



SCHOOL NOTES.

June 1904

WE regret very much that owing to pressure of work we were unable to publish an issue of *Guisborian* at the end of the Lent term, but we trust that its production at the beginning of the Summer term will meet with no less hearty reception from our readers.

Since the production of our last issue the Cambridge Local results have come to hand. Out of 18 boys entered 14 were successful, this does not equal our record of last year when we had an excellent record of 19 successes out of 20 boys, but it is one on which we may congratulate ourselves. The results are as follows:—

Senior Local: R. Smales.

Junior Local. A Sockett, B. Robson, R. Graham, S. Matthews, W. Blackett.

Preliminary Local.—C. Wood, N. Bewick, E. Farndale, J. B. Annett, R. Holmes, G. Scace, J. Thubron, C. Million.

It may interest many to know that the Government Inspector proposes to visit the School for the Annual Inspection on Wednesday June 1st. Let us hope that we may be able to give a good account of ourselves, and gain for our School a creditable report.

We most gratefully acknowledge the receipt of the following additional Subscriptions to the School Laboratory Fund:

	£	s.	d.
Colonel Chalomer (2nd donation)	10	0	0
Mr. H. Samuel, M.P. ...	...	5	0
Mr. H. J. Allison ...	...	5	0
Mr. G. B. Craig ...	...	2	2
Mrs. Fairburn ...	...	1	1
Mr. J. Orton ...	...	1	1

We would point out that a sum of £25 is still required to wipe out the debt. Perhaps our readers will be good enough to point this out to old boys and other friends of the School. Subscriptions, however small, will be most thankfully received.

On the last night of term the boarders entertained themselves and a few of their friends with the performance of a small play called "The Spectre Bridegroom." We must congratulate the performers on the excellent way in which they acquitted themselves. We had no idea there was so much histrionic ability in our midst. Our friend "Dickery" will have to turn his serious attention to the stage, he seems to take more kindly to it than to Dictation and French Composition.

Two of our boys R. W. Allison and R. Graham have this term entered Banks, Graham having joined the National Provincial Bank at York, and Allison the York City and County Bank at Mexborough.

It will be remembered that Allison was Captain of the famous football team, and

one of the best backs that the school has turned out. Graham also distinguished himself as a goal keeper.

We wish these boys every success in their new sphere of labour, and hope that they may gain as much distinction in their life's work as they did in the playing fields at school.

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FOOTBALL.

THE season that has just closed has been quite one of the most brilliant in the history of the School. From beginning to end there was manifested an excellent spirit among the members of the team. We have perhaps had more brilliant individual players, but never better combination. While all the team acquitted themselves well and deserve our commendation, we must give special praise to Allison at full-back, Bewick at centre half and Robson at right outside. These three boys were untiring in their efforts and largely contributed to the excellent results of which the school is justly proud. The following is the season's record:—

Played.	Won.	Drawn.	Lost.	Goals for.	Goals agst.
23	17	2	4	110	41
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GUISBRO'. G. S. v. STOCKTON G. S.

Played at Guisbro, Jan. 30th, 1904.

The home team had all the best of the play in the first half, but owing to weakness in shooting only scored once through Annett. In the second half their play improved, four goals were added by Annett (2), Robson and Pybus. Result 5—2.

Team: Ellis, goal; Wood and Holmes, backs; Fordham, Bewick and Simpson, half-backs; Robson, Annett, Allison, Pybus and Million, forwards.

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SCHOOL v. AYTON F. S.—Away.

Ayton played three masters and two townsmen, while the Grammar School took one master and an old boy. The ground was in an awful condition and the visitors found great difficulty in climbing the mountains and crossing the lakes. They did well considering the refereeing to score 2 goals by Pybus. The homesters were more used to the irregularities of the ground and obtained 5 goals. Result 2—5.

Team: Smales, goal; Allison, and Holmes, backs; Mr. Lowes, Bewick, Million, half-backs; Robson, Annett, Pybus i., Fordham, Pybus ii., forwards.

SCHOOL v. CHURCH LADS BRIGADE.

Played on the School Ground under very unfavourable conditions. By the help of the wind the school pressed and scored 6 goals in the first half through Annett (4), Pannett and Fordham. In the second half the School scored twice more by Pannett and Wood, whilst the Brigade scored 3 times. Result 8—3.

