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FIRST XV, 1941-2

Standing: F. P. Cunningham, H. E. Grief, G. K. Smith, J. E. Prentice, H. A. Smith, E. C. Charlton, G. R. Waite, R. D. Godbold. Sitting: N. E. Burrill, H. A. Wright, A. J. Fryer (vice-captain), M. A. English (captain), R. W. Lammiman, R. C. Perkins. In front: D. Toynton, G. S. E. Penrose.

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EDITORIAL

War conditions have compelled us to be content with two issues of the Benteleian each year instead of termly ones.

This makes it all the more difficult for the Editors to enable it to perform the most important function of a magazine, which is that of giving a full picture of the corporate life of the School and the activities of present and past Spaldonians and Moultonians. This responsibility is brought home to us all the more by the regrettable fact that our pages contain the names of those who have died for their country. We do ask for the help of everyone in making the picture worthy of the subject.

In spite of the shadow of war we are carrying on with as many School activities as possible but the play, "Arms and the Man," has been postponed until May 14th.

We are very pleased to hear how our Old Boys are acquitting themselves with honour and distinction in all the armed services. We congratulate Sir John Howard, Chief Justice of Ceylon, on his knighthood.

During the year the School has lost another valued Governor and friend in Alderman W. A. Atton, J.P., Chairman of the Finance Committee.

We wish Mr. Jowett God-speed on his joining the Navy, and we welcome Miss J. P. Guy as Modern Languages Mistress.

We acknowledge with gratitude the generous gift of £15 by the Old Spaldonians towards the big deficit on "The Benteleian."

L.J.D.

We regret to hear of the death of Mrs. J. B. Driver, the Headmaster's mother. She took great interest in the School, and for several years presented a cup to the Junior Sports Champion.

LEISURE

"God created thee to work." Perhaps this is an excellent saying, and its original author undoubtedly considered it as a just and confirmed moral truth. Yet I can no more conceive of such a God as this than I can conceive of one who created man for the Sabbath. It is the religion of the task-master, a religion adapted to his own interests, and a hard and cold religion. That we were created for a purpose is indisputable—but what was that purpose? It seems to me that it was this: To learn to live decently through undergoing numerous experiences, all of which should leave their imprint on the sufferer's mind. Thus our life must not be passed in slaving without end in order to keep body and soul together. Nor must we abuse our existence by passing it in idleness. For the first breeds lack of intelligence, interest or desire of living, while the second brings in-

difference, boredom and lack of energy. The former brings injury to oneself; the latter adds injury to the community, and the lowering of moral standards.

Primitive man was forced by nature to work, and work always. From work his only rest was in eating and sleeping. He had to be on constant guard against wild beasts and his enemies, his life was passed in constant strife, and he had, as yet, little brain. Yet as primitive man advanced leisure crept into his life, and leisure bred art on cavern walls, or carving on bones, and eventually writing was born, and civilisation began.

Among the first civilisations were those of the East and the Mediterranean. Work was rewarded by rest, and leisure bred culture: art, music, science, philosophy and literature. But the burden of the work being done by slaves, the leisure of the rulers turned to indolence and the greatest blessing became a curse. The empires and civilisations fell, overturned by active although ignorant and barbarous opponents.

The balance is still out between the workers and the idlers, but the former now have leisure, more than ever before. Yet they do not know how to enjoy it. This precious asset is wasted on inanities due to a complete ignorance of how to employ it. However, there are hopes that in the future this may be improved or remedied. The Constitution of the Soviet Union states from the Bible—"He who worketh not, neither shall he eat!" But it also guarantees that he shall be given work and given *leisure*. The working day is cut in length, and the worker is taught how to use his leisure profitably and how to benefit by it.

I have previously mentioned leisure as being the origin of all the fine arts and of civilisation. Yet once that civilisation has been attained leisure still leaves the danger of turning the artist to a dilettante—that is when he does not have to work at his art for his existence. The novelist Thackeray was only saved from excess of leisure by being plunged into financial straits, forcing him to work for self-preservation.

Yet, let not my reader think that I advocate for leisure the sole use of profitable self-instruction. Indeed I think it should first and foremost be used for enjoyment, rest and recreation. But not entirely for heedless and inconsequential amusements. Men were made for a purpose, and their lives should ultimately be directed towards that end, not frittered away and wasted.

M. A. English

"IS THE WORLD ROUND?"

In the days before Galileo, to say that the world was round was not only an offence against common sense, but a direct insult to God Almighty. In the more enlightened days that followed, men not only began to believe that the earth was round, but actually began to investigate its shape more thoroughly. By their researches, they eventually agreed that the earth was more or less spheroidal, flattened at the poles. It is here that we begin to run up against the greatest difficulties. In describing the shape of the earth, are we to

take the lithosphere i.e. the solid parts of the earth as our definition of 'world' — or are we to take the hydrosphere — or a combination of the two? It seems probable that the best solution is to take the lithosphere, for it seems reasonably safe to assume that since the earth is rotating rapidly, all the liquid would tend to form at least a spheroid, if not a perfect sphere. Another difficulty is our very imperfect knowledge of the polar regions. That there is mainly sea at the North and that there is high land at the South is certain, but beyond this little can be said. In consequence of this last fact it is certain that the lithosphere is not a spheroid. One famous scientist has likened it to a peg-top; but it remained for Lothian Green to make his somewhat astonishing statement 'The world is a tetrahedron.'

To understand this properly, we must first consider the difficulties that face the spheroid theory. It can be assumed that at some time in the history of the earth the continents have been free to wander about the earth as they pleased. Now the earth is spinning very rapidly on its axis, and so, if the earth were a sphere, all the continents would tend to form a band around the Equator — and this is certainly not the case. In fact, the continents are more or less parallel to the meridians. It has long been observed that there is a marked similarity between the shapes of the continents, practically all being triangles with their apices pointing south. The same similarity can be noticed with regard to the oceans, these being triangles with their apices pointing north. These similarities are increased if we substitute an ocean in place of the Caspian Depression, and the Basins of the Volga and Dvina, a state of affairs that existed in geologically recent time. An even stranger fact is that all peninsulas, with the two exceptions of Denmark and Yucatan, point to the South. It is significant that neither of these is tectonic. Another striking fact is that all the oceans are roughly antipodal to continents — e.g. South America to the Pacific, Antarctica to the Arctic. The position of the continents in relation to one another is remarkable — we have three land masses arranged symmetrically around the north pole, whilst the southern hemisphere is practically devoid of land, with the exception of a roughly circular patch around the south pole. This extraordinary symmetry cannot be the result of pure coincidence, as it must be if the earth was a spheroid. We must find some rational explanation — and I think that we find this in the tetrahedral theory.

