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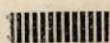
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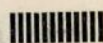
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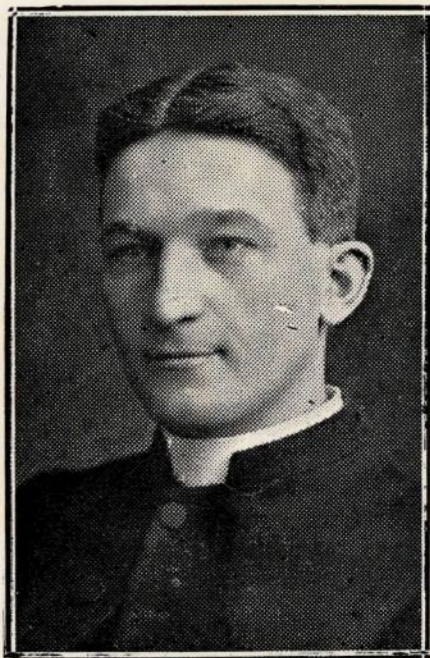
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= The Erasmian =

NOVEMBER, 1923.

Editorial.

Although our care-fraught country is politically at peace, the fire of lawlessness kindled by the late civil upheaval has not yet been stamped out. Day after day we read of shocking crimes committed in all parts of the country, and we cannot conscientiously hold out any bright hopes for the coming winter. It is the duty of each one of us to do his best to rid our land of this dread spectre. We, as school-boys, cannot do very much towards the attainment of this object, but by each one obeying the laws which are set over him personally, we shall at least have the satisfaction of knowing that we had some share in the work of restoring Ireland to her pristine health.

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Armistice Day has come and gone, with that noble memorial of the Men Who Died, the silence of two minutes which is observed in every corner of the British Empire. Our thoughts are once again directed to a more concrete memorial, the beautiful window in the Clockroom, which calls to our minds proud but sad memories of the many Old Boys who made the supreme sacrifice. This memorial, in which every boy at the School should feel that he has a definite personal share, will, it is hoped, incite future generations of High School boys to emulate the deeds of their predecessors, to uphold the splendid traditions of their School; and on every Armistice Day the spirit of Rudyard Kipling's "Lest we Forget" should pervade the old school-room where those heroes sat and worked.

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On returning to school after a summer vacation during which we might well have said with the Earl of Kent, "The rain, it raineth every day," we found a few minor changes, such as the re-decoration of some of the classrooms, but the general system of the school had not been altered. Many of our old friends had left us, but the large number of new boys more than counterbalanced the loss. We missed the face of Mr. Clark, who worked so hard at our Mathematics, espe-

cially with the Lower Fourth, last year, and we welcome in his place Mr. G. F. Steede, M.A., who was Headmaster of the Abbey School, Tipperary, until it was unfortunately seized and occupied in the summer of 1921 "for military purposes."

Among others also we missed A. H. Hillis, who occupied before us the editorial chair of this magazine, the fortunes of which he successfully guided for a year. He has entered Trinity College with all the honours which his successes during his stay at the High School led us to expect. Although a comparative beginner at Greek, he obtained the first Classical Sizarship at the examination held last June. He added to his distinctions by gaining, in October, the first place at the Junior and Schools' Exhibitions Examination, and preserved the High School's reputation for never failing to win Entrance Prizes by obtaining Entrance Composition Prizes in Greek and Latin Verse and Latin Prose.

It will be easily understood that it is with feelings, not of elation, but of apprehension, that we take over the editorial pen from so distinguished a predecessor. We can only hope that our efforts will prove as fruitful as his, while wishing him all success in College and in his subsequent career.

We take the opportunity here of congratulating also W. S. Cunningham and E. J. Montgomery, who have both entered Trinity College with distinction. Cunningham obtained ninth and Montgomery fourteenth place in the Junior Exhibitions Examination. The High School therefore has good reason to be proud of its three representatives who have entered Trinity this year.

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The Board of Intermediate Education for Southern Ireland has made several important changes in its curriculum for this, the last year of the present system of Intermediate Examinations. Of these alterations the most iconoclastic would appear to be the abolition of Exhibitions and Prizes in the Senior Grade. This new regulation, though not calculated to be popular, must not be made an excuse for "slacking" among the Senior Grade boys. Another change, which will materially affect the English classes, is the introduction into the English programme for each grade of an extensive course in poetry.

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To turn to the lighter and what are to most boys more agreeable topics, we may mention that after an extremely successful swimming season, of which a eulogy is printed elsewhere, and a fairly successful cricket season, in which we reached the Cup semi-final, and although beaten were by

no means disgraced, we have every reason to look forward to a good football season. We hope, when the Cup-ties come round again, to break at last the spell of unlucky first-round defeats which seems to cling round the High School 1st XV., a task which will require tremendous energy, but which ought, with reasonable luck, to be accomplished.

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We feel it incumbent upon us, as editors of the "Erasmian," to remind our readers that literary contributions from the boys themselves are essential not only to the interest and vitality, but also to the very existence of a school periodical. The obvious functions of an editor are to edit, and not to write the whole magazine. The boys have forgotten that the "Erasmian" should be the channel through which they can communicate to the outside world their inner feelings, those pregnant thoughts which youth must—nay, certainly does—harbour in its breast. Some gifted ones there are who can, like Gratiano, "speak an infinite deal of nothing," but lack of subject is the usual excuse offered for the condition of literary inactivity which at present prevails throughout the School. But surely a boy knows what would be likely to interest himself, as a reader of the magazine. Let him then write an article, sketch, or story such as he himself would enjoy, and it will of necessity prove interesting to at least some of his readers. Perhaps, on the other hand, a boy says that he has the ideas, but alleges his inability to put them into words. This assertion, in the light of the results, recently published, of the Intermediate Examinations, and the marks obtained in English by some of the older boys, would arouse in us some suspicion. But if the excuse is a genuine one, and the boy really is weak at English composition, let him write down his thoughts as clearly and succinctly as he can, and the editors will endeavour to mould his effort into literary shape. If the "Erasmian" is to be a criterion of the present intellectual level of the School, and we are convinced that this is no mean one, then it must contain evidence of the literary capabilities not of a chosen few, but of a large number of the boys. Until this state of things is arrived at, until there is keen competition among the boys to see their contributions published, the "Erasmian" cannot be, in the true sense of the words, a "school magazine." At present the literary giants are content to lurk in nameless obscurity, and to be placed in the category of those

"That therefore only are reputed wise
For saying nothing."

