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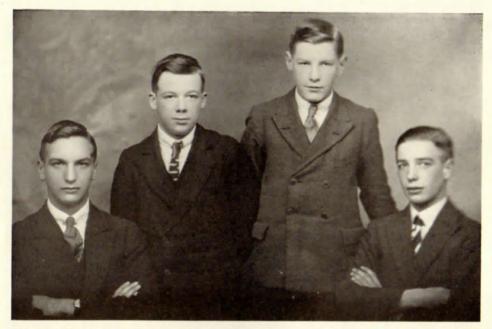
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BOYS WHO PASSED THE OXFORD SCHOOL CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION, 1930, WITH FIRST CLASS HONOURS.

R. Gardner

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Mr. H. P. Allison.



Mr. W. B. Eddy.

Boys and Old Boys.

The Association has again been fortunate in securing Dr. Pickworth as its president. For the past two years Dr. Pickworth has very worthily represented the Old Stocktonians and his personality and tact have added a grace to the ornamental functions of the office. We are proud of our president and we believe that he is proud of the Association.

By the way, may we repeat our advice to our members to send along 25/- for a life membership subscription? Our counsel last year bore some fruit and there are now 33 life members. Among the resultant advantages, the Association's funds receive a background of capital, the Treasurer is saved much labour, and the individual member having paid his 25/- may forget his subscription every year with impunity.

Throughout the past year the Old Stocktonians have continued their useful work on behalf of charitable objects. The children's treats at Christmas and in the summer were more enthusiastically successful than ever, and the Lecture was again the means of a considerable subscription being handed to charity. A fuller account of these events will be found elsewhere in the magazine.

The Dinner has always been something of a bone of contention. There have been those who wished to keep this function full dress and stately—the Association on show as it were; others have maintained that catholicity of appeal was the main thing to be aimed at, that 5/6 or 6/-, especially round about Christmas time, was more than our younger members would care to spend on a dinner, and that a less elaborate meal at a considerably reduced figure would attract more diners. The latter policy was tried this year. The dinner was held in Spark's cafe and cost 3/6. Since some hundred guests were present,—nearly twice as many as the average for previous dinners—this policy must be held to have justified itself, as far as numbers are concerned at any rate. It is probable that conditions will be similar this year and it is hoped that the numbers may again be much advanced.

We are again able to shake ourselves heartily by the hand and congratulate ourselves very cordially on the School examination results. Though not quite so outstanding as those of last year we may well describe them as excellent. The standard of achievement in an examination is not a matter of adjectives but of figures, and, in addition to referring our readers to the detailed statement of results on another page, we would submit that 14 places gained in Honours and a total percentage of passes of 841 against 669 per cent, for the whole country is sufficient evidence that our statement of claim is not exaggerated.

The School Literary and Historical Society has continued to do excellent work throughout the year. The report of its activities appears in its due place, but we would draw attention to the very wide range of its interests. In addition to cultivating the principle and practice of debate by means of Inter-House and occasional Inter-School debates, it takes all knowledge for the province of its papers—history, literature, architecture, travel—and is ready to welcome distinguished visitors who are particularly qualified to speak with authority on the subjects in which they read papers or address the House. At rarer intervals they go still further afield and stage a mock trial or a miniature election. Such variety of interest should find some line of appeal to everybody in the Upper School.

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The Wednesday music-makings, held in the Girl's Assembly Room or the Gymnasium, have always striven to achieve variety but this term have launched into an ampler ether, a diviner air. In addition to the usual stand-by of piano and gramophone, single orchestral instruments, as, for instance, the oboe and clarinet (with piano accompaniment) have been heard; there has been a performance of a Schumann violin sonata, and up to the present two pianoforte trios (piano, violin and 'cello), by Arensky and Mendelssohn, have been given. In the quality of the music and standard of performance it is doubtful whether such excellent musical fare has been provided in the district this term, except perhaps by the sole surviving professional chamber music society.

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The doings of the school on the sports field are faithfully recorded so that they may serve for precedent and memorial, but certain school activities which now figure in our story for the first time deserve special mention. A joint sports meeting embracing Middlesbrough High School, Darlington Grammar School, and S.S.S. was held on the Middlesbrough ground. We did not quite cover ourselves with glory, but, as it is hoped to arrange other meetings, we shall expect that our athletes will train seriously and enable us to give a better account of ourselves in the future.

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Another new activity is of real practical use. What to do with our boys is a problem of the most vital importance, never more difficult than now to solve, and made almost insoluble when our boys do not know what to do with themselves. In order that the older boys may have at least some ground on which to base a decision, a number of Old Boys and others are giving addresses to the senior school on the various careers open to boys, the qualifications required, the means of entry and the prospects offered to qualified men. With this information a boy should see what career appeals to him and suits his tastes and abilities and may begin to prepare without loss of time.

A Cup has been presented for House Musical competitions. Secret meetings are taking place in various surburbs, and strange sounds are heard. Each House hopes to surprise the others by the quality and variety of its performances. Rumour tells of ambitions choral efforts, and some mention has been made of a trombone;—but if there should be a saxophone!

It is with feelings of personal pleasure as well as of legitimate pride that we learn of outstanding successes of Old Stocktonians. Dr. E. MacKenzie-Taylor has recently sailed for India, where he is to take up the position of chief irrigation expert in the Punjab. We are proud of Dr. Taylor and extend to him and to his parents our sincerest congratulations on this appointment,—an exceptionally responsible one in these critical times.

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The Old School sends with this Year Book this message of cheer and greeting. It assures its sons abroad that they are not absent from memory, and to those far distant as to those nearer home it sends sincere wishes for 1931 and for the years to come.

Sports Day-June 5th, 1930.

At last—and after four weary years—we had a glorious Sports Day, a day such as even Peevish Perversity Personified could find nothing to complain of,

The field did honour to the time and effort expended upon it, and every little flag gaily did its duty and acted as a little flapper for the occasion.

The sport, too, was good. As the years go on records, naturally, become increasingly difficult to break, yet two were shattered. In the hurdles W. Ingman came away in fine style and, leading all the way, succeeded in lowering O'Grady's previous record by a fraction of a second. The mile provided a fine race. For the past two years R. Wynzar has gone off at a great pace and drawn well ahead. This year Alan Walton hung on to him and in the last half lap looked like challenging him, but Wynzar still had a good deal left and so the result was that, in winning the race for the third year in succession, he succeeded in breaking his own record of last year, while Walton ended a very plucky second. For the first time for several years a weary competitor in this race failed to finish.

Our tame cynic remarked that it seemed to be a day of heavy weights. The senior champion is a blithe and bouncing babe; the splendidly contested tug of war was a fine demonstration of brawn well applied; while scattered about the field—e.g. circulating round the event board—were pupils, Old Boys, and others, choice specimens for patent food advertisements. Nor did the cause seem far to seek. Does anybody, anywhere on earth, give such a good sixpenny afternoon tea as we do? One bright pupil—who has a high opinion of Tom Moore because he is never set to be done for examinations—contemplating the esurient multitude gazing through the glass on the "forty (or more) feeding like one," compared them, soulfully, to the Peri waiting expectant at the gates of Paradise. Another, less soulfully, called the crowd a "barbarous herd" and pitied the master who with extended monitory paw "rode on the whirlwind and directed the storm"—more or less!

At the close of the Sports, Mrs. R. Roger gracefully presented the prizes, for the provision of which we are indebted to the following ladies and gentlemen, to whom we again tender our grateful thanks:—

Dr. and Mrs. Kinnes, the School Staff, Dr. A Pickworth, Dr. and Mrs. Hall, Coun, A. Kennedy, Mrs. Livingston, and Messrs. C. W. Bond, A. E. Carter, H. Castle, S. C. Chandler, J. Cheseldine, S. Curry, W. Gilbert, Dr. J. Livingston, H. Livingston, G. Lawson, R. Lawson, W. Martin, K. Martin, J. Morland, W. B. Noddings, T. D. Olver, P. V. Pringle, G. F. Rogers, W. Salmon, T. B. Sharp, H.T. Sherwood, F. E. Sherwood, J. Spark, G. Spark, G. P. Stainsby, B. F. Sturman, G. H. Swinburne, F. Walton, J. Warnock (in memoriam). What memories some of these names call forth!

RESULTS.

SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

100) yards.			
	1 Rutledge (G)	2 Ions (G)	3 Wynzar (Bl)	11.7 secs.
Qt	arter Mile.			
	1 Wynzar (Bl)	2 Ions (G)	3 Coates, W. H. (R)	62 sees.
Hi	gh Jump.			
	1 Livingston (Br)	2 Stokes (Br)	3 Menzies (Bl)	4 ft. 64 ins.
Cr	icket Ball.			
	1 Rutledge (G)	2 Turner, C.H. (R)	3 Walton, W. (Bl)	71 yds, 21 ft.
Ht	irdles.			
	1 Ingman (Bl)	2 Rutledge (G)	3 Laws (R)	15.3 secs.—a record
On	e Mile.			
	1 Wynzar (Bl)	2 Walton A W (B)	r) 3 Atkinson, J. W. (R	5 mins 7 sees
	I when (m)	2 Walton, A. W.(D.	i) 5 Atkinson, 5. W.(II	-a record

JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP.

100 yards.			
1 Brownlee (G)	2 Green, A (Bl)	3 Rowe (Br)	13.3 secs.
220 yards.			
1 Innis (Br)	2 Green, A (B1)	3 Fawcett (R)	31 secs.
Quarter Mile.			
1 Green, A (Bl)	2 Anderson, D (Bl)	3 Innis (Br)	68.7 secs.
High Jump.			
1 Fawcett, S.T. (R	2 Anderson, D.(Bl)	3 Green, A. (Bl)	4 ft. 31 ins

OPEN EVENTS.

1 Piercy (G) Obstacle.	2 Brownlee (G)	3 Ions (G)	***
1 Robley (G) Three-Legged.	2 Anderson, D (Bl)	3 Sanders (G)	***
1 (Kell (Bl) Sack.	2 (Fawcett, C (Bl)	3 (Hinds Thompson, A (Bl)	
1 Kell (Bl)	2 Ashman (Bl)	3 Adams (Bl)	

Team Race.—Brown House (winners), 21 points.
Blue House 25 pts., Red House 40 pts., Green House 50 pts.

Tug of War.—Blue House beat Red House.

Relay Race.—S.S.S. beat S.G.S.

100 yards Handicap.

Junior Champion.—A. Green (Bl), 8 pts.

Senior Champion.—A. W. Rutledge 8 pts. (R. Wynzar 7 pts.)

House Points.—Blue House (winners) 41 pts, Green House 25 pts., Brown House 15 pts., Bed House 9 pts.

Inter-School Sports.

For two or three years Darlington Grammar School, Middlesbrough High School, and Coatham have arranged inter-school sports in which representatives from each school have competed. This year Coatham were unable to take part and the two other schools invited us to join them. The sports took place on the splendid Middlesbrough High School Field, on the evening of Monday, July 21st, 1930—a cold wintry day and a sodden ground. We can scarcely say that we were satisfied with our achievements, but everyone was a trier, and the notice we had received was extremely short—to say nothing of the fact that we were in the middle of examinations.

The results were :-100 vds. 1 Middlesbrough, 2 Middlesbrough, 3 Darlington. Quarter Mile. 1 Middlesbrough, 2 Darlington. 3 Darlington. Half Mile. 1 Stockton. 2 Middlesbrough, 3 Darlington. 1 Stockton, 2 Middlesbrough, One Mile. 3 Darlington. Hurdles. 1 Middlesbrough, 2 Darlington, 3 Darlington. Long Jump. 1 Middlesbrough, 2 Darlington, 3 Middlesbro'. High Jump. 1 Darlington, 2 (Darlington, Stockton.

Points.: Middlesbrough 30, Darlington 21, Stockton 12. (First 5 points, second 3 points, third 1 points)

Livingston jumped very neatly for his second place (equal) in the high jump, and was obviously inconvenienced when the rod was broken and the jumping was continued over a shorter rod. For some reason, after this happened, he jumped too late and tired himself with kicking off the rod as he rose. Wynzar won the half-mile in runaway fashion in his usual style, by setting the rest too fast a pace and securing an impossible lead. But it was the mile which enabled us to look our opponents squarely in the face. The rest, taught by experience, lay well up to Wynzar and refused to let him get right away, but he ran with splendid judgment and came away in splendid style in the last half lap, winning easily. Alan Walton, who had run very pluckily, was just beaten on the tape for third place.

We are told that it is hoped to hold a six school contest next year and that, in addition to the four schools mentioned, Barnard Castle and Bishop Auckland are expected to take part. This should be worth laying ourselves out for.

The Swimming Sports.

Our special representative at the nineteenth Annual Swimming Sports of the Stockton Secondary School informs us that, if he is to judge by the performances at the sports, this can scarcely have been a vintage year for swimmers at that ancient and celebrated school.

Very rarely did the excitement rise to a temperature above mild tepidity. Almost all times and distances registered were lamentably inferior to the records printed on the programme, and the school three lengths—which has sometimes produced magnificent racing and thrilling finishes—must have been the tamest ever swum, at least since the days of Noah. Some little excitement was roused by the House Squadron Race which certainly provided a close finish, but here there was domestic patriotism to act as a spur to enthusiasm.

J. B. Bradley had no great difficulty in amassing eleven points and Stirling did well to get nine; both were good sportsmen, but oh! hose times! What would Connors, Ruddock, O'Grady—giants of past time,—have thought of them?

Green House and Brown House ran very close for the championship. Has any House in the school in any sports on land or water secured so low a maximum as one (1) point out of some 84 points at stake previous to Oct. 13th, 1930?

The enthusiasm which had had so little opportunity of finding an outlet expended some of itself in cheering the recipients of certificates and prizes and in rousing appreciation of Mr. T. W. Thubron, who kindly distributed the awards, and advised us to do with all our might whatever our hands—or brains—found to do.

One last thought. There were a splendidly keen lot of youngsters competing in the Learners' Breadth, so perhaps, if they lay to heart Mr. Thubron's advice, by about 1933 or 1934 — — !

RESULTS.

Length, under 13.	2 L. Robinson	***	***
Length, under 14	2 L. Gale	3 C. Mason	20 7 sees.
Length, under 15 1 J. G. Stirling	2 J. Lofthouse	3 E. Jones	17.5 secs.
Length, over 15 1 J. B. Bradley	2 H. Deans	3 L. Pope	14 7 secs.
School Handicap . 1 J. Lofthouse	Length 2 J. B. Bradley	3 J. G. Stirling	
Learners Breadth 1 J. Wright	2 D. Anderson	3 V. Thompson	
Clothes Race 1 J. B. Bradley	2 J. G. Stirling	3 J Lofthouse	***
Junior Length 1 L. Ireland	2 L. Gale	3 C. Snaith	19 9 secs.
Senior Length 1 J. B. Bradley	2 J. G. Stirling	3 H. Deans	15•7 sees.
Plunge 1 H. Deans Three Lengths	2 A. Hunt	3 J. Robley	
1 J. B. Bradley	2 J. G. Stirling	3 A. Cooke	57.6 sees.
Neat Breast Stroke 1 J. G. Stirling	e 2 L. Pope	3 J. Brown	
One Length Backs	stroke 2 J. B. Ions	3 E. A. Bryan	22-7 sees.
Neat Dive 1 E. Fenny	2. J. Robley	3 C. Mason	200
Swimming Under	Water		
1 W. M. Aitken	2 J. B. Bradley	3 L. Ireland	1 length 194 ft.
HOUSE SQUADRON	RACE. Brown I	House.	
CHAMPIONSHIP GO		C Stipling 0 pts	

J. B. Bradley, 11 pts. (2) J. G. Stirling, 9 pts.

House Championship Cup. Green 32 pts. Brown 30 ,,

Blue 20 ..

Red 1 ,, CHAMPIONS—GREEN.

School Cricket and Football.

This year the Cricket XI was blessed with greatly improved facilities both for practice and matches, and it was indeed a pleasure to play on level turf instead of on the more usual undulating Savana or Steppe land.

Of nine games played, four were won, three lost, while the two matches against Gisborough G.S. were drawn. St. Mary's College beat us on both occasions, while against Great Ayton we won at home and lost away. Owing to a misunderstanding, our first XI travelled to Middlesbrough, while the High School Seniors arrived at our own field. Each first XI, therefore, met its opponent's juniors with very disastrous results to the latter.

Notable matches were against West Hartlepool S.S. and St. Mary's College. In the former, with the last man in and with one ball to go, we required one run to win. The required single duly made its appearance.