On account of the earth's rotation, a regular tetrahedral shape would be quite impossible. Let us assume that it is, and that the oceans take the form of an interrupted sphere on the faces. Under these circumstances we should have three roughly triangular land masses arranged symmetrically around the north pole, and another one at the south. Every continent would be antipodal to an ocean. The regular tetrahedral shape would therefore account for two of the four points mentioned above; but a better explanation is afforded by a hexatetrahedral shape. This is a tetrahedron with a six-sided pyramid on each face. Assuming again that the oceans are in the form of an interrupted sphere, we can work out the shapes of the continents. They would again be in the triangular shape, but the three northerly ones tend to be elongated towards the south. But

even this is not an accurate representation of facts. In the end Lothian Green propounded his theory in this form.—The earth is a hexatetrahedron with very convexly curved faces. From this he worked out the ideal shape of an ocean and a continent, and their resemblance to the actual ones is very striking. Now we see what tetrahedral theory means. In essence it is — ‘The earth is very nearly a sphere, but with a slight tendency to become a tetrahedron.’

The fact that the theory explains so easily these various geographical facts is not the only reason for treating the tetrahedral theory with respect. There is little doubt that the earth has shrunk in geological time, possibly six times over. Now experiments with short tubes, gas bubbles and balloons have proved that when a sphere is forced to contract, it tends to assume a tetrahedral shape. You will remember that by Joly’s isostatic theory, there are supposed to take place alternate expansions and contractions of the core of the earth. Each period of contraction causes mountains, and therefore continents, to be raised. Each expansion causes the sea to spread evenly over the surface of the globe. Since spheres have been proved experimentally to assume a tetrahedral shape on shrinking, we may assume that our earth does the same; so every period of mountain building must give rise to a tetrahedral shape — every time the core of the earth expands, the earth becomes spherical. Thus we see that the isostatic and tetrahedral theory agree very closely — a great argument in favor of both.

So I think that there is a great deal to be said for the tetrahedral theory, and the answer to the original question is ‘The earth is not quite round, but nearly so. The amount of deviation is minute, but the essential fact is that it does exist, and exists to a sufficient extent to affect radically the whole plan of the world.’ This theory is the first and only theory to provide a logical explanation of the plan of the world; as such it is a most important contribution to science.

J. E. PRENTICE.

AIRCRAFT IDENTIFICATION

With so many different types of aircraft over Britain every day, someone has to be able to identify and classify them. The aeroplane is the latest method of waging war, and, as it has had a certain amount of success, it will no doubt be used as the principal method of waging war in the future.

The extended use of the aeroplane in this war, in its different and widespread theatres, has created a problem involving successful identification of aircraft, a problem which can be solved to a certain extent by everybody taking an interest in aircraft identification and learning to identify at least a few friendly and enemy aeroplanes by simply studying their different wing and tail shapes and distinguishing the number of engines or other characteristics. If everybody did this then they would be protecting themselves and would be aiding their country.

In any part of Britain, with the enemy so near to our shores, an enemy aircraft may, at any time, appear and either drop bombs

or machine gun anyone nearby, who had not seen the danger because he could not identify enemy 'planes. This has happened and probably will happen again. The answer to this is the vigilance of the Royal Observer Corps, but their job would be lightened if people were able to identify certain aircraft, notably German bombers and long range fighters, and take cover when necessary.

The importance of aircraft identification is recognised by all the services and Youth movements, notably the Air Training Corps, in whose syllabus aircraft recognition plays an important part.

On the whole since the war started and especially since the Battle of Britain, more people have realised that they can save themselves and others a great deal of trouble by being able to identify a few enemy aircraft, and if they have not yet profited by their good sense they probably will do.

P. H. TOMBLESON.

BEYOND THE HEADLINES A FEW HELPFUL SUGGESTIONS

Pocket wireless transmitting and receiving sets should be made available to boys to avoid masters' accusations of talking in assembly and class.

Computing machines, with full instructions, should be procured to promote accuracy in the fortnightly mark sheets.

Automatic fuse blower to provide work for the Science VIth.

Reformation of examination laws so that for a small charge, examinations could be taken by proxy.

Amplifiers for juniors in Assembly and de-amplifiers for the Orchestra.

Amplifier with automatic tone correction and aspirate addition for the lesson reader to give Prentice a rest.

Bells that ring late at 8.35, 10.25 and 1.30, and very early at 10.15, 12.30 and 3 p.m.

Television sets installed in all rooms to show the whereabouts of masters.

More library books, such as :

- " Out of the Window " by Eileen Dover
- " The Curse of Drink " by Titus Canbee
- " The Thatch " by Aaron Head
- " Mining " by D. Scente
- " The Comforter " by Justin Casey Howells
- " Waiting " by Tilly R. Ives

WHAT WE HEAR

That J. R. C——e stopped the March of Time for one day. Also that his tackling has much improved since he has been touch judge for the 1st XV.

That A. E. C——h——'s interest in the stellar regions has increased.

That mathematically $p=mf$, but actually (W.A.) $P=M.T.$

That J. E. P——n——e tried to press his suit on a radiator.

That M. A. E——l——h believes a stitch in time saves nine.

SCHOOL 2nd XV. v. DEACON'S SCHOOL 2nd XV.

Played on Saturday November 8th at Spalding.

Owing to the lateness of the summer holidays, the 2nd XV. was suffering considerably from lack of practice, and during the first half this showed up rather badly. However, the Deacon's did not appear to settle down either, with the result that the play was very scrappy, and neither side scored. During the second half the school began to settle down, and went ahead with a good try underneath the posts by D. Brooks. The extra points were not added, and Deacon's failed to reply.

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| School 2nd XV. | 3 |
| Deacon's 2nd XV. | nil |

SCHOOL 2nd XV. v. DEACON'S SCHOOL 2nd XV.

Played on Saturday, December 13th. at Peterborough.

The school attacked strongly from the start, and soon went ahead with two tries by R. G. Godbold in quick succession. Encouraged by this the School attacked strongly, and although the Deacon's defence was good soon scored again. Tries were scored by R. G. Godbold 3, L. R. Sharpe 2, H. R. Jarvis 2, and D. Earth. Only one of these were converted by L. R. Sharpe. Deacon's replied with one unconverted try.

