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Coming Events.

June 28th.	3rd Sunday after Trinity. Preacher, Rev. C. R. C. Wakefield, O.S.E., Rector of Abaco, Bahamas.
" 29th.	Monday. St. Peter.
July 4th.	Saturday. S.E.S. v. Mr. T. Stacey's XI. (at Buckingham).
" 5th.	4th Sunday after Trinity. Preacher, Rev. H. Costley White (Headmaster of Bradfield College).
" 10th.	O.T.C. Inspection.
" 11th.	Saturday. S.E.S. v. Bicester (at Bicester).
" 12th.	5th Sunday after Trinity. Preacher, Rev. J. E. Marks, D.D.
" 13th.	Monday. S.E.S. v. Middleton Park. Higher Certificate Examination begins.
" 15th.	Leaving Certificate Examination begins.
" 18th.	Saturday. S.E.S. v. Imperial Service College.
" 19th.	6th Sunday after Trinity. Preacher, Rev. C. J. Burrough (Vicar of Summertown).
" 26th.	7th Sunday after Trinity. Headers.
" 27th.	Monday. Garnett Cup.
" 28th.	Tuesday. Term ends. O.T.C. Camp at Tidworth.

Notes.



HE Matches for the O.S.E. Tour are arranged as follows:—

Aug. 12th and 13th, v. Folkestone C.C., at Folkestone.

Aug. 14th and 15th, v. St. Lawrence C.C., at Canterbury.

Aug. 17th and 18th, v. Royal Artillery, at Dover.

Aug. 19th, v. London County Asylum, at Cane Hill, Coulsdon.

It will be noticed that these dates are all after the O.T.C. Camps end. The last match has been arranged by the special request of Sir James Moody, O.S.E., who is Superintendent of this great Asylum. The list is an excellent one, and we hope sincerely a full team of a really representative character will be collected to play them. The Secretary, C. R. Wetherall, Warren Hill Cottage, Eastbourne, will be glad to hear as soon as possible from O.S.E. who can play.

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WE note that in the excavations for a new building the foundations of the ancient parish church of St. Edward the Martyr, have been laid bare. This church, "either for want of repair or use ruined," was quite demolished

about 1475. It stood where Blue Boar Lane now runs, across which the churchyard extended. In this latter was a "School" of Canon Law, from which probably our own name was taken.

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It has been brought to our knowledge that the late Dr. Paget, when Senior Student of Christ Church, was in 1877 considering whether to accept the Headmastership which was afterwards offered to and accepted by the Rev. H. A. Dalton, also a Senior Student of Christ Church. He declined it on the advice of his father, but, to show his interest in the School, took the VI Form for a term. We believe this will be news to most O.S.E. except those of the year mentioned.

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WE cannot pass over without notice the death on June 14th of the Rev. F. W. Spurling, Canon of Chester, the father of A. E. Spurling, to whom there are memorials in Chapel. He was always a strong supporter of St. Edward's, and gave the window which was erected in memory of his son.

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UP to date the XI have won 4 matches, lost 3 and drawn 1. The batting has been disappointing, none of the old colours being in really good form. Snow's bowling has been effective, and the fielding, with some exceptions, very fair.

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WE have to apologise for two errors overlooked in our account of the Sports. In the notice of the Senior Hurdle Heats, it was Williamson, not Richardson, who ran a heat in the same time as Green, and in the table of marks C's total was 18, not 11.

Rowing.



HIS year, instead of the VIII race, a Trials race was rowed, between two fours, on Wednesday, May 20th. The two crews had been doing almost equal times during practice, and so a good race was expected. At the start, Dixey's crew rowing a faster stroke soon gained a lead of about a third of a length. Simpson's crew however were just beginning to make up the lost

ground when bow's rigger broke. The race was stopped and new boats obtained. At the second start, in spite of the lesson of the first race, James went off no faster than Smith who with a longer stroke soon began to draw away. The race was never in doubt, for Simpson's crew gradually increased their advantage winning finally by 2½ lengths. The course was from the white gate to the top willows. Time, 3.27½. Dixey's boat had the towpath station.

NAMES AND WEIGHTS.

I.		st.	lbs.	II.		st.	lbs.
Bow.	Paget	9	10		Hudson ma.	9	5
2	Simpson	10	6½		Kidson	9	8
3	Green	10	9		R. N. Dixey	11	3
Str.	Smith ma.	10	2		James	9	12
Cox.	Walsh	5	10½		T. S. G. Shepherd	6	5

Marlow Regatta.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS' CHALLENGE CUP.

