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Literary Sub-Committee.—R. Cooper (Hon. Sec.), L. Outridge (Treasurer).

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Platoon Sergeant: Corp. H. Williams.

Right Guide: Corp. Brookes.

Left Guide: Corp. Stephens.

No. 2 Section Leader: Corp. Hunt.

No. 3 Section Leader: Corp. Glover.

No. 10 Platoon.

Platoon Commander.—Corp. Cooper.

Platoon Sergeant: Corp. Henderson.

Right Guide: M. Williams.

Left Guide: C. Hooper.

No. 2 Section Leader: H. McCulloch.

No. 3 Section Leader: J. Walmsley.

Coy. Sergeant Major: Corp. Cribb.

M. Sergeant: Corp. R. Hall.

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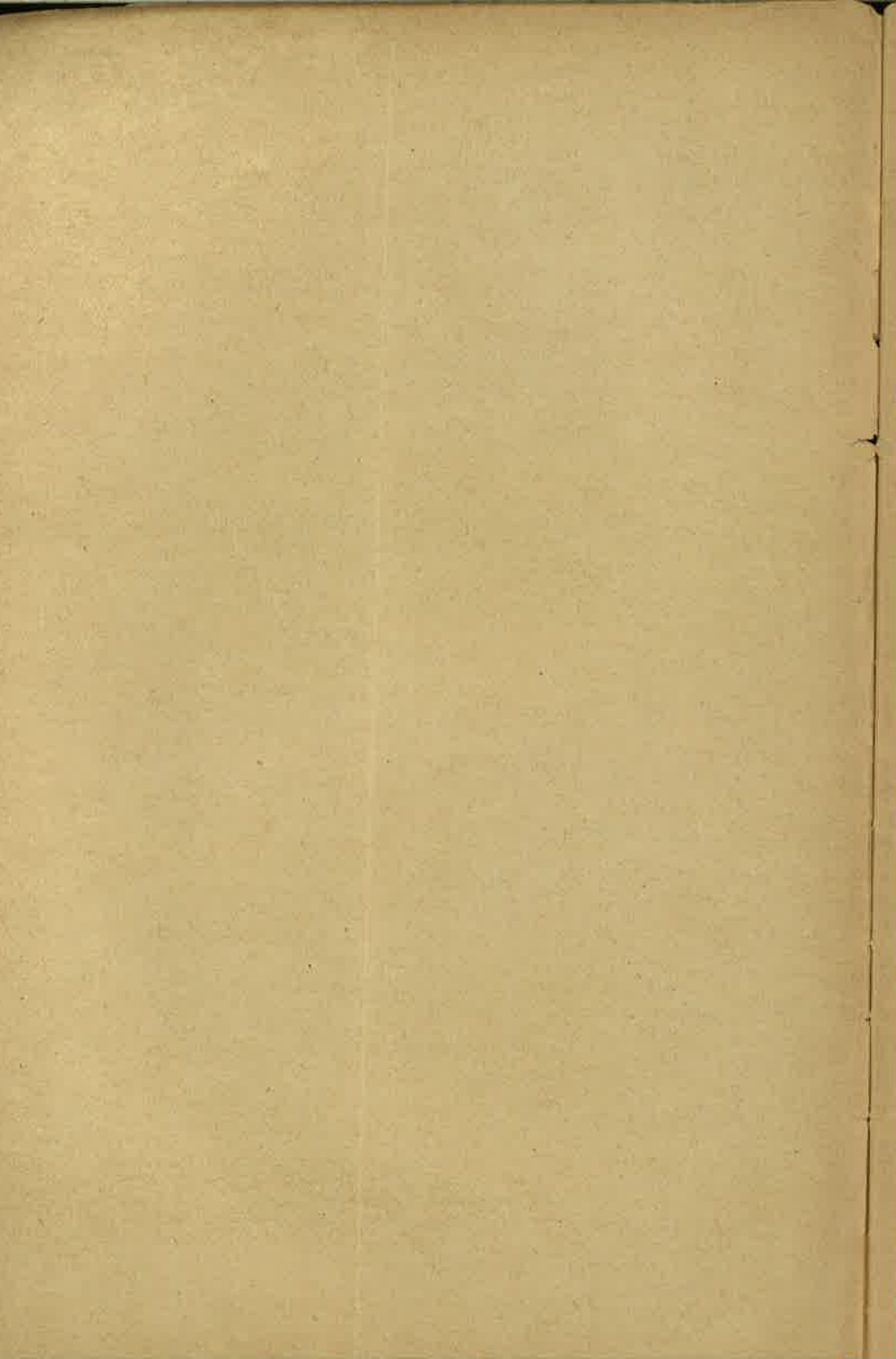
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## EDITORIAL.

The six months which have passed since our last issue have not been without events of moment, and we can fairly point to this period as one of unrivalled success in the history of the School. The energy and effort well sustained in all departments of School life have had and will have many results both visible and invisible. For the first time since 1909 the coveted Chelmsford Cup will grace our walls at the fast approaching Speech Day. In all our competitions so far held against Toowoomba Grammar School—football, cricket, athletics, tennis and swimming—we have been successful. And with Brisbane Grammar School also our chance still holds; the contest is in an interesting stage as we are tie with them.

The sight of the Cup on Speech Day will originate feeling of pride and pleasure amongst the regret of those who are to leave their old mates and old associations. We ask them not to forget their old School but to retain these memories which must be dear and happy. And we ask those who remain to carry on the good work of the School in every sphere of honorable activity, to successfully take the places of those who are about to bid farewell.

The war has been responsible for many things and has been blamed accordingly. It is regrettable that we should have to reduce our magazine more and more each year. For in so doing the chance of making the subject matter more appealing has been diminished. We not only desire to present a true record of the School events but also to encourage a true literary style by calling forth latent talent. But our old offer of "original contributions" has had to be withdrawn also, though doubtless there are many who are capable of producing something really worth while. We do not propose to apologise for the magazine but merely to explain the decrease in volume. In its little way it will do something great, we hope—in linking up the present with the past and thus sustaining the interest of our Old Boys. Moreover our outlook is bright, for prospects of an early peace become more and more hopeful.

To all those that take the field this year against the Exams., we wish the best of luck; to those who enter a larger sphere of life we wish God speed. To one and all a peaceful Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

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#### THE CHELMSFORD CUP.

It is now eight years since either of the Chelmsford Cups has graced our walls. We can hardly be blamed for harbouring a feeling of satisfaction that at least one cup is to come to us this year. We have been successful against Toowoomba in Football, Athletics, Tennis, Swimming and Cricket. The Shooting contest only remains undecided, and cannot alter the position. This achievement has been the result of the continued and heroic effort of all and excellent organisation on the part of the leaders. We were not helped by any weakness in our opponents, whom we found very hard to beat in every game. It would be very satisfactory if the Cup would now decide to make a prolonged stay with us. That will not happen unless the gaps which Christmas will make in our ranks are closed up by recruits full of enthusiasm and ready for hard work and self sacrifice.

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#### SCHOOL NOTES.

This year bids fair to be rather remarkable in the annals of the school; our numbers are far in excess of anything previously attained, and we have won one of the Chelmsford Cups, with a fair chance of the other.



Since our last issue, much has been done in the way of sport. Football is over, leaving our First XV premiers in their grade; tennis has come and gone fairly successfully, while another athletic sports meeting has taken place. We have made a good start on cricket, though the large numbers make it hard to organise practice teams.

As usual, our sports meeting was rainy, but its popularity was shown by the number of spectators who endured a wet afternoon under umbrellas. Quite a number from the Girls' Grammar School also helped to encourage our moist efforts.

The Senior Championship fell to A. J. Foote, who tied for it last year. K. Williams won the Junior Championship. Congratulations to both!

The Cadet Corps is growing and our two platoons (now Nos. 9 and 10) are now over full strength. A recent exam. brought out some latent military genius. There was a very creditable number of aspirants for rank. We congratulate all who passed, and it is to be hoped that this interest in the corps will not wane.

At the end of last term, the French Mission visited Ipswich, and we were asked to supply a guard of honour, which was put in charge of Lieutenant Fisher. We paraded in front of the Town Hall, and were rather disappointed that the General could not find time to inspect us; but we were glad to have at least seen the man we heard so much about.

On the same occasion, the school got off several periods to hear the speeches, while we were given a whole holiday to celebrate the first attempt by Germany to accept the peace terms. On that day, the whole school marched to the Central Gardens and, from eleven o'clock till half-past twelve, heard the various speakers, though we think the lower school at any rate enjoyed the afternoon more.

At midwinter, Burton, Dunshea, Foote, Martin, Outridge, and Whitehouse passed into the militia, while Fisher stayed on as second lieutenant in the cadets. Apparently, they will not go to camp till next year, when most of them will be elsewhere.

During last term, Mrs. Kerr gave a dance in the big school hall. Everyone spent an enjoyable time and were pleased to note that the smaller boys made a successful attempt to do away with "wallflowers." We all thank Mrs. Kerr very much for all her trouble in giving us such a pleasant evening.

The paper scavenger system seems to have lapsed to a great extent since the beginning of the year. Perhaps the

prefects find that their preparation for other papers (alliteration unintentional) gives them more important things to think of.

The abolition of all ceremonies in connection with the new boys was felt at Midwinter, when about forty homeless looking 'newies' seemed to need a little introduction to the old school. But they soon got over their new feeling, and we are rather inclined to think, too soon.

During last term, the Sixth had the privilege of hearing Mr. Palmer speak on Central Africa, where he has been doing missionary work. We all appreciated a thoroughly interesting talk on the difficulties of combating the superstition of the negro races, and were sorry we could not see more of Mr. Palmer—he is the sort of man we can all admire.

