) Their intention to join the Society if revived. Please state handicap.
- (b) Their willingness to play in the initial game if the date and venue are convenient. Suggestions as to venue will be considered.

On receipt of this information Laurence Combes will send out notices to all those Old Boys who signify their willingness to play, giving the date and course selected.