Team: Ellis, goal; Allison and Holmes, backs; Wood, Bewick and Million, half-backs; Robson, Annett, Pybus, Pannett, Fordham, forward.

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SCHOOL v. DARLINGTON G. S.

At Darlington.

The School did not play up to their usual form and Darlington scored 4 goals, while Guisbro's score sheet remained blank. Allison played a splendid game and saved the school from further downfall. Result 0—4.

Team: Ellis, goal; Allison and Holmes, backs; Wood, Bewick and Simpson half-backs; Robson, Annett, Pybus i., Million and Pybus ii., forwards.

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SCHOOL v. CHURCH LADS BRIGADE.

The School did not show themselves to advantage and were specially weak in combination, usually a strong point. They, however, managed to draw 2 all. Pannett and Pybus scoring.

Team: Ellis, goal; Allison and Holmes, backs; Wood, Bewick and Million, half-backs; Robson, Annett, Fordham, Pannett and Pybus, forwards.

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SCHOOL v. HOCKEY CLUB.

The School were without one of their best men and played a very poor game. But the match was won simply by force of weight. The School scored 2 goals through Mr. Garthwaite and Pybus i. Their opponents scoring 5.

Team: Graham, goal; Allison and Scarth, backs; Wood, Bewick and Holmes, half-backs; Pybus ii., Annett, Pybus i., Mr. Garthwaite and Fordham, forwards.

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SCHOOL v. COATHAM G. S.

A very good game. The home team combined well, and had the best of the play, but on account of weakness in shooting only 2 goals were scored by Robson and Bewick. In the second half Coatham pressed and scored through a

break away. Guisbro' then defended and kept the result at 2—1.

Team : Graham, goal ; Allison and Holmes, backs ; Wood, Bewick and Smales, half-backs ; Robson, Annett, Million, Fordham and Pybus, forwards.

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SCHOOL v. COATHAM G. S.

The School went to Coatham *sans* two men of the usual team. Coatham were in full force and we thought, ought to have given us a bigger beating than they did. Coatham scored all their 3 in the first half, when Guisbro' improved somewhat, but were unable to penetrate the home defence. Result 0—3.

Team : Graham, goal ; Allison and Smales, backs ; Fordham, Bewick, and Million, halves ; Robson, Annett, Pybus, Pannett, and Winter, forwards.

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SCHOOL v. AYTON F. S.

At Home.

Always an exciting match, but particularly so at this time as the school only wanted three goals to complete the 100 for the season. Ayton played the usual three masters, and an outsider, while Guisbro' were assisted by Mr. Garthwaite and H. Stokeld, who both very quickly netted the ball, thus leaving one to complete the century. Annett got through but was ruled off-side. However he was determined to have his goal and amidst great applause secured the coveted honour of the 100th goal.

Half-time score 4—0.

In the latter half the Grammar School added three while the Friends secured one. Goals scored by Mr. Garthwaite (2), Stokeld (3), Annett and Pybus. Result 7—1.

Team : Graham, goal ; Allison and Holmes, backs ; Wood, Bewick, Smales, half-backs ; Robson, Annett, Stokeld, Pybus, and Garthwaite, forwards.

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SCHOOL v. SPRINGFIELD ROVERS.

At Stokesly.

Very rough and ready football, the Grammar School were far superior in play but being unaccustomed to such opponents and through very bad shooting only scored two goals by Annett and Holmes. Result 2—0.

Team : Graham, goal ; Allison and Holmes, backs ; Fordham, Bewick, Smales, halves ; Robson, Annett, Pybus, Pannett, and Million, forwards.

SCHOOL v. HEADMASTER'S XI.

The final match of the season was easily won by the boys by four goals to nil. Thus making the total number of goals for the season, 110 for the School, and 41 against.

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The Team.

GRAHAM.—Kept goal very well during the last half of the season.

ALLISON.—An excellent back, though he can play in any position. Kicks and tackles well, and works hard from start to finish. As Captain and right-back he did splendid work in all matches.

HOLMES.—Very much improved lately, is a strong kick and tackles fairly, but is still slow in recovery when pressed, has played generally at left-back with success, and has done some good work at half-back.