School Notes.

The School re-opened after the summer vacation on Tuesday, 4th September.

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The results of the Intermediate Examinations published, those of the Senior Grade during the summer holidays, and the remainder soon after our return to School, were very gratifying. A total of forty-two boys passed, which constitutes a record for the School. In the Senior Grade two boys passed with honours, one in each of the other Grades.

The Prize Lists were published on September 28th, and our distinctions this year were confined to the Senior Grade. In this grade D. B. W. Good obtained a First-class Exhibition (£30) in the Classical Group, with Composition Prizes (£4 each) in Latin and Greek; also a Second-class Exhibition (£20) in the Modern Literary Group, for which he is ineligible. W. S. Glover obtained a £3 prize in the Experimental Science Group, and qualified for a £3 prize in the Mathematical Group.

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Owing to unavoidable circumstances the annual prize distribution, which is usually held in November, is postponed to February.

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We are glad to see again a marked increase in the number of pupils present this term.

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The Junior Exhibition results turned out splendidly this year. All our three candidates, A. H. Hillis, W. S. Cunningham, and E. J. Montgomery, were successful, Hillis winning the first place and beating the next candidate by over a hundred marks. Hillis also obtained the First Classical Scholarship last June, and three Entrance prizes for Greek and Latin Verse and Latin Prose.

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A collection which was made in the School at the end of last term for the National Lifeboat Institution realised £1 0s. 4d. It would have been much larger if it had taken place before and not after the Intermediate Examinations.

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Congratulations to R. Ross, who won a bronze medal, and to D. Wright, who won a special prize for singing at the Feis.

Our annual Gymnastic Display was held on June 4th. For list of events and medallists see on a later page.

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The Annual Sports, of which we give details elsewhere, were held with great success at Lansdowne Road on Wednesday, June 27th. The Senior Championship Cup was won by W. S. Cunningham, and the Junior Championship Cup, awarded for the first time, by his brother, A. Cunningham.

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The Swimming Club has been very successful this year. Our swimming champion is D. B. W. Good, who also won the School Championship of the Leinster Schools, and the High School also won the Leinster Schools' Squadron Championship with D. B. W. Good, E. R. May, A. H. Whiteside and P. Ewen.

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The name of the Bell family will always be remembered in the Football annals of the High School. Tom, Joe, Randal, Jack, Horace, Mervyn—they were all doughty footballers, and nearly all of them captains of our First XV. And now they have all gone, as much to their own regret as ours, but they are commemorating themselves worthily by presenting a football cap annually to the best player on the team. We owe them our warmest thanks.

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The Annual Scripture Examinations will be held on Friday, December 14th.



Notes on Old Boys.



W. B. Yeats, Litt. D. (1881-83) has been awarded the Nobel Prize for Literature (value £7,500).

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Rev. J. C. Forrester, M.A. (1887-93), has been appointed Canon of St. Patrick's in place of Canon Hannay, who has resigned.

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Rev. C. C. W. Duggan, B.D. (1896-1901), our School Catechist, has been appointed Rector of Harold's Cross. We are giving his photograph with this number as a frontispiece.

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Rev. J. R. Colthurst, M.A. (1885-90), has been appointed Rector of Kilbride, Co. Wicklow.

Sir W. I. de C. Wheeler (1894-96) has been elected President of the Royal College of Surgeons and Physicians for 1923-4.

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M. A. C. Wilkins, M.A. (1894-1904), has been appointed Headmaster of the Grammar School, Bangor, Co. Down.

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W. E. Abbott, A.R.C.S.I. (1912-18), has been appointed Assistant Chief Sanitation Chemist to the Municipality of Shanghai, in China.

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E. C. Smith, M.B. (1908-16) has been appointed Assistant to the Professor of Pathology in Trinity College, Dublin.

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H. Thrift, F.T.C.D. (1891-1901), has been elected President of the Irish Rugby Football Union.

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F. C. D. Joynt (1887-92) has been elected President of the Lansdowne Football Club.

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Stanley Woods (1915-20) is to be congratulated on his fine performance in winning the Motor Cycle Tourist Trophy Race in the Isle of Man, when on a Cotton machine he came in first, completing the course of 226 miles in 4 hours 3 mins. 47 secs., at the average rate of 55.73 miles per hour.



MARRIAGES.

We congratulate the following:—

CHARTERS (1910-15) and MATTHEWS—September 5, 1923, at the Parish Church, Carrickfergus, by Rev. Gordon Hannon, M.A., Rector of Ballymoney, assisted by Canon McNeice, B.D., Rector of Parish, Robert James, second son of John Charters, of Shankill, Co. Dublin, to Daisy, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Matthews, Lancasterian House, Carrickfergus.

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MOSS (1909-10) and NEALE—August 2, 1923, at Exhall Church, by the Rev. Noel H. Waring, M.A. (brother-in-law of the bridegroom), assisted by the Rev. Frank Melville, Vicar, Geoffrey Lawton Moss, M.C., late 7th Leinster Regiment and R.F.A., second son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Moss, Howth, Co. Dublin, to Gladys Marion, only daughter of the late Mr. John Neale and Mrs. Neale, of Exhall Grange, Warwickshire.

BREWSTER (1909-11) and SOMERVILLE—November 14, 1924, at St. Nicholas's Church, Cork, by the Rev. J. H. McConnell, M.A., Theodore John, third son of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Brewster, "Audenville," Iona Road, Dublin, to Olive Isobel, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Somerville, 5 Quaker Road, Cork.



DEATHS.

We regret to announce the following deaths:—

HARRY J. WILSON, who was in III. B. this time last year, passed away after a long illness on October 12th. He came to the School in September, 1920, and was hoping to be present again this term, but he had a serious illness in October last year, and although he returned to School in November, it was only for a few days. He was within a month of his fourteenth birthday. We shall remember him as a quiet, conscientious, hard-working boy, and we extend our sincere sympathy to his father and mother on their loss.

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FARRAN (1898-1901)—July 2, 1923, at a Nursing Home in London, Charles H. L. Farran, late Superintendent of Indian Police, aged 40, second son of George H. Farran, of Georgeville, Highfield Road, Rathgar.