At the St. Mary's College ground the wicket was pitched in a flat bottomed valley with a steep escarpment on either side. With the ball breaking in remarkable fashion, the School was dismissed for 14, our opponents afterwards reaching 33.

Among our bowlers, Rutledge, Laws, Ions, and Innis (the last named, the son of a cricketing sire) were outstanding, while potential Bradmans were Ions, Turner, Laws, Innis, and D. McKechnie,

The Rugby XV had a successful season, the results of the matches being as follows -—

West Hartlepool S.S. away 23 - 6won West Hartlepool S.S. home 14 - 6won Middlesbrough H.S. away 6 - 11lost ... Darlington G.S. home 3-3 draw Henry Smith's away 16 - 14won ... Henry Smith's home 12-6 won Darlington G.S. away 3 - 18lost Middlesbrough H.S. home 14 - 6... won St. Mary's College away 33 - 0won

A great struggle took place against Darlington G.S. at home, the School attacking very fiercely in the last few minutes, while a fine place kick late on by Laycock won the game against Henry Smith's, away.

Players worthy of mention were Rutledge, Ball, Coates, Dixon (whose efforts, vocal and otherwise, deserve much commendation), Laycock, Liddle, Wynzar, Stirling, Breckon, H. S. Smith, Beard, and Pearson.

Rutledge, Ball, and Wynzar assisted the Durham County Schoolboys, while H. S. Smith and Pearson played in a representative County Junior fifteen.

Of nine matches played the Soccer team won four and lost four, the drawn game being against St. Mary's College, who have nearly always defeated us. Like not a few teams performing in the highest circles, our forwards are said to have combined well in mid-field but to have lacked finish in front of goal. Describing the rearguard, our scribe naively remarks that it was not brilliant but nevertheless did some very creditable work, Dixon being prominent for several individual excursions into his opponents' half. The usual eleven was: Liddle; Rutledge, Beard; Wynzar, Ball(captain), Dixon; McKechnie, Reed, Turner, Sharp, Lacy; with Ions generally acting as reserve, while the detailed results were as follows:—

v	Middlesbrough H.S.	home	lost	2-4
v	Great Ayton F.S.	away	won	8-2
v	West Hartlepool S.S.	away	lost	1-3
v	Gisborough G.S.	home	lost	1 - 2
v	St. Mary's College	away	draw	3 - 3
v	Stockton G.S.	home	won	9-0
v	West Hartlepool S.S.	home	won	3-2
v	Stockton G.S.	away	won	5-1

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The result of the Inter House Soccer Competition was as follows:—

	Played	Won	Lost	Drawn	For	Against	
GREEN	 6	6	0	0	44	6	12
Brown	 6	2	3	1	14	25	5
RED	 6	2	4	0	16	23	4
BLUE	 6	1	4	1	11	31	3

For the winning house, Rutledge scored 26 goals, and performed the duties of captain to the entire satisfaction of Liddle, Lacy, Ions, Watson, Pixton, G. B. Harker, Breckon, L. Harker, Sharp and Weedall, who no doubt felt that his record scoring feats were directly attributable to the brilliant spade work executed by themselves.

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Two tries scored by Rutledge and Ions respectively against one scored by Bowen for the Browns also brought honour to the Greens, who won the newly instituted House Rugby Knock-out Competition. In the previous round, Browns beat Blues fairly comfortably despite the strenuous efforts of Wynzar, but the Greens in their progress to the final met with strong opposition from the Reds for whom Coates and Beard performed prodigies of valour.

School Literary and Historical Society.

The Literary and Historical Society, with Laws as Secretary, held what was probably the most active session since its inception.

In addition to the usual debate, competitions won by Brown House under the leadership of Ball, inter-debates were held in each of the winter terms with Middlesbrough High School and Stockton Grammar School. Further, the Society was fortunate in securing five lecturers—Rev. G. C. Binyon, on "A journey in China and India," Mr. Roberts, of the Grammar School, on "A journey in Central Europe," Rev. Elmslie on "Greece, Ancient and Modern," Mr. Hart on "The Outline of Art," and Dr. Kinnes on "My experiences as a prisoner of War."

With the Grammar School we discussed (a) Whether European civilisation has been justified and (b) Whether the modern press is more of a blessing than a curse. The latter debate was distinguished by a

speech from the Head Master of the Grammar School, but otherwise the proceedings are wrapped in mystery.

We found that Middlesbrough also were concerned about
"This strange disease of modern life
with its sick hurry and divided aims,"

for they elected to debate firstly "That Jazz and the Cinema are typical of Modern Civilisation," and secondly "That the growing use of the machine is a menace to civilisation." Thus it seems true to assert that the youth of Tees-side does not regard the modern world with self-satisfied complacency.

The proceedings of the society on the strictly home front were also concerned with serious matters. The proceedings opened as usual with a Hat Night, at which Laws won the competition, and there followed a week later an open debate "That the talking film is the most perfect form of entertainment yet devised."

At the risk of being called highbrows by talkie fans, the society refused to agree.

Then Green House defended against Blue the proposition "That the United States are rapidly becoming the greatest power in the world." Next Red House tried to prove to Brown House that "Patriotism is a danger to civilisation," and Brown maintained against Blue "That the present civilisation is superior to its predecessors." A popular debate was the one in which Green House deplored the entry of women into public and industrial life, while Red House stood up for the ladies. In January also a night was devoted to a series of short debates, in one of which Lawson discoursed with some effect upon his favourite subject of Haverton Hill.

The session did not finish until April, for it was on the date when Mr. Snowden begins a new financial year that Brown House made themselves possessors of the Shield by overcoming Green in a debate "That the Railway will soon have outlived its usefulness." Prominent speakers in the debate were Dixon, Ball and Livingston for Brown; Lewis, Proud and Atkinson for Red; Harker and Sowler for Green; and Aitken and Wynzar for Blue.

A new feature of the Society's activity was the competition for a prize of a guinea's worth of books offered by the Head Master. The society decided to award this for the best address lasting not more than ten minutes on a subject to be allotted to speakers by ballot. The Head Master acted as judge and awarded the prize to R. M. Aitken with Livingston as runner up.

Chess Tournament.

The competition for the "A. W. Welch" Shield attracted nine entries. Following the elimination of the non-experts, R. Hallam was beaten by W. Aitken, and G. B. Harker was outplayed by J. R. Atkinson in the second round. There was evidence that Hallam was out of practice, but the dash of Harker proved no match for the ultra cautious tactics of Atkinson.

Three players now remained, W. Aitken receiving a bye into the final, while Atkinson was drawn against R. Aitken. This produced a long drawn out contest, Atkinson offering a very strong but in the end futile resistance to the tactics of his more experienced opponent.

Thus, for the second time, the Aitken brothers met each other in the final. History records no parallel to the struggle which followed. Picture, my readers, the scene—the Aitken clan summoned from far and wide with national kilt donned for the occasion, rows of ancestors glaring down from the baronial walls, the silence unbroken save when a better move than usual necessitated celebration at the baronial sideboard.

Finally the elder Aitken made an error of judgment, and next minute, the news was piping through the Highland glens, and the younger brother was receiving a congratulatory address from the Provost and Baillies of Kinveachie.

School Examination Successes,

SCHOLARSHIPS.

- F. Laws,—Draper Scholarship in English, of £65 per year for 4 years, at King's College, Cambridge.
- G. B. Harker.—Firth Scholarship, of £30 per year for 3 years, at Sheffield University.

HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE.

R. M. Aitken (distinction in Geography), F. J. Dixon (distinction in Geography), R. Hallam, D. L. Lister.

Aitken, Dixon and Lister were each awarded County Council Junior Exhibitions of £80 per year for 3 years.

SCHOOL CERTIFICATE.

1ST CLASS HONOURS.

R. Gardner (distinction in Chemistry), *D. J. Simpson (distinction in Mathematics), *A. W. Walton (distinction in Chemistry), *R. W. Wood.

2ND CLASS HONOURS.

W. M. Aitken (distinction in Drawing), *W. E. Anderson (distinction in Mathematics), *G. A. Gledhill, J. B. Ions (distinction in Mathematics), *W. Lawson, G. Warwick.

3RD CLASS HONOURS.

