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EDITORIAL.

CAPTAIN VIVIAN SMITH fell on November 13th; we have suffered no greater loss.

We cannot yet write what he was to us and what we owed to him; the blow is too recent and our souls are numb. In the distant quieter days, when with less pain we can appraise our dead, those who knew and loved him will share many a precious memory. And on the wind-swept wastes by Salthouse, in the quiet villages that ring us, where the children loved him, and many a homely cottager will mourn him, there will the past live and there shall we meet him again,

*qui ante diem periit,
sed miles, sed pro patria.*

ROLL OF HONOUR.

KILLED IN ACTION.

ARCHER BOWLES NEAL, who was a Private in the Coldstream Guards, was killed in action on September 15th. Born on January 21st, 1896, he entered the School in September, 1906, and left in July, 1912. After leaving School he entered his father's business, but he enlisted in September, 1914. He went to France in December, 1915, and won the Military Medal in July, 1916. He was killed in the great Guards' attack at Ginchy on September 15th.

CHARLES ARTHUR SHEPHERD, who was a 2nd Lieutenant in the Norfolk Regiment, was killed in action on October 12th. Born on January 22nd,

1896, he entered the School in May, 1909, and left in July, 1912. On leaving School he went into business in London, and in October, 1914, enlisted in one of the Royal Fusilier battalions of the Public Schools Brigade. He obtained his commission in December, 1914, and was gazetted to the Norfolk Regiment. He went out to France in November 1915, and was killed near Flers on October 12th. He was buried at Guilleumont.

HUMPHREY THORN, who was a 2nd Lieutenant in the Norfolk Regiment, was mortally wounded on October 12th and died on October 13th. Born on October 2nd, 1897, he entered the School in September, 1911, and left in December, 1914. He was a School Prefect. On leaving School he was articled to Mr. A. E. Collins, the Norwich City Engineer. In September, 1915, when he reached the age of 18, he enlisted in the Norfolk Regiment, and in May, 1916, he obtained a commission. He went to France in June and was mortally wounded whilst gallantly leading his men on October 12th. He died on October 13th and was buried at Heilly Station Cemetery, Mericourt L'Abbé.

STANLEY GEORGE MARRIOTT, who was a 2nd Lieutenant in the Royal Engineers, was killed in action on October 21st. Born on January 19th, 1894, he entered the School in September, 1906, and left in August, 1911. He won a County Scholarship in July, 1907, and was a School Prefect before he left. On leaving School he was articled to his

father and went through his engineering training at the Melton Works. It was during this time that he founded the Melton Boy Scouts' Troop, of which he was the first Scout Master. He passed the whole of the Associate Members' Examination of the Institute of Civil Engineers, and was recommended by the President for a commission in the Royal Engineers. He received his commission at the end of January, 1916, and went to Newark for his training. He left for France in July. He was killed by the explosion of a shell on October 21st whilst superintending a working party.

GEORGE EDWARD GILES, who was a 2nd Lieutenant in the Royal Flying Corps, was killed in a flying accident on November 11th. Born on March 27th, 1892, he entered the School in September, 1905, and left in July, 1910. On leaving School he went for a voyage to Australia and New Zealand, and on his return he went as a premium apprentice to the North British Locomotive Works, at Hyde Park, near Glasgow. There he did very well, and on leaving in July, 1914, he got a high recommendation from the Heads of the Works. On the outbreak of the war he at once applied for a commission, and before very long obtained one in the M.T., A.S.C., as Workshop Officer to the Indian Cavalry Corps in France, with whom he stayed for more than a year. But he felt that his job was too comfortable a one, and in January, 1916, he transferred to the R.F.C., and was an observer out in France till

the end of May. But the R.F.C. people thought his engineering qualities so good that they advised him to go in for the engine constructional part of aeroplanes, so he returned to England and was stationed at Narborough for some time. But he was determined to become a pilot, and so was sent to Netheravon, where he soon got his "wings." He was then attached to the Squadron at Filton Aerodrome, near Bristol; as a pilot, and later was appointed an instructor. He started on the morning of November 11th, in unsuitable weather, to take a new machine to Farnborough. Evidently, being lost in the fog, he was coming down to find out where he was and, not knowing he was in hilly country, he flew into the hill and was killed instantaneously. This was at Tormarton, a village about 15 miles from Bristol. He was buried at Canford Cemetery on November 13th.

WOUNDED.

G. K. Frost, Pte., Royal Fusiliers.

J. M. Howlett, Capt., Norfolk Regiment.

T. G. Sillem, 2nd Lieut., Trench Mortar Battery.

N. H. Perkins, 2nd Lieut., Essex Regiment.

C. A. Masterman, 2nd Lieut., Hampshire Regiment.

J. H. Carvosso, Lieut., Princess Patricia's Light Infantry.

T. J. Townsend, Lieut., Middlesex Regiment.

E. L. Yates, 2nd Lieut., South Lancashire Regiment.

J. S. Beck, Lieut., attd. King's Royal Rifle Corps.

E. C. Steven, Pte., Princess Patricia's Light Infantry.

WOUNDED AND MISSING.

B. Brooke-Booth, 2nd Lieut., Northumberland Fusiliers.

MILITARY CROSS.

H. N. Newsum, Capt., Lincolnshire Regiment.

"He led a raiding party with great courage and determination, himself shooting an enemy sentry. He has previously done fine work."

W. J. Spurrell, Capt., Norfolk Regiment.

"Although wounded, he led his company in the attack with great courage and determination. He set a splendid example throughout."

H. R. Lowe, 2nd Lieut., Gloucestershire Regiment.

"He handled his platoon with great courage and skill. Later, he personally guided a small party back to the dump under intense fire to fetch material required in the front line."

N. W. Coates, 2nd Lieut., Sherwood Foresters.

"He assumed command of two companies, organising and consolidating the position. He showed great courage and initiative throughout."

MENTIONED IN DESPATCHES.

G. N. Robinson, 2nd Lieut., East Lancashire Regiment.

CAPT. V. N. SMITH.

VIVIAN NORMAN SMITH was born on October 27th, 1881. He was educated at Sherborne, and on leaving School he studied art at Calderon's School of animal painting in Baker Street, at the St. John's Wood Art School and at Burlington House. His pictures were exhibited at the Royal Academy on several occasions as well at other exhibitions. He came to Gresham's School as Drawing Master in September, 1907, and from that time until July, 1914, he took a very active part in all the varied interests of the School. When war broke out he applied at the War Office, but, as there did not seem much chance of getting a commission, he enlisted in the Middlesex Regiment in September, 1914. Three weeks later he received a commission as 2nd Lieutenant in the Wiltshire Regiment. He was promoted to Captain in March, 1915, and went out to France in July of the same year. He was wounded on October 4th, and was sent to a hospital in England. He returned to France in February, 1916, and took part with his regiment in many engagements. He was killed by a shell in the "Regina trench" in front of Miraumont on November 13th.

The Colonel of his battalion wrote:—

"May I be allowed to add my sympathy to those of the rest of the brother officers of your son, on the death of your son and our much-beloved companion in arms. I can assure you his loss is regretted by no one more than myself. He was a remarkably brave man, an extremely good soldier and a natural leader of men. Personally, he was of the greatest assistance to me, always cheery, thoroughly to be relied upon on

all occasions, no matter how trying they were, making light of difficulties, taking great care of his men, and never sparing himself to look after them. I deplore his loss more than I can say. He was killed, as you probably know, when binding up another man's wound. We carried his body and buried him in the cemetery back behind the lines. His grave is marked. I can only once more offer you my deepest sympathy."

A fellow-officer wrote:—

"I am very sorry indeed to have to tell you that Captain Smith was killed by a shell on the afternoon of the 13th. He was killed in our most advanced trench, "Regina trench," in front of Miraumont. He went out to tie up a wounded man, and a shell landed in the trench, and he was killed instantly. We got him out yesterday and buried him in the cemetery at Avelny. A wooden cross is being put up on the grave. I went to the funeral service last night. The cemetery is on the side of a slight hill below the village. We buried him with the ruined church and the sunset as a background and the roll of guns his requiem. I cannot say how sorry I feel. The regiment has lost a good soldier, the company an able and popular commander, and I a friend."

An Old Boy writes:—

"I have heard of the death, in action, of Captain V. N. Smith. May I express, through you, my sympathy with those who, like myself, have lost, by his death, a sincere friend. He was a man from whom I had learned much. As an artist he was in the foremost ranks of the animal painters of his day. He portrayed horses with a sympathy and understanding that few could equal. His more serious work was not widely known. As he himself said of it 'It is not the sort of stuff the public want to buy. I do it because I like it.' It was a true self-expression. While he loved the romantic and imaginative thoughts of mediaevalism, he loved more the lives of those who wander—the lives of gypsies, of travellers, tinkers and circus folk, of poachers and pedlars. He loved great gloomy stables and the vastness of cathedrals in the evening time. Yet his work showed a knowledge of earthly strife, of the necessity of toil and the labour of the poor. He was not concerned with the actual progress of work, but with the rest that comes after work. Such pictures as 'The Day's Work Done' and 'Under the Hawthorn Tree,' will explain what I mean. Through the tranquillity of the scenes we are forced to recognise the toil of the day that preceded the rest of the evening. It was his ex-

pression of the yearning for that peace in life which he was destined to attain only in death."