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CARTE (1877-80)—August 10, 1923, at a Dublin Hospital, Edward William, dearly-loved husband of Florence Maude Carte, 22 Wesley Road, Rathgar, and son of the late Dr. William Carte, Royal Hospital, Kilmainham.



Athletic Sports.



Our Annual Sports, so unfortunately interrupted last year, were this year held with great success on Wednesday, June 27th, at the Lansdowne Road Ground, kindly lent to us by the Rugby Football Union. There was a very long list of events, and much credit is due to the starters and judges, who worked hard and got through the programme with despatch. The "War Memorial Challenge Cup," presented by the Committee of the Old Boys' War Memorial

Fund, was won for the first time by W. S. Cunningham with 25 points, and the Junior Challenge Cup, now given for the first time, open to boys under 15, was won by his brother, A. Cunningham, with 17 points. The band of the D.M.P. played during the afternoon. The prizes were distributed by Miss Olive Purser.

Results:

Throwing the Cricket Ball (decided at Belgrave Square, Monday, 25th June)—Senior: 1, G. J. Boucher, 75 yards; 2, H. E. P. Anderson, 70 yards. Junior: 1, A. Cunningham, 58 yards 1 foot; 2, P. Begley, 55 yards 2½ feet.

Long Jump (Senior)—1, W. S. Cunningham, 16ft. 11ins.; 2, G. W. Whiteside, 16ft. 2ins.; 3, E. J. Montgomery, 15ft. 9ins.

Long Jump (under 15)—1, R. W. Reynolds, 16ft. 6in.; 2, A. Cunningham, 15ft. 7½ins.; 3, J. Begley, 14ft. 6ins.

100 Yards Handicap (under 10)—1, L. B. Hutson; 2, D. S. Dick; 3, J. O. Ryan.

100 Yards Handicap (under 11)—1, H. W. W. Good; 2, J. C. Hutson; 3, J. R. Stewart.

100 Yards Handicap (under 12)—1, E. C. Ridgeway; 2, T. O. Hempenstall; 3, C. Gick.

100 Yards Handicap (under 13)—1, R. J. Dick; 2, C. W. Keating; 3, D. G. Walker.

100 Yards Handicap (under 14)—1, T. N. Richardson; 2, F. H. Ballagh; 3, R. W. Reynolds.

100 Yards Handicap (under 15)—1, P. Begley; 2, A. Cunningham; 3, H. Stafford.

100 Yards Handicap (Senior)—1, W. S. Cunningham; 2, E. E. Reeves; 3, W. H. Squires.

High Jump (Senior)—1, M. W. d'Alton, 4ft. 9in.; 2, W. H. Squires, 4ft. 8in.; 3, E. T. Tuckey, 4ft. 6in.

High Jump (under 15)—1, A. Cunningham, 4ft. 2in.; 2, D. Mitchell, 4ft. 1in.; 3, W. Waddell, 4ft.

220 Yards Handicap (under 12)—1, W. C. Dick; 2, J. R. Stewart; 3, H. W. W. Good.

220 Yards Handicap (under 15)—1, A. Cunningham; 2, S. F. Bryson; 3, P. Ewen.

220 Yards Handicap (Senior)—1, W. S. Cunningham; 2, M. W. d'Alton; 3, H. W. Love.

Siamese Race—1, G. D. Stewart and J. R. Stewart; 2, P. W. Smith and W. R. Nickels; 3, R. N. Storey and A. Whiteside.

440 Yards Handicap (under 15)—1, T. D. Murphy; 2, S. F. Bryson; 3, T. S. Dagg.

440 Yards Handicap (Senior)—1, W. S. Cunningham; 2,

- E. A. Connolly; 3, G. B. Thrift.
 Sisters' Race (over 13)—1, Miss Draper; 2, Miss Northridge; 3, Miss Joynt.
 Sisters' Race (under 13)—1, Miss Reeves; 2, Miss Penny; 3, Miss Waddell.
 Half Mile Handicap (over 15)—1, W. S. Cunningham; 2, S. G. Reeves; 3, G. J. Boucher.
 One Mile Handicap (over 15)—1, M. W. d'Alton; 2, T. D. Murphy; 3, E. E. C. Reeves.
 120 Yards Hurdles Handicap (under 15)—1, C. W. Keating; 2, P. Ewen; 3, P. Begley.
 120 Yards Hurdles Handicap (Senior)—1, M. W. Dalton; 2, E. T. Tuckey; 3, G. W. Whiteside.
 Sack Race (under 13)—1, J. M. Bryson; 2, D. S. Dick; 3, J. R. Stewart.
 Sack Race (over 13)—1, J. O. Early; 2, F. H. Ballagh; 3, S. D. Peake.
 Obstacle Race (under 13)—1, C. H. Glover; 2, J. Begley; 3, J. M. G. Buchanan.
 Obstacle Race (over 13)—1, H. A. Stafford; 2, E. A. Joyce; 3, J. O. Early.
 Consolation Race (under 12)—1, N. J. Smith; 2, F. Keating; 3, H. C. Ewen.
 Consolation Race (under 15)—1, A. G. McCleane; 2, R. L. Bryson; 3, H. W. Stephenson.
 Consolation Race (Senior)—1, A. H. Whiteside; 2, W. Bain; 3, A. E. Robinson.
 Old Boys' Race (220 yards)—1, R. E. Maguire; 2, C. E. G. Digges.
 Band Race—1, Constable O'Connor (age 55); 2, Constable Warburton.



Cricket Notes.



SEASON 1923.

The cricket season of 1923 has been, on the whole, successful for the 1st XI., but the same cannot be said of the J.C.T. Owing to lack of support the fixtures for the Junior team had, with the exception of two, to be cancelled. Both of these matches resulted in the severe defeat of the J.C.T.

However, the record of the S.C.T. is more encouraging, as we reached the semi-final of the Senior Cup.

As will be seen by the appended table, G. J. Boucher heads the averages, and has made the greatest number of

runs for the season. In the first innings of the League match against Earlsfort House School he made the large score of 44, and thus had a great deal to say in our victory. Other scores during the season were 51 by Felton, 45 by Kerr, 38 by Boucher, and 28 by Lenehan.

The bowling averages are headed by Walker, who has taken 62 wickets for 277 runs.

The batting and bowling averages, with the scores of some of the matches, will be found below:

SENIOR CUP TEAM.

High School v. Earlsfort House School—Played at Lansdowne Road, May 26th, 1923 (League).

HIGH SCHOOL.