J. R. Atkinson (distinction in Chemistry), S. Knowles, R. Oliver, A. Stephens.

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B. J. Barker, A. Cooke, W. P. Dow, J. W. A. Farnaby, J. P. Green, F. Harrison, A. Ibbotson (distinction in History), W. M. James, L. W. Jones, *J. Lonsdale, F. W. Marsden, J. A. Menzies, H. Purnell, H. C. Reed, *H. Rigg, T. W. Sharp, E. Smith, G. F. S. Smith (distinction in History), *H. Stephenson (distinction in History), M. Sutherland, C. H. Turner (distinction in Mathematics), W. Walton, P. Weedall.

*Passed in Oral French.

CIVIL SERVICE.

- W. W. Cornforth passed 44th out of 766 candidates for Civil Service (Executive Group).
- A. H. Beard passed 46th, J. L. Harker 71st, H. G. Farrington 405th, out of 600 successful candidates (Clerical Classes—General and Departmental Examination), 2200 sitting.

At a previous examination, J, Ragsdale was also successful.

School Speech Day.

On Dec. 13th, 1929, the Jubilee Hall presented an animated appearance, completely filled as it was with parents, friends and boys. The table on the platform was also crowded with the various books, cups and shields which made a brave display and which were more numerous than on previous occasions, since prize medals have now been replaced by books. The platform party, too, was more representative than sometimes in the past, and even the programme extended to four pages!

Mr. Roger, Chairman of the Governors and a right good friend to the school, presided, and, while mentioning that the chief speaker of the evening—His Worship the Mayor, Alderman F. T. Nattrass, J.P.—required no introduction to any audience in Stockton or in any of its outlying districts, took the opportunity of congratulating him upon the signal honour which his townsmen had so recently conferred on him.

The Mayor, after distributing the prizes, cups, shields and certificates and saying a word of congratulation to every recipient, delivered a characteristically thoughtful and stimulating address. He impressed upon his hearers the importance of the various duties which lay before them, and appealed to the boys to give their earnest attention to the value of true citizenship. All of us, he pointed out, who love our own town of Stockton, can make it an even better place only by pulling together and by taking the privileges and duties incumbent upon us as its inhabitants soberly and seriously.

The Headmaster, in his report, said that the examination successes of the year 1928–29 constituted a fresh record for the school. He expressed his admiration for the splendid figure of 91% of passes in the School Certificate Examination, and offered his hearty congratulations to the boys and to the masters. So high a result in all the examinations could not, he maintained, have been reached without very hard and regular work, not only on the part of the boys themselves but also of their teachers. He urged the importance of carefully prepared home-work, and pointed out that only by means of such consistent habits of study could the School Certificate, that key which unlocks so many doors leading to all the best callings and professions, be achieved. There would be no danger, he said, of any boy's failure in this vitally important examination if he came forward to it conscious of having worked earnestly and consistently.

Dr. Kinnes also spoke of the great pleasure which visits from many O.B's had afforded him, and mentioned that such visits, as well as those from friends and parents, were at all times most welcome. He also emphasised the kindly and most willing help which each individual member of the Staff had given him from his very first day in the School, and he tendered to the Staff his very sincere and grateful thanks.

Councillor Davis proposed a vote of thanks to His Worship the Mayor for distributing the prizes and for his inspiring address. Mr. Eden, the Deputy Headmaster, briefly and felicitously seconded the proposal which was carried with enthusiasm.

One of the most pleasing items of the programme was the delightful singing of various part songs by Mr. Gavin Kay's choir. Dr. Crockett, who had made the long journey from London in order to be present, received a very cordial welcome and, towards the close of the proceedings, enlivened us by a couple of stories, one of which, he assured his audience, came red-hot from Aberdeen! And, to end up an interesting and varied evening, S. Leacock's farce, "Q," was ably performed by S. Proud, H. G. Miller, F. Bowen and M. Stephenson.

OLD BOYS' REPORTS.

The Eighth Annual Lecture.

On the evening of Friday, February 28th, 1930, an enormous crowd of the people who most matter in this ancient town assembled at the Jubilee Hall for the purpose of hearing, on this the occasion of our eighth lecture, a very fine account of the "Blocking of Zeebrugge," by Rear Admiral Carpenter, V.C., R,N.

This distinguished naval officer, who spent a year in preparing the plans of the enterprise and who commanded that part of the expedition which descended on the famous mole, was one of those few who came out of the hazardous business alive and unhurt.

The chair was taken by Dr. A. Pickworth, our president, who briefly introduced to the audience our distinguished guest.

Illustrated with lantern slides, the lecture oovered in simple and thrilling language all phases of the most extraordinary feat in naval history. We learned now that the plan to block the fairway into Zeebrugge was the only one of its kind in the whole of naval history which succeeded.

The difficulties were enormous and terrifying, and the devising of effective means to overcome them a matter of months of patient thought by experts, American as well as British

Stern necessity and the threat of defeat by the German submarine demanded that hazards should be run which appal the imagination. Elaborate were the precautions taken to keep secret the intentions of the British Admiralty. Those who had accepted the vague offer of a mission of great danger, when finally made aware of what the task really was, agreed without one exception to continue with it when the moment came for them to know the grim details.

The attack on the Mole succeeded and its fearful guns were rendered useless. Successful, too, after an initial check which might have brought disaster, was the heroic little band on whom fell the most dangerous task of bringing their three charges laden with explosives into the fairway.

Of those who fell on the Mole all were brought away,—dead and wounded. The submarine campaign was mastered. Submarines ont from Ostend were ordered to repair to Heligoland. The mass of solid concrete remained where it was dropped until after the war and remains to-day.

The lecture was perhaps the most successful of any we have ever had, and, despite our very heavy expenses, we were enabled to hand to the Stockton and Thornaby Hospital a cheque for f_{40} .

The Kiddies' Treat.

Picture to yourself the drabness and bareness of the old school Gymnasium transformed into a veritable fairy land. Bright lights, gaily coloured streamers, festoons of flowers, tables set out with all manner of things good to eat (ie from a child's point of view!), a magician performing wonders, musicians discoursing sweet music (i e, once more from the child's point of view!), fantastically garbed attendants flitting from table to table bearing heaped-up plates of cakes and brimming cups of tea -all this and more served to make the old place unrecognizable. But if you had expected, as well you might have, to see also so many dainty fairies, you would have been disappointed. No fairies, certainly, but mobs and mobs and mobs of unmistakeably human boys, all intent on eating as much as possible and making as much noise as possible Yells, shouts, whistling, stamping of feet, lusty choruses blended into a ceaseless and deafening tumult, so that one could barely distinguish the demands for more food and more tea hurled at one's head.

To the impartial observer, it was indeed curious to note the differences shown among these youngsters. Some, for example, would accept the cakes or sandwich offered them with a shy word of thanks; others, however, would first subject the plateful to a long and appraising scrutiny, and then, if not quite satisfied, would haughtily and curtly issue orders for the particular brand they felt gracious enough to favour. While a few were content to begin on the plain and work gradually and systematically up to the fancy, the many started forthwith on—so to speak—the twopenny coloured and scornfully refused to be fobbed off with the penny plain, clearly inclining to the view that you were not quite right in the head if you thought them so simple as to accept anything but the gaudiest and stickiest.

After the gargantuan feast was at length finished and full time was duly given to what all regarded as the chief item of the programme—one marvelled inwardly that all the guests were able to show such activity of body and mind. Had they given but a sign of apathy or of somnolence one could not have wondered why. But indigestion was clearly a word unknown to them, and they were as lively and as noisy as ever. Again differences, similar in kind to those already mentioned, were apparent during the subsequent conjuring and musical entertainments. A few, to whom one's heart warmed, were plainly fascinated by the magician's tricks and sat in openmouthed amazement at the miracles being performed before their wondering eyes. The majority—alas for the unsophisticated youth of to-day!—watched narrowly and suspiciously, alert to expose the slightest mistake. One had almost the feeling that they were more disappointed than otherwise when no slip of hand or eye gave them an opportunity of expressing their disapproval—and how pointedly, one felt, they would have expressed it! So they had perforce to content themselves in explaining to

each other exactly how each trick was done; not, one supposes, at all correctly (for the present writer must confess not only to warm admiration of the conjurer's skill but also to complete inability to "see how it's done"), but certainly eagerly and vociferously.