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| School 2nd XV. | 26 |
| Deacon's 2nd XV. | 3 |

SCHOOL 2nd XV. v. KING'S SCHOOL 2nd XV.

Played at Peterborough, on Saturday, November 22nd.

At first the School XV. did not settle down very well with the result that at half time the score was 3-0 in King's favour.

In the second half the play improved, L. R. Sharpe playing especially well in the centre. Although playing against a much heavier team the School XV. got their full share of the ball, G. R. Holderness, H. R. Jarvis, and L. R. Sharpe each scoring a try.

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| School 2nd XV. | 11 (2 tries, 1 goal) |
| King's School 2nd XV. | 3 (1 try) |

THE COLTS XV.

The weather has depleted the fixture list and somewhat curtailed the practices. But a lot has been learned thanks to the continuous coaching by R. W. Lammiman and G. R. Waite. The team has lacked cohesion due to the little match experience which is inevitable with only a few fixtures. However, there have been many good individual efforts, and several of the team show promise for future 1st XV's.

SCHOOL COLTS XV. v. KING'S SCHOOL COLTS XV.

Played at Spalding on Wednesday. November 13th.

The game opened in favour of the Colts, P. Robinson and D. Beecham scoring in the first few minutes. There were several good

movements and the lead was maintained until half-time. In the second half King's scored, but G. Islip replied for Spalding with a try converted by D. Beecham.

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| School Colts XV. | ... | ... | ... | 11 (1 goal, 2 tries) |
| King's School Colts XV. | ... | ... | ... | 3 (1 try) |

SCHOOL COLTS XV. v. DEACON'S SCHOOL COLTS XV.

Played at Spalding on Saturday December 20th.

Deacon's had the heavier side and soon scored. By half-time they were leading by a goal and a try. Spalding now attacked and scored through a penalty goal by D. Beecham and a try by D. Eggleton. Despite the Colts' efforts, the visitors were able to retain their lead.

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| Deacon's School Colts' XV. | ... | ... | 8 (1 goal, 1 try) |
| School Colts' XV. | ... | ... | 6 (1 pen. goal, 1 try) |

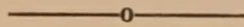
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RUGGER CHARACTERS, 1941-2

The re-arrangement of the School holidays made it impossible for the 1st XV. to have any practice before the beginning of the season's fixtures. By the end of the term, however, they were beginning to find their form. Unfortunately, since then the weather has prevented any more matches from being played.

- M. A. English (captain).—Had a thankless job, but is of a type not easily daunted. Cheerful and unperturbed, he has pulled his side together in very unpromising circumstances. A very sound forward and very capable outside.
- A. J. Fryer (vice-captain).—A keen and energetic forward who has learned much about the game in a short time. Still erratic sometimes.
- R. W. Lammiman.—A good hooker, and a very capable scrum-leader who is skilled in all departments of the forward game. Useful also as a place kicker.
- H. A. Wright.—A very keen and energetic wing-forward who is always up with the ball. Tackling is good, but should watch his passes when playing as centre.
- R. C. Perkins.—Has improved both his attack and defence. Touch-kicking has gained much ground and his place kicking has proved invaluable.
- N. E. Burrill.—He is now an experienced full-back. Tackling and dropping on are very sound, and in addition he has greatly improved in speed, and shows great accuracy and discretion in touch-kicking.
- E. C. Charlton.—One of the mainstays of the scrum. Pushes hard in the set-scrums and is always to the front in the loose. Gives great help to the outsides by good backing-up.
- N. J. Waite.—Is a great improvement as a forward where his speed is an asset to the pack. Works hard in the line-outs. Breaks

- up quickly from the scrums and rarely misses the opposing scrum-half while helping his own.
- H. A. Smith.—Works hard in the set-scrums and in the line-outs. Is outstanding in the takes and gives valuable aid to the threes without breaking up their line.
- J. E. Prentice.—His weight and size are of great use in the scrum, and he certainly uses them to better advantage. Works hard and is very determined in the takes although still somewhat clumsy.
- G. R. Waite.—Showed much promise as fly-half until an unfortunate injury ended his season's career after only two matches. Takes his passes well and often beats his man. Also shows a good understanding of the game, but should improve his defence.
- D. Toynton.—Has plays with equal success both on the wing and in the forwards. Runs hard and tackles well in the threes, and adds much life to the scrum.
- G. S. E. Penrose.—Plays with great dash despite his lack of weight. Tackling is good and he always marks his man unceasingly. Runs hard but, at the moment, is apt to delay passing until too late.
- H. E. Grief.—Although not fast he is difficult to stop, and rarely lets the opposing centre through. Has a good idea of the game, but he also often waits too late before passing.
- P. Cunnington.—A very lively wing-forward who is sometimes even over eager. Uses his feet to advantage and marks the opposing scrum-half well, but also knows when to help his own.
- G. K. Smith.—He has played in both the half-back positions. Is rather slow as scrum-half but is dangerous as stand-off where he often cuts through. Should concentrate on his defence.
- R. D. Godbold.—Has played many good games in the back-row and distinguished himself particularly in the line-outs. Should get his head down lower in the loose-scrums.



THE GEOGRAPHICAL SOCIETY NOTES

During the last two terms the Society has held two film shows. Both contained Ministry of Information films and also some of a more geographical nature. The former included a film on Poland, which showed various phases of the life of the Poles. It was concluded by some scenes from the German invasion of Poland in its early stages, some taken from a German propaganda film. In this category too was a film showing the way in which Dover has withstood bombardment, both from the air and land. Another Ministry of Information film showed how boys and men are being trained in the traditions of the Navy.

Among the more geographical films was one on the production of nickel, and another on petroleum and the sinking of oil wells. Other films included the scenery and fishing of the lakes in the

Canadian Rockies and the administration of our African colonies showing our fight against disease and for the education of the peoples there: Despite the fact that films are in great demand and those chosen are often not the ones received, the meetings have been very successful.

A. J. FRYER

THE LITERARY AND DEBATING SOCIETY

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| Chairman | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | A. J. Fryer |
| Vice Chairman | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | M. A. English |
| Secretary and Treasurer | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | J. E. Prentice |
| Committee | ... | ... | ... | ... | Officers and | H. E. Grief |

The activities of the society last term were confined to a General Meeting, at which the above officers were elected, and two Brains Trust Sessions. At the first of these, the Brains Trust consisted of R. G. Christmas, M. A. English, A. J. Fryer, J. E. Prentice, and H. A. Wright. The office of Question-Master was ably performed by Mr. A. Bottomley; the meeting was well attended and numerous questions were asked, ranging from ones of topical interest concerning aircraft carriers and convoys, to questions concerning lost continents and psychotherapy. The second Brains Trust had the same members as the above, with the exception of R. G. Christmas, who was unable to attend for the first part of the meeting and whose place was taken by H. E. Grief. Dr. J. Goode was the Question-Master. The questions were again very varied, including astronomy, ghosts, and politics. Both these meetings were very successful.