We also heard Mr. Bradfield, an old boy; he is now engineer for the Burrin Juck dam. Those who heard his lecture on the land this great dam will irrigate, will remember it with pleasure.

Mr. Roe has come and gone for another year. He seemed fairly satisfied with us, and we managed to live through the ordeal. One of our most illustrious members (he of the triangular grin) told him that Maths. B. was not a serious subject, or words to that effect; while one of the fifth, on being asked for some papers, warmly shook the hand the inspector held out. So even an inspection has a funny side.

#### FORM NOTES.

##### Va and Vb.

The Junior is approaching, and by the time this reaches the reader, we shall have passed through the "dread ordeal," and our fates will be decided. In all, there are about fifty candidates for the Junior. Good luck to all.

Our forms are well represented in sport, having three members in the First XV, and about ten in the Second XV. We have also several representatives in the Athletic and Swimming teams. We regret to see, however, that a certain section seems to prefer mild gymnastics to the manlier game of football.

We wish to congratulate those members of our forms who were successful in the recent N.C.O. examination. They have shown a very commendable enthusiasm.

In the Form Cup Competition in the Annual Sports, we did fairly well. Our congratulations go to K. Williams, who

won the Junior Championship, and to C. Hutchins, who was "runner up."

Our "Latin experts" distinguished themselves in Algebra, during Mr. Roe's visit, by proving themselves superior(?) to the rest of the class. "Garge" was so pleased with himself that he wanted the Inspector to "dook" it.

Our witty(?) friend, "Lofty," informed us the other day that the average rate of an ordinary rowing boat was "only sixty miles an hour." Perhaps he was thinking of "Torpedoes."

"Alley" firmly maintains that "Taylor Birds" make their nests by sewing two large leaves together—but not fig leaves.

"Nugget" has been very busy "fagging" geography of late, and seems to take a great interest in studying "Flora" and fauna.

The feminine trio are a loving band, but recently, much to our surprise we noticed two of them engaging in a severe combat. However, they are friends once again, and are apparently progressing with their knitting.

Many of us, in a few weeks, will bid farewell to the old school, looking back on form notes as a thing of the past. To the younger members of the school, we look to keep up the reputation of our form, and wish them all success in future exams.

### FORM III.

There are 42 of us in the form, all of whom seem eager and willing workers, but, unfortunately, having arrived at midwinter, we have missed a half-year's work, which we are endeavouring to make up.

We were well represented in the sports. Some of our members participated in the Hospital Sports also, and did well. We wish to congratulate all these members on their success.

Most of our members play cricket, which has commenced this term; of course, there are a few who are unwilling to do their share, but they are insignificant.

"The Capricious Pair" show all signs of willing workers, but unfortunately, we regret that their presumption exceeds their ambition for work.



The immortal "Rusty," one day, in class, complained that the master taking the lesson was speaking too loudly, and so disturbing his peaceful slumbers. He should act according to the latest motto, "Wake up and do your bit."

"Calico," our English "snag," spends a great deal of time at his work. He evidently has some great object in view—perhaps a new dictionary.

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#### VALETE.

- Ball, G. R.—Entered, February, 1917; Left, Midwinter, 1918.
- Bolton, L. M.—Entered, February, 1917; Left, Michaelmas, 1918.
- Cuffe, L. S.—Entered, February, 1917; Left Midwinter, 1918.
- Forrest, E. L.—Entered, February, 1918; Left, Midwinter, 1918.
- Frederick, W. L. L.—Entered, January, 1915; Left Midwinter, 1918.
- Hall, K. N. S.—Entered, January, 1916; Left, Michaelmas, 1918.
- Passed Junior, 1917; State Extension.
- Macgregor, H.—Entered, February, 1918; Left Midwinter, 1918.
- McKee, J. A.—Entered, January, 1916; Left, Michaelmas, 1918; Passed Junior, 1917; State Extension.

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#### SALVETE.

T. Bertram, W. G. Cafferky, K. W. Campbell, W. T. Christie, C. G. Clem, D. Cochran, L. R. Cumming, H. E. Dann, J. E. Elliott, R. H. Foote, E. D. B. Francis, W. C. Frost, T. E. Gibson, A. W. Gordon, D. Hardy, W. G. Hastie, E. L. Henzell, W. L. Hewlett, F. E. Hoare, F. G. Johnson, J. E. Kohler, J. H. Leigh, C. W. Mallett, C. W. Mansfield, V. L. McLean, P. J. Pickard, H. E. Schulte, W. H. Shard, G. A. Simpson, W. C. Skellern, C. W. J. Smith, J. F. Smith, V. N. Smith, F. W. Tunbridge, W. F. Vincent, R. F. Warfield, I. R. Whitehead, J. W. Winlaw, J. C. C. Woods.

## CRICKET NOTES.

The beginning of the season generally means four or five weeks' cricket for the majority, since the Examinations begin on the 18th November. Few matches could be arranged in consequence of this. We travelled up to Gatton College on the second Saturday after Michaelmas, and were successful against their team. Two town teams gave us matches on our own wicket, and we lost one of these and managed to win the other easily. We played Toowoomba Grammar School on the Exhibition Grounds at Brisbane, and defeated them after a closely-contested game. Brisbane Grammar School defeated us rather easily, however. Many thanks are due to Mr. Meyer—who has again unselfishly devoted a great deal of time to coaching the team.

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The annual competition cricket match was played against Toowoomba on Wednesday, 6th November. Owing to the fact that we were unable to obtain a turf wicket in Ipswich, the match had to be played on the Exhibition Grounds, Brisbane, resulting in a victory for us by 46 runs on the first innings. Toowoomba elected to bat and were dismissed for 72, of which Ballantine contributed 18 and Hamilton 15. The bowling averages were obtained by Henderson, 6 wickets for 40, and Martin, 3 wickets for 30.

Hooper and Martin opened up for us, Hooper carrying his bat till near the close of the innings, with 47 to his credit. After Martin was dismissed the wickets fell rapidly without a very great increase of total until Hunt made a fine stand, being finally dismissed for 35

Bowling for Toowoomba was Kent, 6 wickets for 60, and Reithmuller, 4 wickets for 46. After lunch Toowoomba again batted, and when stumps were drawn at 3.45 the score stood at 116 runs at the cost of 6 wickets. The chief scorers were Kent 32, Ballentine 26 not out, Reithmuller 21. Bowling for us, Dunshea 2 for 23, Henderson 2 for 31, Martin 1 for 23. The day was an ideal one for cricket and this, coupled with a good wicket and splendid ground, made the game very enjoyable. The fielding of both teams was decidedly keen.

TOOWOOMBA—First Innings.

Mayes, c & b Henderson ..	9
Kent, run out .. .. .	4
Reithmuller, h.o.w., b Henderson .. .. .	2
Kann, b Martin .. .. .	0
Ballentine, c McCulloch, b Henderson .. .. .	18
M. Forster, c Fisher, b Henderson .. .. .	5
Clarke, c Outridge, b Henderson .. .. .	8
L. Forster, c Dunshea, b Martin .. .. .	0
Hamilton, b Henderson .. .. .	15
Hooper, b Martin .. .. .	1
Bailey, not out .. .. .	8
Sundries .. .. .	2
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Total .. .. .	72

IPSWICH—First Innings.

C. Hooper, c Reithmuller, b Kent .. .. .	47
T. V. Martin, b Reithmuller .. .. .	11
J. Foote, h.o.w., b Reithmuller .. .. .	0
G. Fisher, c L. Forster, b Kent .. .. .	2
W. Henderson, st. Mayes, b Kent .. .. .	2
L. Outridge, c Kent, b Reithmuller .. .. .	1
R. Dunshea, c Clark, b Kent .. .. .	3
H. Burton, st Mayes, b Kent .. .. .	3
H. McCulloch, c M. Forster, b Reithmuller .. .. .	1
J. Hunt, c Ballentine, b Kent .. .. .	35
R. Cooper, not out .. .. .	5
Sundries .. .. .	8
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Total .. .. .	118

TOOWOOMBA—Second Innings.

Kent, c Hunt, b Dunshea .. .. .	32	M. Forster, run out .. .. .	1
Reithmuller, b Martin .. .. .	21	Clarke, b Henderson .. .. .	15
Mayes, b Henderson .. .. .	9	Sundries .. .. .	6
Kann, b Dunshea .. .. .	6	<hr/>	
Ballentine, not out .. .. .	26	Six wickets for .. .. .	116

FOOTBALL RETROSPECT.

For the first time in the School's history, a team was entered in the A Grade College Rugby Union in Brisbane. Last season we were proud of gaining the honour of the Premiership in B College Grade, which we had held three times in succession. The premiership of A Grade has now fallen to us after a very successful season. More than this, we were again successful against Toowoomba Grammar School, and also defeated Brisbane Grammar School in the annual Chelmsford Cup match. In 1915, the team tied with Brisbane—six all—after a great hard game. With the exception of the victory over Brisbane in 1914 by five to nil, when they were unable to play a full team (several men being in camp), we have not defeated them since 1897. This year we scored a decisive victory by 27—nil.

Our seconds, whose ranks were being continually depleted by withdrawals for the firsts, still did well, winning five matches and drawing three.

Two teams of new boys played against under age teams from Brisbane Grammar and Church of England Grammar School, but were defeated.

We have to thank Mr. Edwards for giving up many of his Thursday afternoons to refereeing our in-school matches.

FOOTBALL CHARACTERS.