A not-to-be missed chance, however, was afforded them later in which to voice their delighted displeasure at a performer, when volunteers were called for to sing, dance, recite or whistle for the entertainment of the rest And then how the fierce sarcasm and the shrill invective were poured upon each artist, who, it must be admitted, seemed in no wise disconcerted, but, on returning to his place, joined with gusto in the delightful game of abusing your neighbour

And so the evening wore on, and even so did the next evening wear on also. At the end, the adults went home in somewhat dazed condition but feeling convinced they had contributed to the pleasure of some thousands of children. (There may not really have been thousands, but one might be excused for thinking so). As for the youngsters themselves, one wonders what emotion—if any—was uppermost in their young, and strangely old, minds. A clue is possibly afforded by the query made by more than one: "Hi, mister, is there to be any more parties like this next week?" And is one justified in believing that the bag of sweets, the fruit and the penny which sped each parting guest were fairly shared with some younger brother or sister left at home? One hopes so, any how.

Old Stocktonians' Thirteenth Annual Dinner.

However cheerless, dismal, and damp, the night of December 23rd, 1929, may have been, there was no chill on the spirits of those eighty-five loyal souls who turned out for an evening of pleasant re-union, an event held at Spark's Café and to be known to history as the Thirteenth Old Stocktonian Dinner.

Never before have we seen so many of our brother Old Boys assemble together for this time honoured function or been able to exchange light quip and jest with boys of so many years. The junior secretary, a very dismal figure indeed, presided with his customary success and chilling persistency over his annual rites of fiscal import, a mystic ceremony in which he uses much paper (in sheets) and many pencils, after or during which the little army settled down,—let us not say like a swarm of locusts,—to sample that which they had ostensibly assembled to devour. Of this highly important part of the proceedings it is perhaps not meet that much should be written, though it may be recorded that many of the company lived up to their reputation as valiant trenchermen.

The gastronomic deities quieted, the loyal toast was drunk in coffee and ærated waters of sundry colours and not too varying flavours, and so stimulated (we believe) Mr. Osborne proceeded to speak in honour of the Old School. Our sometime President proved to be in most unwontedly facetious fettle—possibly a reaction from the state of matrimonial servitude to which he confessed he had lately allowed himself to be reduced. We would not betray his confidence and disclose all he had to tell of his experiences as one who does his duty as a payer of rates and property tax, and for this privilege enjoys the compensation of delving in his little plot of barren ground; after all, those who go to the dinner should enjoy an advant-

age over those who are content merely to read about it—but this we must say that if the schoolboys of Ryhope produced the gems of muddled learning which Mr. Osborne revealed to us, no schoolmaster dare ever complain that his life lies in monotonous waters. No! Mr. Osborne was surely pulling our legs.

In replying, the Headmaster was making his bow to the Old Boys, and this he did with infinite grace, eloquence, and acceptance. Of course, we blushed modestly when he told us what good fellows we were, knowing full well that we were but of mankind. He pointed out how necessary is an Old Boys' Association to the spiritual health of a school, how it serves to bring those who teach there into intimate contact with problems and facts of the big world beyond the form room, problems about which they tend to become ignorant in view of their claustral manner of life amid books and boys and lacking the vital urge of immediate contact with serious adult life and thought. The real test of a school, he concluded, was the feeling cherished towards it by those who had left its walls, and who could measure truly what it stood for in moulding their lives.

Mr. Williams, in proposing the toast of the Town, sought to bemuse us in our sad ignorance with an erudite and witty exposition of a good deal of fugitive ancient history of our Borough. We have since wondered whence he culled his amazing mass of multifarious anecdotes—whether he had spent long hours over the authorities discredited by a later speaker, or whether much of it was not really original—part of a subtle scheme to pull our unenlightened nether limbs.

To Mr. Williams, the Mayor (Alderman F. T. Nattrass, J.P.) replied with a speech in contrast to Mr. Williams' giddy frivolousness. He insisted that a pride in the past is not sufficient as a qualification of good citizenship; real pride in one's town expressed itself in constructive work for its future, a willingness to undertake the burdens of public work with its reward of increased responsibility to those who do well in the lesser things.

Again a contrast-and Mr. R. Cohen, in proposing the toast of the Association in terms wittier than any we have yet heard at Old Boys' dinners, made short work of the laborious histories of reputed learned men, including Mr. Williams. He prefaced his remarks with a scathing indictment of Mr. Baldwin's firmness in compelling him to be present there, and indeed pretended to be severely annoyed with our all powerful deus ex machina. Then he bluntly, but politely, pointed out that Mr. Williams' history was all moonshine whatever its plausible foundations, which were defective since they went not far enough back to the real beginnings, Confessing that he had consulted his authorities when spiritually inclined, he demonstrated, in no uncertain fashion, that whatever history this island and incidentally this locality may have is extremely ancient and closely associated with the movement of his own family, our culture, which included our business instinct, being derived very clearly from Judaic sources.

The President (Dr. A. Pickworth), replying in fantastic vein, had apparently spent many sleepless nights in the service of the Muse of prosody. In polished and facetious verse, he maliciously hit off the weaknesses and whimsicalities of his fellow officials (omitting himself), but confessed that metrical celebration of their excellence left him exhausted and appalled at the prospect of dealing in similar wise with the committee of sixteen, who thus got off very lightly, though sorry

fellows indeed, and worthy each one of a whole canto. Dr. Pickworth proceeded to bid an official and affectionate farewell to Mr. Upton as a member of the staff, and in doing so received him duly into the sacred circle of real old boys, making, on behalf of the Association, the Old Boys' presentation to an old and honoured dominie.

In reply, Mr. Upton tried to persuade us that old age had stricken him rather unhandsomely, though to us he seemed just as fresh as he was in 1896. Perhaps it was that he was only bored at the delinquencies of the buman young. Craftily then he proceeded to invite us in battalions to the task of labouring in his garden, while incidentally he told us of his ideals as an instructor in the manual arts and of his early efforts at riding a bicycle.

Eleven o'clock having struck, we proceeded to rouse the night owl or the spirit of one that lived there long ago in the belfry of the old church of St. Thomas à Becket with sundry boisterous choruses, crude efforts after the trained vocal art of Messrs. Lewis, Green and Bertram, and the deft skill of Messrs. Sherwood and Stainsby on violin and piano, and after "anld lang syne" withdrew nigh midnight to our homes and beds, well pleased with a happy evening with friends of dear dead days, real now only as a tender memory.

The following were present :-

Messrs. J. Allan, D. W. Baker, F. W. Baker, W. Baker, E. Baldwin, W. R. Ball, R. E. Barratt, H. Bell, J. Bertram, A. J. Bradley, F. H. Britton, T. B. Brooke, T. H. Bulmer, R. Callender, T. H. Chandler, R. Cohen (guest), J. R. Copland, A. Cowan, W. Cowan, N. O. Deans, J. Duce, S. S. Edwards, R. Elsworth, R. Fenwick, E. M. Fieke, J. T. Gill, J. Graham, A. R. Greathead, N. Green, E. J. Harris, G. L. Harris, W. V. Harris, N. Hind, A. L. Ingman, L. Ingman, H. W. Inman, Dr. J. R. Kinnes, W. Laverick, T. B. Lewis, W. N. Lowther, G. D. Little, W. N. Little, K. Martin, J. Millar, W. S. Millar, Ald. F. T. Nattrass (Mayor), H. Nicholson, T. B. Noddings, C. J. Osborne, H. J. Pickles, Dr. A. Pickworth, W. E. Read, L. W. Rhys, A. E. Richardson, L. Richardson, T. W. Richardson, H. L. Robinson, E. L. Robson, R. Roger (Chairman of the Governors), R. S. Ruddock, J. Sanderson, B. Shaw, D. Shepherd, H. T. Sherwood, A. E. Spencer, H. Stacey, G. P. Stainsby, J. A. Stonehouse, E. Tennick, F. Thompson, J. Thompson, T. H. Tomlin, C. L. Vickers, C. Walker, F. Wallace, J. Waller, W. E. Walls, W. Wilkinson, J. Wilkinson, R. Wilkinson, J. Wilkinson, R. E. B. Williams, A. C. Wilson, L. Wilson, F. J. Upton.

What a splendid company! Of all ages, arts and crafts, from all parts and places far as equatorial Africa, but in two things one, a memory of old days and a desire to keep that memory green.

Old Stocktonian Dances.

