



NEWS-LETTER  
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MOTTO: "BEFORE HONOUR IS HUMILITY."—Proverbs xv. 33.

*(Our Founder's Motto for the School.)*

The  
St. Mary's Hall  
News=Letter.

**MOTTO FOR 1906 :**

*“ Think truly, and thy thoughts  
Shall the world's famine feed ;  
Speak truly, and each word of thine  
Shall be a fruitful seed ;  
Live truly, and thy life shall be  
A great and noble creed.”*



## LETTER TO OLD PUPILS.

MY DEAR OLD PUPILS,

In looking back over the months that have passed since the last News Letter was issued, the thought that is most present in our minds is that of our loss in the death of our beloved Hon. Secretary, the Rev. R. Snowdon Smith, who passed peacefully away on August 9th. In the spring of 1903 his health had begun to fail, and he had been obliged to give up his visits to the School; but he kept in constant touch with us all, and from time to time was able to see some of us for a few minutes. For twenty-one years he had been Hon. Secretary, and for the greater part of that time, until the spring of 1901, he had taken a weekly Bible Class here. Some of you will remember the letter which he wrote to the girls when he was obliged to give up those classes, and which was printed in the 1901 News Letter. To him as well as to us the giving up of those lessons was a source of deep sorrow. On December 1st, 1899, we celebrated his ninetieth birthday, and in the presence of the girls and some friends, he planted a laburnum tree in our garden. It is difficult to realise at once how much of the progress here was due to his initiation and effort. To the last he always kept free from that conservatism which is opposed to any change, and every fresh development in our work was followed by him with keen interest. In numberless ways he was continually planning pleasures for the girls, and I think that no one could ever have persuaded him that a St. Mary's Hall girl could really do anything very wrong. His last message, given to me for the School, was this: "Tell the girls always to look up." I should like to hand that message on to all the "Old Girls," who were always so much in his thoughts, and with it another sent by one who was, until last November, in the School, Margaret Venables, who, a few weeks before the home call came last March, when she knew that she was nearing the end of her course, sent to her old friends the message, "Rejoice in the Lord alway, and again I say rejoice," with the rest of the passage in Philippians iv. 1.

A wish has been expressed to me by several old pupils and others that there should be some memorial of the Rev. R. Snowdon Smith's work for St. Mary's Hall, and after consulting Miss Elliott and other friends of the School, I venture to suggest that this should take the form of a "Snowdon Smith" Divinity Prize, to be awarded annually to the girl who does the best work, to be tested by examination, in Holy Scripture and Prayer Book. A sum of £50 would enable us to give a prize of the value of about thirty shillings, and I think that should be the minimum at which we should aim. There are many, I feel sure, who would like to take a share in this, and I hope no one will hesitate to send because her donation is only a small one. About £6, in sums ranging from one shilling to £2, has already been received.

We are hoping, if all is well, to be able to begin building our Gymnasium, additional Music Rooms and Cloak Room next year. An appeal for donations is being widely distributed. A friend of the School has promised £500, provided that the rest of the estimated cost of £2,000 is raised by the end of the year. The Report will tell you more about this scheme.

With every good wish,

I am,  
Yours always affectionately,  
EDITH L. POTTER.

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### FOUNDER'S DAY.

We kept Founder's Day on October 17th.

This year the Mid-day Service was held in St. Mark's Church, where there had also been a Celebration of the Holy Communion at 8 a.m. The preacher was the Rev. Canon McCormick, Vicar of St. James's, Piccadilly, who took as his text, St. Matthew xxv. 24, "One Talent."

After lunch, a short Concert was given in the Schoolroom, and was followed by the Prize Giving. The programme concluded with a scene from Molière's "*Le Médecin Malgré Lui*," given by some members of the Fifth and Sixth Forms. The Dowager Countess of Lindsey, who was to have distributed the prizes, was unavoidably prevented from being with us, and Mrs. Morgan very kindly took her place. There was an especially good record in the Report read by the Head Mistress, but we must not enter into details here. They will be found on another page.

In his speech at the luncheon, Sir Charles Elliott referred in sympathetic words to the loss which had befallen the School in the death of the Rev. R. Snowdon Smith, and amid all the rejoicings of the day the sense of that loss was continually present, and we missed the loving message which used to come from him at these times, after weakness prevented his being present at the School with us. Among those present at this celebration were:—Canon McCormick, Sir Charles and Lady Elliott, Miss B. Elliott, the Rev. H. V. Elliott, the Rev. E. W. Elliott, Lady Seymour, the Rev. C. E. Gaussen, the Rev. C. H. and Mrs. Griffith, Canon and Mrs. Bond, the Rev. G. and Mrs. Hutton, the Rev. A. and Mrs. Morgan, the Rev. H. Brooke, Canon Flynn, and Mr. R. B. Pope.