G. A. Fisher (Captain).—Efficient and capable captain; popular, and used his materials to best advantage; coached as well as captained the team, whose success was mainly due to his efforts and experience; quick to seize opportunities. Very sound in all departments of the game, and does more than his share of the work. Could be played in any position, and possesses art of leading a team

(By two Members of the Team.)

A. J. Foote (five-eighth) (Vice-Captain).—Played brilliantly in this position throughout the season. Very fast, and uses his pace to every advantage; kicks and handles well, excellent tackler; made the most of this position, but could take any place in the backs.

H. Burton (forward).—A good, bustling forward of the best type. Was unfortunately hurt at the beginning of the season, but played sound football for the remainder; good in ruck and open work; fast strong runner; handles and kicks well; a fine tackler.

C. Hooper (forward).—Another fine forward. Played sound football throughout the season. Always on the ball and uses weight to advantage. Could improve kicking. Handles the ball and dribbles well; solid tackler.

T. V. Martin (three-quarter).—Played full-back for Toowoomba, but soon became adapted to centre three-quarter with us; fast, an excellent kick; handles the ball very well, and safe tackler; quick to seize openings; played very good football throughout the season.

J. A. Hunt (three-quarter).—Fulfilled early promise in this position and played solid football throughout the season. A splendid tackler; fast; handles the ball and kicks well; looks for openings; should do very well indeed next season.

R. Dunshea (forward).—A good front row man; uses weight to advantage; handles and kicks well; good in ruck and open; a good dribbler and solid tackler.

H. G. Williams (wing three-quarter).—Very fast and uses his pace to advantage; very unfortunate in being ill at beginning of season; handles and tackles well, but could go harder.

B. Foote (half).—Improved greatly in this position, and used his own initiative more; tackles and handles well; strong runner and a good kick.



L. Outridge (forward).—New to the game, but picked it up very quickly. Always on the ball; good dribbler; handles well; fair kick and good tackler. With this season's experience, should do very well next.

M. Williams (wing three-quarter).—Previously played centre-threequarter in league game, but quickly picked up the game. Very heavy and fairly fast, but did not always run straight; handles and kicks well; solid tackler.

C. C. Cribb (forward).—A good hook; uses height to advantage in line out; dribbles and handles well; kicking greatly improved; should try more ruck work; tackles well.

F. Easton (full-back).—Very light, but played very well in this position. Kicks well either foot, and very good tackler; cool in difficulties. With a little more weight and experience, should do well.

H. McCulloch (forward).—A young player, but works hard; good in ruck work; dribbling good, and handling fair, kicking could be improved; tackles well. Should do well next season.

J. Kellet.—New to the game, but settled down quickly; played in various positions during the season; handles well; dribbling and kicking fair; bustles well, and a hard tackler; on light side, but should do well next season.

J. Henderson (forward).—Also new to the game, and took some time to pick up finer points; good bustling forward, always on the ball; works hard in open or ruck; kicks and dribbles well; hard tackler; should do well with a little more experience.

C. T. Hall (forward).—Played breakaway at beginning of season. On light side and inexperienced, but game; worked well in ruck and fair tackler.

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#### IPSWICH GRAMMAR AND BRISBANE GRAMMAR CUP MATCH.

On Thursday, the Brisbane Grammar School met the Ipswich Grammarians on the North Ipswich Reserve, in the Chelmsford Cup match. The match also counted in the secondary Schools Union A Grade. The teams were: Brisbane Full-back, Kay; three-quarters: Bateman, Hargreaves, Free, Collins; five-eighth: Nothling; half: Howard; forwards: Robertson, Cribb, Roberts, L'Estrange, Julius, Lord; Atkinson, Gibbs. Ipswich: Full-back: F. Easton; three-quarters: M. Williams, H. Burton, J. A. Hunt, H. Williams;



five-eighth : A. J. Foote ; half : B. Forte ; forwards : G. A. Fisher, H. McCulloch, J. Kellet, C. S. Hooper, L. Outridge, R. Dunshea, C. Cribb, J. Henderson.

Fisher won the toss for Ipswich, and kicked with the wind. Brisbane pressed from the start, but before long A. J. Foote, following on well, secured the ball about half-way, and, beating all opponents, scored between the posts. He converted his own try. After an unsuccessful attempt at goal from a free kick on the line, Brisbane was forced back, and Henderson got across. Foote again converted. Brisbane defended well, and at half-time, the scores were : Ipswich, 10 ; Brisbane, nil. On resuming, several good rushes took play to Brisbane's 25, where B. Foote, from a scrum, sent to A. Foote, to H. Williams, who touched down near the corner. The kick was unsuccessful. Ipswich now began to press, and Foote, securing from a scrum, cut in, and scored. His kick failed. Soon after, H. Williams used his pace well, and, following a kick on, again scored. Ipswich : 19 ; Brisbane, nil. Before full-time, Ipswich scored twice more, both times from good forward play. Outridge and Dunshea each touched down, Fisher converting the former's try. Final scores : I. G. S. : 27 ; B. G. S. : nil. This was the last match in the decade fixtures. We defeated Brisbane Grammar in the Chelmsford Cup match in 1915, but half their men were in camp at the time. Our previous victory takes us from the limits of the 20th century—about 1899.

#### TOOWOOMBA GRAMMAR v. IPSWICH GRAMMAR. CUP MATCH.

This Cup match was played at Toowoomba on the 17th June, the team having travelled up the night before and stayed at the Western. A strong westerly was blowing, but otherwise the weather was excellent. Kent won the toss from Fisher, and elected to kick against the wind. From the kick-off, the Ipswich forwards went straight in, and in the first ten minutes, the pace was exceedingly hot. Then from a forward rush, the ball was dribbled over the line, and J. Foote, following on behind the pack, touched down. The try was unconverted. Play was then transferred to Ipswich territory, but good tackling from both backs and forwards held the line. From a line out at our 25, the Ipswich forwards took the ball at the toe, and even play about half-way took place. Kent tried to break through, but was admirably tackled by Hunt. Several efforts were then made by the Ipswich backs, and

several good rushes took place. Toowoomba backs stuck close to the Ipswich men, but from loose play in neutral territory, J. Foote picked up and went through. Toowoomba were penalised, and Martin's kick from a difficult angle just missed. At half-time, the wind dropped slightly, but sprang up again in Toowoomba's favour. Ipswich attacked again, but Toowoomba were utilising the wind. Kent and Reithmuller did some fine line kicking. As a result of one of these, a line out took place near Ipswich 25, and by a tricky piece of work, Toowoomba's wing got over. Reithmuller converted with a fine kick. Close play in Ipswich 25 took place, and Toowoomba made great attacks, which were only stopped by combined efforts of the Ipswich men. Then from a three-quarter rush, Martin cut in finely and scored; the angle and wind were too great for the kick. Once again the ball was taken to the Toowoomba territory, and from the scrum, the half (Foote, B.) gave to Fisher, who gave to J. Foote, who dived over the line with several men on top of him. Play was kept in Toowoomba territory, and was very exciting near the end. Full time came, leaving Ipswich winners of the Cup match by 12—5. This was one of the best games played by the team throughout the season; everyone justified his inclusion in the team, and the combination was excellent throughout.

#### IPSWICH GRAMMAR v. NUDGE 1ST XV.

Owing to a sudden change in the fixtures, we found our first match after midwinter was against Nudgee. We travelled down in the morning and began play at 2 o'clock. Two of our firsts had been disabled and could not play, and the seconds had been greatly weakened by loss of several men. Both teams started in from the beginning, and the pace was very fast. Unfortunately for us, Burton, who was playing in the three-quarter line in Williams's place, was hurt in the first few minutes. Kellet took his place in the back line. Nudgee pressed continually, and play see-sawed for a time. Martin broke away from half-way and managed to get within a few yards of the line, when the Nudgee full-back (C. Williams) tackled him. This was a bad omen. Shortly after, Nudgee scored and converted their try. They repeated the performance, and at half-time led us by 10—nil. Nudgee were playing their game of the season, and spurred on by their numerous supporters, scored again shortly, amidst a deafening roar of applause. After half-time, Kellet was hurt,

and Fisher took his place in the three-quarter line. Nudgee continually pressed, but when Ipswich took the ball up the field, the forwards could not give the backs a chance. Nudgee forwards kept on the ball, packed well, and fed their backs. The latter's combination was great, and throughout the whole game, they were very nippy. Then J. Foote scored a good try for us as a result of close work in Nudgee 25. Martiu converted with a good kick. From a high kick, Nudgee followed on, and Easton (our full-back) slipped as he returned the kick, the ball hitting a Nudgee man and rebounding over the line. Shortly after, Enright, who was playing a great game for Nudgee, scored a second time. This brought the final scores 20 to 5 against us. Nudgee are to be congratulated on their great game. This was our only defeat in the whole season.

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#### BRISBANE GRAMMAR v. IPSWICH GRAMMAR.

We played this match just after the hard Cup match against Toowoomba. Consequently, it took the team some time to wear the stiffness and soreness off. The first half was very tame, and at half-time, Ipswich led by 9—6. Scores being registered by J. Foote, L. Outridge, and H. Williams. Shortly after resumption of play, Collins scored for Brisbane, making scores 9 all. Then Ipswich became aggressive, and Foote scored again. From a scrum at half-way, the ball travelled out to M. Williams, who ran strongly straight down the line and scored a beautiful try. Martin scored shortly after. In the last quarter of an hour, Brisbane attacked strongly, but Ipswich defended well until full time came, leaving Ipswich winners by 18—9.