Heat 1. King's School, Canterbury, v. Imperial Service College, Windsor. The Windsor crew soon began to lead, and by the bend near the finish were three-quarters of a length ahead. Here Canterbury rushed up and managed to make a dead heat. The second time, much the same happened, Windsor leading by a length before the bend, but their cox. steered very wide, and this time the Canterbury spurt took them well ahead so that they won by three-quarters of a length. Both crews rowed an extremely short and fast stroke.

Heat 2. St. Edward's School, Oxford, v. King's School, Worcester. Going off at a much slower but longer stroke we soon had a slight lead, which we kept all the way. It was never more than a length, and sometimes Worcester nearly drew level. We finished three-quarters of a length ahead. We rowed a far longer stroke throughout and must have averaged four strokes less to the minute all over the course.

Heat 3. Monkton Combe, Kingston Grammar School and Tiffin's. This heat was a mere procession, the strength of Monkton Combe taking them well ahead from the start. Kingston Grammar School were second, about four lengths behind, and Tiffin's managed to reach the bend by the time the winners had finished.

Final. Monkton Combe 1. St. Edwards' 2. King's, Canterbury, 3. Monkton Combe started well and got all their lead in the first quarter

mile, while we drew away from King's, Canterbury, in the same distance. We rowed much better over the last half of the course, and even overlapped the winners at the bend, but they drew away again and won by a length and a half. They were a very strong crew, having three 'twelve-stoners.' We were the lightest crew in, except Tiffin's.

THE IV.

		st.	lb.
Bow	G. H. Paget	9	10
2	N. V. Smith	10	2
3	C. S. Green	10	9
Str.	R. N. Dixey	11	3
Cox.	T. S. G. Shepherd ..	6	5

Cricket.

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S.E.S. v. KEBLE 'A.'



LAYED on Saturday, May 30th. Lost by 104 runs. The School batted first. Snow was dismissed by a smart catch in the slips when only four runs had been scored. Hett started well, but was caught in the slips. When Thomson joined Dore, things looked brighter but the total was very poor. Dore's was the only respectable innings.

Keble's first fell for 18, but J. N. Aldana soon mastered the School bowling. It was a one-man victory. Apart from him only two batsmen reached double figures. Of the School bowlers Snow's five wickets for 39 was the best. Five wickets fell to catches. Scores:—

S.E.S.

T. W. Snow, c Darby, c Whitehouse....	1
C. H. Martyn, c Harris, b Hurt	8
Hall, c Crowther, b Hurt	2
R. T. Hett, c Darby, b Whitehouse	15
Bampffield, b Whitehouse	0
A. E. S. Crosse, c Darby, b Hurt	0
Dore, not out	16
Thomson, c Whitehouse, b Darby	10
Ranson, c Aldana, b Darby	1
J. C. Hyde, c Darby, b David	0
Stonex, b David	2
Extras	5
Total	63

KEBLE A.

W. A. Fox, c Snow, b Hyde	1
J. N. Aldana, c Thomson, b Stonex	113
C. N. B. Hurt, c Martyn, b Snow	12
W. E. C. A. Darby, b Snow	0
T. W. David, b Snow	4
R. C. Harris, c Dore, b Hall	3
I. S. T. R. Crowther, c Thomson, b Snow	2
G. O. M. Evans, b Snow	9
C. P. Caesar, c Thomson, b Bamfield....	12
B. S. Munn, b Hall	3
A. G. R. Whitehouse, not out	4
Extras	4
Total	167

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

KEBLE COLLEGE 'A.'

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs	Wickets.
T. W. Snow.....	11	1	5	12
J. C. Hyde	5	0	1	53
Hall	6	0	2	34
Thomson	3	0	0	16
Bampffield	2	0	1	16
Stonex	1	0	1	2

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S.E.S. v. O.S.E.

Played on Whit Monday, June 1st. Lost by 71 runs. It was a batsman's wicket. The Old Boys won the toss and batted first. Seymour was dismissed in the second over when only four runs were on the board. R. W. Neale, although he gave a couple of chances, hit hard all round the wicket. He fell to a good catch at the wicket.