The Society has £1 1s. in hand at the moment, and suggestions for additions to the Society's Library will be welcomed.

J. E. P. (Hon. Sec).

THE REFERENCE LIBRARY

Librarians : Mr. C. H. Groves, A. E. Canham, H. E. Grief,
J. E. Prentice.

There is little to report this term. All the new books are now catalogued and on the shelves. We have to thank Messrs. G. F. H. Burns, P. W. Watson, A. E. Edinborough and N. H. White for the gift of books. The following periodicals are now regularly available in the library; Flight, The Aeroplane, The Aeroplane Spotter, The Daily Telegraph, The Sunday Times, The Polish Fortnightly Review, The Times Educational and Literary Supplements, and The Listener, Illustrated London News, Observer. Mr. G. F. H. Burns has been kind enough to provide a number of copies of the The Spectator. All these are in great demand, and are well used, as is the whole of the library, by most of the school.

We would point out, however, that users of the library should consult the rules, as they will be more strictly enforced in the future.

THE LIBRARIANS.

SCHOOL ORCHESTRA

We have carried on our practices this term with keenness and are glad to welcome a few new members. It is a pleasing fact that more boys are learning the violin at School than ever before.

Many of our Old Boys have, of course, joined the Forces but we hope to get sufficient to augment the orchestra for the annual play. Several have already promised. Boys still at School please note that brass and wood-wind instruments are much needed.

Dr. Goode and Mr. Green have given us valuable help, as usual.
E.V.S.

THE SCHOOL SAVINGS ASSOCIATION

By lending their savings to the country, the members of the School Savings Association continue to do their part in the war effort. Last summer term's total reached just over £100. Of the large number of new boys who came to the School in September, the number joining the Association was disappointing, although it is realised that many save through other groups. The amount of work done by boys in the harvest field was reflected in the rise in savings after the long mid-term holiday in September and October. The total for the Autumn term was £174.

There was another spurt at the beginning of the current term, when Christmas gifts swelled the savings and the first seven weeks have brought in over £82. Several boys who have recently left school have continued to bring savings in a gratifying way and there have again been some excellent individual contributions. But there are still many members whose savings come in at very rare intervals. All should do their utmost to increase their saving and lending, especially in view of the extension of the war and the gravity of the situation.

THE SIGNAL IS SAVE.

Latest news of the Association's activities is concerned with the district's Warship Week effort. With the help of some fine contributions from and on behalf of Old Boys, the sum of over £1052 was collected.

HOUSE NOTES

BENTLEY

Summer term: The term's most important event was too late for the last issue, since the cricket final was not played until the School had broken up. We retained the championship, beating Hobson by 6 wickets (72 for 4 to 69) due mainly to the fine batting and bowling of E. H. M. Burn. He is now in the R.A.F.; we extend to him our best wishes and thanks for all his services to the House.

Autumn term: M. A. English was elected house captain, with H. R. Jarvis, R. D. Godbold and J. E. Bradley as prefects. The latter,

however, left and entered a bank where we wish him every success. We have also to congratulate M. A. English on his election as School Rugger Captain.

Only one House match has been played to date—against Hobson. We fought hard against a team composed of 1st XV. and 2nd XV. members, but could not prevent a defeat of 33 points to nil.

We have been represented in the School 1st XV. by E. C. Charlton, G. S. E. Penrose, R. D. Godbold, and M. A. English; and in the 2nd XV. by H. R. Jarvis.

May we, in conclusion, send our best wishes to all Old Bentleians in the Forces, and to all who are taking the July examinations.

M. A. ENGLISH.

GAMLYN

Congratulations to N. H. White and H. A. Wright on passing the Higher School Certificate last July. G. R. Holderness gained Exemption from London Matriculation. D. W. Everingham and L. J. Dunn passed the School Certificate.

We won the remaining cricket match against Wykeham and so finished third in the championship. At the time of writing we have played one Rugby match. This resulted in a 14—0 victory for us against Wykeham. G. K. Smith and R. W. Lammiman each scored one try. R. C. Perkins scored two. One of these was converted by R. W. Lammiman.

We congratulate B. H. Brabben on gaining his swimming colours in recognition of his heroism in saving another person from drowning. R. W. Lammiman has gained his rugby colours—congratulations.

We have been represented in the 1st XV. by R. W. Lammiman, H. A. Wright, G. K. Smith and R. C. Perkins; in the 2nd XV. by G. R. Holderness, who has also played for the 1st XV., D. Brooks, B. H. Brabben, A. N. Scott and D. Beecham.

May I, on behalf of the House, wish the best of health and luck to all Gamlynites past and present, and to Mr. R. C. Jowett and Mr. N. France, our former House Masters. Also to all others serving in His Majesty's Forces.

R. C. PERKINS.

HOBSON

We played our remaining cricket match, with Bentley at the end of the summer term and although we lost by 6 wickets our captain played a fine innings of 42 not out.

We must congratulate K. A. Gillet who was successful in the Higher School Certificate Examination, and Scholarship to Cambridge gaining a distinction in French. We must also congratulate J. R. Cope, W. A. Patrick, G. R. Waite, A. V. Callaby, H. E. Grief and C. Seymour (December) who succeeded in gaining Exemption from London Matriculation and all Hobsonites who passed the School Certificate.

Last term we played only one fixture at rugger, easily beating Bentley by 32—0. Owing to unsuitable conditions the matches with Gamlyn and Wykeham have not yet been played. In the 1st XV. we have been represented by N. J. Waite, J. E. Prentice, G. R. Waite, H. E. Grief, and H. A. Smith, in the 2nd XV. by W. A. Patrick, L. R. Sharpe, A. E. Canham, C. Seymour, and J. E. Grief, and in the Colts by H. H. Smith, C. Islip and B. A. Rawet.

Finally we wish all Hobsonites success in the future.

N. J. WAITE.

WYKEHAM

We regret deeply the loss of Mr. W. Brundrett who is teaching Air Force classes at Lincoln for the duration of the war. At the same time we extend a hearty welcome to Miss C. F. Cawley who has come to take his place. Owing to Mr. Brundrett's **hard work** not only for the House, but for the whole school he is and will be greatly missed. We wish him every success.