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#### IPSWICH GRAMMARS v. GREGORY TERRACE.

This match was played at Ipswich and resulted in a very easy win for us by 52 to nil. Tries were scored by J. Foote, V. Martin, J. Hunt, H. Williams, M. Williams, B. Foote, and G. A. Fisher, and Martin Hunt, J. Foote, and Fisher converted various tries.

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#### IPSWICH GRAMMAR v. NUDGEE 1st XV.

The second match against Nudgee was played on the Varsity oval. Fisher won the toss from Williams and took the river end of the ground. The first few minutes of the game were exceedingly fast and hard. Nudgee pressed hard,



but good tackling by Ipswich kept them from the line. From a line out at the half-way line, Ipswich forwards knocked back, and the three-quarters circulated. Burton, on the wing, ran strongly along the line and scored. Close play then took place in Nudgee 25, when the ball came back to half-way. From a scrum here, J. Foote secured, and, running strongly, kicked over the full-back's head. Jostling prevented an almost sure try. Half-time came with scores, 3 to nil. On resuming play, Ipswich pressed, Martin punted for the line, and Nudgee's full-back fumbled and slipped, and M. Williams scored a "gift" try. Martin converted with a good kick. Shortly after, Fisher broke away from the half-way line, and beating the opposition, scored between the posts. Martin's kick narrowly missed. Shortly after, Fisher broke away again, but the full-back handled the "follow on" kick and a scrum took place. Nudgee pressed again, and knocked at the door several times, but Ipswich combined well and took play down field. From a line-out at mid-way, loose play took place. Ipswich forwards started a dribbling rush, and freeing the ball, Hunt picked up. He took the ball to the 25, and then gave to J. Foote, who outpaced the full-back and scored. Foote converted his own try. Final scores were thus 16 to nil, after a fast, hard game.

#### COMBINED SCHOOLS v. 'VARSITY.

Two matches against Varsity were played by teams selected from the A Grade Secondary Schools. In the first of these, Ipswich obtained six places, with V Martin, H. Williams, A. J. Foote in the backs, and C. Hooper, H. Burton and G. A. Fisher, who captained the combined in the forwards. A fast, exciting match was won by the Varsity, who had a much heavier team.

The second Combined Public Schools v. Varsity took place on the Brisbane Grammar turf, and was won by the Schools by 6-3. The game was an evenly-contested one, play being very fast and hard, two University and one Schools man having to retire. The first half was a good one, no score being registered, though Nothing (Schools), and Barbour (Varsity) unsuccessfully made attempts at penalties. Haeferty, Foote (Ipswich), Fisher (I), Hooper (I), Martin (I), and Charity played well for Schools. The first score came to Varsity soon after half-time, when Greening secured from a line out, ran well, and when tackled, transferred to Hirschfield, who hustled across, the try being unconverted. 3 nil. After this, the Combined backs got going, and regis-

tered two magnificent tries. Foote, Martin, Hunt, Burton, Fisher, and Hooper being prominent, while Hooper and Foote scored. Nothing unsuccessfully tried both kicks. This score remained unaltered, and left Combined winners by 6—3.

The above account is taken from the "Sports."

#### 2NDS.

- I.G.S. v. St. Lawrence. Won by St. Lawrence, 8 to 3. Frederick scored for Ipswich.
- I.G.S. v. Nudgee "B." Won by Ipswich by 23 to 5. Scores: Henderson (2), Perkins, Kingston, Ball, scored 1 each. Four were converted by F. Yarad.
- I.G.S. v. B.G.S. III. Won by I.G.S. by 6 to 5. Hammermaster and Kingston scored for I.G.S.

#### END OF 1st ROUND.

- I.G.S. v. Nudgee "A." Won by Nudgee A. by 14 to 9. For I.G.S., Kingston and Perkins scored tries, and McKay kicked a penalty goal.
- I.G.S. v. Gregory Terrace. Won by Terrace by 6 to 3. Ball scored for I.G.S.
- I.G.S. v. B.G.S. III. Won by Brisbane by 28 to nil.
- I.G.S. v. Nudgee "B." Won by I.G.S. by 6 to 3. Perkins scored and McKay kicked a penalty goal.
- I.G.S. v. St. Lawrence. Won by I.G.S. by 18 to nil. Scores: Outridge (2), Kingston, Kellet, and Isaacs, and Kellet kicked a penalty goal.

#### TENNIS NOTES.

The team this year has been fairly successful, winning the Toowoomba match, and making a good fight with Brisbane. Only two of the team, Hooper and Henderson, remained from last year, Martin and Hunt obtaining the remaining places. This pair did remarkably well, especially in the Toowoomba match, when they defeated Toowoomba's first pair rather unexpectedly. This won the match for us.

We entered A Grade competition, but owing to the previous claim of football, were not always able to put in a strong team. We are indebted to Dr. Wilson for his kind permission in allowing us his grass court. This helped us when we met Brisbane at the Milton Courts. In the latter match we lost by two rubbers, five sets, twenty games. The following are the results:—



DOUBLES.

- Henderson and Hooper (I.G.S.) v. Wilson and Geaney (B.G.S.), 1-6, 3-6.  
 Henderson and Hooper (I.G.S.) v. Marshall and Hurwood (B.G.S.) 5-7, 6-0, 6-1.  
 Martin and Hunt (I.G.S.) v. Wilson and Geaney (B.G.S.) 1-6, 3-6.  
 Martin and Hunt (I.G.S.) v. Marshall and Hurwood, 1-6, 6-3, 3-6.

SINGLES.

- Hooper (I.G.S.) v. Wilson (B.G.S.), 0-6, 1-6.  
 Henderson (I.G.S.) v. Geaney (B.G.S.), 4-6, 6-2, 6-4  
 Martin (I.G.S.) v. Marshall (B.G.S.), 6-3, 6-2.  
 Hunt (I.G.S.) v. Hurwood (B.G.S.), 1-6, 3-6.  
 Totals: B.G.S., 5 rubbers, 12 sets, 88 games.  
 I.G.S., 3 ,, 7 ,, 68 ,,

The Toowoomba match was played on our own courts, with ideal weather conditions. The following the detail scores:—

DOUBLES.

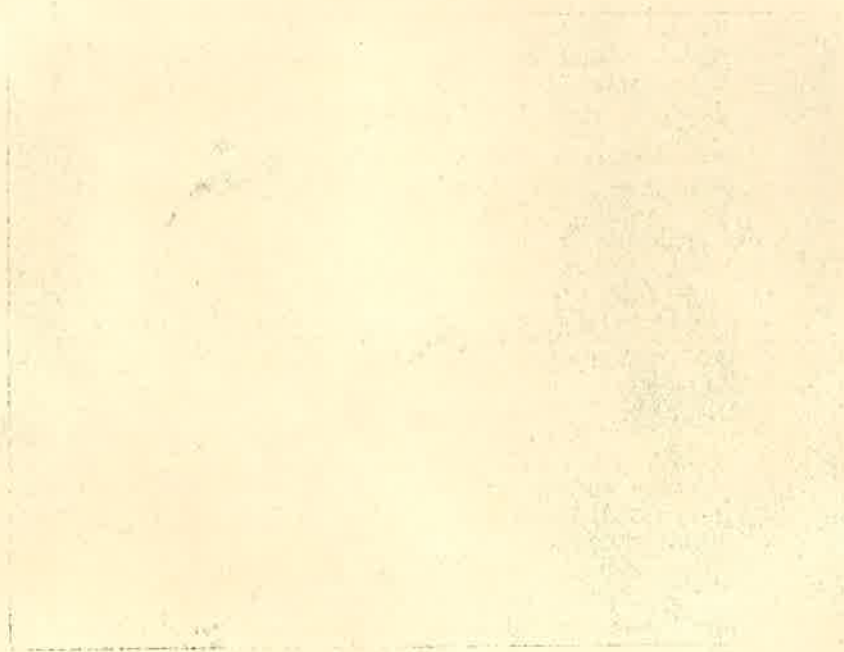
- Hooper and Henderson (I.G.S.) v. Kent and Brodie (T.G.S.), 4-6, 8-6, 0-6.  
 Hooper and Henderson (I.G.S.) v. Graham and Gregory (T.G.S.), 6-0, 6-0.  
 Martin and Hunt (I.G.S.) v. Kent and Brodie (T.G.S.), 3-6, 6-4, 6-0.  
 Martin and Kent (I.G.S.) v. Graham and Gregory (T.G.S.), 6-1, 6-1.

SINGLES.

- Hooper and Kent, 5-7, 2-6.  
 Henderson and Brodie, 2-6, 5-7.  
 Martin and Graham, 6-1, 6-1.  
 Hunt and Gregory, 6-3, 6-1.  
 Totals: I.G.S., 5 rubbers, 11 sets 89 games.  
 ,, T.G.S., 3 ,, 7 ,, 64 ,,

TENNIS CHARACTERS.

Hooper, C. (capt.).—Plays a sound, strong, and effective game; drives a good long ball; serves accurately; volleys and places well; equally good at singles and doubles.