In order to provide additional wealth for the Benevolent Fund and the Association fund, and simultaneously to gather together Old Boys and their wives and sweethearts for a joint jollification, two dances were held in the Constitutional Hall.

The first objective was satisfactorily attained, although the producer was observed to wear a very anxious look, the while he made repeated and rapid calculations correlating attendance with expenditure.

Opinions upon the joyousness of the functions varied, and that charming unanimity of praise so typical of the Association's members was unfortunately lacking.

It is possible that the somewhat severe lines of the Hall are not conducive to reckless abandon, and the elevation of the orchestra to a superior place removes the intimate touch.

Moreover, on each occasion it was very necessary to harry the leader of the orchestra, in an endeavour to educate him up to the intellectual level of the company, who retained stubborn notions that something "refaned" was required.

The kind Old Boy who provides boxes of chocolates for raffling purposes is seemingly still with us. for a gift of the necessary magnificence was again at hand. The rapidity with which the raffle tickets were sold bore eloquent testimony to the charitable (or gambling) instincts of the assembly, and a satisfactory sum was raised in a very few minutes. On this occasion our tame announcer succeeded in awarding the prize to the proper person, although friends of the lady who so graciously performed the presentation ceremony must have been more than a little surprised to hear that he had so soon forgotten a recent wedding.

For this year's dance, we'are returning to the Maison de Danse, and it is to be hoped that the Old Boys will rally round to make this a bumper affair. Full details are given on another page.

G.A.S.

Old Stocktonians' Benevolent Fund.

Since the institution of the above Fund, in 1926, ten applications for help have been considered by the Trustees, and grants or loans amounting to £183 7s, 6d. have been made. The income during that time (including repayments) totals £246 12s, 10d., so that roughly £63 remains to the credit of the Fund at the bank. While one, of course. must speak somewhat guardedly, it is permitted to say that the recipients of our help have been drawn from widely different spheres of life, and that in each case such help has been given to meet a real and pressing need. For the benefit of members, it is perhaps fitting that some idea should be given as to how the Fund works. To begin with, it goes without saying that any Old Stocktonian is at liberty to take advantage of such facilities as we have to offer. Approach, preferably in writing, must first be made to one of the Trustees who will bring the case to the notice of his fellow Trustees. Careful inquiries are then made, and the applicant may be asked to attend an interview. But in all circumstances, members can rest assured that each applicant will be treated in the most delicate and sympathetic manner, and that the secrecy of the ballot will be as nothing compared with the discretion exercised by the Trustees. In nearly all cases, grants made are regarded as loans to be repaid either at the members' convenience or after a fixed lapse of time.

At the moment, the Fund is somewhat depleted due to calls to which the Trustees were unable to say "Nay!" But considering that most of the money so far given out is on first-class security, there does not seem to be cause for a great deal of apprehension.

At the same time, we should like to point out to Old Stocktonians (who owe a debt to the School which many of them are sometimes inclined to forget) that shillings, and half-crowns, and one pound notes are the wherewithal by which the Benevolent Fund is able to carry on its useful and unostentatious work. Charity, we are told, should begin at home-here is a home made opportunity of putting our precepts into practice.

Old Boys' Successes.

UNIVERSITY. B.A. (2nd Class Honours in History) Durham I. F. Carr, University. M.A., Durham University. H. Cunnington, B.A., Teachers' Diploma, Durham University. I. Goodier, B.A., Awarded Gibson Prize for History Essay, open to 3rd, 4th, 5th year students B.A. (2nd Class Honours in History) Cambridge T. P. D. Graham. University.
W. V. Harris, B.Sc., F.E.S., A.I.C.T.A., M.Sc., Durham University. ist equal Dalton Scholarship, Manchester A. L. Ingman, University. Awarded as result of 2nd year Examinations in Honours Mathematics. I. Macdonald, B.A. (2nd Class Honours in History) Durham University. Placed 1st, part I B.A., Manchester University. R. Metcalfe. Awarded Shakespeare Scholarship in English (£40 per year). B.A 1st Class Honours in English) Manchester R. Raper, University. Inter. B Sc. (Agriculture) Durham University. J. Fell, R. Elsworth. London University Matriculation-first class. ACCOUNTANCY. R. E. B. Williams, Final Incorporated Accountants' Examination. A. Rogers, Placed 1st in Final Examination of Institute of Cost and Works Accountants. Gold Medal and Cash prize. Final Chartered Institute of Secretaries Exam-S. Brown, ination. H. Monkman, do. H Livingston, Inter. W. Savage, Inter. do. MERCANTILE MARINE. N. Govan. Master's Certificate. B. Wake, do. ENGINEERING. H. P. Allison, M. Inst. Gas E. A.M.I. Struct. E. W. Cardno, Awarded the Testamur of the Institution of N. Ingham, Municipal and County Engineers. Preliminary studentship of Institute of Civil K. M. Scott Engineers

Passed the 2nd Mates Exam,

M.P.S.

F.S.M.C., F.I O., J.C.Q.O., F.C.L.

W. Stubbs

S. S. Edwards,

PHARMACEUTICAL, OPTICAL, ETC. W. B. Crosthwaite,

F. B. Elders, M.P.S., F.S.M.C. D. Mackie F.B.O.A.

SURVEYORS, AUCTIONEERS.

F. W. Baker, Inter. Examination of the Surveyors' Institution, Inter. Examination of Auctioneers' and Estate Agents Institute.

HORTICULTURAL.

E Mitchell

A.J.R. Fairey, F.R.H.S.—placed 1st in First Class—Medal and Cash Prize

H. Redhead, F.R.H.S.

APPOINTMENTS.

D. W. Baker, A.S A.A. -- with Messrs. J. J. Sawyer & Co., Chartered Accountants, London. A. E. Bishop, A.S.A.A. Messrs. with Ross. Accountants. Montreal. W. Brewis, B.Sc. Headmaster of Kingussie Public School, T. B. Noddings, B.A. Geography Master at Spennymoor Secondary School. E. M. Taylor, M.B.E., Ph.D., D.Sc., F.I.C. Scientific Research Officer, Irrigation Branch, Punjab, India T. N. Robson Manager of Thames Bank Iron Co. P. V. Pringe, M.I. Struct E. Chief Draughtsman, Great Southern Railways, Ireland. I. T. Purvis, B.Sc. Appointed Assistant Live Stock Inspector, Tanganyika Territory. Asst, Supt - Prudential Insurance Co., R. Richardson Crook. T. Richardson Asst. Supt.-Prudential Insurance Co., M'bro.

R. W. Spooner—out of 2000 candidates, was awarded a £25 prize and was offered an appointment with Messrs Angus Watson & Co., Ltd.

Appointed Assistant Surveyor to the Southgate Rural District Council

Miscellaneous.

We have recently had a visit from C. H. O'Grady, who has definitely turned to his first love and is now Boxing Instructor to the Grenadier Guards. Representing army teams in Denmark, Holland, and Scandinavia. he has recently won considerable fame, and his growing collection of cups and other silver baubles testifies to his success in a profession for which physical fitness and a quick thinking brain make him peculiarly fitted.

Mr. J. G. Taylor and Mrs. Taylor have also gladdened Stockton with the light of their presence. As Mr. Taylor called at School and went in the homeward direction, it quite recalled old times to see the number of acquaintances who welcomed him so that his journey became almost a royal progress.