Ranson who relieved Snow kept a good length. His three wickets were all catches to Stonex at mid off. Q. E. M. A. King showed lively form for 17. Cooke, the not out, played a careful innings. Of the School bowlers Hyde was most successful with four wickets for 32, all clean bowled.

The School innings opened badly with an unnecessary run out. Hett hit a few, but the only stand of the innings was when Thomson was joined by Crosse, who stopped the rot. King, bowling for the first time this year, was too good for our batsmen and Dr. Holton was not easy to score off. It was a great pleasure to see an O.S.E. team so representative of all periods. Dr. Holton, who left 38 years ago, represented the 'seventies,' Brooke Johnson the 'eighties,' and 'R.W.' the 'nineties,' while 'R.T.S.' and C. L. Bleaden carried the succession on into the 20th century and the moderns, ending with last season's Captain. Scores:—

O.S.E.

R. W. Neale, c Hett, b Hall	40
A. H. Seymour, b Hyde	0
C. H. Jenner, b Snow	0
R. T. S. Neale, c Stonex, b Ranson	31
G. H. Bickley, b Hyde	4
Dr. F. W. P. Holton, c Hett, b Thomson	10
Q. E. M. A. King, c Stonex, b Ranson ..	17
N. B. Hudson, c Stonex, b Ranson	0
B. K. Cooke, not out	23
C. L. Bleaden, b Hyde	11
H. C. Brooke Johnson, b Hyde	9
Extras	23
Total	168

S.E.S.

C. H. Martyn, c Cooke, b Holton	12
Dore, run out	4
R. T. Hett, b King	16
T. W. Snow, c and b King	2
Bampffield, b King	0
Hall, b Holton	2
Thomson, c Brooke Johnson, b R.W. Neale	14
A. E. S. Crosse, c R. T. S. Neale, b Holton	30
Ranson, b King	7
J. C. Hyde, b King	1
Stonex, not out	6
Extras	3
Total	97

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	S.E.S.	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
T. W. Snow.....	9	2	1	24	
J. C. Hyde	11.5	3	4	31	
Hall	5	0	1	22	
Thomson	4	0	1	28	
Stonex	4	1	0	22	
Ranson	8	2	3	18	

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S.E.S. v. WADHAM COLLEGE.

Played on Saturday, June 6th. Lost by 48 runs. Wadham batted first, and they began to score rapidly, J. S. Litheby hitting 4 successive fours off Snow, but after giving one chance he was caught at the wicket. The next three wickets fell in quick succession, and when the score stood at 39 for four the prospects were promising. However a long stand followed and the fifth wicket did not fall until 71 was reached. The Wadham batsmen continued to score steadily and declared at 154 for nine wickets. The wickets were evenly divided amongst the school bowlers.

Crosse and Martyn went in first for the School, but L. T. Seymour, who was bowling in his best form, dismissed the first four batsmen quickly; and only 34 had been scored when the fifth wicket fell. When Bampffield joined Hall the rate of scoring improved and between them they raised the score to 91, both batting well. The final total was 106. L. T. Seymour bowled consistently well throughout, taking in all 6 wickets for 37.

WADHAM COLLEGE.

J. S. Litheby, c Hett, b Hyde	25
J. C. T. Leigh, b Snow	0
G. T. Paine, b Snow	2
B. H. Osmaston, c Eyres, b Hyde	7
J. C. Crombie, c Hall, b Ranson	37
L. T. Seymour, l-b-w, b Ranson	16
J. C. Hartert, st Hett, b Hall	4
C. Snell, l-b-w, b Snow	30
N. P. Lewes, b Thomson	3
A. W. Hackett, not out	15
J. W. Nicholson, not out	2
Extras	13

Total (for 9 wkts.) 154

S.E.S.

C. H. Martyn, b Seymour	5
A. E. S. Crosse, b Lewes	1
R. T. Hett, b Seymour	11
T. W. Snow, c Hartert, b Seymour	5
Thomson, b Seymour	0
Dore, b Seymour	6
Hall, b Seymour	22
Bampffield, b Lewes	18
Eyres, l-b-w, b Lewes	4
J. C. Hyde, b Lewes	0
Ranson, not out	0
Extras	34

Total 106

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

WADHAM COLLEGE.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
T. W. Snow	14	4	47	3
J. C. Hyde	15	5	47	2
Ranson	6	1	20	2
Hall	3	0	21	1
Thomson	2	0	6	0

S.E.S. v. ST. EDMUND HALL.