1st Innings.		2nd Innings.	
Good b Ardagh	... 0	b Telford	... 0
Felton c and b Ardagh	... 14	c Price b Telford	... 51
Morton b Randel	... 0	b Healy	... 22
Lenehan c Lyburn b Randel	0	run out	... 11
Kerr b Randel	... 7	l.b.w. b Ardagh	... 45
Boucher b Randel	... 44	b Telford	... 4
Squires b Ardagh	... 13	c Randel b Ardagh	... 17
Reeves b Randel	... 3	not out	... 0
Tuckey b Randel	... 0		
Ballagh, F., c Healy b Ardagh	10	Did not bat	
Walker not out	... 6		
Extras	... 2	Extras	... 3
Total	... 99	Total for 7 wks.	153*

*Innings declared closed.

EARLSFORT HOUSE SCHOOL.

1st Innings.		2nd Innings.	
Anderson run out	... 0	c Reeves b Walker	... 13
Wisdom c Boucher b Walker	1	b Morton	... 1
Ardagh b Walker	... 15	c and b Walker	... 6
Lyburn l.b.w. b Walker	... 10	Did not bat	... —
Telford b Walker	... 0	b Walker	... 9
Randel b Squires	... 16	b Walker	... 4
Price b Walker	... 6	run out	... 4
Mallagh l.b.w. b Walker	... 1		
Brett not out	... 5	Did not bat	
Healy b Squires	... 2		
Medcalf b Walker	... 1		
Extras	... 3	Extras	... 1
Total	... 60	Total for 6 wks.	46*

*Stumps drawn at end of four hours' play.

In the first innings Walker took 7 wickets for 19 runs.

High School v. Catholic University School—Played at
Belgrave Square, June 16th, 1923.

This match was the second League match against C.U.S., and provided the most excitement of the season. In our first innings we were dismissed for 53, the chief scorers being Boucher and Good. C.U.S., batting next, ran up a score of 69, 38 runs of which were made by Reddy. In our second innings we made 66, Boucher contributing 32. C.U.S. replied with 49, and thus High School gained a victory by 1 run. The fielding of the team in this match is especially deserving of mention, Kerr bringing off two very fine catches which cut short the innings of the two best batsmen of the C.U.S. team.

HIGH SCHOOL.

1st Innings.			2nd Innings.		
Good b Crowe	...	9	b Crowe	...	0
Felton c Donovan b Crowe	...	7	c Hooper b Reddy	...	5
Kerr c Hogan b Crowe	...	0	run out	...	6
Lenehan c Hogan b Gunning	...	5	c and b Reddy	...	2
Boucher c Donovan b Crowe	...	12	b Crowe	...	32
Squires b Crowe	...	0	b Reddy	...	4
Reeves l.b.w. b Gunning	...	7	b Crowe	...	8
Ballagh c Maguire b Crowe	...	3	b Crowe	...	0
Tuckey c and b Gunning	...	7	c Maguire b Crowe	...	2
Doherty c Maguire b Gunning	...	0	b Reddy	...	3
Walker not out	...	0	not out	...	0
Extras	...	3	Extras	...	4
Total	...	53	Total	...	66

C.U.S.

1st Innings.			2nd Innings.		
D. Hogan c Boucher b Squires	...	17	c Lenehan b Squires	...	0
McNeany run out	...	4	b Squires	...	8
Reddy c Boucher b Squires	...	38	c Kerr b Squires	...	1
Crowe b Walker	...	0	c Kerr b Walker	...	20
McAuley c Doherty b Walker	...	0	b Squires	...	1
Maguire l.b.w. b Walker	...	5	c Good b Walker	...	1
N. Hogan c Felton b Squires	...	0	b Walker	...	5
Hooper l.b.w. b Walker	...	2	b Squires	...	4
Sellars c Felton b Squires	...	0	b Walker	...	0
Gunning not out	...	0	not out	...	4
Donovan b Squires	...	0	c and b Walker	...	2
Extras	...	3	Extras	...	3
Total	...	69	Total	...	49

JUNIOR CUP TEAM.

High School J.C.T. v. King's Hospital J.C.T.—Played at
Blackhall Place, May 16th, 1923.
(1st Round, Junior Schools' Cup).

HIGH SCHOOL.

1st Innings.		2nd Innings.	
Stewart run out	... 2	c and b Mullen	... 4
Maynard c and b Mullen	... 1	c and b Noble	... 2
Breakey run out	... 0	b Noble	... 2
Coulter b Noble	... 0	c Humphries b Noble	... 0
Doherty c and b Mullen	... 0	c Taylor b Noble	... 1
F. Ballagh c McKiernan b Mullen	... 5	c Wall b Noble	... 0
A. Whiteside b Noble	... 0	l.b.w. b Mullen	... 2
Murphy run out	... 0	b Noble	... 1
J. Lenchan run out	... 1	b Noble	... 0
Adderley not out	... 2	not out	... 7
Robinson run out	... 0	st Davidson b Noble	... 2
Extras	... 1	Extras	... 3
Total	... 12	Total	... 24

KING'S HOSPITAL.

1st Innings.	
Humphries run out	... 19
Chatham c Murphy b Stewart	0
Davidson b Doherty	... 3
Cole (i.) b Ballagh	... 18
Noble run out	... 0
Robson b Stewart	... 2
Mullen c Coulter b Ballagh	... 19
Ford b Maynard	... 1
Wall c Maynard b Ballagh	... 39
Taylor c Maynard b Ballagh	... 1
McKiernan not out	... 32
Extras	... 3
Total	147

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BATTING.

Name	No of Innings	Total Runs	Highest Score	Times Not Out	Average
Boucher	... 17	236	44	1	14.7
Morton	... 14	152	23	0	10.8
Kerr	... 13	137	45	0	10.5
Felton	... 16	156	51	1	10.4
Lenchan	... 17	99	28	1	6.1
Ballagh, F.	... 6	36	18	0	6.0
Squires	... 16	75	17	2	5.3
Reeves, E.	... 13	57	10	2	5.1
Flewitt	... 9	38	14	0	4.2
Tuckey	... 15	32	11*	2	2.4
Walker	... 15	18	6*	7	2.2
Good	... 17	36	11	0	2.1

*Signifies not out.

BOWLING.