**FOOTBALL TEAM, 1918**

**Premiers in A College Grade**

INSETS: M. L. Williams, W. B. Foote, J. Henderson, D. A. Brown

BACK ROW: R. H. Dunshea, C. T. Hall, C. C. Cribb, J. Kellet, L. M. Outridge,  
H. McCulloch, H. G. C. Williams

FRONT ROW (sitting): J. A. Hunt, C. S. Hooper, A. J. Foote (vice-captain), G. A. Fisher  
(captain and coach), H. Burton, T. V. Martin

ON GROUND IN FRONT: K. Hall, W. Easton



### SIXTH FORM, 1918

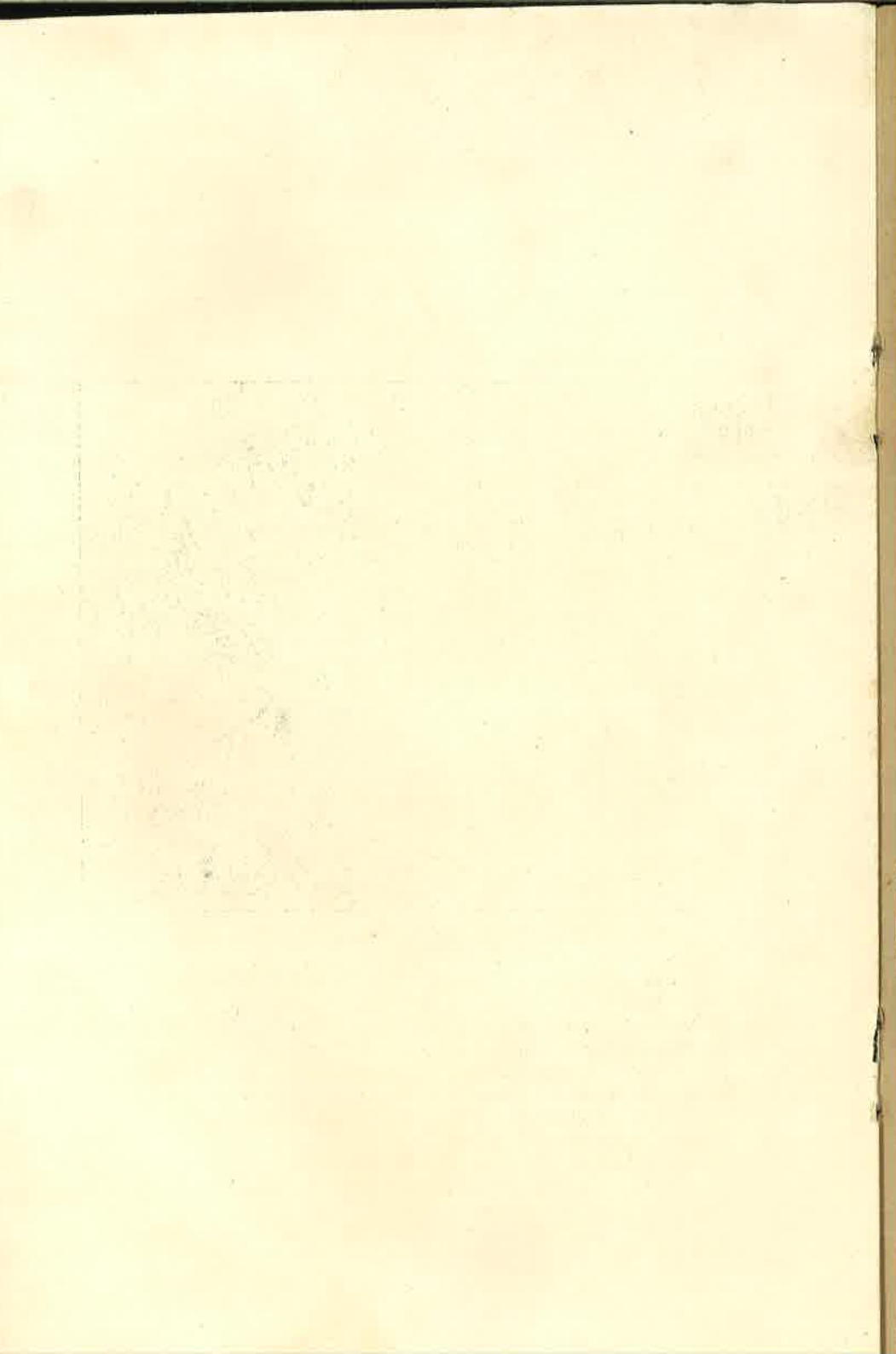
BACK ROW : W. R. Winks, K. Hall, F. W. Whitehouse, D. V. Mills, P. O. Brookes  
E. F. Stephens

SECOND BACK ROW : G. Tite, C. T. Hall, F. C. Yarod, H. McCulloch, J. A. Hunt,  
A. Bryson, A. J. Glover

THIRD BACK ROW : L. M. Outridge, R. H. Dunshen, C. C. Cribb, T. V. Martin,  
C. S. Hooper, H. G. C. Williams

SETTING : J. R. J. Cooper, R. L. Hall, G. A. Fisher, R. A. Kerr, M.A., B.Sc., A. J. Foote  
H. Burton, W. G. Henderson

FRONT ROW : W. J. Brazier, M. W. Cooper, C. M. Brown, J. S. Lawrie





Martin, T. V.—Has a good all-round knowledge of the game; a reliable and at times brilliant player, with a good variety of effective and stylish strokes; sound back-hand.

Henderson, W.—An improved player; has a sound, hard drive, and fair, straight service; volleying and placing could be improved; back-hand only fair.

Hunt, J. A.—A quiet but steady player; works hard and moves smartly on the court; plays well off the ground, but should aim at improving service and volleying as well as back-hand.

### ANNUAL ATHLETIC SPORTS.

Mile Championship: (1) Burton, (2) Frank, (3) Fisher.  
Time: 4.24  $\frac{2}{5}$ ths.

Throwing Cricket Ball: (1) Foote, (2), Burton, (3) Dunshea. 101 yds. 2ft.

Senior 440 yds. Championship: (1) Foote, (2) Burton, (3) Hunt. Time: 57  $\frac{2}{5}$ ths.

Junior 440 yds. Championship: (1) Williams, (2) Wilson, (3) Cameron. Time: 67.

Senior 100 yds. Handicap: (1) Foote, (2) Williams, (3) Stephens. Time: 10  $\frac{1}{5}$ th.

Junior 440 yds. Handicap: (1) Thomas, (2) Hutchins, (3) Price. Time: 66  $\frac{2}{5}$ ths.

120 yds. Old Scholars' Race: (1) Scott, (2) Stafford, (3) McCulloch. Time: 14  $\frac{3}{5}$ ths.

220 yds. Footballers' Race: (1) Williams, (2) Dunshea, (3) McKay. Time: 26.

120 yds. Flag Race: (1) VI Form, (2) VB Form, (3) IV B. Time: 1.33  $\frac{1}{5}$ th.

Mile Handicap: (1) Hall, R., (2) Williams, (3) Jones. Time: 5.6.

Senior 100 yds. Consolation Race: (1) Mills, (2) Murray, (3) Whitehouse. Time: 11  $\frac{3}{5}$ ths.

Junior 100 yds. Consolation Race: (1) Francis, (2) Frederick, (3) Henzell. Time: 12  $\frac{1}{5}$ th.

Open—Putting the Shot: (1) Williams, (2) Martin, (3) Fisher. Distance: 27 ft. 5  $\frac{1}{5}$ th in.

Tug-of-War: (1) Boarders, (2) Day-Boys.

Junior 100 yds. Handicap: (1) Allen, (2) Wenck and Logan. Time: 10  $\frac{4}{5}$ ths.

Senior Broad Jump: (1) Foote, (2) Dunshea and Fisher. 18ft. 2in.

Junior Broad Jump: (1) Foote, (2) Campbell, (3) Hutchins. 15ft. 11 and a half in.

Under 14 100 yds. Handicap: (1) Smith, (2) Cafferky, (3) Jones. Time: 12 1/5th.

Senior 100 yds. Championship: (1) Foote, (2) Williams, (3) Hunt. Time: 10 3/5ths.

Junior 100 yds. Championship: (1) Williams, (2) Cameron, (3) Foote. Time: 12 2/5ths.

Under 14 220 yds. Handicap: (1) Smith, (2) Stewart, (3) Jones. Time: 27 3/5ths.

Senior High Jump: (1) Fisher and Martin, (2) Cribb. 5ft.

Junior High Jump: (1) Williams and Shenton, (2) Hutchins. 4ft. 4 and a half in.

Senior 220 yds. Handicap: (1) Hunt, (2) Williams, (3) Warry. Time: 25 secs.

Mile Walking Handicap: (1) Cameron, (2) Wenck, (3) Price. Time: 8min. 20 4/5th secs.

Junior 120 yds. Hurdle Championship: (1) Hutchins, (2) Foote, (3) Wilson.

Senior 120 yds. Hurdle Championship: (1) Foote, (2) Burton, (3) Fisher. Time: 18 4/5th secs.

80 yds. Manx Race: (1) Dunshea—Hall, (2) Frost—Cochran, (3) Brazier—Isaacs. Time: 10 4/5th secs.

Junior 220 yds. Handicap: (1) Price, (2) Thomas, (3) Cameron. 27 4/5th secs.

Senior 440 yds. Handicap: (1) Hunt, (2) Burton, (3) Henderson. Time: 57secs.

Sack Race: (1) Jones, (2) Meredith, (3) Hooper. Time, Senior Championship: (1) Foote, 21, (2) Burton, 13, (3) 23secs.

Challenge Cup for Forms: (1) VI, (2) VA, (3) III. 86. Fisher, 8.

Junior Championship: (1) Williams, 12½, (2) Foote, 8, (3) Hutchins, 7.