A present member of the School writes:—

"We can never forget Mr. Vivian Smith; he was and is too much an integral part of the school. His boys, past and present, must always remember that wonderful personality which is still so potent here that every new boy seems to know him. We can never forget his merry tea-parties at Hanworth House. It was especially our delight to look through his sketches and paintings, as we sat by the fire in the well-known room. How much our teams, and especially our "scrums," have missed his energetic example and inspiring coaching! The drawing lesson, too, why even we non-artists looked forward to it with pleasure, though not without some trepidation for, quite honestly, while we loved with all our heart, we also feared his tremendous will."



FROM THE FRONT.

We had been having a slack time for a few days on account of bad weather. On a certain Friday, at 5 p.m., the O.C. decided to send us off on a bombing raid, our objective being an *ammunition dump* in a wood some 15 miles behind their lines. Overhead there was blue sky, but coming up from windward were some nasty-looking clouds.

Eight of us eventually found ourselves over the lines. We found great difficulty in finding the objective, since we had to go about 10,000ft. and at 5,000ft. there were many "cumulus" clouds (Heat: Book II.). Five of our machines went off in the wrong direction, I think. Anyway, three of us found ourselves over our objective.

My bombs failed to release, and I was uneasy, since I had to face a strong head wind, and I wasn't certain about getting home when hampered with bombs.

On the way back, at 12,000ft., I ran into a most awful rainstorm and quickly lost sight of the other two machines. I hoped to blind through it, but such was not my luck. I could not see my instruments for fog, or even below my waist! I had no means of telling whether I was dropping to earth, or whether I was vertical or horizontal! It was rather awkward, and eventually I got into a nose dive, going a little less than 200 miles an hour. I saw this by bending forward. I was being left behind at this speed, and if it

wasn't for my belt, I should have fallen out. My aneroid stuck, and so I had no means of knowing how high I was, until suddenly, the earth came right at me! I just had time to "room" up into the clouds again (doing this I accidentally looped the loop) to avoid hitting the ground. I probably wasn't nearer than 100ft., but that distance is soon covered at the speed I was travelling. The clouds began to clear, and I was up at about 1,500ft., when they began to "Archie" me.

I did not know where I was, and my compass was going round and round; I made for what I thought was home. They sent up "flaming onions," i.e., a string of fire balls, six in number and about two feet in diameter; also rockets and flares, all with the intention of setting me on fire. Ordinary "Archie" and machine guns were all hard at work too. I had been up nearly three hours, and my engine began to labour heavily. I began to think of landing, when I caught a glimpse of the sun, which put me on the right road home. I was just crossing the lines when a piece of shrapnel put six of my twelve cylinders out of action. I just managed to reach the field next the aerodrome before my engine gave out altogether.

I had over fifty holes in my machine and I thought I got off rather lightly. My eyebrows were scorched from the fire balls, and I was rather done up—otherwise none the worse.

R. H. J.

When I got there I was informed that I was to be a "Listening Officer." The miners drive out their galleries protected on each side with listening galleries. In each listening gallery I had a man listening; as soon as he heard the Hun working he reported to me and I had to go down and listen with delicate microphones for hours at a time till I had decided what he was up to—then I would report to the nearest Mining Officer and the C.O. and they would decide whether to blow him or not. Of course, while you could hear Fritz you knew you were safe; the danger came when one had to stop and listen for him after he had stopped work, for then you never knew when you were going out into the open air suddenly. It was very nervy work sitting down there absolutely alone in dead silence except for rats and the inky darkness, which absolutely shouts. I always listened in the dark, as I found it easier to get the terrific concentration necessary and to keep it, if I could not see anything.

Imagine one's feelings lying within about 15ft. of 2 tons of H.E., with a fellow the other end with an electric button waiting to send you up after he had finished a cigarette, just as a joke. However I am still here as fortunately we had a

mine (a small one) of 1 ton ready charged very close to him. We thought he would blow at 8 or 8.30 p.m., so we chanced the 8 p.m. and blew at 8.28 p.m. We did it from down below as it was only a small one. There is a handle to lift up, then shove down with all one's strength. As soon as I had pressed it down it felt as though someone had hit everything with a colossal sledge hammer—a terrific wind roared down the gallery—knocked me over as I was in front and blew away all the candles. All I can remember was a yell of "Something has happened, get out as quick as you can and watch for the gas."

T. J. T.

Shepherd is in command of this company, and as it used to be G. B. Johnson's, it is quite "Greshamian." I have heard people run the German down as a soldier, but personally I think he is by no means to be despised. Considering the forces he has had to face he has stuck it awfully well. He shelled us badly, but it was nothing to what our guns gave him. Proper trenches anywhere near the front line are non-existent, they are simply connected shell holes. The sight of some of the ruined French towns makes one realise what one is really fighting for. I think they ought to bring some of the "conscientious objectors" out and show them things. Nobody likes war, but anyone who calls himself British would, I am sure, rather join the Army than see English towns like some of these.

H. T.

We are in the trenches again, at least we are the support company, which is quite a different matter. Here we are as comfortable as in billets, in fact, more comfortable than in some billets. To show you what dug-outs can be, this one has four beds with shelves above each to put your stuff on. The roof and walls are made of what is called "elephant sheeting," which is like corrugated iron, only about a foot in between each bump. The floor is made of wood. We have a bricked fireplace, a table and chairs; also a pull-bell communicating with the servants' dug-outs. Outside there is a covered washing-place and "rustic seat." The men's dug-outs all have wire beds and the cook-house has a tiled floor and bricked stoves. About 50 yards away we have the canteen. We are the working company, having parties all over the battalion front, repairing trenches, etc. Our job is to go round and see that they get on with it satisfactorily. We have even got such luxuries as a letter-box, candelabra, ash trays, and there is a boot scraper outside.

E. W. C.

Monday morning another attempt was to be made. A battalion was to attack one side and we were to make a heavy bomb-attack on the other. It started; we got driven back a bit and then a few minutes later it came through that the

Boche had surrendered. Then the prisoners came in, full of buck and life, and very pleased to get out of it. They had had an awful time. During the short bombardment our Stokes mortars—the battery I was with—fired over 100 rounds in ten minutes, and the Boche said that finished them. We got 45 prisoners and three machine guns and the other battalion got over 156 and four machine guns, besides killing dozens of Boche. We only lost six killed—bombers. Why they could not have done that before and saved hundreds of lives only the Staff can say. Anyhow great rejoicing. Then the most amazing thing happened. We advanced about 800 yards and started to dig. We took up a position on the slope of the hill with the enemy apparently about 1000 yards away. As a matter of fact we could have gone forward and taken our original objective, but did not. Well within view of the enemy we dug and dug from 7 a.m. till 7 p.m., with not a shot fired, except from a sniper. We could see a few Boches walking about. As luck would have it, it started to pour with rain and was very misty, so of course there were no Boche balloons up. I have never seen anything so extraordinary as our aeroplanes. They are really great. One time, on the first day, I counted 26 balloons up. The Boches are beat.

M. R. P.

I am sorry to see already adverse criticism of the results of our offensive—if only the writers at home could realize the insuperable nature of the "Fourth Element." It is ridiculous beyond words to cavil at our inability to break through and the apparent dying down of the advance. Thank goodness, the taking of Beaumont gives the lie to all who say that our force is spent. Critics at home leave the weather out of consideration. We are quite ready to go forward when that permits, as recent events prove.

C.E.G.G.



LECTURES.

"JAPAN."

On Wednesday, November 1st, Captain Jaques, of the American Navy, lectured on Japan. He told us, with the help of many slides, of the great prestige Japan has obtained during recent years owing to her adoption of modern methods. We were somewhat disappointed in not hearing more of Japan, as a country

and of her people as a race, but still some of her finest characteristics are undoubtedly portrayed in the history of her wars with China and Russia. The lecturer told us how it was due to her preparedness that she won two wars. Not only were her army and navy perfectly trained and kept prepared for war, but her Red Cross organisations and her nursing associations were both highly efficient and eventually proved most useful.

There lies behind it all some meaning; not for nothing has Japan placed herself on a modern footing and not for nothing has China awakened from the sleep of ages to arm her millions with modern equipment both bodily and mentally.

"SUBMARINES."

On Saturday, November 4th, Lieut. Jefferson, R.N., gave the School a very interesting lecture on Submarines, illustrated by diagrams.