		No. of Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Runs per Wicket
Walker	...	137	25	277	62	4.4
Squires	...	38	5	101	16	6.3
Flewitt	...	38	5	84	10	8.4
Morton	...	103	19	250	25	10.0
Boucher	...	9	2	39	3	13.0



Swimming Club.



Perhaps the greatest proof of the success of our swimming season lies in the tribute paid to our achievements by some of the leading sporting papers. From time to time complimentary remarks have appeared concerning the prowess of the High School swimmers, and our present aim is to lay before our readers an account of their several victories and their single defeat. As holders of the Leinster Schools' Squadron Championship, the 100 Yards Senior Schoolboy Championship of Leinster, and the greatest number of the proficiency certificates awarded by the L.B.I.A.S.A. obtained by any Dublin school, we may with confidence assert our claim to a high position in this form of sport.

Although we did not win the Schools' Water Polo Cup, we were beaten by only one goal by the holders in what is generally admitted to have been the best school match ever witnessed in Dublin. The loss of J. C. Hopkins, last year's School Champion, was expected seriously to damage our prospects for the season, but this year's squadron made even faster time than that with which we won the same event last year, and which included Hopkins.

Before giving a more detailed description of the season's events, we must take this opportunity of thanking most heartily Mr. Wilson, our swimming master, and Sergeant-Major Burke, our instructor, both of whom have largely contributed to the success of the club. One had only to see the high standard of swimming which has been attained by the boys, and which was a feature of our Gala, to testify to this.

Our club days were held, as usual, twice a week at the Iveagh Baths: Monday for the Seniors and Thursday for the Juniors, the water-polo team practising on both days. During the season the team played six matches, winning three, losing one, two being left drawn—which is not a bad record for its second season.

On the second Saturday in September we defended our title of Senior Schools' Squadron Champions, at Blackrock Baths, on the occasion of the Belvedere College Gala, and we cannot do better than reproduce a few extracts taken from several sporting journals.

"The performance of the High School in winning for the second year in succession the Schools' Squadron Championship was excellent, and deserved the loud applause with which it was greeted. . . . Only three teams took part in the contest, viz.:—Belvedere, St. Andrew's and the holders, the High School (Good, D. B.; May, E.; Ewen, P.; and Whiteside, A. H.). . . . On the first lap A Whiteside just touched in arrears of St. Andrew's for P. Ewen to dive in. Swimming splendidly, Ewen forced the lead, which May managed to maintain right through. When Good dived in, there was still doubt as to the result, but this quickly vanished, and forging ahead the School won a fine race just in front of Belvedere . . . the High School clearly won. . . . If the quality of the School swimming is to be gauged by the ability displayed by its four representatives in the Squadron race the Sports Master has every reason to be proud of his charges."

At the Iveagh Baths on the first Friday in October the 100 Yards Senior Schoolboy Championship of Leinster was held, at the St. Andrew's College Gala, this year's winner being D. B. W. Good. We congratulate him on his splendid performance.

With regard to the tests mentioned above, we obtained this year three first-class, sixteen second-class and fourteen beginners—total, 33—as compared with two, one and fourteen—total, 17—first-class, second-class and beginners' respectively of last year.

During the summer holidays a member of our water polo team, H. G. Doherty, achieved a distinction of no mean order. He gained the splendid honour of rescuing from drowning, at Kilkee, a gentleman, a Professor of Trinity College. We tender Doherty our heartiest congratulations.

Finally, we place on record that most important event, our Annual Swimming Gala, which we were unable to hold last year owing to the disturbed state of the city. That we were all eager for the renewal of this popular event was plainly evident from the number of entries received—necessitating heats in every handicapped event. We give below the programme of events, with the results. The last event was the semi-final of the Schools' Water Polo Cup, in which we played and were defeated by the holders, Belvedere College. Dr. Beckett, who refereed the match, was ex-

tremely pleased with the performance of both teams, the handling, passing and shooting being splendid, and the play in general of a most finished nature. It would be invidious to single out any player for praise, as each one did his best. All we can say is that if the material next year is as good and as willing as was this year's, with perhaps a little harder training, the High School should succeed in snatching victory from the present holders. We can only wish them the best of luck.

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SWIMMING GALA.

Results:—

Under 13 Handicap (20 yards)—1, R. L. Bryson; 2, H. C. Ewen; 3, J. M. Bryson.

Under 15 Handicap (22 yards)—1, P. Begley; 2, H. C. Ewen; 3, E. H. Maynard.

Under 16 Handicap (44 yards)—1, A. H. Whiteside; 2, P. Ewen; 3, T. S. Mason.

Senior Handicap (66 yards)—1, E. R. C. May; 2, G. W. Whiteside; 3, P. Ewen.

Beginners' Handicap (22 yards)—1, R. J. Matthews; 2, T. C. Woodcock; 3, J. M. Bryson.

Old Boys' Handicap (66 yards)—1, W. J. Stafford; 2, R. W. Mather; 3, R. D. Stephens.

School Championship (100 yards)—D. B. W. Good,
73 1-5 secs,

Diving Handicap—1, G. W. Whiteside; 2, R. L. Bryson;
3, E. R. C. May.

Schools' Water Polo Cup, semi-final, High School v. Belvedere College—

Belvedere, 3 goals; High School, 2 goals.

The High School Team:—

Goal, H. G. Doherty; backs, H. Burchill, E. R. May (capt.), P. Ewen; forwards, G. W. Whiteside, D. B. W. Good, A. H. Whiteside.



Examination Results.



TRINITY COLLEGE, DUBLIN.

Special Distinctions.

Senior Moderators—N. Shapira (1914-19), in Classics; A. V. G. Killingley (1914-15), in Modern Literature.

- Scholars—I. E. Jones (1912-21): First Classical Scholarship.
 W. C. G. Proctor (1912-21): Mathematical Scholarship.
 Sizar—A. H. M. Hillis (1921-23): First Classical Sizarship.
 R. E. McGuire (1914-20)—Ferrar Memorial Prize.
 W. C. G. Proctor—Michael Roberts Prize.
 I. E. Jones—William Roberts Prize.
 E. J. Weinberger (1919-21)—Dompierre-Chaufepié Prize.
 H. J. L. Armstrong (1910-18)—Biblical Prize in Greek (First), Hebrew Premium (Senior Class), Pastoral Theology Prize, Prize in Chaldee and Syriac, Divinity Testimonium.

Trinity Term Honours.