This term we have only lost one member, R. M. Smith, who has gained entrance into the Navy. We hope that he may enjoy the life he has entered.

Since the last Notes were written we have only played two House matches, one cricket and one Rugby, both being against Gamlyn. Both matches were lost, but the Rugby match was an extremely good one. Unfortunately no-one seemed able to make that last push and score. The result was a loss by three tries and a goal, fourteen points in all.

To end we should like to wish all Wykehamites a **short war and good luck**, this latter especially to those about to take examinations.

A. J. FRYER.

OLD SPALDONIANS' ASSOCIATION

(With which is incorporated the Old Moultonians' Association).

President : Mr. J. G. WESTMORELAND.

Past Presidents : Mr. R. S. Donington, the late Lt.-Col. G. J. Barrell, Dr. S. H. Perry, Messrs. E. J. S. Maples, W. F. Howard, J. H. Longstaff, D. Munro, T. A. Pick, A. W. White, J. A. Johnston, H. H. Small, E. A. Osborn, T. A. White, E. H. Gooch, R. W. Hastings, W. C. White, H. Chester, J. R. Green.

Hon. Secretaries :

H. Walker,
Love Lane,
Spalding.

S. Brice,
Neville Avenue,
Spalding.

Hon. Treasurer : R. W. Hastings.

THE ANNUAL MEETING

Owing to present conditions, the Committee of the Association reluctantly had to abandon the idea of holding a dinner or smoking concert, but the annual meeting of the Association was held at the School on January 2nd, the President (Mr. J. R. Green) in the chair.

At the outset the members stood in silence as a tribute to Old Boys who had made the great sacrifice. The President expressed the hope that the year just beginning might be a happier one, and mark the beginning of a brighter era, and on behalf of all wished a speedy and safe return to all Old Spaldonians on service.

The Treasurer, Mr. R. W. Hastings, presented the financial statement which showed that the income totalled nearly £76, including a balance of £36, subscriptions amounting to £10 16s. The balance at the end of the year was nearly £33 and there was a balance of £20 in the Commemoration Fund, on deposit. The secretaries were congratulated on the increase in subscription income.

Mr. D. Munro proposed Mr. J. G. Westmoreland as president for 1942 paying tribute to his work both at Moulton and Spalding. Mr. C. Hotchkin, a former pupil of Mr. Westmoreland at Moulton seconded. After his unanimous election, Mr. Westmoreland expressed his pleasure at being the first Old Moultonian to become president of the joint association. He hoped that at the end of the year they would have come to a time of peace, and be able to carry on more normal activities. The Chairman said he felt happy in the choice of Mr. Westmoreland as his successor; for the past three years he had had pleasant association with him.

Mr. Hastings was re-elected hon. treasurer, Mr. S. Brice and Mr. H. Walker joint hon-secretaries, and Mr. W. Cecil White, auditor. Mr. Haydn Chester was added to the committee.

Mr. E. A. Osborn proposed the best thanks of the Association to the Chairman for his efforts during his year in office, saying that they all knew the interest shown and work put in by Mr. Green for the Association at all times.

The meeting decided to send a letter of congratulations to Sir John Howard on the honour conferred upon him, and to send cordial greetings to Old Boys now prisoners of war.

Thanks were expressed to the Headmaster, (Mr. L. J. Driver) for his unfailing interest in the Association, and to the Dance Secretaries for their most valuable services.

IN THE SERVICES

In every continent our Old Boys are now serving in the armed forces of the Allies. We recently learned of the casual meeting in South Africa of two R.A.F. men who had been at School together at Moulton. In America, R.A.F. recruits are undergoing training in Canada and U.S.A. In Australia, Old Boys have enlisted in the R.A.A.F. or the Navy. The Far East has made its claims felt. An Old Boy has taken part in a Commando raid on Norway; another

is a Naval Officer at Malta; others have made many flights over Germany; whilst a large number from both Schools are serving in the far-flung squadrons of the Royal Navy.

Under such circumstances, many of our Old Boys must be enduring great hardships, and many must have made the supreme sacrifice. It is our sad task in this issue to report the loss, or the feared loss, of seven Old Boys. To their relatives and friends, as well as to the relatives and friends of those whose sacrifice has passed unrecorded in our Magazine, we extend our deepest sympathy.

OUR ROLL OF HONOUR

Ronald Ward, who was reported missing after the loss of H.M.S. Fiji off Crete, has now been presumed killed in action.

Concerning Pilot-Officer J. G. Crampton there is happier news to report. Just as our last Magazine was going to press, news was received that he was a prisoner of war in Germany.

Pilot-Officer Colin H. Curtis took a prominent part in School life at Moulton and was a School Prefect. After entering the teaching profession he joined the R.A.F. in 1940. He was trained as a pilot in Canada, and on his return was granted his Commission. In January his plane failed to return from an operational flight, and he has been reported missing.

Sergt.-Observer H. H. Judge amply fulfilled his early promise of becoming an outstanding sportsman. At Moulton he was a prominent member of Cricket and Football Elevens. After leaving School he took a leading part in developing Lawn Tennis and Table Tennis throughout the County. On joining the R.A.F. he was sent for training to Canada. Returning to England, he took part in operational flights. Some months ago his machine failed to return, and he was reported missing.

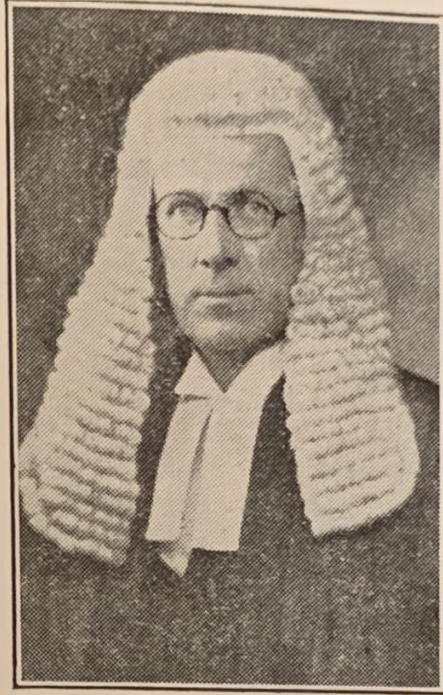
Sergt.-Gunner E. Leverington was rear gunner on a Hudson Aircraft. He took part in many operational flights and was reported missing after his aircraft had failed to return to post.