Some old pupils stayed on to the next day, which was a whole holiday, and a very successful Auction Sale of the articles left from the Bazaar of the previous autumn was held by Miss Wright and Miss Thornburgh, £17 8s. 9d. being added to our Improvement Fund. We have still a few things over, which were too costly for the purses of the young people at this Sale, and if anyone is in search of a nice birthday or wedding present, she is advised to send to Miss Helen Potter for particulars of what we have.



## EDUCATIONAL.

In consequence of the fact that the Vicar of St. Mark's, the Rev. A. Morgan, was not able to continue his weekly Bible Class at the Hall, our Hon. Secretary, the Rev. C. Griffith, has been taking two courses, one for the Upper Forms and one for the Lower. The older girls have been studying the messages to the Seven Churches with him.

Kathleen Taylor (Elliott Scholar) passed the London Intermediate Arts Examination, and in September went to Cheltenham to study for her final B.A. Examination. She was awarded a bursary by Cheltenham College, and our Trustees awarded her a special leaving prize of £20.

Winifred Smith has passed her London Matriculation Examination, and is now working with Lucy Raynor for the Intermediate Arts. The latter gained exemption from the Matriculation Examination by her Senior Oxford Local Certificate, and so has been able to go straight on with her preparation for the Intermediate.

In the Cambridge Higher Local Examination, for which the rest of the Sixth Form have been working, Marjorie Bedale took Second Class Honours in English, and passed in History in the Third Class. Ethel Woollatt also took Second Class Honours in English.

In the Oxford Senior Examination, the eight Candidates all passed, two with Honours, and in the Oxford Junior, ten out of eleven passed, two with Honours.

Margaret Hunt, our Student Teacher, has gained her Diploma for the A.R.C.M. in Pianoforte Teaching.

In the Local Centre Examination of the Associated Board R.A.M. and R.C.M. in pianoforte playing, Dorothy Wallace and Grace Geary passed in the Intermediate Grade, and Violet Head in the Advanced.

At the Royal Drawing Society's Exhibition, Silver Stars, given by the R.D.S. and the Clothworkers' Company respectively, were gained by Maude Field and Annie Hazledine, and Bronze Stars by Dolly Hancox and Grace Merry. Evelyn Snowdon Smith gained a Bronze Medal, given by the Society of Arts.

Holiday work prizes were gained by the following girls: Winifred Smith and Monica Painter (Examination on Scott's "Woodstock"), Winifred Doubleday (Collection of Wild Flowers), Nora Sweetnam and Madeline Dougherty (Blouses), May Barrows and Kathleen Ford (Pinafores), Evelyn Snowdon Smith, Annie Hazledine and Betty Bedale (Brushwork).

## MISSIONARY NEWS.

MISS EDITH STRINGER has passed all the necessary examinations, and is now a certificated Government Teacher at Maseru (Basuto Land).

MISS MAGGIE CHURCH is at home just now, owing to the illness of her sister Constance. She had a very busy time in Ku-Cheng before she came, as Miss Codrington has been invalided home.

MISS CHURCHER'S last journal told us of a little girl of three years, whom she has adopted. She came to her door at night, after having wandered about all day. She has called her *En-tien*, which means Grace. Miss Churcher was in charge of the station while Miss Köhlenbeck and Miss Culverwell were in England. The Chinese New Year was celebrated on February 4th. On the last Sunday of their year there were addresses on Temperance and Footbinding, and several men and women took the pledge and joined the band of the Anti-Footbinding Society. The Nun, of whom an account may be seen in the last News Letter, has fallen back into her old habits. The last part of Miss Churcher's journal told us that she has had an attack of small-pox. We are glad to say it was only a slight attack, and that in three weeks she was disinfected and out of her room.

Miss Churcher hopes to come to England on furlough this year.

MISS MILNER last June gave us a very interesting account of her work as a Zenana Missionary in Amritsar.

CANON JOSA, of the S.P.G., gave us a short address about his work in British Guiana, on May 16th.