Played on Wednesday, June 10th. Won by 37 runs. The School batted first and made a disastrous start. Dore was out before a run had been scored, Hett left at 4, and Martyn at 8. Snow and Hall then took the score to 20, Hall making a couple of good shots before he was out to a catch in the slips. When Crosse joined Snow the prospects rapidly improved, and the total had reached 58 before Crosse was caught. Crosse who was responsible for 11 of the 38 runs added for the fifth wicket, played a very sound and steady innings. Snow was then joined by Bampffield; both were batting excellently when Snow was bowled at 77. He had played a very fine innings, making his runs quickly, and saved the side from collapse. Eyres stayed while 19 runs were added, but he did not seem to be very comfortable. Bampffield batted very nicely for his 18 and made some excellent strokes on the off.

St. Edmund Hall on going in to bat were quite unable to cope with Snow's bowling, and were all out for 64, L. W. Hart batting well for 29 not out. Snow bowled in irresistible form and in course of eleven overs took seven wickets at a cost of only two runs a piece. The fielding was on the whole good. Scores:—

S.E.S.

C. H. Martyn, b Hart	1
Dore, b Blaxland	0
R. T. Hett, b Blaxland	3
T. W. Snow, b Hart	45
Hall, c Ashenden, b Hart	7
A. E. S. Crosse, c Ashenden, b Maiden ..	11
Bampffield, b Lane	18
Eyres, c Zorian, b Lane	5
Thomson, b Lane	0
Ranson, l-b-w, b Blaxland	1
J. C. Hyde, not out	1
Extras	10

Total 102

ST. EDMUND HALL.

A. B. Blaxland, c Dore, b Hyde	11
L. D. Baker, b Snow	0
C. K. Zorian, b Snow	3
N. E. Ashenden, b Snow	13
H. G. Lane, b Snow	0
L. W. Hart, not out	29
S. J. E. Maiden, c Dore, b Snow	0
O. S. Spencer, b Snow	0
A. P. C. Rees, l-b-w, b Snow	1
H. T. Day, b Ranson	0
B. W. Shaw, run out	0
Extras	7

Total 64

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

ST. EDMUND HALL.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
T. W. Snow	11	3	14	7
J. C. Hyde	8	1	30	1
Ranson	3	0	13	1

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S.E.S. v. ORIEL 'A.'

Played on Saturday, June 13th. Won by 15 runs. In this match the School, who batted first, made another bad start losing Martyn and Hett for 11 runs, and here again it was Snow and Crosse who saved the side from utter

collapse. Both batted well and though playing very carefully made some excellent scoring strokes. A. Dunn bowled splendidly and with his fine variation of pace and break was always very puzzling to the batsmen.

Requiring 81 runs to win, Oriel started very badly by losing four wickets for 22 runs. The fifth wicket partnership added 23 runs and then followed a complete collapse and the whole side was out for 65. Snow and Hyde bowled unchanged through the innings, each securing five wickets. The fielding was good, and Martyn made a good catch which terminated the innings, while in a second innings Bampffield brought off a very fine catch in the deep. Scores:—

S.E.S.

C. H. Martyn, c Lipscombe, b Dunn	3
Eyres, b Dunn	9
R. T. Hett, st Lewin, b Dunn	0
T. W. Snow, c and b Dunn	21
R. W. M. Hall, c Lipscombe, b Dunn ..	1
R. Bampffield, lbw, b Grant	2
A. E. S. Crosse, b Woodhouse	20
Dore, b Grant	0
Thomson, c Lewin, b Hewetson	5
Ranson, c Lewin, b Woodhouse	5
J. C. Hyde, not out	0
Extras	14
Total	80

ORIEL 'A.'

A. C. Woodhouse, b Snow	1
E. Saxon, b Hyde	2
E. C. Lewin, b Snow	15
A. I. Dunn, b Hyde	3
F. Grant, b Hyde	6
T. F. M. Hind, b Snow	15
L. K. Sands, c Hett, b Snow	0
R. J. P. Hewetson, c Thompson, b Hyde ..	11
E. L. Lipscombe, not out	3
T. K. Watkins, st Hett, b Hyde	0
C. E. H. Pullen, c Martyn, b Snow	1
Extras	8
Total	65

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

ORIEL 'A.'