Petty Officer Peter Neale will be remembered as a brilliant young goal-keeper. After several years in the Navy he volunteered for Submarine work and served on the Taku (now being adopted by Spalding) and on the Theseus, which was recently posted as overdue after operations in the Mediterranean.

Bdr. D. G. Parker, like Peter Neale, was an excellent goal-keeper. On leaving School he was employed on dairy work at Sutton Bridge. He joined the R.A. and was engaged in anti-tank work. During recent operations in Libya he was reported missing.

Sgt.-Pilot A. Cole Walker, one of the last boarders at Moulton, lost his life in an aeroplane accident. He had made many operational flights over Germany, and was attached to the famous 49 Squadron. At the time of his death he was about to qualify as an Instructor.

SIR JOHN HOWARD, Chief Justice of Ceylon



Sir John is the fourth son of the late Ald. Fitzalan Howard, J.P., of Holyrood House, Spalding, born at Spalding in 1887, the family coming here from Long Sutton many years ago, and brother of Mr. W. F. Howard, J.P., the well-known Spalding solicitor, chairman of Spalding magistrates, and an Old Boy and Governor of Spalding Grammar School.

The Howard family is held in great esteem in Spalding district, having given great service over the years in many directions. The late Ald. Fitzalan Howard was in public life for over half-a-century, being a member of the Holland County Council, chairman of Holland Quarter Sessions and Spalding magistrates, chairman of many other bodies, including the Grammar School and High School Governors, and also was High Sheriff of Lincolnshire in 1910.

The honour conferred upon Sir John is a further distinction for the family and is a well-deserved recognition of his distinguished career, in which he has given splendid service for the British Empire. He was educated at Spalding Grammar School, then at Uppingham, and Clare College, Cambridge (Exhibitioner and honours degree Natural Science), and married in 1912 Norah Carey, daughter of the late Capt. John Lakes, and has one son and three daughters. Becoming a barrister of the Inner Temple in 1913, he served in the Great War, 1915-20, being Staff Capt. in the 4th Batt. Lincs. Regt. (T.F.) 1915, Legal Adviser G.O.C. British Troops in France and Flanders 1919-20, President District Court Cyprus 1920-4, Attorney General Cyprus 1924-6, Solicitor General Nigeria 1926-33, Attorney General Gold Coast 1933-6, K.C. Gold Coast 1934, Attorney General Ceylon 1936.

Sir John held this office until he was appointed Chief Justice of Ceylon in December, 1939. He succeeded Sir Sidney Abrahams.

Spalding last figured in the Honours List in June, 1939, when Sir John Gleed received his knighthood for great public work in the Holland Division and in Lincolnshire generally.

MENTIONED IN DESPATCHES

Flight-Sergt. Horace Fowler has been mentioned in despatches for gallant and distinguished service in August, 1940. He has seen many years service in the R.A.F., which he entered direct from School.

NOTES

Congratulations to the following Old Boys on their examination successes:— J. Bradshaw has passed the Inter B .Sc (Eng.), London University.

P. B. Cowling, U. Snaith and M. C. Stubley, Inter. B.A. London.

Squadron-Leader the Rev. Eric G. Alsop is a chaplain with the R.A.F. in Cairo.

The Rev. M.A. Shepherd, formerly curate of St. George, South Moor, Co. Durham, has been appointed Vicar of Coxhoe in the same county.

T. Redman, who was previously reported missing, while on active service, then announced safe, is now back in England and has been discharged as unfit.

Two Old Spaldonians, A. Edinburgh and N. H. White, now at Cambridge University, recently took part in the University Amateur Dramatic Club's production of an American play "Key Largo," its first presentation on the English stage.

THE DANCE

On January 23rd a most successful dance was held in the School Hall. Despite inclement weather, there was a large attendance, which included many Old Boys and their friends. The band of a Searchlight Regiment provided the music, and the organisation reflected great credit on Mr. C. F. Ford, who has returned to the position of Dance Secretary, the M.C.'s Mr. F. H. Wells and Mr. N. White, and the Dance Committee. It is hoped to hold another dance in the Easter Vacation.

OBITUARY

It is with deep regret that we have to record the passing of several Old Spaldonians since our last issue. We extend deepest sympathy to the relatives of the following Old Boys, news of whose death has reached us.

Cyril English, who was Headmaster of the Underlea School, Liverpool since 1938, died on November 25th last at Southport, at the age of 39.

Herbert James Loughton, an Old Spaldonian who has been in South Africa since 1904, died there recently at the age of 68.

Joseph Stanley Wilkinson, son of a former well-known Spalding tradesman, passed away on February 9th at Cheam, Surrey, aged 52.

Tom Harry Cooley, of the Crescent, Spalding, who died on February 11th., must have been one of the oldest of Old Spaldonians, for he had reached the grand age of 87. Formerly a prominent tradesman, he was a familiar figure in the town, where he was highly respected.

Herbert Henry Quarmby, O.B.E., died at Purley, Surrey, on February 16th. at the age of 59. He entered the Foreign Office in 1901 and was awarded the O.B.E. for his work as a member of the British delegation at a Washington Conference. Since 1938 Mr. Quarmby was Departmental Establishment Officer at the Foreign Office. In 1931 he was the chief guest at the Old Spaldonians' Association annual dinner.

Frank Newling Jones J.P. recently died at Upwell at the age of 73. Formerly editor of the "Surrey Comet," he was the youngest son of the late Rev. J. C. Jones, for so many years Baptist pastor at Spalding. Ten years ago he made a most interesting speech at the annual dinner.

Edwin Herbert Seymour, elder son of Mrs. and the late Mr. A. L. Seymour of Spalding passed away suddenly on March 16, aged 45. He was twice wounded during service in the last war and during the present conflict had played a prominent part in the organisation of the 2nd Holland (Spalding) Batt. of the Home Guard. He was second-in-command of the Headquarter Company, with the rank of Captain.

By the death of Mr. J. M. King the Spalding district loses one of its most prominent agriculturists, and Moulton one of its most earnest and loyal supporters.

The son of an ardent Moultonian, Mr. King was for most of his life closely identified with all phases of village life in Moulton. He was for some years a pupil at the Grammar School, and his interest in the Foundation continued throughout his life. As a Governor he was untiring in his efforts, serving with great zeal on the various sub-committees. He was equally diligent as a Manager of the Village School. He was a prominent Churchman, acting for some years as Churchwarden. He was a sympathetic Poor Trustee of Moulton.

He was a keen sportsman, being particularly good at Lawn Tennis and Hockey.