- R. E. McGuire (Jun. Soph.)—First Honours in Classics.
 E. J. Weinberger (Sen. Fresh.)—First of First Honours in French.
 R. E. Murray (1919-21) (Sen. Fresh.)—First of Second Honours in French, Second Honours in Spanish.

Michaelmas Term Honours.

- E. J. Weinberger (Sen. Fresh.)—First of First Honours in French, First of First Honours in German.
 R. E. Murray (Sen. Fresh.)—First of Second Honours in French, First Honours in German.
 R. H. Colwill (1914-22) (Jun. Fresh.)—First Honours in German, First of First Honours in Spanish.
 R. E. McGuire (Jun. Soph.)—First Honours in Classics.
 W. C. G. Proctor (Sen. Fresh.)—First of First Honours in Mathematics.
 I. E. Jones (Sen. Fresh.)—First of First Honours in Classics.

MEDICAL SCHOOL.

Trinity Term.

- Preliminary Scientific Exam.—R. P. McGarrigle (1911-22): Physics. I. F. Ratthaus (1916-19): Chemistry.
 Intermediate Medical, Part I.—G. E. Dodds (1913-21).
 Final Medical, Part II.—J. M. Mounsey (1909-15). L. Heyman (1912-17).
 Intermediate Dental—M. C. Cowan (1912-21) (First). F. D. Matthews (1911-19).
 Diploma in Public Health, Part I.—E. C. Smith (First).
 „ „ „ Part II.—E. C. Smith (First).

Michaelmas Term.

Preliminary Scientific Examination: Botany and Zoology—
R. P. McGarrigle.

Intermediate Medical, Part II.—L. P. Sayers (1914-18).

Final Medical, Part I.—P. Coleman (1914-20).

Diploma in Public Health, Part I.—F. Stevenson (1891-1902)
(First), W. B. E. McCrea (1910-14) (Second).

Diploma in Public Health, Part II.—F. Stevenson (First).
W. B. E. McCrea (Second).

ENGINEERING SCHOOL.

Passed Senior Class—T. E. O. Moore (1913-18).

Passed Degree Examination—H. T. Bird (1909-16), C. B. D.
Parker (1911-14), J. S. Phillips (1912-14).

Degrees.

M.A.—Rev. E. G. Dixon (1910-12).

M.B., &c.—J. M. Mounsey, L. Heyman.

B.A.—T. E. O. Moore, L. S. Levitt (1910-14), G. A. Cowan
(1912-19).

B.A.I.—H. T. Bird, C. B. D. Parker, J. S. Phillips.

UNIVERSITY PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY.

President's Gold Medal for Composition—E. J. Weinberger.

President's Silver Medal for Composition—R. H. Colwill.

NATIONAL UNIVERSITY.

W. M. Levitt (1911-16) has passed the Examination for the
M.B., B.Ch., B.A.O. Degrees with First Place and First
Class Honours.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SURGEONS.

R. E. Freeman (1913-19) has passed the Third Year Exa-
mination.

ROYAL VETERINARY COLLEGE.

H. Bell (1909-19) and J. Bell (1909-15) have passed the
Fourth and Final Professional Examination, and have
been registered M.R.C.V.S.

ROYAL COLLEGE OF SCIENCE.

H. Montgomery (1913-22) has been awarded a Scholarship (£50 a year, with free tuition).

F. H. Batt (1918-19) has obtained the Diploma in Engineering.

BANKERS' INSTITUTE.

The following have passed the Preliminary Examination:—

C. H. Farmer (1912-18) and H. S. Wisdom (1910-13) (Bank of Ireland); C. Wilding (1911-15), (Provincial Bank); R. C. Hewitt (1913-16) (National Bank); and G. F. N. Gray (1914-21) (Royal Bank).

BANKS.

The following have been successful in passing the Entrance Examinations for Bank Clerkships:—

R. G. Neill (1918-21)—National Bank.

E. E. C. Reeves (1916-23)—Bank of Ireland.

E. T. Tuckey (1916-23)—Royal Bank.

F. J. Bell (1920-23)—Royal Bank.



School Examinations.



INTERMEDIATE RESULTS.

The following are the marks of the boys who passed. The full marks in the subjects are 400. Marks obtained on the Honour Papers are printed in heavy type:—

SENIOR GRADE.

	Drawing	English.	Greek.	Latin.	French.	Arithmetic	Algebra.	Geometry.	Trigonometry.	Chemistry
Felton, E. W.	178	255	...	178	...	230	80	130	...	126
Glover, W. S.	...	310	245	321	196	320	230	155	225	249
Good, D. B. W.	...	355	271	361	212	280	210	165	...	159
May, E. R. C.	287	195	...	120	120	290	190	80	...	...
Sloan, G. S.	267	300	...	289	...	360	175	125	225	205
Tuckey, E. T.	236	320	...	287	190	300	120	175	...	169

MIDDLE GRADE.

	Drawing	English	Greek	Latin	French	German	History & Geography	Arithmetic	Algebra	Geometry	Trigonometry	Chemistry
Adderley, G. C. ...	...	220	...	173	137	...	140	110	150	180	...	120
Anderson, H. E. P. ...	...	180	...	294	135	155	165	90	150	245	...	...
Boucher, G. J. ...	...	265	...	286	192	...	210	240	370	400	175	203
Connolly, E. A. ...	...	175	...	240	128	...	155	140	210	220	...	147
Dobbin, M. F. E. ...	...	275	230	301	133	...	210	120	200	225	...	187
Fielding, V. J. ...	...	150	...	257	...	...	185	190	165	100	...	127
Fleming, J. R. W. ...	...	185	273	315	135	...	145	240	280	150	180	127
Harris, L. B. ...	138	225	...	253	...	...	165	200	190	330	...	...
Martin, J. E. P. ...	206	165	...	...	101	...	115	200	230	335	...	138
Reeves, E. E. C. ...	...	235	141	186	...	...	140	160	105	260	...	120
Riley, A. L. ...	...	210	...	240	173	...	185	250	255	305	120	147
Robertson, A. W. ...	...	245	...	271	100	...	215	220	110	190	95	225
Squires, W. H. ...	...	260	256	290	271	...	195	180	285	350	...	193
Thrift, G. B. ...	...	205	237	240	...	...	156	230	100	100	240	145
Walker, W. A. H. ...	...	215	...	108	...	...	170	170	125	110	...	...
Warren, B. T. ...	...	270	231	300	200	...	210	180	300	400	...	...