### COMBINED SPORTS.

This year the Combined Sports for the Chelmsford Cup were held at Brisbane in conjunction with the Hospital Sports. Special heats were arranged, which included representatives from the Grammar Schools competing for the Chelmsford Cups and these were counted as usual. The first event was the broad jump, but in this we were not success-

ful, the winner being Kent (Toowoomba), with Nothing (Brisbane) second. In the 440 yards, 100 yards, and the hurdles, Foote, our representative, obtained three firsts, with Williams a close second in the 100 yards. (Foote also won the 440 yards "All Schools" championship final, in excellent time: 54 1/2.) In the high jump, Martin succeeded in defeating the Toowoomba representative, but we were defeated by Brisbane. The mile was one of the best events of the day, and was admirably won by Cribb, of Brisbane, the Toowoomba representative also being successful against us. In the junior events, McLean succeeded in winning the high jump, with a good jump of 4ft. 9in. In the competition for the Hospital Shield, we were third, the Shield being won by Southport, with Brisbane second.

For the Chelmsford Cup, we defeated Toowoomba, and tied with Brisbane. This win secured for us the much-coveted Chelmsford Cup from Toowoomba.

#### SENIOR EVENTS.

Broad Jump: (1) Kent (T), (2) Nothing (B), (3) Fisher (I).—18ft. 10in.

120 Yards Hurdles—First Heat: (1) Foote (I), (2) Marshall (B), (3) Kent (T). Second Heat: (1) McPherson (B), (2) Fisher (I), (3) Stanton (T). Final: (1) Foote (I), (2) McPherson (B), (3) Fisher (I).—18 2/5th secs.

440 Yards—(1) Foote (I), (2) Nothing (B), (3) Hunt (I).—54 1/2sec.

100 Yards.—(1) Foote (I), (2) Williams (I), (3) Reithmuller (T).

Mile.—(1) Cribb (B), (2) Brook (T), (3) Forster (T). Time: 8 min. 4 4/5th sec.

High Jump: (1) Hurwood (B), (2) Barry (B), (3) Martin (I).—5ft. 2 ins.

#### JUNIOR EVENTS.

100 Yards: (1) Carson (B), (2) Clappison (T), (3) Williams K. (I).

440 Yards: (1) Moore (B), (2) Carson (B), (3) Clappison (T).

High Jump: (1) McLean (I), (2) Clappison (T), (3) Eiser (T).—4 ft. 9in.

## OLD BOYS' COLUMN.

The Eleventh Annual Meeting of the Old Boys' Association was held in Cameron's Chambers on July 31.

There were present Messrs. H. Ferrett (President), R. A. Kerr, M.A., B.Sc., G. R. Wilson, D. Muller, W. C. H. Kilner, H. M. Scott, W. E. Cameron, J. A. Cameron, P. W. Cameron, W. E. Hargreaves, C. Harrison, Doug. Harding, A. J. Dalton, S. Jones, F. R. Whitehead, H. Reilly, H. G. Simpson, and the Hon. Secretary (A. H. Shuttlewood).

Apologies were received from J. Hargreaves, S. H. Harding, and F. A. Whitehead. The minutes of the previous Annual Meeting having been read and confirmed, the Hon. Secretary and Hon. Treasurer read the Annual Reports, which, under present conditions, were very satisfactory.

The Hon. Secretary reported that the existing Honour Board of Old Boys who had enlisted, containing 186 names, and that it was necessary to add another panel, as there were still names to be posted. It was unanimously resolved that the members of the Association be circularised and asked for subscriptions, and in the event of not enough donations coming in, the balance to be defrayed out of the Association's Funds.

At last year's Annual Meeting, Mr. Shuttlewood temporarily undertook the duties of Hon. Secretary. By the Association Rules, he is not eligible to hold office on account of not being an Old Boy of the School. With a view to modifying the rule with reference to the eligibility of nominees to act as executive officers, it was recommended that the incoming committee revise the Rules of the Association.

The election of officers for the following year, resulted as follows:—

Patron: Mr. R. A. Kerr, M.A., B.Sc.

President: W. E. Cameron.

Vice-President: W. Ernest Hargreaves.

Hon. Secretary: A. H. Shuttlewood.

Treasurer: D. Muller.

Auditor: H. M. Scott.

Council: H. Ferrett, W. C. H. Kilner, P. W. Cameron, Doug. Harding, F. H. Whitehead, and F. E. Meyer.

The Head Master of the School (Mr. R. A. Kerr) in reviewing the work of the past year stated that the School was in a prosperous condition. The examination results were highly gratifying. Numerous improvements had been effected



to the buildings, which added materially to the comfort of the boys. The roll now was 177, of whom 63 were boarders. Notwithstanding the great increase, the teaching staff had not been strengthened.

A vote of thanks to the retiring officers was unanimously carried. At the conclusion of the meeting light refreshments were partaken of.

#### OLD BOYS' NOTES.

We offer our congratulations to Bert Mellor and Bernie Flewell-Smith, who have won the Military Cross and Medal respectively. This is not the first time the school has had reason to be proud of both these men.

Lieut. Eric Cribb, in a letter from France, states that he met John Macfarlane, Bernie Flewell-Smith, and Roy Cribb there on his return to duty in France after nine months rest in England at a training camp. Gunner H. Cribb is completing his lieutenant's course in an artillery school in England.

Lieut. L. Foote, who returned from France early in the year, has very successfully completed his second year in medicine at the Sydney University. We were glad to see him at our Annual Sports.

We congratulate Fred Foote on his recent enlistment, and also on his having passed his third year in dentistry at Sydney University. D. Cameron and A. Dalton have also enlisted. Good luck to them.

Lieut. Eric Francis is now in France with the Flying Corps.

The following letter was received by the Rev. C. Fisher, from Lt. Colonel A. Woolcock, O.C., 42nd Battalion, concerning the death of Lt. W. Fisher.—

In the Field, France, 25/4/18.

Rev. Fisher.

Dear Mr. Fisher,—I am deeply sorry to have the task of conveying to you and yours the sympathy of my officers and myself in the great loss sustained in the death of your son, Walde, killed in action on 5th inst.

Your son's death was a severe blow to us all, both on the personal and military side. He was a fine officer, fearless in danger, cool, level-headed and beloved by all his men. We had all grown to love him for his manly qualities and cheerful disposition. He came to me as a private in Arménieres in Jan., 1917. Recognising his ability, we got his

commission put through as soon as possible, and never have I had any reason to regret my action. He did excellent work at Messines and Ypres, as well as in ordinary trench warfare.

On the morning of his death, I had wandered up to see the lads who were dug in some 500 yards to a flank of two batteries. Whilst we were there, the Bosch started a strafe on the batteries, but during the one and a half hours I was held up, not a shell fell closer than 200 yards. I was therefore the more deeply shocked to learn, half an hour later, that a stray shell had burst in your son's position, killing him and two of the boys instantly.

He is buried in the military cemetery, Heilly, on the Ancre, some 12 miles N. of Amiens. His personal belongings have been sent down to base, and I hope they will reach you safely without delay.

In conclusion, will you please accept for yourself and Walde's dear ones, the sincere sympathy of myself and my officers. We mourn with you.

The following letter was received from J. L. Bowling, who was in the same Battalion as Waldie Fisher, and was killed after him:—

France, 22/4/18.

Dear Mr. Kerr,

I am taking the liberty of writing a few lines to let you know that I still have a warm recollection of the old school. I understand Waldie Fisher kept in regular touch with the school, at the same time, giving you an idea how we are over here. Now, I have come to the most sorrowful part of this note: It is with much regret that I have to tell that poor Walde was killed on the 5th inst. I was no further than five yards away. As we were in the same company, we were very much attached to one another. I very much feel the loss of such a fine chap as Walde. I might mention the same shell killed two others. We spent practically an hour each day talking of old times at the school. If I can, I will get the number of his grave, which will be registered in due course. Ern Yelland is with the Battalion.

Raymond Dart, who took his M.Sc. degree in Queensland University, completed his medical course at Sydney University. He enlisted for service in the R.A.M.C., and very early one morning came to say good-bye to the old school. He must have been a little surprised at his surroundings when

he found himself in the big new balcony. But his instinct must have assured him of the right place, as every one (except one) was asleep.

News of the death of another old boy has just come to hand, Ralph Paul, who was at the school from 1913-1915. He is the thirty-fourth Old Boy to make the supreme sacrifice in a great cause.

"Joe" Cole and "Sam" Pettigrew, who embarked from Melbourne with the Victorian infantry, arrived in England in the middle of October.

Arthur Bell wrote some time ago describing an interesting journey across in his transport to Egypt and subsequent travels in that country. His stay there was short, however, and he crossed to England, through Italy. Unfortunately (or fortunately) he was laid up in Paris for a few days. His short period there made him determined "to work a leave" at some future date, to Paris. Whilst at Havre, preparatory to embarking for England, Bell met "Peter" Fleming. The latter is also in the artillery, and they had a great yarn about the old school. In a later letter, Bell mentions meeting Bernie Flewell-Smith, who had gained the Military Medal. A Sunday walk from camp had taken him to Sutton Verney, where he ran across "Jigger" McCulloch.

Captain E. Yelland, who was at school in 1908, is returning shortly to Australia. He was invalided to England with an attack of trench fever. As he was unable to lose it, he has been invalided out.

Letters have been received from Gunner P. G. Williams, who has been in France since the Australians first crossed over from Egypt. He has had some narrow escapes. He was invalided to England for a period, at the beginning of 1918, after an attack of trench fever, but has since returned to France.

Lieut. Cyril Ward was a worthy representative of Australia and of this School. A fellow officer with him on Gallipoli, in speaking of him, said he really won the V.C. several times on Gallipoli. He quoted one instance typical of the many performed by Lieut. Ward. His platoon was engaged in field work, when suddenly Turkish machine guns opened a deadly fire upon them. Several were wounded and one was left on the field unable to run. Cyril was informed of this and immediately returned single-handed in the midst of a perfect hail of bullets and carried the man in.