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
T. W. Snow	8.1	0	27	5
J. C. Hyde	8	1	30	5

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S.E.S. 2ND XI. v. SUTTON COURTENAY.

Played on June 3rd. Drawn. Scores:—

S.E.S.—Hall, c Davies, b Payne 9; Dore, b Payne 23; Thomson, b Payne 4; Bampffield, c and b Payne 6; Eyres, not out 28; Gegg, c Evelyn, b Davies 8; Knight, b Payne, 6; Ranson, b Payne 6; Scholefield, run out 3; Turner, not out 3; Stonex, did not bat. Extras, 14. Total for eight wickets, 110.

SUTTON COURTENAY.—Mr. Fox, c Dore, b Stonex 60; G. Payne, b Ranson 19; Mr. Davies, b Hall 3; Richards, b Ranson 4; N. Vincent, b Ranson 0; Ward, b Ranson 0; Waters, not out 1; Mr. Evelyn, b Ranson 3; Strange and Segar (subs.) did not bat. Extras 6. Total for seven wickets, 96.

The best of the School bowlers was Ranson who took five wickets for 18 runs.

Debating Society.

A MEETING of the Society was held on May 17th, to discuss the motion that "Socialism would be beneficial to the country."

The Vice-President (E. A. P. Stonex) proposed the motion. Beginning with a confession of complete ignorance of his subject, the speaker charmed the house by his ready tongue and amazing alliterations.

G. H. Segar opposed the motion and once more proved that statistics are a double-edged tool; he is a little too conversational in tone but speaks with confidence.

A. E. S. Crosse spoke with vigour and sincerity; his eloquence is sometimes marred by excessive humour.

C. S. Ranson contributed little to the discussion.

J. H. B. Gegg, speaking with great deliberation, shewed himself an authority on agricultural reform.

R. T. Hett regarded Tariff Reform as the panacea of social evils.

P. J. C. Simpson explained to the Society the true meaning of the word Socialism and its application to School life.

W. K. Hudson treated the masses with ill-concealed scorn.

Mr. N. W. Hammond briefly addressed the house.

On a division being taken the results were—For the Motion, 3; Against the Motion, 15.

Party feeling ran high and the debate was somewhat spoilt by excessive heckling, but the speeches were on the whole better than usual.

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A Meeting of the Society was held on June 7th, when the motion for debate was that "In the opinion of this House a Modern Education is of greater service than a Classical Education."

W. K. Hudson in proposing the motion expounded the advantages of a modern education clearly and concisely and also with commendable completeness.

R. T. Hett in opposing was humorously reminiscent of his mathematical experiences; his chief argument appeared to consist in a practical demonstration of his complete ignorance of scientific formulae.

The Vice-President (E. A. P. Stonex) spoke for modern education. Being the reporter of the proceedings he made no notes of his own speech.

J. H. B. Gegg dwelt on the superiority of classics, and considered that progress was for the most part attributable to them. He denied that a classical education was a barrier to earning a good income.

G. H. Segar speaking neutrally contributed little to the discussion, but nevertheless chatted charmingly to the House.

The President then addressed the House.

A. E. S. Crosse eloquently advocated the doctrine of the mean and rebuked the House for its extreme views. He proceeded to weigh the question carefully and ultimately decided in favour of a modern education.

V. H. Pinson championed modern education with too much brevity.

N. V. Knight (maiden speech) spoke neutrally with a short and interesting speech. He must make a longer effort.

N. V. Smith spoke briefly on behalf of modern education.

L. Murray (maiden speech) assuming unconstitutional lethargy addressed the House from his seat with brevity, eloquence, and neutrality.

The Opposer and Proposer then replied, and there voted for the motion 8, against it 7.

School News.

THE following Scholarships and Exhibitions have been awarded:—

B. S. C. Knowles (Mr. Laville, Avondale, Clifton).

M. A. B. Landers (Mr. Bradshaw, Packwood Haugh, Warwickshire).

R. R. Meadows White (Mr. Ray, Alton Burn, Nairn).

H. F. Seymour (St. Edward's).

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T. V. R. Philip (Mr. Wilkinson, Seafield House, Broughty Ferry).