JUNIOR GRADE.

	Drawing	English	Greek	Latin	French	German	History & Geography	Arithmetic	Algebra	Geometry	Commerce	Science Physics } Chem. }
Bardon, M. E. ...	183	275	...	317	177	...	230	130	120	190	...	176 85
Begley, P. ...	...	215	...	...	141	...	125	230	200	125	158	84 50
Craig, R. K. ...	...	280	234	296	210	...	215	310	210	175	...	172 60
Doak, W. F. ...	...	180	...	312	337	285	190	250	240	195	...	116 130
Field, J. E. A. ...	178	225	...	219	253	...	195	260	260	155	...	192 75
Gray, J. L. ...	...	235	184	261	105	...	210	210	175	175	...	133 80
Joynt, E. I. ...	...	240	...	267	169	...	220	310	225	150	174	...
McCaully, H. C. ...	...	200	...	210	211	...	150	300	310	270	...	116 90
McDonnell, R. L. ...	196	145	...	238	...	...	170	200	120	255	...	188 120
McKee, J. A. W. ...	...	165	211	279	214	...	140	290	260	265	...	108 115
Mackey, J. W. N. ...	...	150	...	281	...	...	170	250	190	265	215	73 57
Maynard, E. H. ...	...	175	...	226	...	...	...	240	145	150	...	76 185
Mills, C. H. ...	...	230	...	...	236	...	180	330	190	190	158	40 130
Molloy, A. A. H. ...	...	120	...	235	209	...	150	180	95	215	...	120 160
Monson, C. G. ...	...	130	...	217	190	...	...	170	240	140	...	112 100
Savage, J. A. ...	...	120	120	189	...	...	160	200	140	190	...	88 45
Stewart, B. R. ...	...	155	...	246	238	...	135	310	80	180	...	116 75
Waddell, C. ...	...	230	...	304	208	...	155	250	130	160	177	97 40
Waddell, W. H. L. ...	...	145	...	257	112	...	155	210	155	150	...	120 85
Whiteside, A. H. ...	...	205	...	164	...	...	125	180	140	125	...	116 90

SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS.

FIRST CLASS.

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| 1. G. F. Dalton. | 3. H. C. Doak. |
| 2. A. G. Mason. | 4. J. M. G. Buchanan. |

SECOND CLASS.

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| 1. A. C. Ewen. | 3. J. M. Manson. |
| 2. H. W. Stephenson. | 4. A. E. Higginson. |

G. G. Patterson, who won a Second Class Scholarship, resigned it on obtaining a Scholarship at King's Hospital.

PRIZE-WINNERS, MIDSUMMER EXAMINATIONS.

Form 4—

Carpenter Memorial Prize ... A. W. H. Breakey.

Form 3a.

Scripture	...	...	K. Douglas.
Drawing	...	...	H. A. E. Egan.
English	...	...	W. G. Johnson.
Latin	...	...	H. M. Glover.
French	...	...	F. G. Bestall.
Greek	...	...	H. M. Glover.
German	...	...	L. Green.
History and Geography	...	...	T. N. Richardson.
Mathematics	...	...	T. Abraham.
Experimental Science	...	...	H. B. S. Montgomery.

Form 3b.—

Scripture	...	...	F. Sykes.
Drawing	...	...	D. C. Martin.
English	...	...	D. C. Martin.
Latin	...	...	J. B. Cantley.
French	...	...	E. E. Richardson.
History and Geography	...	...	G. Stewart.
Mathematics	...	...	D. C. Martin.
Manual Instruction	...	...	F. H. Doble.

Form 3c. (Upper)—

Scripture	...	...	P. C. Scott, R. Jolley.
Drawing and Writing	...	...	H. C. Doak.
English	...	...	A. G. Mason.
Latin	...	...	H. C. Doak.
French	...	...	H. C. Doak.
History and Geography	...	...	H. C. Doak.
Mathematics	...	...	H. C. Doak.

Form 3c. (Lower)—

Scripture	...	...	W. Warnock.
Drawing and Writing	...	...	R. L. Bryson.
English	...	...	W. Warnock.
Latin	...	...	W. Warnock.
French	...	...	W. Warnock.
History and Geography	...	...	W. Warnock.
Mathematics	...	...	F. E. V. Keating.

Form 2.—

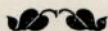
Scripture	...	...	J. G. S. Thomson.
Drawing and Writing	...	...	J. D. Clarke, J. R. S. Johnston.
English	...	...	W. E. M. Anderson.
Latin	...	...	W. G. Taylor.
French	...	...	S. L. W. Greer.
History and Geography	...	...	S. L. W. Greer.
Arithmetic	...	...	C. H. Glover.

Form 1a.—

Scripture	...	...	K. G. Nicholson.
Drawing and Writing	...	...	W. D. McHoul.
English	...	...	D. T. Bardon.
French	...	...	B. G. Cantley.
History and Geography	...	...	S. Spoor.
Arithmetic	...	...	B. G. Cantley, H. E. J. Graham.

Form 1b.—

Scripture	...	...	V. R. Riley.
Drawing and Writing	...	...	D. S. Dick.
English	...	...	A. C. R. Heaney.
French	...	...	V. R. Riley.
History and Geography	...	...	A. C. R. Heaney, V. R. Riley.
Arithmetic	...	...	M. Taylor.



Annual Gymnastic Display.



This was held on June 4th, when the following programme was performed:—

1. Marching (Seniors and Juniors).
2. Swedish Free Standing Gymnastics (Juniors).
3. Swedish Bom (Seniors).
4. Obstacle Racing (Juniors).
5. Swedish Free Standing Gymnastics (Seniors).
6. Vaulting Horse (Seniors).
7. Skit on Swedish Gymnastics (Form 4, Lower).

The Class Medals were presented by Mrs. C. C. W. Duggan to the following:—

Form 5—M. F. E. Dobbin.

Form 4 (Upper)—C. S. Coe. Hon. Mention: R. A. C. Waddell, R. W. Reynolds.

Form 4 (Lower)—J. O. Early and W. H. L. Waddell. Hon. Mention: A. A. H. Molloy, E. H. Maynard, R. N. Storey.

Form 3a—A. F. Smith and K. N. Douglas. Hon. Mention: W. F. Burgess.

Form 3b—H. A. Stafford. Hon. Mention: H. F. C. Darling, E. E. Richardson.