Lieut. Ward later received the Military Cross in France. We have just cause to be proud of this one of many who have given their lives for their country.

Lieut. John England, who received the Military Cross early in the year, wrote a cheerful letter from France. At the time of writing he was having a quiet time in a deserted village. They all reckoned at that time that it was a "good old war."

W. E. Lane writes from France that he had met Sel. Outridge and other Old Boys. He met the latter rather unexpectedly in a hay loft. The men were looking for sleeping apartments and Lane crawled up the ladder in the loft and through the entrance. He says: "The first chap I struck was old Sel himself. He was hunting for race-horses in his singlet with the aid of a candle."

Captain Yelland (Ern) writes from France, 6/14/18:

My Dear Mr. Kerr,—I daresay you will be surprised to hear from me seeing that it is over seven years since I left the School. My chief reason for writing is to inform you that Walde Fisher was killed yesterday morning by a shell. He and I were in the same Battalion, the 42nd, only he had a platoon in "B" Company and I am in charge of "C" Company. Walde came over here and joined up my platoon as a private. He put in for a commission straight away and got it about twelve months ago, in February, 1917. He was well liked in the Battalion and looked after our football teams. We used to often meet and yarn about the old School. There is another Old Boy here in "B" Company named Bowling. He is a Sergeant. Bow Foote is a Sub. in the 41st, and his brother Chill was transferred with a Commission to the 25th. I ran across an old master named Gorrie while I was in England last December. He has altered a great deal, I hardly knew him. This way and another I have run across a lot of old Ipswich Boys over here, but they are all gradually being knocked out. I left with the Battalion two years ago and with the exception of five months in England have not been away from it. I got my Captaincy early last September.

A letter was received from Eric Francis, dated 29/6/18. He was writing from Leighterton, Tedbury, Glos., and says: "You will see by the above that I am well started on my flying training. I did an eight weeks' course in theory at Reading, and then came on to here."



"I have only heard, but feel inclined to take it for granted, that young McCulloch won the Byrnes for last year. If so, please accept my heartiest congrats. Another feather in your cap, and I.G.S. again in its old position. Further congrats. are due on account of the swimming success.

"The flying here is absolutely delightful. I never knew anything in the army could have such a fascination. I have had several flights now, and am beginning to learn something of what is possible in the handling of a machine in the air."

A Field Card was received from E. Field, dated 18/6/18. And a Christmas card was received from Walter H. Bryan.

Arthur Bell writes from Egypt:

28th June, 1918.

Dear Mr. Kerr,—

Several times lately I have attempted to write to you, but it takes some considerable time for the natural beauty of this country to supply the necessary inspiration for letter writing. The unit is here temporarily, calmly and patiently awaiting instructions to continue our journey to "Blighry." The trip from Sydney to here occupied five weeks and three days, and on the whole was very pleasant. The Y.M.C.A. had a representative on board, and supplied games, gramophones, etc., writing materials, and a fairly large library. Without their help things would have been very monotonous indeed. We disembarked into trucks and came out a couple of miles into the desert, where we now live, more and have our being. To my lazy mind the great redeeming feature of the place is that very little work has to be done, 8—11 and 4—5 are the hours. The sun is too hot to do more; at present the mercury passes the 110deg. mark practically every day. Food is very short here, and is mostly fat bacon and marmalade; the orange, at all events, has done its little bit in Egypt.

The town was very interesting, and you see a lot of old world sights, as, for instance, a goat skin of water being hawked round. Shops are as numerous as ants. All the goods, including meat, are hung out in the open, where they get a full share of dust and flies. There are not many white residents and they are mostly French and Italian, but every nationality has its representatives.

Diseases generally are plentiful, and fever, dysentery, plague, cholera, and pneumonia are ready to pounce on the unfortunate soldier who drinks too much water, eats sand,

or sleeps without a blanket. Truly one needs to bear a charmed life. Even in this obscure unit the School is represented, Harry Gibbs, A. C. Inglis and myself being Old Boys.

H. V. Gibbs writes from Heytesbury, Wiltshire:

27th July, 1918.

Dear Mr. Kerr,—

The Artillery Draft to which I belong arrived in England about ten days ago, and we are training at Heytesbury Camp. Leaving Australia on May 1st, we travelled via Albany and Colombo to Suez. We were given leave at Colombo, and had a very interesting couple of days admiring the beauty of the surrounding district. Our unit was detained at Suez for a month, and none of us enjoyed the stay very much. Suez town is rather a filthy place, and there were no historic spots near enough for us to visit.

Leaving Suez on July 3rd we travelled to Alexandria by train. Our convoy across the Mediterranean consisted of the Ormonde, Malwa, Canberra, Norman, and Kaiser-I-Hind, and Japanese destroyers and a sloop were our escort. We had a comfortable run to Italy, without meeting any submarines. We disembarked at Taranto, and travelled by train (in cattle trucks) through Italy and Southern France to Cherbourg. Our route lay via Bari, Foggia, and Ancone along the Adriatic coast, thence through Faenza, Bologna, Parma, Tortona and Arquator to Genoa. After leaving Genoa we travelled along the coast through San Remo, Mentone, Monte Carlo, Nice, Cannes, Marseilles, La Teil, Givors, Lyons, St. Germain D'Or, and Gien, to a suburb of Paris, and thence to Cherbourg.

We came across the Channel at night in a fast packet, and disembarked at Southampton. At present I am feeling fit.

A letter was received from E. W. Hall, written from Watson's Bay, Sydney. He says:

"I arrived in Sydney with my mate, an Old Boy of the Southport High School, and so we are the only two Queenslanders in our reinforcements; I thought it was grand that the two schools should provide the representatives.

I don't think I shall ever forget my first day down here. In the morning we were awakened at 6, and had to be on

Parade at 6.25 for physical drill. To commence with we had to double round the Bay to the Park, a distance of about half a mile, and then while we were still under the effects of our spin we had to commence the physical drill, mostly leg, arm and trunk exercises, which took so much out of us that we did not feel lik doing anything other than lie on our backs till the next parade at nine o'clock. On this parade we had to turn out spick and span with boots polished, clean suits of dungaree, on white hats, clean, and face shaved. "We are all glad to be able to say we can equal, if not beat, any troops that have left Australia."

#### BOARDERS' NOTES.

Once again we have broken the record with regard to the number of boarders (63), the present total being the greatest number yet reached in that direction. The influx of "newies" at midwinter was responsible for the increase.

These large numbers make very necessary the new Dorm., the additions to the dining-room, and the reading room. The latter, a fine large room with three central reading tables, concrete floor, and ample seating accommodation, had been built beneath the new balcony, and is greatly appreciated.

"Ferdie" on the night of his departure (which, by the way, was particularly heartrending) was presented with a silver medal (Persian variety) reposing in a plush (or sawdust; one of the two), lined case and suitably inscribed. Subscriptions from "Kydnoottll" were the means of making this presentation possible. Ferdie is now doing "Compound Interest," and we are confident that some day he will manage the Q.N. Bank.

Two dances have taken place since midwinter, "Ours and Theirs." Both were attended by a large squad and everybody seems to have spent an enjoyable time. At least, we gathered that, from the conversation during the next nine days.

"Jersey" has volunteered the information that most chaps do not take dancing "seriously" enough; does he, we wonder? We notice with regret that his triangular grin has not put in an appearance much these days.

May we ask once again what strange creature was that which on Sports Day wended its way in a "pugilistic" manner around the sports ring in a straw hat and red trousers? Some kind person has called it a "Hayseed," but "Dad" said it was not. We are inclined to think it was the "last straw."



Several "Old Boys," including "Xmas" George, "Nigger" Macarthur and "Hulk" Douglas, were invited to spend the week-end here in connection with our dance. But sad to say they were the cause of many spending the "night out." Hulk favoured us with a musical performance entitled "David on the harp before Saul."

Peace notes would make us thank "Bill" with regard to half holidays if there were one per week; but we are afraid that 4.30 a.m. and Brisbane Street, in pyjamas, coupled with the martial strains of "Tipperary," would seriously affect exam. results and put a stop to all outside entertainment.

Instead of being warlike, the "Knuts" must now be turning effeminate, or, else why the "Duchess and the Marchioness of Cleveland"; not to mention Mrs. T. V. Paddy-Croquets, whose demonstration (a la francaise) was almost shocking!

"Griff" our "Handel," who early wends his way to church and late returns (note the poetic touch!) (extract from his sonnet on "Harmony"), has declined to tell us whether he prefers Latin or Music. "Griff," by the way, is our budding organist.

"Purse" found, containing valuables (powder and puff!) Loser apply to finder.

We are pleased to hear that "Mums" Y.W.C.A. subscription list has reached enormous figures, and we congratulate him. The old song, "Please give me a penny, sir," has worked wonders.

"Puss," who has lately been imbibing too freely of "Boonah-Spa-(r)" has in consequence become warlike. Not long ago he fought a dayboy rep. for "Fun" if you please.

Fat and his weird compound oils were of great use both before and after the sports. "Jammy" will tell you which is the best brand of grease. Where did you get your's, "Jammy"? Perhaps Fat mislaid some?

In spite of the fact that the number of bath rooms to be used before 7 a.m. is not one less than formerly, we are still awakened in the early hours by the raucous voices and the plod, plod of the "Elephantine" footsteps of countless newies.