We are doubly indebted to the lecturer; firstly, for an admirably lucid account of the mechanism of submarines and mines, and, secondly, for lifting a corner of the veil which hides the doings of the Senior Service from the gaze of the curious. We were told the facts of the "Baralong" case; of the sequel to Lieut. D'Oyley-Hughes' midnight bathe; of Silas P. Quick's reasons for deserting a Turkish dhow for a British submarine, and of many other equally interesting incidents.

Lieut. Jefferson is to be congratulated upon the clearness, both of his diagrams and of his explanations.

"RUSSIA."

On Wednesday, November 8th, Mr. Burt lectured to the School upon Russia. He said that he had had admirable opportunities of observation during a recent visit in connection with Polish Refugee Relief. The war had rooted up in Poland a whole population of 3,000,000 peasants and had swept them back with untold misery and suffering into the heart of Russia. The lecturer pointed out his journey across the North Sea, across Norway and Sweden, and then round the coast of the Baltic. He touched briefly upon the physical characteristics of the Russian Empire and their influence upon the Russian people, showing at the same time, in many slides, the types of Russian manhood, Slav, Cossack, and Tartar. Before dealing with the Russian peasantry, he took his audience through the great cities of Moscow, Kieff and Novgorod, where the great fair is held, which is visited by all the many races of Russia. The slides on Moscow were very remarkable, giving a clear idea of the marvellous ecclesiastical architecture, which fills the old Capital. After describing the great forests of Russia, covering a twentieth of the world's landscape, with slides showing the size of the magnificent pines and the bears and wolves which infest these wildernesses, the lecturer turned South to the great plains and to the peasants who cultivate so badly their rich black soil. Men, women and children, villages, farms, hovels, and one very interesting hovel-interior, all came on the screen to show the primitive simplicity of the vast

masses. The lecturer then said that these peasants, rude and unenterprising as they are, living on the hardest fare and in the roughest clothes, had a singular conception of the difference between mind and body; had a love of quiet contemplation and observation together with a neglect of bodily activities. Mr. Burt concluded a stimulating lecture by a comparison of Russia with England. He showed that Russia was in her infancy or rather a youth of 18 beside England a man of 45, but that she had qualities of broad sympathy and philosophic intelligence, which would well harmonize with English shrewdness and commonsense.

"THE FLYING CORPS."

On Saturday, November 11th, Captain Danby, M.C., of the R.F.C., gave us a most interesting lecture on The Flying Corps. He first told us the steps which a normally successful candidate must take before getting his "wings." As can be well imagined, the training, both physical and mental, is very severe, even before the first "solo."

Among other interesting things the lecturer said that a college was being built to train boys during three to four years for The Flying Corps. He was most emphatic that this branch of the army was essentially a profession, just as much as the better known arms of the services.

The treat of the evening was a number of the most extraordinary slides we have ever seen on the screen. They were nearly all pictures taken from the

air and in some the enemy "Archie" bursts were plainly visible. The pictures brought out most clearly the pluck and skill of our aviators, who have obtained such splendid results under war conditions and in many cases while actually under heavy fire.



HONOUR.

F. H. B. Cullen (O.G.), R.M.A.,
Woolwich.



FROM AN ESCAPED PRISONER.

E.A.M.R.,
Nairobi House, Nairobi, B.E.A.,
Oct. 21st, 1916.

It might interest some O.G.'s to hear that I have just escaped from the Germans. I was wounded and taken prisoner on Sept. 21st, 1915, at Longido on the German border. I was hit in the arm and leg. We attacked their position at dawn and, owing to the darkness, our guides took us right up to the enemy unawares. We were the advance party and, being so close to the enemy, we were fired at by our own men as well. It was a bad mess and, just when we thought we had the position, came the order to retire, and four of us, one unwounded, were left to get on as best we could. A little after our fellows turned back, the Askaris (Germans) came on, looking for the dead and wounded. Luckily a white man was near when they found us. They treated us well while we were in hospital. I was fit to travel in a month, when they sent me to Tabiea, being carried a good part of the way. They could not understand a South African volunteering to fight and, when I told them I had put in six months in the Union, chasing rebels, previously to coming up here, it finished my "shanri" at once. One guard in particular was very bitter against me; on one occasion he kicked me three times and each time I looked round he poked his revolver in my face. He wanted me to run but I wouldn't—either for him or any other German. They made us work like shenzis, making roads, carrying earth on our heads in

baskets, blacksmithing, carpentering, bootmaking, etc. They gave me the rottenest job of the lot as a gluemaker. They would send in a pile of rotten (maggoty) hoofs and horns; these I would have to skin and then boil down into glue; needless to say, though I used stacks of wood, I always managed to boil the bottoms out of the tins or upset them, when the glue was almost ready.

Malarial fever was bad at times; 50 per cent. of the prisoners were down very often at one time. We had two University Mission nurses with us and, if it had not been for them, quite a number would have petered out.

Last May they sent us by train to Kilimatinde and then by foot to Iringa. From here we went to Mattenga, through awful country. We first struck mountains and then got into the plains and swamps. I must tell you the food was just about the limit. Rice and meat, meat and rice—full of grit and sand. Very occasionally we would get potatoes and weavily beans.

Northey's forces threatened Makenge, so off we went again and got as far as a place called Kidote and, hearing that Von Deventen had taken Kilossa, four of us made a bolt for it one night and by hard travelling, partly by day and partly by night, we walked into the British lines five days after. The fourth day out we had a narrow shave of being recaptured, walking within 15 yards of a large German patrol. Of course we ran like hares and they must have taken us for game. Our second night we had a scare from a lioness smelling around and kicking up a most disconcerting row. I often wonder how the other prisoners are getting on and thank Heaven that I am out of it. Eleven months is quite long enough to stay with the Huns to form a reliable opinion of them.

Now please don't forget to send me the last two or three copies of "The Gresham," as I am most interested to keep in touch with O.G.'s.

GEOFFREY V. JACKSON.



O.T.C.

PROMOTIONS.

To be Company Sergeant-Major:—

Sgt. Heyworth, J. P.

To be Sergeant:—

Cpl. Yates, H.

To be Lce-Sergeant:—

Cpl. Jefferson, J.

Cpl. MacDermott, C. F. G.

To be Corporal:—

Lce.-Cpl. de Segundo, B. S.

Lce.-Cpl. Taunton, A. J. P.

Lce.-Cpl. Wilson, J.

To be Lce.-Corporal:—

Pte. Berthoud, F. G.

Pte. Clayton, J. W.

Pte. Gregory, C. B.

Pte. Macdonald, J. R.

Pte. Wilson, W. D. F.

The feature of this term's work has been the number, variety and value of the field days. Last term's drill and musketry have borne good fruit, the main strategical features have been better grasped, and we have in fact begun field training. It is to be noted that one field day was carried out entirely by the boys, with eminent success. Next term when the new range will be in use we shall have to turn our attention to the practical side of musketry. There is much to be done, and we hope the platoons, or possibly even the sections, will, to some extent, make themselves responsible for their own efficiency with a view to inter-platoon competitions. We also hope that, in the competition for the Straight Shield in future, a much larger proportion of marks will be given for efficiency in the various branches of musketry.

A word about marching:—"The accented beat should come on the left foot." It is to be regretted that while so much

precision has been achieved by the N.C.O's in giving their words of command on the correct foot, the Corps as a whole is still unable to get the correct rhythm in the marching songs. More than this, a better effect is produced by a large number of persons singing or whistling well within their powers, instead of a few people shouting raucously. As regards the choice of songs :— Whatever may be the merits or demerits of certain songs for certain times and places, there can be no doubt that some of the songs in use are unsuitable as marching songs for a School Corps.



BOY SCOUTS.

TROOP I.

The Troop numbers 46. The patrols are :—

Woodpigeons :—Leader : J. C. S. Daly.
Second : A. W. C. Butler.

Peewits :—Leader : D. P. R. Sanderson.
Second : I. C. Malcolm.

Lions :—Leader : C. W. H. Gurney.
Second : B. Donkin.

Wolves :—Leader : G. N. Stilwell.
Second : C. E. Keysell.

Storks :—Leader : H. K. Bagnall-Oakeley.
Second : G. C. Knight.

Owls :—Leader : F. S. L. Gooch.
Second : M. Bishop.

We have one First (King's Scout) and 12 Second class.

The following badges have been won :—

War Badge : M. Bishop. Pathfinder
F. S. L. Gooch.

A number have received their second year star.

We have had several interesting Field days on cycles, but the chief feature has been the renewed interest in Signalling of both kinds, and a good proportion of of the Troop are now capable of sending and receiving messages of some length.

Three members of the Troop (Daly, Sanderson, Stilwell) were, by the kind permission of Commander B. Hall, R.N., attached to the Morston Coast-Watching Station and for a fortnight in August appear to have done useful work as Sea Scouts, not without much profit and enjoyment to themselves.