We still have our Working Party every Thursday evening, and have just finished reading "On the Borders of Pigmy Land," by Mrs. Fisher. Early in the year we sent a small box of dolls, &c., to Mrs. Sterling, at Gaza, and she has written very gratefully for it. She tells us that they hope that Dr. Sterling's new hospital will be finished this year. Miss Sandys (whose sister is working at Baranagore) very kindly helped us with material for the Working Party, and we hope to have a parcel of little frocks, chemises and dolls ready to send to Baranagore in August.

We have been very pleased to hear that some Old Girls have started Missionary Working Parties at home.

MISS ASHWIN sends from time to time an account of her work at Baranagore. Miss Evans, with whom she is, says in one of her journals: "We have a quantity of guava-cheese, guava-jelly, and tipparie (cape gooseberry) jam for sale. We need some more large orders, or friends who will kindly undertake to sell jams for us. Our carpet making goes on well." She also asks for jackets of strong print for the boys, and says: "How I wish the friend who made us a certain little blue jacket with gilt buttons could have seen the



five-year-old orphan boy's sparkling black eyes and grin of delight as the jacket was held up to see if it would fit him." In a later journal she tells us that they almost had a very serious fire. A little boy had lost a marble, and in striking a match to look for it, set fire to a straw stack. Several of the women's thatched houses were near, but the women quickly formed a line to pass buckets and the fire was extinguished before any harm was done except to the straw.

DR. MACKENZIE gratefully acknowledged the sum contributed by the girls towards erecting a Memorial Hospital in Fuh-Ning, China, in memory of his wife (*née* Maud Aston).

MISS MARTHA SETON ADAMSON has been accepted by the C.M.S., and is working in the Hospital at Kerman, Persia.

MISS E. S. KARNEY, who has just returned from Gampola, Ceylon, came to speak to us about her work on May 30th.

On November 2nd, all the School very much enjoyed the Animated Photographs illustrating Missionary Work in India.

THE REV. C. H. GRIFFITH addressed the School on Ash Wednesday, on the work of the Bible Society in different parts of the world.

MISS BIRRELL has been doing Deputation Work for the C.E.Z.M.S. in Yorkshire and Cambridge. We had hoped that she would be able to address the girls when she was staying here last April, but her illness prevented her from doing so. Old pupils will be glad to hear that she is now much better.

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## OUR INDIAN ORPHAN.

MARY ELLIOTT HALL wrote to thank us for the hymn book we sent her for Christmas. She says: "I have received the Junior Teacher Certificate, as I passed my examination. I have been teaching one year, and this is my second year of teaching. Besides the teaching, Annie (who is another Pupil Teacher with me) and I both early in the morning study with the Pundit for our second examination. . . . All the letters you have sent me, I keep them very carefully. If I have not a letter from you for some time my heart becomes small. I think you have forgotten me, but when the letters come I am very glad because I know you remember me."

MISS BARDSLEY, in her letter, says: "I should be very glad if the girls could continue to support Mary for one year longer. This time next year, all being well, she will go up for the Teachers' Senior Certificate Examination, and will pass out of the School. I will remember the girls' wish, and try to have some nice bright little girl for them to support, then, in Mary's place. I think they will see from the letter of Mary's I have enclosed how much she has appreciated their sympathy."



## GENERAL NEWS.

The Summer Term Holiday was spent at Falmer on June 27th. With the exception of a light shower of rain about two o'clock, the day was beautifully fine. Our headquarters were at Mary Farm, where we all went for tea, and the day was spent in rambling about the woods and open common. There was some competition as to who would get the most varied collection of wild flowers during the day, and one member of the party found 120 different kinds.

On May 25th, Miss Helen Potter, with Marjorie Bedale, Margaret Hunt, Ruth Smith, Janet Smith and Mary Horn, spent an enjoyable day at "Newholme," Addlestone, with Miss Elliott, and on July 18th, Miss Forrest and Miss Stewart, with Kathleen Taylor, Marjorie Bedale, Ethel Ash and Winnie Howlett had the pleasure of a visit to Wimbledon to spend the day with Sir Charles and Lady Elliott.

The Half-Term Holiday in the Lent Term took place on March 3rd, and on March 9th Miss C. Thomson kindly showed us her beautiful lantern slides, illustrating the Prologue to Chaucer's Canterbury Tales, and gave us a most interesting description of the different pilgrims.

On February 7th, a large number of the older pupils went to the Hove Town Hall to hear Mr. Kearton's Lecture on "Wild Nature at Home," and on March 20th the School had the further delight of hearing Mr. Thompson Seton on "Wild Animals I have known."