During the Great War he joined the Artists' Rifles, later becoming Lieutenant in the Lincolnshire Regiment. He was wounded in France and later served in Ireland.

He was a staunch supporter of the British Legion. With the rank of Major he was C. O. of the Moulton Home Guard; he recently relinquished the post owing to ill health.

Fearless and outspoken in the discharge of his many public duties, he endeared himself to a very wide circle of friends. Our deepest sympathy is extended to Mrs. King and Miss Jean King in their irreparable loss.

BIRTHS

- To Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hancock—a son.
- To Mr. and Mrs. H. Bilsby—a daughter.
- To Mr. and Mrs. K. S. Fletcher—a daughter.
- To Mr. and Mrs. N. Tagg—a daughter.
- To Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Bratley—a son.

MARRIAGES

- W. J. Ground to Miss Billie Glenn of Spalding.
- G. C. Guy to Miss Muriel Mettam of Sleaford.
- L. V. Plummer to Miss Hilda Mary Elstob of Spalding.
- W. S. Gunton to Miss Phyllis Mona Jones of Deeping St. Nicholas.
- J. W. Wilson to Miss Gwendoline Peasley of Cheddington.
- C. J. Adcock to Miss Mary Louise Baum of Bedford.
- S. R. Harrison to Miss Mary Doreen Worrall of Birmingham.
- D. M. Drakes to Miss Helen Broughton of Spalding.
- J. P. James to Miss Margaret Mary O'Mara of West Croydon.

SALVETE

Ashwell B. E., Askew H. L., Bealby C. D., Goodwin A. F., Noble J. J., Woolcock R. E., Hill H. R., Cook E., Atkin A. B., Buck G. G., Burrell N. L., Clark J. T., Clarkson R. W., Delamore I. W., Dobbs J., Dunham C., Fairbanks D. F., Hammond J. T., Hasnip M. A., Megginson R. J., Pollit R. J., Stennett C. H., Thorlby J. W., Watson A., Whyles M., Wilkinson F. M., Wright P. R., Wright Roy, Bacon J. R., Buchanan P. R., Burgin A. J., Cobley G. S., Congreve R., Cragg J. R., Dean S., Doubleday J. W., Farrow W. G., Feetham B. M., Fletcher W. E., Frost M., Handbury P., Higham P. R. J., Holmes H. A., Ketteringham E. E., Law J. E., Law T. G., Matthews G. A., Matthews G. G. A., Munson T. A., Patrick J. J., Piccaver A. T., Robinson R. E., Stevens G. T. R., Tateson C. S., Webster N., Williams C. J. S., Wootton B. J., Wright Rex, Bailey M. C., Thorogood A. C., Hargrave B. D., Shreeve G. R., Herd P. L., Lester D. H., Rower A. H., Sumner M., Cottingham E., Adams M. M., Sleight D.

VALETE

- BURN, E. H. M.—Senior Prefect; Captain 1st XV.; Captain 1st XI.; Bentley House Captain; School Certificate, July, 1938; Harrox Scholarship (Goldsmith's College, London).
- GILLETT, K. A.—School Prefect; Hobson House Prefect; Chairman Literary and Debating Society; School Certificate, July, 1938; Higher School Certificate, July, 1941; Holland C.C. Senior Scholarship (St. John's, Cambridge), July, 1941; Harrox Scholarship.
- BUTTERY, J. F. D.—School Prefect; Gamlyn House Prefect; Vice-Captain 1st XI.; School Certificate, July, 1938; Higher School Certificate, July, 1940.
- GODDARD, C. J.—School Prefect; Captain Hockey; Bentley House Prefect; School Certificate, July, 1939; Intermediate Scholarship, July, 1939.
- WHITE, N. H.—School Prefect; Vice-Captain Hockey; Gamlyn House Prefect; Senior Member Dramatic Society; Vice-Chairman Literary and Debating Society; School Certificate, July, 1938; Intermediate Scholarship, July, 1938; Higher School Certificate, 1940; Harrox Scholarship (St. John's, Cambridge), 1941.
- ROBINSON, F.—School Prefect; Bentley House Prefect; School Certificate, July, 1939; Intermediate Scholarship, 1939.
- PARSONS, G. N.—Vice-Captain 1st XI.; Wykeham House Prefect; School Certificate, July, 1940.
- SHARPE, L. R.—School Certificate, December, 1941.
- KING, E. V.—School Certificate, July, 1940.
- HANSON, F. B.—Leader Orchestra; School Certificate, July, 1941.
- MERRON, F. B.—School Certificate, July, 1941.
- RIX, B. A. D.—School Certificate, July, 1941.
- BRADLEY, J.—School Certificate, July, 1941; Bentley House Prefect.
- CALLABY, A. V.—School Certificate, July, 1941.
- DUNN, L. J.—School Certificate, July, 1941.
- REEVES, D.—School Certificate, July, 1941.
- EVERINGHAM, D. W.—School Certificate, July, 1941.
- LAMMIMAN, R. W.—Colours 1st XV.; County Librarian.
- COX J. R. G., GARWELL J. A., MORGAN D., DAWES A., GRAVES A. J., BAYLIS M. D., DAY W. A., EXTON D. A., HARGRAVE K. R., QUINN P. N., STRATTON W. R., TOINTON M. R., DAVIES S. T., BANNISTER L. H., GOTOBED H., MOSS R. F., CRACKNELL R. J., PRESTON I. D. H., VEEVERS J. H., DAUBNEY A. L., EVERINGHAM D. W., STANDING A. R. G., COOK H., BURGIN A. J., SKUPHAM J., HARDY L. A., FLETCHER R. N., SAUNDERS P. N. S., BAILEY M. C., MARKS M.

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OLD BOYS KILLED ON ACTIVE SERVICE

Bateman J., Herd R. E., Matthews L. A. W., Walker A. C., Ward R.

OLD BOYS WHO ARE PRISONERS OF WAR

Bunfield P. D., Tointon P. J., Crampton J.G.

DISCHARGED AS UNFIT

Bailey J. E., Culpin R. S., Ford C. F., Redman T., Dunham C. W.

OLD BOYS REPORTED MISSING

Gable R. J., Judge H. H., Leverington D. E., King D., Munson W. E., Mitchell P. B.

OLD BOYS SERVING IN H.M. FORCES

Almey E. E., Alsop E. G., Arnell S.C., Atkin G. W., Allen G. H., Ashton E. W.