H. D. Bruce (Rev. C. R. Ward, Box House, Wilts.).

H. V. Crowder (Mr. Wilkinson, Seafield House, Broughty Ferry).

E. B. Pollard (Mr. Mullins, Warden House, Upper Deal).

A. H. Tod (Mr. Wilkinson, Seafield House, Broughty Ferry).

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PREACHERS in Chapel:—Whitsunday, the Rev. A. E. J. Rawlinson, Senior Student of Christ Church. Trinity Sunday, the Rev. T. Selby Henrey, Vicar of St. George's, Brentford (O.S.E.).

THE following have swum the distance:—Seymour, Carpenter, Hett mi., Prescott, Mackay, Dale, Marvin, Cooper, Brewster, Tidmarsh ma., Bhosle, Parmekar, Tuckey, Dore, Driver, Hyde mi., Brown, Cave, Crosse mi., Moykopf, Kingdon, Hunt, Buckton, Falwasser, Stock mi., Duncan, Rowlands, Alexander mi., Fitt, Thomas, Rivett-Carnac mi.

ADDED TO THE LIBRARY:—

Bagehot. The English Constitution.
Lombard Street.

Rev. A. Blakiston (O.S.E.). The Bible of To-day.
G. Meredith. Poems. 2 Vols.

Blake. Poems.

Vaughan. Poems.

Von Herbert. The Defence of Plevna.

Weekley. The Romance of Words.

The Romance of Names.

Marett. Anthropology.

R. J. Cholmeley (O.S.E.). Principiorum Liber.

Baring Gould. The Vicar of Morwenstow.

Sampson. The Sun. Cambridge Manuals.

Procter. Leather. Cambridge Manuals.

O.S.E.

OUR visitors at Whitsuntide were:—W. P. Ker, C. L. Blealen, Dr. Holton, N. B. Hudson, G. H. Bickley, R. W. Neale, R. T. S. Neale, Q. E. M. A. King, H. C. Brooke Johnson, the Rev. O. Darell-Brown, N. A. Freeman, besides Oxford residents.

Since then the Rev. O. Dyson, Rev. C. S. Gillett, Rev. C. R. Leadley Brown.

HOME:—

N. A. Freeman is at the Gloucester Carriage and Wagon Co., Gloucester. (12, St. Michael's Square). He has been travelling and working in France, Germany and Glasgow up to two years ago.

N. G. B. King is leaving the school at Hove where he has been for the last six years, in order to read for Ordination.

R. H. Tudor has been at St. Chad's Hall, Durham University, and took his B.A. degree in Dec., 1913.

Captain L. S. Tollemache, whose marriage we note below, is at Fermoy.

Lt. L. Q. Tollemache, Lincoln Regiment, has been promoted Captain. He is still at Lincoln. In addition to other duties he is now a District Commissioner for Boy Scouts, with 200 in his District. Address, Westwood, Riseholme Road, Lincoln.

A. S. Gillett has secured a partnership in a very good practice at Torquay, and is to be married this year.

BIRTH:—

On June 16th, at Lincoln, the wife of Captain L. Tollemache, of a son.

MARRIAGES:—

Tollemache—Mills.—On April 28th, Captain L. S. Tollemache, Leicestershire Regt., to Kathleen Mary, younger daughter of Mrs. Mills, Acomb Hall.

Blackburne—Van Gruisen. On the 4th June, at St. Mary Abbot's, Kensington, W., by the Rev. Dr. Crafer, assisted by the Rev. — Horley, the Rev. Edward Victor Blackburne, youngest son of the late H. C. Blackburne and Mrs. Blackburne, of Longton, Lancs, to Constance, younger daughter of the late N. L. van Gruisen and Mrs. van Gruisen, of Blundellsands, Liverpool.

Miller—Marshall.—On the 11th June, at St. Mary's, Bryanston Square, the Rev. George Temple Miller, Rector Designate of Teffont Ewyas, Wilts, to Mrs. Jenner Marshall, of Westcott Barton Manor, Oxon.

DEATHS:—

We have obtained the following particulars of Mr. H. C. Knight's death. Died on May 2nd, 1914, of heart failure, Hugh Coleraine Knight, Solicitor, London, second son of the late Rev. C. R. Knight, of Tythegston Court, Glamorgan, aged 52. (Roll 267).

On May 30th, 1914, killed on the railway in Ceylon, Richard Gerard Thompson. (Roll 967).