On February 7th, Form IIIb. invited Miss Potter and the Mistresses and Form II. to a little French play, "*Un jour de congé*." It was very clearly recited, and much enjoyed by all.

The Bishop of Chichester held a Confirmation at St. Mark's Church on April 9th, the Monday in Holy Week. The following girls from the Hall were among those confirmed: Dorothy Ash, May Barrows, Marjorie Barrow, Joan Hare Duke, Lilian Hawkins, Gladys Head, Violet Head, Janie Johnston, Violet Little, Lucy Raynor and Gladys Whittington-Ince.

Among the musical treats of the winter were Mischa Elman's Recital and Madame Clara Butt's Concert.

Through the kindness of Mr. and Mrs. Bird Foster, the whole School enjoyed a visit to the Palestine Exhibition, which was held at the Dome in November.

Owing to the death of the Rev. R. Snowdon Smith, we had no Concert in the Autumn Term.

Our Christmas party took place on December 18th. The Class Rooms were cleared for games, and we had dancing in the large Schoolroom.

On November 9th, a party from the School went to the Dome to hear Sir Robert Ball's Lecture on "The Sun."

While this News Letter has been in preparation, we have had a visit from the Archbishop of Sydney, and although this event should properly belong to next year's record, we feel we must refer to it here.

It was a very great pleasure to receive the son of our late Secretary. He came on June 1st with two of his daughters, the Misses Dorothy and Rosalind Saumarez Smith, and with the Rev. C. Griffith. The Chorus Class sang two charming part songs, the music to which was written by Miss Mabel Saumarez Smith, "Oh, diviner air," and "Have you seen but a bright lily grow," and then the Archbishop spoke to the School. After referring to his father's interest in the Hall, he told us of a School for Clergy Daughters at Sydney—St. Catherine's—in which he himself is much interested, and also gave an account of the Aboriginal Mission Station at Yaruba, on the East Coast of Australia. All the buildings belonging to the Station, including the Church, were last winter destroyed by a terrible tornado. After the singing of the School Hymn, the words of which were written some eight years ago by the Archbishop himself and set to music by his daughter, the Archbishop pronounced the benediction and said goodbye. He and his daughters sailed for Sydney on June 7th.

We hope to link ourselves with the School at Sydney by corresponding and exchanging photographs, nature records and other things of interest.

Dorothy Cross has taken the place of Ethel Ash as "Birthday Mother."

The girls' gardens have been re-arranged, and each girl now has a small plot of her own instead of sharing it with one or two friends. This plan is found successful in bringing into notice the sleeping partners whose connection with their garden was a nominal one only. After the thorough digging and dressing which Henley and his men gave the gardens before they were allotted to the girls, they have been much more productive, and the flowers, especially the pansies, have made a beautiful show this spring. The Mistresses, too, have many of them their own gardens, and the space near the Laundry which used to be filled with euonymus bushes is now cleared and bright with flowers. Garden prizes were won last year by Marjorie Bedale, Winifred Smith, Madeline Dougherty, Constance Godwin, Dorothy Arnold, Violet Grandjean, Dorothy Moore and Ada Oliphant.

Our grateful thanks are due to the donors of the following and other gifts during the last year :—A large Bible for the Sanatorium, books and games from the Misses Snowdon Smith and Mrs. Griffith ; curios from China from the Rev. F. R. Smith ; the skull of a young Indian tiger from Mrs. Cook ; and a number of interesting geological specimens from Mrs. Mathias, of Rakaia.

We greatly prize a beautiful portrait of the Rev. R. Snowdon Smith, given to us by his family, and now hanging in the large Schoolroom.



## NOTES ABOUT OLD PUPILS AND OTHERS.

The following girls have left during the year :—In July, 1905, Kathleen Taylor, Marjorie Bedale, Ethel Ash, Winnie Howlett, Ruth Smith, Mary Horn, Agatha Rawson, Agnes Smith, Janet Smith, Marjorie Ince, Julia Shelton, Agnes Adams, Marjorie Sproule, Esselina Allen, Daisy Giddens and Doris Jenkins. In December, 1905, Madeline Dougherty, Connie Trapp, Hilda Segall, Jessie Taylor, Connie Godwin and Winnie Taylor. In April, 1906, Norah Ford.

Kathleen Taylor is now studying at Cheltenham College for her final B.A. degree. She is living at St. Austin's.

Winifred Howlett is being trained for Elementary School Teaching at the Bishop Otter Training College, Chichester, where Daisy Short is also studying. Winifred was granted a Lady Elliott Scholarship after matriculating last year.