D. A. WYNNE WILLSON,

Scout Master, Troop I.

TROOP II.

The Troop numbers 18, divided into two Patrols :—

Hawks :—Leader : E. G. Hanmer.
Second :—D. Johnston.

Swifts :—Leader : E. P. S. Gardner.
Second :—G. F. Wright.

We have had field days at Hanworth, the neighbourhood of Cley, Salthouse Heath, Pond Hills, and with Troop I. at Plumstead Woods. A certain amount of Signalling has been practised, but at his season, when there is little time to spare and it is too cold for long spells, not much progress can be made unless it is taken up individually in private.

Useful work has been done by the removal of paper which Mr. Tyler is kindly disposing of and by clearing up the Theatre.

F. G. E. FIELD,

Scout Master, Troop II.

FOOTBALL.

GRESHAM'S SCHOOL v. CAPT. D. J. BIRD'S XV.

Played on Saturday, October 14th.

The School lost by 19 points to 3.

GRESHAM'S SCHOOL v. C. L. PALMER'S XV.

Played on Wednesday, October 18th.

The School lost by 13 points to 12.

GRESHAM'S SCHOOL v. J. YATES' XV.

Played on Saturday, October 28th.

The School lost by 13 points to nil.

GRESHAM'S SCHOOL v. WELSH REGIMENT.

Played on Wednesday, December 6th.

The School won by 14 points to 12.



THE CHAPEL.

There is little that is new to record about the Chapel this term. Within there have been no changes of importance; without, the ground has been ploughed, and harrowed, and cleaned both on the North and the South, and on the South side, at the time of writing, much progress has been made with the levelling of the ground. This will probably be kept fallow during the whole of next summer, so as to give further opportunity for a thorough cleaning, and it will not be sown with grass until the autumn or following spring. The roads to the Chapel were completed by the end of September.

The loan on the Chapel Building Fund is being slowly reduced. It stands now at about £1,300. As interest at 6 per cent. has to be paid on this, every donation that lessens this sum is very much welcomed by the Committee. Contributions to any of the four Funds help towards the same end, that is to say

towards the reduction of the debt and the corresponding reduction of the interest that has to be paid upon it.



CHAPEL FUND.

1916.	£	s.	d.
Oct.—Previously acknowledged	9807	1	5
A. W. Heyworth (3rd)	...	33	6 8
J. S. Birkett 4th)	...	10	0 0
J. Hassall (3rd)	...	5	0 0
Mrs. Alefounder (3rd)	...	10	0 0
R. Martin-Holland (2nd)	...	2	3 7
J. E. Money (3rd)	...	3	3 0
H. W. Rydon (8th)	...	2	2 0
Nov.—Mrs. Steven	...	1	0 0
G. L. Shackles	...	1	1 0
Mrs. Shackles	...	1	1 0
Chapel Collection	...	9	10 0
Mrs. Bell	...	5	5 0
Mrs. McConnel	...	5	0 0
Sale of Photographs	...	6	11
J. Wilson	...	10	0
E. Rhodes (2nd)	...	5	0 0
General Fund	...	9901	10 7
School Fund	...	263	7 0
		10164	17 7
Promises not yet fulfilled:—			
General Fund	...	213	11 4
School Fund	...	38	4 0
Total		£10416	12 11



OLD BOYS' FUND.

1916.	£	s.	d.
Oct.—Previously acknowledged	494	3	8
A. H. Graves (3rd)	...	5	0 0
H. S. Allen	...	5	0 0
Nov.—R. H. Johnson	...	5	0 0
F. G. Womersley (6th)	...	1	1 0
H. A. Bucknall	...	1	0 0
R. H. Partridge	...	1	0 0
K. M. Moir	...	1	1 0
E. A. Slade	...	2	2 0
Anonymous	...	14	0
K. J. Malcolm	...	1	0 0
W. T. K. Brauholtz	...	1	1 0
E. A. Bartleet	...	2	2 0
		520	4 8
Previously acknowledged	...	10	0 0
Total		£530	4 8

WAR MEMORIAL FUND.

1916.		£	s.	d.
Oct.—Previously acknowledged	...	458	4	7



SCHOOL SEATING FUND.

1916.		£	s.	d.
Lent Term	78	18	0
Midsummer Term	...	23	7	10
Total		£102	5	10



SCHOOL LIBRARY.

Progress this term is chiefly confined to additions to various sections of books already well represented; but a development of that dealing with ancient times may be noted, in history and in literature, especially a selection of good translations from Greek and Roman writers. Another addition comes from Mr. Spiers, who has had neatly bound, and presented to the Library, three volumes of School Lists, from 1900 to the present date. Some of the lists he has himself written out, as no printed copies were in existence; and for this trouble, no less than the presentation, we heartily thank him. Such records, as well as a complete series of the School Magazine, are requisites of every School Library. We have also to thank Mr. Osborne for a translation, by W. Archer, of Ibsen's Play, "An Enemy of the People."

C. H. TYLER, Librarian.

The following are the House Representatives on the Library Committee:—

F. G. Berthoud (School House).
A. L. M. Sowerby (Kenwyn).
J. R. Macdonald (Woodlands).
J. Wilson (Farfield).
C. Pearson (Day Boys).



DEBATING SOCIETY.

A debate was held on October 21st, when Mr. C. H. C. Osborne moved that "In the opinion of this house better citizens are produced by a preponderance of the literary than of the scientific element in education." C. F. G. MacDermott opposed; F. G. Berthoud spoke third and H. C. T. Faithful fourth. There were fourteen other speakers. The house divided as follows:—

For the motion	...	14
Against the motion	...	27

The motion was, therefore lost by 13 votes.

The second debate of the term was held on November 18th. The Rev. F. G. E. Field moved that "In the opinion of this house German trade after the war must be boycotted." J. S. Rowntree opposed; H. V. S. Muller spoke third and A. L. M. Sowerby spoke fourth. Sir Herbert Roberts, Mr. Charles Roberts, and eleven members also spoke. The house divided as follows:—

For the motion	...	9
Against the motion	...	26

The motion was, therefore, lost by 17 votes.

ENGLISH LITERATURE SOCIETY.

There have been two papers read this term :—

On November 12th.—“Defoe,” by H. Yates.

On December 10th.—“Keats,” by D. C. P. Phelips.



O.G. NEWS.

The Colonel of C. A. Shepherd's battalion wrote :—

“He was killed whilst gallantly leading his company. During the ten months he had been with us he had endeared himself to us all, officers and men, and his place will be hard to fill.”

The Chaplain wrote :—

“His unfailing cheerfulness and faithfulness to duty made him always a welcome comrade, and I need scarcely say that he was held in the highest esteem by us all.”

A fellow-officer of H. Thorn, writing to his father, says :—

“Your son, as you will have heard from the Colonel, was mortally wounded on the 12th, the day before yesterday, and died last night at the casualty clearing station. I wish I could give you some comfort. All I can say is that your son died magnificently in the assault on the enemy's front line. He was hit by machine gun bullets. I daresay you have heard of Shepherd, who was also at Gresham's. He, too, was killed on the 12th, shot through the head. Your son was a great favourite and a capable officer.”

In a letter to Mr. Marriott on the death of his son, Major A. H. Brown wrote :—

“Please accept the sympathy of the whole Company for the loss of your son on the night of October 22nd at 10.30 p.m. He was in charge of a working party of 600 infantry, digging a trench, which resulted in a success on the following day. He was talking to Lieut. A. D. B. Don, when a heavy shell pitched right on them

and killed them both instantaneously. I cannot let you know all the excellent work he has done in the two months I have known him, but should like to do so when I get home. In this way I could do more justice to his services.”

The following is an extract from a letter received by R. J. Neal, regarding the death of his brother, from 2nd Lieut. Nigel Hanbury :—

“Unfortunately I have only just taken over No. 16 platoon, but have made enquires from Captain Dorman, who was then in command, and he informs me that your brother received his medal for showing great coolness under very heavy ‘minenwerfer’ fire in the Ypres Salient, when the platoon was isolated. He was killed on Sept. 15th on the Somme. No one saw him actually hit, but he was found dead. He was an extremely good soldier and his loss was much felt by all.”

G. E. Giles, who was killed on November 11th, was spoken of by his Major as their “most promising pilot, keen, and capable, and brave.” His House-Master writes :—

“As a boy he was one of the best boy engineers that the School has known. He loved engines of every kind from an ‘Atlantic’ to a ‘pug’—not forgetting the ‘traction engine’—and he turned out some very good work on his lathe at Woodlands. . . He was one of those delightful natures who radiate kindness and he did so without a trace of self-consciousness. . . . He had a simple, joyous, innocent nature, which won him a host of friends.”

J. M. Foster, who was reported as “wounded and missing” on July 23rd, has since been reported “killed,” but we understand that his father still has grounds for believing that he may yet be alive.