The Old Stocktonian post bag during the past year has included letters from J. Embleton (Northern Goldsmiths' Co., Darlington); G. E. Barnes (apprentice on S.S. "Kingswood"); G. Watson (Cashier to Messrs. Tate, at Leeds); E. Harper (fruit farming in British Columbia); G. A. Adamson (wireless operator on Great Lakes); C. Vayro (Accounts Dept., Shire Hall, Durham); L Lewis (from S Africa—once a great centre half); H. Williams (a stalwart of the Y.M.C A., who deplores the passing of the "good old days"); A. H. Taylor (Ontario, where football apparently has few adherents); W. Dunn (Spennymoor); D. Mackie (an oculist at Warrington), T. Dodds, of London (very complimentary as to our method of subscription demand); W. Readhead, N.W. Frontier Provinces, India); W. S. Shipman (from his own farm in county Durham); E. B. Hopkinson (describes himself as high-class Beef and Pork Purveyor, Middlesbrough); F Hawes (Venezuela-the "Hawsey" of happy memory); W. Brewis (from the heart of the Highlands)); II. R. Jameson (Main Analytical Lab., at Billingham); B. Prest (S.S. "Talamba," Hong Kong, bound for Shaugai and Japan); V. C. Noble (from a bank in New York); I. L. Smith (from a theatrical company in Paris); E. W. Eden (from the oil fields round Lake Maracaibo); H. King (Senior English Master at Taunton's School, Southampton): R. L. Prest (5th Senior Fruit Expert in Queensland); A. Cussons (from a West Australian Farm); T. Barrett with a Motor Firm in India); A. E. Nettleship (engineering in Quebec); D. J. O. Baird (who writes very poetically from Rochester, New York); A. E. Bishop (who recently saw Tom Saunders' first-born in Montreal); F. B. Elders (Luton, the proprietor of a patent baby food); R.W.Dickinson (West Virginia-only exigencies of space prevent as from quoting his whole letter); J. G. Wilson (Nanking); S. R. James (Port Elizabeth, South Africa –now a great expert in ambulance work); R. Rutherford (Tokyo); A. C. Dunthorne (Darlington, designing tanks); J. Hamson, a Paramount Film magnate); P. T. Benson (Buyer for Walker Shipyard, Newcastle); H. Roberts, (Eaglescliffe, making a reputation as an organiser of Foreign Tours).

Some time ago, J. T. Purvis, then on leave from Tanganyika, explained to us that he was hunting big game in the neighbourhood of Sedgefield. The culmination of the hunt later appeared in the local paper under the heading of "Marriages." Other successful hunts were engineered by Eric Dodds (on leave from Malaya) whose marriage to Miss Freda Barratt joined two well known old Stocktonian families together; by John Millar (the victim in this case was the charming Ethel Russell); by W. V. Harris (on leave from Tanganyika); by C. Waller (on leave from the Sudan); by W. Reyer; by F. Heald (whose best man shocked the local inbabitants by turning out in borrowed spats and an ultra spacious tall hat); by W.Cardno (whose nuptials were celebrated with much éclat in Ontario); by H. Bulmer; by N. Rogers (special editions were published by the "Gazette"); by H. Cox; by Dr. J. Livingston; by John Wardell. One learns, too, that a deluge of toast racks has celebrated the subjugation of a hitherto very wary bird in J. Morland,

We understand that Dr. J. Macgregor, lately in the Nigerian Medical Service, will shortly proceed to the Belgian Congo—and that he will not proceed alone.

Among the athletic achievements of the year, T. D. Olver broke the record for the highest score ever made by a member of the Stockton Cricket Club, while R. Gooding for the same Club, after a long and not undistinguished career, reached a century for the first time; H. S. Lodge earned golden opinions as the goalkeeper for Whitby; while L. Lowery was a shining light of the Rugby Club at Norton,

Welcome visitors to the School, in addition to those mentioned above, have been H. Allan (home from India); the brothers T. B. and W. B. Noddings, H. T. Sherwood, C. W. Bond (who laid the Old Boys' wreath on the War Memorial on Nov. 11th), and many others on leave from University or business.

OUR PHOTOGRAPHS.

- Mr. P. V. Pringle: attended the school on the first day it was opened; for the last twenty-three years domiciled in Ireland; a distinguished engineer, an equally distinguished musician, and a cricketer not unknown in Phœnix Park, Dublin.
- Mr. H. P. Allison: holds the post of Gas Engineer at Redcar, a position which he adorns not only because of his technical ability but also because of his courtesy and general level-headedness.
- Mr. A. Rogers: one of a family highly honoured in Old Stocktonian circles. First joint-Secretary of the Association now winning high laurels in the world of municipal finance
- Mr. W. B. Eddy: a pillar of the Thornaby Cricket Club and the best slow bowler in the district. A gentleman who not only on the cricket field but also in private life is a sportsman in the best sense of the term.

The photographs of the following Old Boys have appeared in previous issues:

- 1922—Messrs. H. Heavisides, A. Pickworth, J. H. Pigg, E. Scholes, G. P. Stainsby, G. H. Swinburne, E. M. Taylor, N. Winn.
- 1923-Messrs. W. Brewis. F. W. Dixon, J. Spark, L. T. Winn,
- 1924-Messrs, T. B. Brooke, T. A. Kennedy, T. Olver, C. J. Osborne.
- 1925-Messrs. H. C. Hale, E. Howie, A. E. Lax, V. J. G. Macgregor.
- 1926-Messrs. V. Harris, J. Livingston, T. B. Sharp, J. W. Wardell,
- 1927-Messrs. N. E. Green, F. Hawley, L. Walton, R. B. Wears.
- 1928—Messrs. K. Martin, A. Pickworth, G. F. Rogers, W. Salmon, D. Shepherd.
- 1929 Messrs, Coun. C. W. Allison, C. W. Bond, C. W. Cussons, J. F. Guile.

LIST OF MEMBERS.

Members are requested to inform the Secretary of any change of address as soon as possible.

News of promotions and distinctions, success in examinations or in sport, personal items, etc., will be welcomed,

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                               .. 7 Ellen Avenue
 Smith, G. C.
                               ..Derwent House, Swinburne Road,
                                                                    Eaglescliffe
 Smith, H.
                               ..29 St. Paul's Road, Thornady
 Smith, J. L.
                               .. 10 Shaftesbury Street
 Smith, P.
                               .. The Hall, Bishop Middleham
 Smith, S.
                               .. 15 Durham Street
                              . Front Street, Wheatley Hill
. "Kenilworth," Crossgate Moor, Durham
. "Glenorchy," Newby Terrace
. "Ludlow," Bishopton Road
 Smithson, R., M.P.S.
Soakell, T.
*Spark, G. W.
 *Spark, J.
Spencer, A. E.
Spencer, R. F.
                               .. Otterburn, West Villas
                                       do.
Spink, T.
                              .. 8 Newham Grange Avenue
Spooner, N.
                               .. Suffolk House, Thornaby Village
Spooner, R. W.
                                        do.
Spring, L. E.
                              .. 58 Gray's Road
Stacey, H.
                              · · 47 Buchanan Street
Stainsby, A.
                              .." Oak Lea," Pierremont Rd., Darlington
Stainsby, G. P.,
        A.R.I.B.A., M.R.S.I. 19 Spennithorne Road
Stephenson, A.
                              ..63 Hind Street
Stephenson, A.
                              .. "Craigmore," Craigwell Crescent
Stephenson, T.
                              ...4 Mount Pleasant, Stillington
Stewart, L.
                              .. 30 Samuel Street
Stewart, R.
                              ..
                                     do.
Stewart, W.
                              .. 35 Derwent Street
Stoddart, T., M.P.S.
Stonehouse, J. A.
                              .. William Street, Eston.
                             .. 13 Appleton Road
Stopforth, R.
                             ..65 Station Road, Norton
Stout, J. J.
                              .. 1 Silver Street
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Stubbs, W. ..40 Eton Road .. "Wicklewood," Station Rd., Billingham Sturman, B.F., F.B.O.A. Suthern, A. Suthern, W., B.A. Swinbank, J. M. .. 4 Ford Place ...4 Ford Place ... The Brocks," Sedgefield Swinburne, G. H.,
A.M.I.C.E.,
Taylor, J. G., F.C.S.
Taylor, J. G., M.C., M.A.,
M. Sc., M.I.M.E. .. 21 West Villas ... II West Park Road, Gateshead ..47 Ventnor Gardens, Monkseaton ..West Row, Sadberge ...16 Lorne Street Teasdale, E. Teasdale, N. Temple, K. B.. .. 41 Dixon Street Tennick, E. ...12 Chapel Street, Middleton-St.-George Thatcher, W, A. .. 54 Gravs Road Thomas, E. ... 61 Durham Road ... 6 Nelson Street Thomas, P. W. Thompson, F. .. 19 Newham Grange Avenue Thompson, J. ... 'Cinby," Winchester Lane, Countesthorpe, Thompson, W. Leicester Thompson, G. A. S. .. 72 High Street, Norton Thompson, W. Threlkeld, R. F. ...74 Stanley Street, Norton ..."Eastlea," 248 Haughton Rd., Darlington ...Mill House, Sedgefield ..Y.M.C.A., Pavilion Terrace, Scarborough Tinkler, H. E. Tinkler, S. J. Tindale, W. R. ..Royal Infirmary, Bradford ...114 High Street, Norton Toulson, W. .. "Glenfield," Elton Lane, Yarm, Eaglescliffe .. Boyne Villas, Thorpe Thewles Vayro, C. .. 214 Gilesgate, Durham City Vingoe, A. ... 9 Poplar Grove Wade, W. Wade, R. ..Longnewton Grange ...5 Railway Cottages, Croft ...Braemar, Oxbridge Lane Wadsworth, E. Wake, B. .. North Riding Hotel, Middlesbro' Wake, W. Walls, W. E. do. .. Howden Farm, Norton Walker, C. Walker, E. .. Woodend Farm, Wynyard do. do. Walker, J. C. do. do. Walker, H. .. The Glebe Farm, Norton Walker, T. A. Walker, R. I. ... 6 Park Terrace .. Rectory Road, Sedgefield Waller, Jack Waller, Joseph .. 20 St. Bernard Road ..c/o L.N.E.R. Offices, Goole Waller, J. W. .. Earl's Nook Farm, Cowpen Bewley Walters, G. K. ..45 Dundas Street .." Ashburn," Oxbridge Lane ..4 Belgrave Terrace, South Shields Walton, F. Walton, L. Wanford, N. ... 6 Paradise Row Ward, J. C. .. 20 Raby Road Ward, H. ..c/o Billingham Council School Wardell, James ..26 Elmcroft Crescent, Headstone Lane, North Harrow, Middlesex Wardell, John .. Braemar, Raby Road