Agatha Rawson is being trained as a Teacher of Physical Exercises, under Fraülein Wilke, at the South Western Polytechnic.

The following news is of girls who have left us for a longer time :—

Jessie Short is this Term filling a temporary post at the Wimbledon High School.

Mabel Short has a post under the Peterborough Council as Teacher of Cookery.

Mary Tugwell is now teaching at a School in Lausanne, after a brief experience of life as an English Governess in the family of a Russian Prince, living in Switzerland.

Miss Potter has received an interesting letter from Agatha Williams, who is now living in Rosario, Argentina. She described the floods which took place last autumn, bringing down a good many young alligators from Paraguay, and promises to send something for our Museum.

Margaret Young is now an Assistant Mistress at the London County Council School, Cormont Street, S.E.

Alice Bailey-Churchill, with a sister, is teaching in a large Elementary School at Fulham. In a letter to Miss Potter she says : "I wish more Hall girls would take up this work ; it is most interesting, and both my sister and I are very happy. I think I must be an authority on the pleasure of it, after two years."

Hilda Ragg is giving up her little school in Lincoln this summer, and is going out to India to work among the soldiers' wives at Cawnpore, where her brother is Chaplain.

Miss Bagley and Miss Crawford are now living at 26 Selden Road, Worthing, and there was an interesting house warming there in May, at which a large number of Old Pupils of St. Mary's Hall were present. Miss Bagley hopes to receive as pupils a few delicate or backward children, and children needing temporary change of air or a home for the holidays.

Lilian Seeley is studying at the Hostel, Durham, for her Arts Degree of Durham University.

Kitty Gordon has been for some time in Paris, acting as Secretary at the "Ada Leigh Homes," 77 Avenue de Wagram.

Sister Annie (Anna Cornwall), who is a Deaconess working at the House of Mercy, Cheltenham, Victoria, Australia, has sent us some of the leaflets, "In our midst," giving a very interesting account of the work. She returned to Australia last August, after a stay in England, during which she re-visited her old School.

Miss Evans has been spending the winter at San Remo, but is now in England again. We had hoped to see her here for a few hours in May, after her journey from Italy, but she was not able to come to us before leaving for Gloucestershire.

### THE GAMES CLUB.

The Annual Sports took place at the end of the Summer Term, and the results were as follows :—

*Running*—100 yards handicap (over 14)—1. G. Geary.  
2. G. Ince.

" 100 yards (under 14)—1. D. Arnold.  
2. K. Ford.

" 100 yards (under 12)—1. M. Wonnacott.  
2. N. Ford.

" Quarter-Mile Handicap—1. E. Snowdon Smith (Prize given by the Mistresses).  
2. D. Cross.  
3. M. Ince.

*Three-Legged Race* (combined ages over 28)—  
1. G. Ince and E. Bowen.

*Three-Legged Race* (combined ages under 28)—  
1. E. Allen and K. Mitchell.  
2. F. Bowen and D. Arnold.

*Egg and Spoon Race* (Upper School)—1. M. Ash.  
2. M. Venables.

" (Lower School)—1. M. Sproule.  
2. V. Little.

*Obstacle Race* (over 14)—1. D. Cross.  
2. G. Merry.  
3. M. Ash.

*Obstacle Race* (under 14)—1. M. Ruston.  
2. J. Batson.  
3. A. Adams.

*High Jump* (over 15)—1. E. Snowdon Smith (4ft. 1in.).  
(Prize given by Miss Potter).

2. M. Hunt } (3ft. 11ins.)  
G. Geary }

" (under 15)—1. D. Ash (3ft. 8ins.)  
2. M. Ruston (3ft. 7ins.)

" (under 13)—1. F. Bowen (3ft. 3ins.)  
2. K. Mitchell (3ft. 2ins.)



*Long Jump* (over 15)—1. A. Rawson (12ft. 5½ins.)

2. G. Geary (12ft. 5ins.)

„ (under 15)—1. R. Chevallier (11ft. 3ins.)

2. K. Ford (11ft. lin.)

„ (under 13)—1. L. Grasett (9ft. 9ins.)

2. K. Mitchell (9ft. 4ins.)

*Throwing the Cricket Ball*—1. V. Head (45yds. 9ins.)

(Prize given by Miss Wright).