We congratulate Lt.-Col. W. G. R. Holmes on his promotion and on his obtaining the command of the 1st Battalion of the Royal Welsh Fusiliers.

Capt. K. Lloyd is in command of a Company of a Cadet Battalion at Christ's College, Cambridge.

R. W. Berridge is at the Ecole d'Aviation Britannique, Vendôme, Loire et Cher, France.

E. B. Hastings was married on November 9th at Bordon to Miss Margaret Hargreaves.

Capt. M. W. Godson was married on November 16th at Christ Church, Bron-desbury, to Miss Dorothy Griffith.

C. J. Thorne has been appointed Mechanic Instructor at King's College, Strand.

F. H. Hirschler has asked us to make it known, through the pages of "The Gresham," that he has assumed the name of Frederick Hugh Herbert.

Passed into Woolwich:—F. H. B. Cullen.

Passed into Sandhurst:—E. N. Prid-eaux-Brune.

Passed out of Sandhurst:—H. B. Bird, J. Yates, A. A. Malcolm, K. J. Malcolm.

W. A. Peggs has also entered Sand-hurst.

The following are at Training Centres:—H. Wilson, A. L. Nichols, O. W. Redgate, J. C. Carver, E. G. Nuding, G. Skelton.

The addresses of the Old Boys who are prisoners of war are as follows:—Capt. C. G. Graves, the Royal Scots, Prisoner of War, Offizier Gefangenen-lager, Friedberg in Hessen, Germany.

Lieut. E. R. Farmer, Offizier Kriegs-gefangenenlager, Clausthal, Harz, Ger-many.

Pte. T. McCallum, No. 629, 3rd South African Infantry, No. 54973, Baraque 32, Friederichsfeld bei Wesel, Westfalen, Germany.

We are asked to point out that, whilst letters from friends are most acceptable, care must be taken not to mention the war beyond the units to which people belong and casualties, etc., and neither Germany nor the Germans should be alluded to.



SCHOOL NOTES.

It was with the deepest regret that we heard of the tragic death of Captain Jaques, U.S.N., so shortly after his visit to the School.

It is with much regret that we record the death of Captain C.W. Merryweather, who was a Master here from September, 1903, to July, 1905. The following is an extract from the *Manchester Guardian*:—

"He was appointed on the staff of the Manchester Grammar School in 1905. The keen interest he took in the games and the wonderful power he had of stimulating activity, both mental and physical, with the average boy, led to his appointment in 1913 as head of a new department on the Modern Side. No master is more affectionately remembered by Old Boys than he. No man did more for the public spirit of the School. In November, 1914, he was gazetted Lieutenant in the Lancashire Fusiliers and was promoted Captain in January, 1915. He was wounded in January, 1916, but rejoined his unit in July. He was killed in action on November 23rd."

The musical event of the term has been the arrival of a new Grand Piano-forte for the Big School, which was purchased, by consent of the Governors, in November. It arrived on November 27th and was heard for the first time two days later, when Mr. Greatorrex gave a

Recital. The instrument is a Miniature Boudoir Grand made by Sir Herbert Marshall and Rose, and represents the high water mark of British workmanship in this respect. It is constructed on the latest scientific lines, and seriously challenges the supremacy of the foreign-made instruments. Though smaller in size than the old Bechstein, it is, nevertheless, quite powerful enough to fill the Big School. It has a beautiful carrying tone which is heard to best advantage in *Cantabile* passages. The smooth and even quality from top to bottom, combined with the richness of tone, contrasts very favourably with the hardness of the old instrument. A long-felt want has been supplied and the new Pianoforte should be a source of inspiration to all music-lovers.

The following have received their Football colours :—G. H. Lowe, J. P. Heyworth, H. Yates, B. S. de Segundo, A. J. P. Taunton, J. W. Clayton, A. R. Hill, R. F. Worthington, W.D. F. Wilson.



CONTEMPORARIES.

Felstedian.
Fettesian.
Haileyburian.
Lorettonian (4).
Malvernian.
Meteor (2).
Radleian.
R. C. M. Magazine.
S. Edward's School Chronicle (2).

LIST OF PAST MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL SERVING IN H.M. FORCES.

Acheson, A. H., Pte.	...East Kent Regiment	...
Aeland, T. W. G., Lieut.	...London Electrical Engineers, R.E.	...Seconded.
Allen, L. S., Lieut.	...Liverpool Regiment	...
Allen, H. S., Capt.	...Liverpool Regiment	...B.E.F., Invalided.
†Anderson, D. S., 2nd Lieut.	...Attd. R.F.C.	...
*Armitage, S. W., Cpl.	...King's Royal Rifle Corps	...
*Andrews, E. O., Pte.	...Auckland Regiment	...
Andrews, F. W., Pte.	...Essex Regiment	...India.
Archer, F., 2nd Lieut.	...Australian Infantry	...B.E.F., Wounded.
*Atkin, G. D. H., 2nd Lieut.	...Liverpool Regiment	...
*Aveling, L. N., Lieut.	...Connaught Rangers	...Mentioned in Despatches.
*Ayris, N., Lieut.	...R.E.	...
Back, N., Lieut.	...R.F.A.	...B.E.F.
Back, T. Q., 2nd Lieut.	...R.F.C.	...
Baines, G. D., Lieut.	...Light Cavalry	...India.
Baines, T. N., 2nd Lieut.	...Welsh Regiment	...B.M.E.F., Wounded.
Baker, L. B., Lce.-Cpl.	...Norfolk Regiment	...I.E.F. "D." Invalided.
Ball, R. C., Lieut.	...West Surrey Regiment	...I.E.F. "D."
		...Mentioned in Despatches.
		...Military Cross.
Bamford, H., 2nd Lieut.	...R.G.A.	...B.E.F.
Barham, J. F., Lieut.	...A.S.C.	...
Barker, C. W. T., Lieut.	...Durham Light Infantry	...B.E.F., Wounded.
Barker, H. F., Capt.	...R.F.A.	...B.E.F.
†Barker, J. H., Lieut.	...Durham Light Infantry	...
Barker, F. C., Bomber	...Canadian Infantry	...B.E.F., Invalided.
*Barker, C. N., 2nd Lieut.	...Dorsetshire Regiment	...
Barnwell, F., Pte.	...Royal Naval Division	...
Barratt, G. R., 2nd Lieut.	...Lancashire Fusiliers	...B.E.F., Missing.
Bartlett, E. A., 2nd Lieut.	...R.G.A.	...
Batten, J. K., Capt.	...Bedfordshire Regiment	...
Batten, R. H.-G., Lieut.	...Northamptonshire Regiment	...B.E.F., Wounded.
Beck, E. V., Trooper	...Staffordshire Yeomanry	...
Beck, J. S., Lieut.	...Attd. King's Royal Rifle Corps	...Wounded, B.E.F.
		...Military Cross.
Bentley, D. R. B., Flt. Sub-Lieut. R.N.A.S.		...
Bernard, A. C., 2nd Lieut.	...Shropshire Light Infantry	...
Berridge, R. W., Flt. Sub-Lieut. R.N.A.S.		...
†Berry, R. A., Lieut.	...London Regiment	...
Betts, J. V., Capt.	...R.E.	...B.E.F.
Biden, L. T. G. V., Lieut.	...Warwickshire Regiment	...B.E.F., Wounded.
		...Military Cross.
Bird, E. G. W., Cpl.	...Norfolk Yeomanry	...E.E.F.
Bird, M., 2nd Lieut.	...Essex Regiment	...
Bird, H. B., 2nd Lieut.	...Warwickshire Regiment	...
Bird, D. J., Capt.	...York and Lancaster Regiment	...
Bird, P. A., Pte.	...London Regiment	...
Bishop, E. E., Pte.	...Canadian Infantry	...