WOOD.—Has played well at right-half, tackles well and is a good strong kick, should pay more attention to feeding his forwards.

BEWICK.—A very fine centre-half for his size, a splendid tackler, and always worries his opponents, feeds his forwards well, and is a good shot at goal. Centre-forwards find him a very hard nut to crack.

SMALES.—Only lately got into the team, but developed very quickly into a good left-half, has plenty of pace, and is a hard worker, wants more judgment in feeding his forwards, but that will come with more experience, played a grand game against Coatham.

ANNETT.—Still retains his old position of inside-right, and is as tricky as ever, his combination with Robson is a treat to watch, he is still weak in shooting, though much improved in this respect lately.

ROBSON.—At outside-right he has done splendid service for the team. He is very fast, quick on the ball, centres well, and is a capital shot. He combines well with Annett, and the pair make a good right-wing. This wing has borne the brunt of the attack, and we may honestly say that through the combined efforts of these boys the majority of the goals has been scored.

PYBUS.—Has played centre-forward in most matches, dribbles well, but is still a little selfish in his play, though we are glad to say he has improved in this respect. He is very light for the position, and is therefore at a great disadvantage when hustled near goal, but when he is older and stronger he should make a good forward.

MILLION.—Has had to do duty in several positions. Has played one or two good games at half, and also on the left wing. Has a good idea of tackling.

FORDHAM.—Like Million, has had to take various places in the field, generally a hard worker, and a good tackler. We think that if well coached he should turn out a good centre-forward.

PANNETT.—Only introduced into the team late in the season. Has plenty of pace and dash, but is lacking in skill, he does not know when to pass or centre, and is somewhat rash in front of goal, but there is the making of a good forward in him.

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CRICKET.

WITH only three boys, Robson, Annett and Holmes, left of the 1903 cricket team, we entered upon our season with no great hopes of success. However, we must not complain, for vacancies like this frequently occur in most schools, moreover it gives an opportunity to the younger members to distinguish themselves and show their worth. Robson is batting well and we have unearthed an excellent bowler in Hamilton, who has an easy delivery, keeps a good length, and comes up quickly from the pitch. Annett is playing a good steady game, while Winter and Wood, who are sloggers, somewhat demoralize bowlers. We are glad to notice that the boys are very keen and are most active and regular in their practice. On the Lower School Ground there is the greatest enthusiasm among the little boys. There is a daily contest between the Boarders, Train boys and Day boys. We believe the Days boys hold the "Ashes" at present,

but the Boarders expect to bring them home by the end of the term. Among the Train boys Shutt seems leading star, for the Boarders Trees i. is the champion batsman, and Gibson and Lee-Jones the bowlers, while for the Days boys Kennedy and Hutton take the batting honours, and Brice has the reputation of being the best bowler, and we must not forget to mention the excellent fielding of Hutchinson.

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SCHOOL v. COATHAM G. S.

Played on the School Ground on Saturday, May 14th, and resulted in a win for the School. Hamilton bowled with great success, taking seven wickets for 10 runs, and Pybus captured three wickets for no runs. Score:—

SCHOOL.

Hamilton, b Hutchinson	..	...	4
Pybus, c Forster b Hutchinson		...	11
Holmes, b Hutchinson	...	...	0
Annett, b Hutchinson	...	...	4
Ellis, b Hutchinson	...	...	0
Allison, b Armstrong	...	...	2
Wood, not out	...	...	18
Fordham, b Armstrong	...	...	4
Pannett, b Armstrong	0
Winter, c and b Armstrong	15
Bewick, run out	0
Extras	6

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Total 64

COATHAM G. S.

Butler, b Hamilton	0
Barnet, b Hamilton	0
Anderson, c Fordham b Hamilton	7
Forster, b Hamilton	...	...	2
Gloag, b Hamilton	...	...	3
Hutchinson i., c Allison b Pybus	...	...	2
Hutchinson ii., b Pybus	...	...	0
Thompson, b Pybus	...	...	0
Robinson, b Hamilton	0
Tomlinson, not out...	0
Armstrong, b Hamilton	18
Extras	3

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Total 35

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

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Hamilton	7	10	7
Pybus	2	0	3

For the Visitors Armstrong batted in good style, and Hutchinson bowled well.