Mr. and Mrs. Griffith kindly gave prizes to the following who threw over the specified distance:—M. Venables, E. S. Smith, A. Rawson and G. Merry (over 40yds.); M. Ash, M. Ince, E. Sealy, H. Segall, G. Ince and C. Godwin (over 35yds.)

*Consolation Race* (over 14)—E. Jellicoe.

„ „ (under 14)—L. Arnold.

## CRICKET.

The First Eleven showed considerable improvement last season, and we are sorry to have lost five of the members, including Ethel Ash, the Captain. Only three matches were able to be played, of which the Hall won two and lost one. The Junior Eleven played one match against the Roedean Preparatory, which they won. Scores:—

### DOWNS' CLUB.

G. Newland, b M. E. Wright..	..	..	2
D. Estridge, run out ..	..	..	58
V. Adamson, c M. E. Wright, b M. Venables	..	..	13
G. Blatch, c M. E. Wright, b M. Venables..	..	..	1
D. Adamson, c and b A. Rawson ..	..	..	3
K. Burmann, c M. Venables, b M. E. Wright	..	..	1
E. Holmwood, b M. Ince ..	..	..	11
I. Blatch, b M. E. Wright ..	..	..	0
E. Burgess, not out ..	..	..	0
Grace Blatch, b M. Ince ..	..	..	0
H. Kean, b M. Ince ..	..	..	0
Extras ..	..	..	8

97

2nd innings, 75 for 4 wickets.

### ST. MARY'S HALL.

E. Ash, b G. Newland ..	..	..	5
E. S. Smith, c K. Burmann, b G. Newland	..	..	4
M. Venables, b D. Estridge ..	..	..	7
M. E. Wright, b G. Newland ..	..	..	6
A. Rawson, b D. Estridge ..	..	..	4
E. Sealy, c G. Blatch, b D. Estridge ..	..	..	1
D. Cross, b D. Estridge ..	..	..	7
M. Ash, b G. Newland ..	..	..	0
G. Merry, c K. Burmann, b G. Newland ..	..	..	2
M. Barrow, not out ..	..	..	7
M. Ince, b G. Newland ..	..	..	1
Extras ..	..	..	1

45

2nd innings, 70 for 4 wickets  
(A. Rawson, 26 not out).

### ST. MARY'S HALL JUNIOR XI.

E. Short, run out ..	..	..	..	0
D. Giddens, b M. Peake ..	..	..	..	0
A. Adams, b M. Peake ..	..	..	..	0
J. Taylor, run out ..	..	..	..	0
E. Jellicoe, c and b U. Tremayne ..	..	..	..	18
K. Mitchell, b M. Peake ..	..	..	..	0
G. Ince, run out ..	..	..	..	0
L. Grasett, c M. Peake, b N. Locock ..	..	..	..	3
K. Ford, run out ..	..	..	..	7
G. Ost, c J. Every, b M. Peake ..	..	..	..	6
M. Painter, not out ..	..	..	..	2
Extras ..	..	..	..	11

47

2nd innings, 23 for 9 wickets.

### ROEDEAN PREPARATORY.

U. Tremayne, c L. Grasett, b J. Taylor ..	..	..	4
N. Locock, c G. Ince, b L. Grasett ..	..	..	2
M. Peake, b L. Grasett ..	..	..	0
C. Green, b L. Grasett ..	..	..	5
E. Edmondson, c G. Ost, b D. Giddens ..	..	..	15
E. Stuckey, b J. Taylor ..	..	..	0
M. Boot, b J. Taylor ..	..	..	8
M. Frankenburg, c G. Ost, b J. Taylor ..	..	..	2
E. Trouton, c L. Grasett, b D. Giddens ..	..	..	1
J. Every, c L. Grasett, b J. Taylor ..	..	..	1
J. Matty, not out ..	..	..	0
Extras ..	..	..	1

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## ST. MARY'S HALL.

M. E. Wright, c I. Blatch, b D. Adamson..	0
E. Ash, c and b D. Adamson .. ..	17
E. Sealy, b V. Adamson .. ..	10
M. Venables, c G. Blatch, b H. Heane ..	8
E. S. Smith, b H. Heane .. ..	2
A. Rawson, run out .. ..	0
D. Cross, run out .. ..	17
M. Ash, c K. Burmann, b V. Adamson ..	1
M. Barrow, not out .. ..	6
G. Merry, b H. Heane .. ..	2
M. Ince, c and b H. Heane .. ..	0
Extras .. ..	11
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## DOWNS' CLUB.