Blackburn, S. N., Act.-Lieut.	...R.N., H.M.S. Linnet	...
†Blackburn, G., Lieut.	...Cambridgeshire Regiment	...
✱Blackburn, E., Rifleman	...Liverpool Regiment	...
Blatch, W. D., 2nd Lieut.	...Derbyshire Yeomanry	...S.F.F.
†Boning, A. K., 2nd Lieut.	...Norfolk Regiment	...
Booker, F. R., 2nd Lieut.	...Divisional Engineers	...B.E.F.
Booth, E. M. B., 2nd Lieut.	...Northumberland Fusiliers	...
Booth, B. B., 2nd Lieut.	...Northumberland Fusiliers	...B.E.F., Wounded, Missing.
Boulter, P. P., Trooper	...Canadian Light Horse	...
Boxall, H. A., 2nd Lieut.	...York and Lancaster Regiment	...B.E.F., Invalided.
Boxer, H. M., 2nd Lieut.	...Lincolnshire Regiment	...
Brooke, H. J., Lieut.	...African Rifles.	...E.A.F.F.
Brown, G., Pte.	...H.A.C.	...E.E.F.
Brownsword, D. A., Capt.	...A.S.C.	...
Bruce, Joy, A. W., Lieut.	...R.E.	...B.E.F.
Bryer, G. P., 2nd Lieut.	...London Regiment	...B.E.F., Wounded.
Bucknall, H. A., 2nd Lieut.	...Hussars	...
Burford, J., Pte.	...A.V.C.	...
Busk, H. A., Flight Commander	...R.N.A.S.	...B.M.E.F., Missing.
Byford, C. H., Opl.	...Norfolk Regiment	...I.E.F. "D."
Cadge, B. J., 2nd Lieut.	...East Lancashire Regiment	...B.E.F.
Callow, G. E. C., Lieut.	...R.E.	...E.E.F.
Cane, M. H., Capt.	...R.A.M.C.	...
Carnegie, J. D., 2nd Lieut.	...Hampshire Yeomanry	...B.E.F.
Carnegie, D. A., 2nd Lieut.	...R.F.A.	...B.E.F.
Carvosso, J. H., Lieut.	...P.P.C.I.I.	...B.E.F., Wounded.
Carvosso, J. P., Lieut.	...West Kent Regiment	...India.
Carvosso, E. W., Lieut.	...West Kent Regiment	...India.
Case, C. F., Lieut.	...R.F.A.	...
Chambers, H. T., Capt.	...A.S.C.	...S.F.F.
Champneys, W., Lieut.	...Grenadier Guards	...B.E.F., Wounded.
†Chapman, W. G., Capt.	...Gloucestershire Regiment	...Mentioned in Despatches.
Chapman, H. E., Lieut.	...R.H.A.	...Wounded, B.E.F., Mentioned in Despatches.
Charsley, K., 2nd Lieut.	...R.F.A.	...
†Clarke, C. V., Capt.	...Sussex Regiment	...
Clarke, T. F., Pte.	...Royal Fusiliers	...
Clark, E. W., 2nd Lieut.	...Lincolnshire Regiment	...B.E.F., Invalided.
Claus, F. H., Lieut.	...Anti-Aircraft Section	...E.E.F.
†Clayton, M. C., Major	...Cambridgeshire Regiment	...Mentioned in Despatches.
Clayton, F., Lieut.	...Cambridgeshire Regiment	...B.E.F.
†Coates, N. W., Lieut.	...Sherwood Foresters	...B.E.F., Military Cross.
Cocks, G. A., 2nd Lieut.	...Imperial Camel Corps	...E.E.F.
†Cobon, H. G., 2nd Lieut.	...Norfolk Yeomanry	...
Cole, A. H., Sergt.	...Canadian Mounted Rifles	...
✱Cornish, B. G., Loc.-Cpl.	...Dragoon Guards	...
Cox, H. J. H., Capt.	...Devonshire Regiment	...Mentioned in Despatches.
Crafer, W. G., Pte.	...Canadian Infantry	P.G.E.F., Wounded.
Crick, L. C., Capt.	...Lincolnshire Regiment	...B.E.F.
Crick, C. G., 2nd Lieut.	...Worcestershire Regiment	...B.E.F., Invalided.
Crickford, A. L., 2nd Lieut.	...Gloucestershire Regiment	...B.E.F.
		...Wounded, B.E.F. Military Cross.

✱Crosse, M. E. B., 2nd Lieut.	...Yorkshire Regiment	...
✱Crosse, E. C. M., 2nd Lieut.	...Leicestershire Regiment	...
Cruttwell, C. H., Lieut.	...East Surrey Regiment	...
Culley, R. H., Sergt.-Major	...Norfolk Regiment	...
Culley, G., Sergt.	...Norfolk Regiment	...
Cunnell, D. C., 2nd Lieut.	...Hampshire Regiment	...
Cushion, W. B., Lieut.	...R.F.C.	...B.E.F.
Dane, A., 2nd Lieut.	...A.S.C.	...
Darlow, A. P., 2nd Lieut.	...Lancashire Fusiliers	...B.E.F., Invalided.
Davidson, E. S., 2nd Lieut.	...Royal Scots	...
†Davies, L. F. St. J., Lieut.	...Norfolk Regiment	...
Davies, J. H., Pte.	...Manchester Regiment	...B.E.F.
†Davison, G. C., 2nd Lieut.	...Machine Gun Corps	...
Deane, C. V., 2nd Lieut.	...Wiltshire Regiment	...
De Bary, E., Cavalier	.. Cuirassiers	...French Army.
De Bary, R., Brigadier	...Dragoons	...French Army.
De Viti de Marco, J.G., S-tenente	Granatieri di Sardegna	...I.A., Wounded.
Dodman, S. B., 2nd Lieut.	North Staffordshire Regiment	...B.E.F., Wounded.
Drey, A., Lieut.	...A.S.C.	...E.E.F., Military Cross
Drey, N., Cpl.	...Motor Cyclists' Section, R.E.	...
✱Duff-Gordon, C. L., Lieut.	...Machine Gun Corps	...
✱Dulley, D. C. C., Cpl.	...Lincolnshire Regiment	...
Dyball, F. J., Cpl.	...Royal Fusiliers	...B.E.F.
Ellingham, G. R., Pte.	...Canadian A.M.C.	...B.E.F.
Ellingham, H. H., 2nd Lieut.	...Machine Gun Corps	...
Ellis, J. C., Pte.	...Training Reserve	...
†Elwell, E. E., Lieut.	...Training Reserve	...
Estcourt, A. C. Sotheron, Lieut.	Gloucestershire Regiment	...B.E.F., Wounded. Military Cross.
Everett, J. R., Sapper	...R.E.	...Wounded, E.E.F.
Farmer, E. R., Lieut.	...R.F.C.	...B.E.F., Prisoner.
Farmer, C. R. H., 2nd Lieut.	...Attd. M.M.G.S.	...India
Fawkes, C. W., 2nd Lieut.	...Inniskilling Fusiliers	...B.E.F.
✱Fenchelle, G. J., 2nd Lieut.	...Sussex Regiment	...
Fenner, H. L., 2nd Lieut.	...A.S.C.	...
Field, B. F., Pte.	...Berkshire Regiment	...
†FitzGerald, P. K., 2nd Lieut.	...King's Royal Rifle Corps	...
FitzGerald, R. A., 2nd Lieut.	...Oxford and Bucks Light Infantry	...B.E.F.
Flint, F. N. La F., 2nd Lieut.	...Lincolnshire Regiment	...
Foster, J. M., 2nd Lieut.	...Gordon Highlanders	...B.E.F., Missing.
†Foster, J. R., 2nd Lieut.	...Lovat's Scouts	...
†Fox, C. E., Flt. Sub.-Lieut.	...R.N.A.S.	...
French, H., Lieut.	...R.F.C.	...B.E.F.
Frost, R. S., Pte.	...Canadian Engineers	...
Frost, G. K., Pte.	...Royal Fusiliers	...B.E.F., Wounded.
Frost, T. F. C., 2nd Lieut.	...Hussars	...
Frost, H. C., 2nd Lieut.	...Somersetshire Light Infantry	...
†Gibson, E. McL., 2nd Lieut.	...London Regiment	...
✱Gissing, W. L., Rifleman	...London Regiment	...
Gissing, A. C., 2nd Lieut.	...R.G.A.	...India.
✱Giles, G. E., Lieut.	...R.F.C.	...
Godson, M. W., Capt.	...London Regiment	...
†Gooch, J., Pte.	...Canadian Infantry	...