ECCLESIASTICAL:—

Ordinations.—T. W. Heale, B.A., B.N.C., Oxford and Bishop's Hostel, Farnham, Deacon by the Archbishop of Canterbury. Licensed to St. Peter in Thanet.

R. H. Tudor, B.A., St. Chad's Hall, Durham. Licensed to St. John's, Sunderland.

C. D. Dart, B.A., St. John's College, Oxford, and Ely Theological College, Deacon by the Bishop of Chelmsford. Licensed to Trinity College Mission, Stratford.

C. S. Gillett, B.A., Queen's College, Oxford, Curate of Hales Owen. Priest by the Bishop of Worcester.

The Rev. O. Dyson has left Kettering and will go out to Zanzibar, in October.

The Rev. F. Amcoats is Curate of Holy Trinity, Hartlepool.

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN:—

R. Hatt-Cook will be home on leave in August. He is leaving his Indian post and intends to go out to Tasmania.

W. M. Carew Hunt's address is The Shack, Kettle Valley near Rock Creek, British Columbia.

K. Marsham, now polo-manager of the Piping Rock Club, umpired for England at the International Polo Match at Meadow Brook, U.S.A.

B. H. Warner writes:—"Stegi, via Bremersdorp, Swaziland, 18/2/14. I'm still here, king of this part of the world, but unfortunately the climate is rotten and my wife and family have to be away for the great part of the year.

"I have invested in a motor car and send you a snapshot taken the other day. I don't suppose you would recognize me in it, though. The beard is only a sign or symbol of temporary bachelorhood and when I return to family life once more, off it comes.

"We have been having a severe drought here and the heat has been simply appalling, but now it has broken, I think, and we have had some rain and it looks like more.

"This year is an important one for Swaziland as during it the natives have to move off into their areas or make arrangements with the European landowners, who only come into their full rights now. There was a period of 5 years given after the settlement to enable the Swazis to get used to the idea of whites owning land in the country and to take up their abodes in their areas. Now we shall see how our Administration has worked during these years. It will be interesting and I don't anticipate a row. However there will be no long leave this year, but next year I hope to come home again."

G. Powell-Jones is at Kalijan Tea Estate, Lahoal P.O., Dibrugarh, Assam.

R. G. Thompson writes:—"Hangranoya, Nawalapitiya, Ceylon, 27th April, 1914. I was in Colombo last week, and I met an O.S.E. in W. H. Chalmers. He is in Southern India now. J. R. Neale has just sailed for home. I am trying to get up an O.S.E. dinner in August, but it is very hard to get men together out here. Our football season starts next month, and I am Captain of Kandy again this year. I send you our Fixture card. My wife has just sailed for England; I wish I could have gone also."

(The above was in print before the sad news of Mr. Thompson's death reached us in a letter from G. Abbott. He slipped between train and platform in attempting to enter his compartment after the train had started, and was killed at once. He had been married little more than a year, and his wife, as will be seen above, was on her way to England. We lose with much regret a contributor, who has kept us in touch with the O.S.E. Colony in Ceylon).

Mr. Sing writes:—"Rotorua, N.Z., March 28th. I was in a fishing camp on the Tongariro River when your letter came: my sister was in camp too—in fact of six persons in camp three were ladies. Of course we were playing at it. Our tents had wooden floors: there was George to cook our meals and a hut to eat them in. One day it rained heavily, a couple of inches I should think: at any rate it did a lot of damage to roads, etc., what they call here a 'wash out.' We huddled together in the hut: the roof leaked and soon we had the camp bath and the cooking utensils distributed over the floor to catch the worst of the streams: and every few minutes someone had to swish the water out of the door with a brush. The worst was over by bed-time and no one was any the worse.

"Camp was altogether delightful: the best of the fishing season is still to come: in May fish can be slaughtered:

just now it is hard work to catch three or four a day: but they are wonderful fish: my biggest was 8½ lbs. A mile of such water as this would be worth untold gold in the British Isles.

"Another pleasant bit of our travels was a sojourn at a mountain house 3000 feet up the slopes of Mount Egmont—and a climb to the crater—8000 feet.

"Otherwise we have not liked the North Island so much as the South. There's nothing here that can compare with the mountains and lakes on the West coast of the South Island. Latterly we have been doing our duty by "thermal wonders," geysers, hot springs, mud volcanoes and the like. Yesterday we were all over the scene of the Tarawera eruption in '86, which destroyed the Terraces and changed geography. Several square miles have a coating of mud several feet thick: the mud is now scored into ridges and furrows by rain and is covered with scrubby vegetation: not much beauty about it, except the curious blue of some of the Lakes—Rotomahana for instance. I like the name Rotomahana.