I. Blatch, c E. S. Smith, b E. Sealy ..	6
D. Adamson, b M. E. Wright .. ..	0
E. Holmwood, b M. E. Wright .. ..	22
V. Adamson, c M. E. Wright, b E. Sealy ..	13
K. Burmann, b E. Sealy .. ..	3
G. Blatch, c D. Cross, b E. Sealy .. ..	2
H. Heane, b M. Ince .. ..	0
D. Burgess, not out .. ..	1
Grace Blatch, c E. Sealy, b M. E. Wright..	0
G. Geary, b M. E. Wright .. ..	2
G. Ince, b M. E. Wright .. ..	0
Extras .. ..	8
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## ST. MARY'S HALL.

E. Ash, c Salmon, b Henry .. ..	25
E. Sealy, b Henry .. ..	3
M. Venables, b Henry .. ..	5
A. Rawson, c and b Henry .. ..	4
D. Cross, c Stern, b Sheppard .. ..	3
E. S. Smith, b Henry .. ..	0
M. Barrow, b Henry .. ..	0
W. Howlett, not out .. ..	8
M. Ash, b Henry .. ..	0
G. Merry, b Stern .. ..	0
M. Ince, b Henry .. ..	2
Extras .. ..	5
	55

2nd innings, 44 for 4 wickets.

(E. S. Smith, 15 not out, E. Ash, 21 not out).

## WADHAM HOUSE SCHOOL.

Pogson, b M. Ince .. ..	3
Foulger, c G. Merry, b E. Sealy .. ..	0
Kenellyma, b M. Ince .. ..	2
Sheppard, c M. Ince, b M. Venables ..	6
Stern, not out .. ..	6
Henry, b M. Venables .. ..	2
Salmon, mi., b M. Venables .. ..	0
Sheppard, ma., b M. Venables .. ..	3
Beard, b M. Venables .. ..	0
Davies, b M. Venables .. ..	1
Carewynne, b M. Venables .. ..	0
Extras .. ..	5
	28

2nd innings, 19 for 5 wickets.

## TENNIS.

Instead of the usual American Tournament, matches were played between the Past and Present, resulting in the Present winning both the Singles and Doubles. The scores were as follows.—

*Singles*—*Past*, J. Short. *Present*, E. Snowdon Smith.

Won by E. S. Smith. Games, 6—1, 6—1.

*Doubles*—*Past*, S. Evans and R. Elwin. *Present*—D. Cross and M. Venables.

Won by D. Cross and M. Venables. Games, 6—2, 6—4.

## STOOL BALL.

The Trustees and friends played a match against the First Cricket Eleven on the day of the Garden Party, resulting in a win for the School. The game caused great amusement, owing to the Trustees' lack of knowledge of the rules of the game, which was the cause of their defeat. Score :—

Trustees, 1st innings ..	19
„ 2nd innings ..	77

S.M.H., 1st innings ..	36
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## HOCKEY.

## FIRST ELEVEN.

Played, four matches—won, three ; lost, one. The Eleven, as a whole, showed better combination, but are still too slow in the circle and the shooting is not hard enough. E. Sealy, at back, and G. Merry, at centre-half, were very good. E. Snowdon Smith was elected Captain in the place of E. Ash, who left, and the Eleven was made up of the following :—J. Duke (*goal*) ; E. Sealy and M. Ash (*backs*) ; M. Seeley, G. Merry and V. Head (*halves*) ; E. S. Smith, G. Geary, M. E. Wright, H. Platt and D. Cross (*forwards*) ; G. Ince (*reserve*).

The following won their colours during the season :—V. Head, G. Merry, H. Platt, E. Sealy and M. Seeley. E. S. Smith and D. Cross already had theirs.

## SECOND ELEVEN.

Played one match—won, one. The Eleven was not so good as in 1904-1905, but showed signs of improvement towards the end of the season. The following represented the Second Eleven :—K. Giddens (*goal*) ; A. Hazeldine and M. Barrow (*backs*) ; M. Hunt, L. Hawkins, and D. Wallace (*halves*) ; W. Smith, H. Hunt, G. Ince, D. Warne and G. Head (*forwards*).