†Gooch, F., Pte.	...Norfolk Regiment	...
Gooch, R., Sergt.	...Northumberland Fusiliers	...
✱Goodall, G. M. L., 2nd Lieut.	...East Lancashire Regiment	...
Goodall, C. E. G., Lieut.	...Lincolnshire Regiment	...B.E.F.
Gosnell, A. G., Trooper	...Wiltshire Yeomanry	...
Gowing, H. G., Trooper	...Norfolk Yeomanry	...E.E.F.
Gowing, L., Pte.	...A.S.C.	...B.E.F.
Grace, W. K. C., Asst.-Paym.	...R.N., H.M.S. Otway	...
Grantham, A. G. W., 2nd Lieut.	Machine Gun Corps	...B.E.F.
Graves, C. G., Capt.	...Royal Scots	...B.E.F., Prisoner
Graves, A. H., Lieut.	...Machine Gun Corps	...B.E.F., Military Cross.
Gray, G. C., 2nd Lieut.	...Northamptonshire Regiment	...E.E.F.
Greenwell, T. G., Lieut.	...R.G.A.	...B.E.F.
†Gwyther, G. M., Lieut.	...Machine Gun Corps	...
✱Halsey, F. W., 2nd Lieut.	...R.G.A.	...
†Hammond, J., Capt.	.. Norfolk Regiment	...
†Hanmer, H. I., 2nd Lieut.	...Attd. R.F.C.	...
†Harris, E. L., Gunner	...New Zealand Field Artillery	...
Harris, L. Y., 2nd Lieut.	...Sherwood Foresters	...
Harvey, H. W., Lieut.	...R.N.V.R., H.M.T. Sagitta	...
Harvey, H. B., 2nd Lieut.	...R.F.A.	...B.E.F.
Harvey, M., Pte.	...Canadian Pioneers	...
Harvey Jones, F.M., 2nd Lieut.	.. Worcestershire Regiment	...B.E.F.
†Hastings, E. B., 2nd Lieut.	...R.F.A.	...
Haward, R. S., 2nd Lieut.	...R.F.C.	...B.E.F., Wounded.
Hawksley, G., Lieut.	...Inniskilling Fusiliers	...B.E.F., Invalided.
†Hawksley, R. G., Pte.	...Royal Fusiliers	...
Hawksley, O., Pte.	...Royal Fusiliers	...B.E.F.
Head, J. L., Capt.	...Attd. R.F.C.	...Wounded, B.E.F.
Henry, J. R. A., 2nd Lieut.	... Jats	...N.W.F.F.
✱Herron, A. R., 2nd Lieut.	...King's Royal Rifle Corps	...
†Heyworth, E. L., Lieut.	...Attd. R.F.C.	...
†Higgin, W. W., Capt.	...R.F.C.	...
✱Hill, M. C., Lieut.	...Leicestershire Regiment	...
✱Hill, C. A., Midshipman	...R.N., H.M.S. Invincible	...
Hirtzel, E. F., Capt.	...Attd. R.F.C.	...I.E.F. "D."
✱Holland, A. L., Pte.	...Canadian Infantry	...
Holmes, W. G. R., Lt.-Col.	...Welsh Fusiliers	...B.E.F.
†Hotblack, G. V., Capt.	...Welsh Regiment	...Seconded.
Hotblack, H. C., 2nd Lieut.	...R.F.A.	...I.E.F. "D." Invalided.
Howlett, J. M., Capt.	...Norfolk Regiment	...B.E.F., Wounded.
Hyde, T. G., Lieut.	...Manchester Regiment	...E.E.F.
Inglis, A. G., Lieut.	...A.S.C.	...
Jackson, G. V., Trooper	...Mounted Rifles	...E.A.F.F.
Jackson, W. W., 2nd Lieut.	...R.F.A.	...B.E.F.
Jacques, F. V., Surgeon Prob.	...R.N.V.R., H.M.S. Mischief	...
✱Jacques, D. W., 2nd Lieut.	...West Surrey Regiment	...
Jarvis, E. H., Lieut.	...Graves Registration Unit	...E.E.F.
Jarvis, L. W., Capt.	...Middlesex Regiment	...E.E.F.
Jarvis, A. B., Lieut.	...R.F.C.	...E.E.F.
Jobling, R. H., 2nd Lieut.	...Machine Gun Corps	...
✱Johnson, G. B., Capt.	...Norfolk Regiment	...
Johnson, E., 2nd Lieut.	...Stokes Mortar Battery	...I.E.F. "D."

Johnson, E. H., Lieut.	...R.F.A.	...B.E.F.
Johnson, G. F., Lieut.	...Anti-Aircraft Section	...Wounded, B.E.F.
Johnson, R. H., 2nd Lieut.	...R.F.C.	...B.E.F., Wounded.
Keeble, L. C., Lieut.	...R.N.A.S.	...
Kelly, H. D. S. G., 2nd Lieut.	...R.E.	...
✠Kempson, J. R., Midshipman	...R.N., H.M.S. Hawke	...
Ketley, A. M., Lieut.	...M.M.G.S.	...
✠Kirch, C., 2nd Lieut.	...Bedfordshire Regiment	...
Kirk, F. C. de L., 2nd Lieut.	...Norfolk Regiment	...I.E.F. "D," Invalid.
Knollys, V. C., 2nd Lieut.	...Rifle Brigade	...
✠Knowles, H., Lieut.	...West Riding Regiment	...
Knowles, L. H., 2nd Lieut.	...Suffolk Regiment	...
Lang, F. J. C., Cpl.	...Pioneer Corps	...E.A.F.F.
Lang, G. L., 2nd Lieut.	...R.G.A.	...
Lark, G. P., 2nd Lieut.	...Norfolk Regiment	...
Lascelles, G. J. H., 2nd Lieut.	...R.F.C.	...B.E.F.
Laverack, J. F., Gunner	...R.F.A.	...B.E.F.
†Lloyd, K., Capt.	...London Regiment	...
†Lomax, G. N., Lieut.	...North Staffordshire Regiment	...
Lowe, H. R., 2nd Lieut.	...Gloucestershire Regiment	...B.E.F., Military Cross.
Mackenzie, G. L., 2nd Lieut.	...R.G.A.	...
MacMichael, H. C., Capt.	...Border Regiment	...B.E.F., Wounded.
Malcolm, A. A., 2nd Lieut.	...Lancers	...
Malcolm, K. J., 2nd Lieut.	...Hussars	...
Marlar, J., 2nd Lieut.	...Essex Regiment	...B.E.F., Invalid.
Marriott, F. K., Lieut.	...R.A.M.C.	...B.E.F., Military Cross.
✠Marriott, S. G., 2nd Lieut.	...R.E.	...
Mason, H., Sergt.	...West Surrey Regiment	...India.
Masterman, C. A., 2nd Lieut.	...Hampshire Regiment	...B.E.F., Wounded.
Mawdesley, J. L., Lieut.	...A.O.D.	...B.E.F.
Mawson, P. S., Pte.	...London Regiment	...E.E.F.
Maynard, C. I. F., 2nd Lieut.	...Signal Coy., S. and M.	...I.E.F. "D."
McCallum, T., Pte.	...South African Infantry	...B.E.F., Prisoner.
Meredith, G. W. L., Lieut.	...Hussars	...Wounded, B.E.F.
		Mentioned in Despatches
		Military Cross.
Middleton, J. L., Lieut.	...York and Lancaster Regiment	...B.E.F., Wounded.
Middleton, B., 2nd Lieut.	...Lincolnshire Regiment	...B.E.F.
Moir, K. M., Lieut.	...Machine Gun Corps	...B.E.F.
Moulton, H. W., Sergt.-Major	...Norfolk Regiment	...
Neal, R. J., Trooper	...Royal Dragoons	...B.E.F.
✠Neal, A. B., Pte.	...Coldstream Guards	...Military Medal.
Newsum, H. N., Capt.	...Lincolnshire Regiment	...B.E.F., Wounded.
		Military Cross.
Newsum, C. N., Lieut.	...Lincolnshire Regiment	...B.E.F.
Nichols, F. P. R., Capt.	...A.S.C.	...B.E.F.
Owles, G. E., Lieut.	...Attd. Anti-Aircraft Section	...B.E.F.
†Palmer, C. L., 2nd Lieut.	...Attd. Anti-Aircraft Section	...
Palmer, H. S., Capt.	...R.A.M.C.	...E.E.F.
Partridge, R. H., Lieut.	...Norfolk Regiment	...E.E.F.
Perkins, F. A., Lieut.	...R.E.	...
Perkins, C. E., 2nd Lieut.	...R.F.A.	...B.E.F.
Perkins, N. H., 2nd Lieut.	...Essex Regiment	...B.E.F., Wounded.
Pertwee, H. G., Asst.-Paym.	...R.N., H.M.S. Centaur.	...