Blackledge R. C. R., Blackburn J. D., Barton J. H., Burn E. R. T., Bolton D. W. H., Bunn M. S., Bettinson C. J., Banks A. J., Bayston L., Brown A. S., Bashall T. R., Barber G. W., Bayston E., Bayston J. C. E., Brittain J. C., Barton D. H., Bailey R. W. C., Bemrose R., Bailey M. W., Bolton F. C., Beeken N., Bilsby L., Barber G. W., Bingham H. C., Burn E. H. M., Biggadike H., Buttery J. F. D.

Christian C., Clay R. E., Catling B., Curtis H. P., Colborn L. R., Christian M. A., Cragg H. C., Caligari K. V. S., Cross E., Cross A., Cooper H. S., Chilvers E. A., Clarke M. S., Curtiss C. H., Chouler H., Chouler C., Caban C. M., Cheney J., Chatterton H., Clarke T. G., Clarke T. L., Cook H. W., Cooper J., Covell J., Colvin R., Coy J., Charlton J. F.

Drakes D. M., Duckworth A. P., Duckworth G., Dean J. G., Doubleday S. D., Daughton H.

Elliott D. G., Elsom T. H., English P., Evans B., Elliott R. P., Edgoose R. L.

Freeman R. H., Fowler H., Frost H. G., Ferrett G. M., Fitch J. H., Freeman L. J., Franks J., Fitch W. F., Francis D. H.

Golden H. W. P., Garfoot J., Gray G., Gethin J. H. F., Gunton T. F., Green F. V., Gibbs S. R., Gent E., Goddard G. G., Goddard J. G., Garner B. L., Grimwood R. V., Goodman R., Gunn S. G., Garner D. I., Gibbs L. P.

Hagan G., Hewison H. G., Holland J. R., Harrison R. S., Higgins A. J., Hynard M. W., Hopewell T., Hickson J. S., Hughes J., Hardy G., Horbery J. P., Hemmant N., Halgarth F. A., Harpham E. C., Holmes L., Harding J. W., Hastings J., Hollingworth N., Hammond R., Harrison A., Hix T. D., Holmes M. M., Hemy S. E. C., Harrison R. S.

Ibbottson P. M., Ibbott R. P., Ibbott E.

Judge R. W., Johnson F. W., James S. G., Jefferay G. H., Judge J., Johnson A. E., Jackson D. L.

Kilby T. R., Kilby A. N., King R. D., King H. W., Kingston G. E., Kingston N. P., King C. B., Kirlew C.

Le Bœuf F., Linnell M. E., Loader E. W., Lomax R. M.

Mitchell W. T., Matthews R. D., Mann J. D., Muse J. A., Matthews F. H. V., Matthews N. G., Massey N., Miller E., Merry R. M., Marriott T. V., Martin E. G., Mawford I., Munton A., Macdonald M. A., Mackman R. G., Macmillan A., Mallett L. G., Moffatt D. A. D., Measures J. H., Monks A. F., Munro A. D., Massey H. B., Munson R.

Nix C. A., Nicholson P., Nicholson J. H., Nelson N. E., Neaves T. E., Neale P. T., Neale C. J., Norman V., North T. H.

Osborne H., Ostler O.

Parsons J. F. C., Pocklington S. D., Playford R. W., Pearson J., Proctor F. D., Porter J. L., Peake G. M., Pennington L. H., Parkinson G., Parkinson N., Proctor N. A., Portass R. V., Parsons B., Prescott R. K., Parnell G. J., Perkins W. C., Pannell E. W., Parker D. G.

Rayner J. C., Richmond B. D., Roughton J. W., Reddin A. R., Rowell R. S., Redhaw S. L., Rippon J. A., Robinson F., Rudkin D.

Searby J. H., Seaton A. H., Stubley C. W., Smith J. E., Smith P. V., Scupham C., Smith D. L. H., Stott S. H., Scott A., Simpson D. E. E., Sanders J., Seaman R. R., Sharman C., Snushall J., Scales F. E., Simson L., Sharman J., Simson N. C., Strickland E., Scott S., Scales E., Seaton T. H., Smith B. J., Stennett G., Smith J., Shirley D. J., Shaw C. J.

Tomlinson L., Tagg W. S., Taylor W. J. S., Turner F. V., Tero F. R. W., Tomlin J., Thorpe G. W., Tweed A. R. M., Taylor L. E., Taylor J. W., Tyrell B., Thompson R. H., Triffitt G. C., Triffitt R. C., Triffitt A., Tatnall A. B.

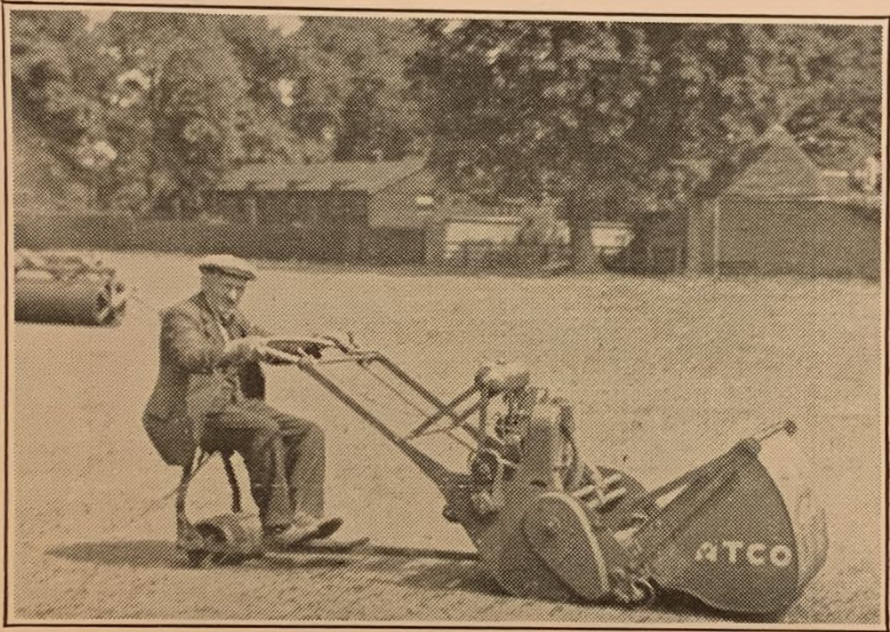
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Yallup S.

Although every effort has been made to make this list complete there are probably still many omissions. The Editorial Committee hope that readers will assist them by forwarding names of other Old Boys who are serving with the Forces.



MR. J. R. GREEN
President, Old Spaldonians' Association, 1941.



MR. J. E. BETTS

A faithful servant of the School for nearly twenty years.