Form 3c (Upper)—H. C. Ewen. Hon. Mention: R. L. Burgess.

Form 3c (Lower)—H. Mansfield and R. L. Bryson. Hon. Mention: P. W. Smith, F. Taylor.

Form 2—N. O'Farrell and G. A. Coomber.

Form 1a—S. Spoor.

Form 1b—E. W. Wells.



Football Notes.



At a meeting of the Athletic Committee held soon after our return to School, the following officers were elected for the coming season:—

Captain—H. E. P. Anderson.

Vice-Captain—D. B. W. Good.

Hon. Secretary—G. J. Boucher.

With seven or eight of last year's team still with us, and abundant material from which to fill the vacancies, the prospects for the season are particularly bright. The forwards are heavy, fast, and hard-working, and with better combination would be superior to any school pack in Dublin. The backs are for the most part inexperienced, those who remain of last year's team playing out of their former places, except the full-back, and several others having only taken up Rugby football this year. But they are keen, and with assiduous practice will no doubt improve considerably.

The loss of our redoubtable half-backs, May and Ballagh, who played together for the Senior Cup Team in the Cup matches of three seasons, leaves a gap which it will be difficult to fill. But the three-quarters are our chief trouble, and our only expedient is constant training. If the team is as keen and as persevering in practice as was that of last year, we should at last break the spell of first-round Cup-tie defeats and, with perhaps a little luck thrown on our side of the balance, should see the Cup in its proper abode in the Clockroom. We hope that every member of the team will realise that this is a prize worth working for.

There lives in the memory of some of the older boys a certain occasion, on which, in a trial match towards the end of the season, the Junior Cup Team succeeded in defeating

their heavier and more experienced seniors. We cannot expect this state of things to return at a moment's notice, but the fact that a considerable number of the Juniors was included in the Senior Cup Team of that year shows that there is a serious deterioration somewhere. The question which is puzzling all of us is: "Where are the boys of between fourteen and fifteen years of age, the natural class from which to form a Junior Team?" We hope that next term greater enthusiasm will be shown by the Juniors, so that High School may make a better show in the Cup-ties than she has been doing of late years.

Appended is a list of the 1st XV. matches played up to November 21st. Our latest and greatest triumph is the defeat of Belvedere, the Cup holders, in a clean, fast game of which an account is printed below:

SUMMARY OF MATCHES PLAYED.

		Played	Won	Lost	Drawn	Pts. for	Pts. against
School	...	8	5	3	—	78	72
Club	...	6	5	1	—	103	23
Total	...	14	10	4	—	181	95

SCHOOL MATCHES PLAYED

(up to November 21st, inclusive).

			For	Against.	Result.
Sept. 26	St. Andrew's College	...	11	5	won
Sept. 29	Mountjoy School	...	0	29	lost
Oct. 6	Drogheda G. S.	...	3	13	lost
Oct. 17	Belvedere College	...	0	22	lost
Oct. 24	King's Hospital	...	11	0	won
Oct. 31	Wesley College	...	25	0	won
Nov. 10	Drogheda G. S.	...	25	3	won
Nov. 21	Belvedere College	...	3	0	won

HIGH SCHOOL v. BELVEDERE COLLEGE.

This match was played at Belgrave Square on Wednesday, November 21st. The ground was in a very heavy condition, which rendered back play difficult, but in spite of this the match was very fast throughout. Early in the match Belvedere pressed, and two drops at goal were attempted, but proved futile. No score was recorded in the first half. The Belvedere forwards, being slightly the heavier in the scrums, frequently got the ball out to their backs, who, however, were unable to pierce the defence.

The commencement of the second half was very similar to that of the first. Belvedere were awarded three penalties, but the kicks at goal failed. Close on full time Anderson landed a difficult penalty goal from far out, giving us the lead. There was great excitement in the closing stages of the game, but Belvedere were unable to score. High School thus retired winners by three points to nil.



“Levia.”



A recruit wearing 14's in boots was enlisted in the Irish Free State Army. One night he was included in a rounding-up party, and when the roll was called afterwards he was absent.

“Has anyone seen O'Halloran?” said the sergeant.

“Yes, sir,” said a voice; “he's gone up to the cross-roads to turn round.”

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McTavish, a native of Aberdeen, paid a visit to London. On his return he was asked for his impressions of the Metropolis.

“Weel, on the Sawbath,” he said, “I went oot in the forenoon, and there were that few folk about, it put me in mind o' Aberdeen on a Flag Day.”

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A lady, who gave herself great airs of importance, on being introduced to a gentleman, said, with much cool indifference, “I think, sir, I have seen you somewhere.” “Very likely,” replied the gentleman, “you may, madam, as I have often been there.”

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A country housewife of good intentions, but with little culinary knowledge, decided to try her hand at cake-making. The result was on the heavy side. After offering the cake to various members of her household, she threw it to the ducks in disgust. A short time afterwards two small boys tapped at the door.

“I say, missus,” they shouted, “your ducks have sunk.”

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German Housewife: “What! Twenty thousand marks? I only paid a thousand last time!”

Shopkeeper: “Ah, that was in the good old times—half an hour ago!”

"The slowest thinkers live the longest," said an eminent psychologist.

"Not if they cross the street," replied his wife.

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Father: "Tommy, stop pulling the cat's tail."

Tommy: "I'm only holding the tail; the cat's pulling it."

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"I never contradict my wife!"

"Nor do I; I always let her do that herself."

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"You don't make very good music with that instrument," said a bystander to the man with the bass drum, as the band ceased to play.

"No," admitted the pounder of the drum, "I know I don't; but I drown a heap of bad music."

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"This boy," said a proud mother to a neighbour, "certainly grows more like his father every day."

And the neighbour, knowing the father, inquired anxiously: "Does he now? And have you tried everything?"

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"You admit, then," inquired the magistrate severely, "that you stole the pig?"

"Yes," said the defendant.

"Very well," returned the magistrate with decision. "There has been a lot of pig-stealing going on around here lately, and I'm going to make an example of you, or none of us will be safe."

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A young Filipino saw in a newspaper an advertisement which read:—

"Wanted: A saxophone. Must be in good condition."

Not long afterwards a swarthy young chap called at the address and said to the advertiser:—

"I want to accept the position as a saxophone. I have never been a saxophone, but I think I can do it, and I am in good condition."

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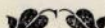
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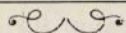


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