"Maori names are puzzling: Whakarewarewa bothered me for a long time: but it's easy if you make it trochaic instead of dactylic—spot the re-duplication—which is a common feature of Maori place names. Rotorua is a sort of dusty and sulphurous Harrogate. I don't quite know why we are here, except that it is the proper thing to do to come here. There's lots more to see in the way of boiling mud pools—with names straight out of the inferno "devil's frying pan," "Satan's glory-hole" and the like: but I am more likely to wander away with a rod to streams flowing into one of the lakes."

"R.M.S. *Niagara*, April 25th. All being well we shall be at Victoria, B.C., in a couple of days: this is our 15th day out of Auckland. We have run into and out of the tropics and from the west to the east doubling the day (Tuesday, 14th) on which we crossed the 180th meridian: and we seem alas! to have exchanged unflinching sunshine for a misty sky and a dull sea and a chilly wind. I could believe we were already back in an English spring.

"Our last week in N.Z. was at Auckland, a much pleasanter town than Wellington. I made Tibbs' acquaintance: he was good to us and I saw something of the School. A parade of the whole 700 boys was a good sight.

"I didn't like leaving N.Z. at all: on any reckoning, except that of the mining prospector, it must be the choicest region in the empire: and the climate is heavenly.

"We had a few hours at Fiji. The Governor, Sweet-Escott, is uncle of the boy Hunt, who came to St. Edward's last May; and as a matter of fact we spent all our time at Government House and they took us a drive round. Suva is not much of a place—nothing at all compared with Honolulu, which has a big residential population of Americans and Canadians—hundreds of trim villas half hidden by Coco palms and Tropical shrubs.

"We have had a good voyage—not calm all the way, for the N.E. Trades blow pretty hard—but this *Niagara* is a big ship and comfortable. I run round the deck for a mile every morning before dressing."

Since the above letter, Mr. Sing has written from British Columbia. He has been in the Okanagan Valley and is to sail on the *Calgarian* on July 16th for home.

S. B. H. Estcourt writes:—"Rosmead Junction, Cape Province, South Africa, 20/5/14. I am writing to tell you I am changing my address. My address will be as follows:—c/o W. Whelpdale, Esq., Udi Bulungi Estate,

P.O. Box 90, Kampala, Uganda, B.E.A. I am sailing on the 29th of this month to take up a managership on a coffee plantation, and I shall be glad if you will put my address, etc., in the next *Chronicle*, as it will save some of my letters first going to S.A. and then on to B.E.A. I forgot whether I told you of my intentions of going to B.E.A. in my last letter; anyhow I am now, having found that managerships, etc., are not very profitable here in the Colony. So I am going up to B.E.A. to a good billet, and shall see if I can manage to get hold of some land and go in for coffee myself. They say it is 'God's own country'; not only is coffee grown there, but rubber, cotton, cocoa, cloves, and many other things. I believe that at Entebbe, near where I shall be, there is an O.S.E. by name Rogers; if so, I shall try and look him up. I have a cousin near me also, so I shall not be so denuded of friends as I thought I should be. I dare say I shall be able to send you some notes on Coffee Planting, as well as lion and elephant hunting, for the *Chronicle*. Kind regards to all at St. Edward's (especially the Shell!)."

A. M. Draper writes:—"Calexico, 28th May, 1914, I have been too busy to think of anything but work. Circumstances forced me to take over my ranch at the end of April. I am not sorry, but shortness of capital makes it slightly risky. However I guess I shall land on my feet, as usual! My sister joined me about eight days ago, unexpectedly. It was lucky; as the very next day I got thrown off a wagon and had one wheel over me. With my usual luck, I got off very easily—only two ribs broken and neck and shoulders badly wrenched. It was at least a sporting chance of getting fixed for good and all. I have been in bed since, but hope to get up soon. My place is looking fine now. I am after turkeys and hay this year and hope to start dairying again next year. We have had the most perfect winter I have ever seen and no sandstorms till the last two months, and these not really bad. As I am all strapped up, writing is not easy."

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W. H. A. COWELL,
Hon. Treasurer.

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