We were sorry to hear that for a short time "Bom's" beauty (not his "beloved," by the way), was marred by precipitation from a prodigious height, even though under the supervision of "Beak," our gym. expert.



Great were the celebrations in "Kydnoottl," on the occasion of the unveiling of the "Honour Board." Speeches were made by "Griff," "Bert the Righteous," and "Puss." "Tassy Moles" gave a solo during refreshments.

### "SHE STOOPS TO CONQUER."

On Monday night, June 24th, in the Town Hall, under the capable guidance of Miss Crowther, and with the assistance of Misses Morgan, V. Dangerfield, and C. Hardy, the elocution class gave an excellent presentation of Goldsmith's well-known drama, "She Stoops to Conquer." Great credit is due to Miss Crowther for her untiring efforts to make the play a success, and the applause and the appreciative criticism of a large audience proved without doubt that her work was not in vain. It goes without saying that Miss Crowther herself played the part of Kate Harcastle to perfection. We can hardly blame young Marlow for acting as he did; flesh and blood could not have done otherwise. Miss Morgan was a convincing Mrs. Harcastle; she took us back to the days of our ancestors, when ladies suffered from megrims and vapours, and practised the gentle art of ogling on every luckless bean. Miss Vera Dangerfield was a charming Constance Neville, and more than a match for the graceless Tony Lumpkin. Many experienced critics of the art of love were of opinion that Hastings was far too slow in the face of such encouragement as he received. But, "love is blind," they say, and in any case, a woman is more proficient than a man in this art. Perhaps the lady was attracted by Hastings' good looks. Miss Hardy was a superior "maid," a treasure in the house, who knew her place and kept it. We should have liked to see her in a longer part.

Of the mere men, Burton, as young Marlow, was excellent, showing a fine appreciation of the varying shades of that complex character. No one but an adept in Cupid's art could change so convincingly from shyness in the presence of a real lady to overmastering passion when beset by a designing mixx. Meredith is to be congratulated on the manner in which he played the difficult part of Mr. Harcastle. His was a very good sustained effort. C. Lord also did very well, and showed the impress of careful teaching. Stewart as Tony Lumpkin, acted his part as to the manner born, and gave the true impression of a "gay young spark." Doubtless, had he lived in those days, he would have turned out a veritable "Mohock." Lewis, as Diggory, was very good in his

small part, while Frederick, as the Landlord, and Hooper, Brown, and Hardy as the other servants, did their little bit with credit. Stephens, in the part of Hastings, was good in patches, but perhaps a little too self-conscious and unassertive.

The orchestra, under the capable baton of Mr. Johnston, discoursed sweet music and added considerably to the pleasure of an enjoyable evening. The Red Cross benefited by the surplus takings.

Mr. Robertson's skilful hand could be traced in the artistic "make-up" of several of the artists, and his work in this direction was much appreciated. The management wish to convey their thanks to Mr. Robinson for acting as prompter. R. L. Hall, as business manager, and D. S. Wyper, as stage manager, also deserve due meed of thanks for their capable and energetic assistance.

Judging from the dulcet and harmonious sounds which proceed from the Library every Wednesday morning, we may assuredly expect something even better next year.

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DULCE ET DECORUM EST, PRO PATRIA MORI.  
HORACE II., III.

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Since our last issue, several fresh names have unfortunately been added to our list of "Honoured Dead." Thirty-four Old Boys have made the supreme sacrifice—have "gone West." Young though they were, and many, perchance, with futures of brilliance, they did not die in vain. In honouring them for their courage, for their unselfishness and devotion to duty, and for their nobility of sacrifice, let us remember these words:

They died that we might live,  
Hail! and Farewell!

All honour give

To those who nobly striving, nobly fell  
That we might live.

—John Oxenham.

OUR HONOURED DEAD.

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H. St. Yaldwin  
N. Gibbins  
C. W. Wehl  
J. A. Lindsay  
F. G. Brown  
A. B. Bourke  
W. T. S. Deacon  
N. R. G. Ridgway  
H. J. Pettigrew  
A. Warren  
N. V. Foote  
R. C. Caston, M.M.  
T. Francis, M.C.  
O. W. Wilson  
J. L. Brodie  
H. K. Fowles  
W. J. McAllister

J. S. Hogg  
H. F. Wiggles  
A. C. Lord  
C. C. Ward, M.C.  
R. Paul  
L. A. Ward  
W. J. Young  
A. A. Winks  
O. C. Foote  
C. Germain  
J. L. Bowling  
W. G. Fisher  
C. C. Muir  
E. E. Makepeace  
C. Woodward  
W. J. Handley



## ROLL OF HONOUR.

The following list has been made up from all the information available. Will anyone who notices errors or omissions, kindly inform the Editor as soon as possible?

Gibson, Dr. J. L.	Mellor, R. H.	Allen, G. C.
Stevenson, J.	Bryan, W. H.	Bernard, V. D.
Eckersley, P. A. M.	England, J.	Boldery, W.
Yaldwen, H. St. C.	Spenceley, G. T.	Bottomley, V. H.
Towuley, H. N.	Meredith, C. V.	Brackenbury, A. C.
Darvall, E. R.	Brodie, J. L.	Brown, S. G.
Butler, Dr. A. G.	Shields, J. H.	Brown, F. G.
Wood, G.	Ward, S. B.	Cribb, E.
Stewart, Dr. H. J.	Foote, L. H.	Culley, C. H.
Cameron, Dr. D. A.	Foote, E.	Dalton, S. W.
Young, W. J.	Fowles, H. K.	Duncan, A.
Gibbins, N.	Germain, V.	Fewtrell, P.
Young, H. T.	Little, E. M.	Hanby, H. F.
Gibbs, H. V.	McAllister, W. J.	Makepeace, P.
Bell, V. D.	Jenkyu, C. H. H.	McKee, H. C.
Cribb, R. B.	Barbour, T. A.	Barker, W. H.
Dunlop, Dr. A. T.	Brimblecombe, A. W.	Caston, R. C.
Handley, W. J.	Cribb, A. S.	Cribb, H. C.
Hayne, G. E.	Field, H. G.	Waller, C. G.
Hogg, J. S.	Fisher, W. G.	Outridge, S. J.
Hogg, W. B.	Andrews, R.	Germain, C.
Hogg, R.	Pettigrew, H. J.	Gill, W. H.
Lindsay, J. A.	Savage, P. J.	Crane, F. G.
Ward, C. C.	Southerden, R. L.	Dunn, R. A.
Wilson, R. S.	Spenceley, S. A.	Fittock, E. R.
Wilson, A. W.	Tambling, R.	Raff, A.
Shirvas, W.	Ward, L. A.	Rowlands, S. L.
Phillips, F. H.	Mills, F. F.	Williams, P. G.
Wilkinson, R.	Warren, A.	Woodward, C.
Wilson, I. M.	Watkins, H. G.	Winks, R. E.
Wilson, O. W.	Williams, A. E.	Forward, W.
Foote, H. D.	Wilson, C. W.	Hawkins, S. H.
Gill, H. A.	Yelland, E.	McNally, W. G.
Gill, S. G.	Fleischmann, H.	Thomson, W. A.
Morgan, L.	Foote, O. C.	Bourke, A. B.
Craddock, W. M.	Foote, N. V.	Brimblecombe, W. J.
Dunlop, Dr. L. W.	Francis, T.	Cameron, A. C. G.
Cribb, J. E.	Francis, E.	Fittock, A. E.
Halley, H. J.	Harding, F. L.	Putnam, A. E. B.
Weller, H. A.	Lord, A. C.	Scott, A. M.
Atkinson, C.	Lulham, R.	Winks, A. A.
Whitehead, A. E.	Lyons, G.	Irvine, H. S.
Summerville, D.	Macdonald, D. J.	Maughan, D. J.
Wyman, N. H. C.	Maughan, H.	Knowles, E. C.
Lindsay, E. R.	Palmer, E. H.	Straughair, J. T. R.
Conwell, W. H.	Shewan, R.	Hoare, J.
Clowes, E. J.	Sneath, R.	Maiden, E. J.
Foote, W. B.	Wriggles, H. F.	Bowling, J. L.
Maughan, C.	Kerlin, L. O.	Fleming, B. J.



Morris, T. J.	Germain, J. H.	Philp, F. J.
Anderson, G. F.	Harding, D. H. S.	Wheeling, W.
Shillito, S. H.	Lucas, L. M.	Thomas, M.
Shillito, S. W. K.	Morris, T. J.	Cole, A. H.
Lane, W. E.	Ridgway, N. R. G.	Pettigrew, S. C.
Bottomley, C. P.	Tunstall, J.	Cafferky, E. H.
Bell, J. A.	Paul, E. F. O.	Hooper, R. S.
Baines, H. P.	Pearse, A. E.	McCulloch, A.
McKee, J. R.	Gee, P. G.	Hadley, C.
Flewell-Smith, B.	Bottomley, A. E.	MacGregor, Sam
Jones, S.	Makin, V. V.	Makepeace, A. G.
Kilner, (Hirst)	Dart, R. A.	Gibbins, H.
Deacon, W. T. S.	Wehl, C. W.	Hall, E. W.
Hunter, W. S.	Lindsay, E. R.	Matthews, E. R.
Keary, F. R.	Muir, C. C.	Palmer, E. V.
Bryan, H. C.	Young, C. H.	Jonston, G. J.
Ashburn J. M.	Adkins, G. H.	Bryce, J.
Macfarlane, J.	Walmsley J. T.	Hall, T. M. S.
MacGregor, A. G.	Foote F. L.	Dalton, A.
Cameron D. A.	Outridge, P. H.	Ross, C. A. H.