*Phillimore, J. P., Lieut.	...East Kent Regiment	...
Phillips, W. R., Lieut.	...London Regiment	...B.E.F.
†Phillips, C. A., 2nd Lieut.	...H.A.C.	...
Ponsford, H. F. S., Lieut.	...Yorkshire Light Infantry	...B.E.F., Wounded.
Pretty, G. W. T., Lce.-Cpl.	...Middlesex Regiment	...India.
Preston, S., 2nd Lieut.	...Essex Regiment	...
Preston, B., 2nd Lieut.	...Lincolnshire Regiment	...
Preston, C., Lce.-Cpl.	...Norfolk Regiment	...B.E.F., Wounded.
Price, M. R., Lieut.	...York and Lancaster Regiment	...B.E.F.
Procter, J. N. W. A., 2nd Lieut.	West Riding Regiment	...B.E.F.
Purves, P. R., 2nd Lieut.	...R.F.A.	Mentioned in Despatches.
Randall, R. J., 2nd Lieut.	...West Surrey Regiment	...B.M.E.F., Invalided.
Ransom, P. L., 2nd Lieut.	...Hertfordshire Regiment	...E.E.F.
†Reeve, E. G., 2nd Lieut.	...Norfolk Regiment	...B.E.F.
Reid, D. M., Lieut.	...R.F.A.	...
Reid Todd, C. P., 2nd Lieut.	...Middlesex Regiment	...Wounded, E.E.F.
†Reiss, J. M., Lieut.	...North Staffordshire Regiment	...
Reiss, F. A., Lce.-Cpl.	...A.S.C.	...
†Reith, J. C. W., Lieut.	...R.E.	...Wounded, Seconded.
†Rhodes, E. L., 2nd Lieut.	...Manchester Regiment	...
*Richardson, D. B., Capt.	...R.F.C.	...
Riggall, H. B., Capt.	...Lincolnshire Regiment	...B.E.F., Wounded.
†Robinson, A. J. D., Capt.	...East Lancashire Regiment	...Mentioned in Despatches.
Robinson, G. N., 2nd Lieut.	...East Lancashire Regiment	Military Cross.
Robinson, H. H., Lce.-Cpl.	...Johore Volunteers	...E.E.F.
Robinson, G., Lce.-Cpl.	...A.S.C.	Mentioned in Despatches.
Robinson, J. W. B., 2nd Lieut.	...R.F.A.	...
Roche, W. F., Cpl.	...R.A.M.C.	...B.E.F.
Ronaldson, H. H., 2nd Lieut.	...Trench Mortar Battery	...B.E.F., Wounded.
Rouse, C. V., 2nd Lieut.	...London Regiment	...B.E.F., Invalided.
†Rowell, E. A., 2nd Lieut.	...Norfolk Regiment	...
Rumsby, R. W., Sergt.	...Rifle Brigade	...
*Russell, H. B., Lieut.	...Essex Regiment	...
Rutherford, D. A., 2nd Lieut.	...R.G.A.	...B.E.F.
Sampson, R. M., 2nd Lieut.	...Welsh Regiment	...
Sands, H. G., Pte.	...King's Royal Rifle Corps	...
Schiller, L. C. T., Lieut.	...Lincolnshire Regiment	...B.E.F.
Scott, H. E., Lieut.	...Manchester Regiment	...B.E.F., Wounded.
Scott, P. W., 2nd Lieut.	...Attd. Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders	...B.E.F.
Scott, B. W. H., Cpl.	...London Regiment	...B.E.F.
Scott, E. C., Lieut.	...R.E.	...B.E.F.
†Scott, G. H., 2nd Lieut.	...Essex Regiment	Military Cross.
*Scott-Holmes, H. F., 2nd Lieut.	...Norfolk Divisional R.E.	...
Shalders, A. O., 2nd Lieut.	...Machine Gun Corps	...
Shaw, K. F., 2nd Lieut.	...A.S.C.	...B.E.F.
*Shaw, C. F., 2nd Lieut.	...Sussex Regiment	...
†Shaw, E. W., Sergt.	...A.S.C.	...Seconded
*Shepherd, C. A., 2nd Lieut.	...Norfolk Regiment	...
Sillem, T. G., 2nd Lieut.	...Trench Mortar Battery	...B.E.F., Wounded.

✱Simpson, J. H., Clerk	...R.N., H.M.S. Natal	...
Simpson, G., Lieut.	...African Rifles	...E.A.F.F.
Skrimshire, F. R. B., Capt.	R.A.M.C.	...India.
Slade, E. A., Capt.	...Devonshire Regiment	...B.E.F.
Smart, J. L., 2nd Lieut.	...West Yorkshire Regiment	...
Smart, F. L., Lieut.	...Northumberland Fusiliers	...B.E.F., Wounded.
Smith, E. L., Lieut.	...South Lancashire Regiment	...S.F.F.
Smith, D. W., Pte.	...Norfolk Regiment	...I.E.F. "D."
Snelling, T. R., Capt.	...R.A.M.C.	...B.E.F.
Snelling, A. H. J., 2nd Lieut.	...Rajputs	...I.E.F. "D."
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†Springfield, C. H. D. O., Lieut.	...R.G.A.	...
†Spurrell, W. J., Capt.	...Norfolk Regiment	...Mentioned in Despatches. Military Cross.
✱Spurrell, F. J. D., 2nd Lieut.	...Sussex Regiment	...
Squarey, O. N., Lieut.	...Liverpool Regiment	...B.E.F., Invalided.
Squires, F. V., Lieut.	...R.F.A.	...B.E.F.
Stillwell, C. H., 2nd Lieut.	...East Surrey Regiment	...B.E.F.
Steven, C. H., 2nd Lieut.	...A.S.C.	...B.E.F.
Steven, E. C., Pte.	...P.P.C.L.I.	...B.E.F., Wounded.
Stewart, H. H., Capt.	...A.S.C.	...B.E.F.
Strickland, A., Pte.	...Australian Brigade	...
Strickland, C. W. G., Rifleman	...London Regiment	...
Thicknesse, R. S., 2nd Lieut.	...Lancashire Fusiliers	...B.E.F.
Thompson, N. D., Lieut.	...Lancashire Fusiliers	...
Thorne, M., Lieut.	...Middlesex Regiment	...B.E.F., Wounded.
Thorne, T. H., 2nd Lieut.	...Middlesex Regiment	...B.E.F., Invalided.
✱Thorn, H., 2nd Lieut.	...Norfolk Regiment	...
†Tims, R. D. M., Lieut.	...Northumberland Fusiliers	...
Tingey, L. J., Driver	...A.S.C.	...B.E.F.
Townend, W. T., Lieut.	...R.N.R., H.M.S. Marmora	...
Townsend, T. J., Lieut.	...Middlesex Regiment	...B.E.F., Wounded.
Travers, C. T., 2nd Lieut.	...Attd. R.F.C.	...
Tullis, W. W., Capt.	...R.F.C.	...I.E.F. "D."
Tweedy, J. G., 2nd Lieut.	...Yorkshire Regiment	...
Tyce, C. G., 2nd Lieut.	...Norfolk Regiment	...
Tyler, O. W., Capt.	...R.E.	...B.E.F.
Tyler, R. C., Sergt.	...Signal Squadron	...B.E.F.
†Tyler, G. C., 2nd Lieut.	...Norfolk Regiment	...
Vallancey, H. H. D'E., Capt.	...R.F.A.	...B.E.F., Wounded.
Varrill, J. K., Capt.	...East Lancashire Regiment	...I.E.F. "D."
Walker, F. C., Flt. Sub-Lieut.	...R.N.A.S.	...
Walter, J. B., Pte.	...London Regiment	...B.E.F.
Wardle, H. F., Gunner	...R.G.A.	...
Warren, R. C., 2nd Lieut.	...Oxford and Bucks Light Infantry	...B.E.F.
Warwick, J. D. B., Capt.	...Buckinghamshire Regiment	...B.E.F.
Webb, H. M., Lieut.	...Attd. R.E.	...B.E.F.
Wedemeyer, E. R., 2nd Lieut.	...Rifle Brigade	...B.E.F.
Wells, C. D., 2nd Lieut.	...Lancaster Regiment	...B.E.F.
Whitehead, G. M. C. T., Cpl.	...Attd. R.F.C.	...B.E.F.
Whitehead, R. H., 2nd Lieut.	...York and Lancaster Regiment	...
White, R. A. S., Pte.	...Ceylon Planters' Rifle Corps	...
✱White, E. G., Pte.	...Australian Infantry	...

Wigg, C. M., Pte.	...London Regiment	...
Wigg, R., Pte.	...Hawke Batt., R.N. Division	...B.M.E.F., Invalided.
Williams, H. C., 2nd Lieut.	...A.S.C.	...B.E.F.
Wills, O. S. D., Lieut.	...Army Signal Service	...B.E.F.
Wills, A. L., Lieut.	...Worcestershire Regiment	...B.M.E.F., Wounded.
Wills, F. P., 2nd Lieut.	...Yorkshire Light Infantry	...B.E.F.
✱ Wilson, I. M., 2nd Lieut.	...Yorkshire Regiment	...
Windle, P., 2nd Lieut.	...Irish Rifles	...B.E.F., Wounded.
Winter, B. B., Lieut.	...A.S.C.	...B.E.F., Ordre Militaire Francais.
Wintringham, T. H., Pte.	...Attd. R.F.C.	...B.E.F.
Womersley, F. G., 2nd Lieut.	...Manchester Regiment	...B.E.F., Invalided.
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Wooldridge, J. H. C., 2nd Lieut.	...Baluchistan Infantry	...India.
Wooler, R., Pte.	...London Regiment	...
Wright, A. G., Lieut.	...A.S.C.	...B.E.F.
Wright, J. M. S., 2nd Lieut.	...R.F.A.	...B.E.F.
Wright, K. P. C., Capt.	...A.S.C.	...B.E.F.
Yates, E. L., 2nd Lieut.	...South Lancashire Regiment	...B.E.F., Wounded.
Yates, J., 2nd Lieut.	...Northumberland Fusiliers	...

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