The following is a list of all matches played by the School :—

Form IIIa v. IIIb. ... ..	Won by IIIa by 2 goals to 0		
Top East v. Top West ... ..	Won by Top West	2	1
Mistresses and Old Girls v. S.M.H. ...	Won by S.M.H.	6	0
S.M.H. 2nd XI. v. Addiscombe College 1st.	Won by S.M.H.	3	1
S.M.H. v. Kemp Town ... ..	Won by Kemp Town	1	0
S.M.H. v. Brighton High School ... ..	Won by S.M.H.	6	0
Form Upper V. and Va v. Vb. ...	Won by Upper V. and Va	3	0
Form IIIa v. IIIb ... ..	Won by IIIa	4	0
Form IV. v. IIIa ... ..	Won by IIIa	1	0
Oxford v. Cambridge ... ..	Won by Oxford	2	0
S.M.H. v. Miss Wright's XI. ... ..	Won by S.M.H.	7	0
Form IV. v. IIIa ... ..	Won by IV.	7	0

## BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS.

## BIRTHS.

GILL, HILDA (*née* Fothergill), the wife of Geoffrey Gill, on August 4th, 1905, of a son, at the Stone House, Caterham, Surrey.

HARWOOD, MARION (*née* Hall), the wife of J. E. Harwood, on June 24th, 1905, of a daughter (Marion Elisabeth), at Lyndhurst, Harlesden Road, N.W.

KARSLAKE, MADELINE (*née* Woolcombe), the wife of the Rev. H. Karslake, on March 3rd, 1906, of a son, at Plumpton, Sussex.

OVERMANN, BEATRICE (*née* Heaven), the wife of Charles I. Overmann, on May 9th, 1906, of a daughter, at 13 Station Road, Cheadle Hulme, near Manchester.

## MARRIAGES.

BERRIDGE, AMY VAVASOUR, to

DRIVER, LLOYD, of Southsea, at St. Gabriel's, Eccleston Square, S.W., on February 6th, 1906.

DAWE, EDITH ELIZABETH, eldest daughter of the Rev. W. Dawe, Vicar of Satterthwaite, Lancashire, to

HANHAM, THE REV. HOWARD H., Vicar of Mid Llou, Natal, at the Parish Church, Satterthwaite, on November 21st, 1905.

MILLARD, MARY, daughter of the Rev. C. S. Millard, B.A., Rector of Costock, Loughborough, to

CLARKE, THE REV. C. B., M.A., C.M.S. Missionary and Acting Chaplain, Burdwan, India, eldest son of the late Rev. T. J. Clarke, M.A., of York, at Holy Trinity Church, Calcutta, on November 15th, 1905.

## DEATHS.

EACOTT, THE REV. J., at 28 Seely Road, Nottingham, on May 3rd, 1906, aged 63 years.

HARE-DUKE, THE REV. J., at Glen-Craig Vicarage, Craig-a-vad, on September 29th, 1905, in his ninety-third year.

HENSLEY, THE REV. LEWIS, Hon. Canon of St. Albans and for nearly fifty years Vicar of Hitchin, on August 1st, 1905, aged 81 years.

SIBTHORP, ELIZABETH MARTHA, the wife of the Rev. H. Sibthorp, at Eye Vicarage, Peterborough, on March 9th, 1906.

SNOWDON-SMITH, THE REV. RICHARD, formerly Vicar of All Souls, Brighton, and of Northwold, Norfolk, and Hon. Secretary of St. Mary's Hall, at 13 Norfolk Terrace, Brighton, on August 9th, 1905, aged 95 years.

VENABLES, THEODORA MARGARET, younger daughter of the Rev. W. Venables, at Scofton Vicarage, Worksop, on March 24th, 1906, aged 16 years.

WHITTINGHAM, WALTER BASDEN, at Claremont, Frinton-on-Sea, on October 5th, 1905.

YOUNG, AGNES MILLICENT, of Bawburgh Vicarage, Norwich, suddenly, near Paris, on July 27th, 1905, aged 27 years.

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In Memoriam.

MARGARET THEODORA VENABLES.

Margaret entered the School in 1898 as a member of the First Form. She made her way steadily up to the Fifth Form, and last July passed the Senior Oxford Local Examination. She had just moved into the Upper Fifth Form when her health broke down, and she was obliged to go home. The illness developed rapidly, and on March 26th came the news that she had passed away two days before. We had a very simple and helpful service at St. Mark's the following day, taken by the Rev. A. Morgan and the Rev. C. Griffith, and the School sent a cross of flowers for the funeral service at Scofton.

Margaret's nature was a particularly bright and unselfish one ; she was eager about everything she had to do, whether work or play, and her influence was always for good. Those who knew her best realised that the real beauty of her life arose from something deeper than a naturally bright and sunny disposition. It was a life consecrated in loving simplicity to God's service, and while we sorrow, we also rejoice.



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