.. Hazelhurst, Victoria Avenue

Wardell, H.

*Wardell, J. W., Assoc. Inst., M.M... Eastry House, Yarm-on-Tees Watkin, W. R., M.A. .. County Education Office, Derby ... Hesketh Avenue, Kirkstall, Leeds ... Westleigh," Hartburn Bank Watson, G. Watson, H. Watson, E. S. do. do. Watson, R. .. 81 Waverley Street Wears, R. B. ... 3 St. Paul's St, Webster, M. .. " Holmlea," Fairfield Wedgwood, P. .. 33 Eton Road Welch, T., M.C., M.Sc. .. Alderman Wraith School, Spennymoor Wheatley, L. A. .. 6 Albert Road Whitelaw, S. .. Willem's Barracks, Aldershot Wilkie, S. ... Southolme," Thornaby Village Wilkinson, A. Wilkinson, J. .. 9 Brisbane Grove, Hartburn ..Regent Cafê, High Street, Yarm ..Red House Farm Wilkinson, H. Wilkinson, R. Wilkinson, S. S. Wilkinson, Walter Wilkinson, Wm., B.Sc. .. Elm House, Sedgefield .. West Lodge, Acklam, Middlesbro' ..Lyness, Upgang Lane, Whitby ... Wensley Road Willey, R. Willey, S. G. ..35 William Street ..6 Regent Street Williams, A. Williams, F. .. Belle Vue, Norton Road Williams, R. W. do. Williams, J. ... 3 Dinsdale Terrace Williams, H. ..49 Cecil Street Williams, N. do. Williams, S. do. .. 16 Newby Terrace Williams, R. E. B. Wilson, J., A.C.A. ..c/o Messrs. Gilchrist, Tash & Wilson, 29 Wilson Street, Middlesbrough Wilson, E. ... 2 Norton Junction Wilson, R. ... 2 Norton Junction Wilson, J. do. Wilson, G. A. .. 64 Cecil Street, ..138 Arlington Street ...9 Coast Road, Redcar Wilson, R. Wilson, S. Windsor, H. ..50 Alliance Street .. "Almora," Bishopton Road Windross, R. D. Winn, N. ...4 Newham Grange Avenue, Grange Estate Wood, E. .. 20 Newlands Avenue, Norton Wood, R. D. .. Blakestone House, Norton

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... I Raglan Terrace

Appleby, H. ... 2 Blackett Avenue, Norton Atkinson, W.E.H. ..c/o Marks & Spencers, Ltd., High Street Baylis, E.H. .. 102 Londonderry Road Borthwick, T.S. ... Stanley Street Briggs, G.E. .. 9 Zetland Road Brown, A.L. .. 41 Stanley Street Charlton, J.W. ..24 Newtown Avenue .. "Orchardcroft," Worlingworth, near Cheesbrough, A. Framlingham, Suffolk

Cheesbrough, W.M.

Wrightson, T.

Yellow, T.

.. 85 Southfield Crescent, Norton

Cooke, A. Deans, N.O. Dixon, J. Duffey, J.H. Edwards, H. Embleton, J. Emmerson, L. Farr, J.W. Fieke, E.H. Fletcher, H. Forrest, G. Foster, A.W. Francombe, R. Gibson, J.T.

Glover, F.J. Hall, J. Hewitt, J. Hodgson, J.T. Hume, W.G. Hutchinson, H.J. Ingman, A.L. Lacy, C. Langburn, W.C. Marshall, R.W. Matthews, R. Metcalfe, R. Moore, C. Ord, R. Ould, W.H. Prest, G. Rennie, J.E. Ripley, A.R. Robinson, H.L. Ross, M.K. Sawdon, F. Scott, K.M.

Sharrocks, N. Shelley, T. Smith, W. Smith, W.E. Stoddart, J.E. Summers, D. Swainston, T.N. Thompson, R.S. Thomson, K.B. Tomlin, T.H.C. Usher, E.L. Vickers, C.L. Walker, R.K. Walker, A.P. Walton, C. Walton, R.A. Ward, N. Watson, C. H. Watson, E.R. Watson, C. H. Wild, E.M. Wilson, W.L.

.. Breckon Terrace, Fishburn .. 21 Austin Avenue ... 7 Temperance Street, Haverton Hill. .. 4 Cross Street, Norton .. 18 Askrigg Road .. 247 Geneva Road E., Darlington .. 31 Windsor Road

.. 17 Askrigg Road .. 12 Vicarage Street .. 57 Sheraton Street .. 19 Haswell Street ... I Brankingham Terrace .. West Dene ,Bishopton Road

.. The Old Vicarage, Bp. Middleham, Ferryhill.

..12 West Avenue, Billingham .. High Throston Farm, West Hartlepool .. Hardwick House, Norton Road .. 26 Durham Road .. 3 East View, Middleton-One-Row

..76 Belasis Avenue, Haverton Hill ...4 Grange Avenue .. 10 Grange Avenue

.. II Calffallow Lane, Norton ... I Alpha Street, Norton ..33 Grange Avenue, Billingham ... 2 Dugdale Street

.. 10 Alma Street .. 127 High Street, Norton .. Red Gap, Wolviston ... 17 Lambton Road

. South Belton, Dunbar, East Lothian

.. 17 Kensington Road .. 51 Westbourne Street ..40 Gray's Road. ... Appleton Road ... "Holmegarth," Middleton Lane,

Middleton-St.-George .. 10 Herbert Street

.. Leylands, Bescot Road, Walsall

.. 14 Kirby Street .. 27 Airton Street

.. 155 Marton Road, Middlesbrough.

.. 15 Atterby Terrace .. 40 Moat Street ..72 High Street, Norton ..Manor House Cottage, Hartburn

..48 Grange Avenue

..Boyne Villas, Thorpe Thewles ..34 Craigwell Crescent

..41 Norton Road .. 6 Park Terrace

... Ashburn, Oxbridge Lane

.. Bishopton

... 3 New Row, Middleton-St.-George .. 104 Station Road, Billingham ... New Middleton-St.-George

.. 15 Shaftesbury Street ... 3 Aysgarth Road

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Allan, F.R. Ayre, A.S. Bradley, R.J. Buckle, W. Christie, G.W. Cowan, R. Crozier, H.M. Davey, L.R. Davis, G.W. Davis, L. Dean, K. Dunthorne, J. Fenwick, R. Gibbons, J. Gowthorpe, G. Hall, G.A. Harrison, T.W. Hobson, H. Holmes, L.T. Hume, W.A. Jackson, L. James, T.L. Jeal, T.H. Jones, G.F. Lowson, W. Lowther, W.N. Morris, C.C. Nash, G. Peacock, J.M. Ragsdale, J.H. a/a Raw, R.

Reay, T.H. Reed, E.E. Richardson, A.E. Reynolds, D.D. Robinson, H.L. Sanderson, J. Shields, J.H. Simpson, D.G. Smith, G. Snowdon, F.F. Stainsby, W.A. Taylorson, C.E. Teasdale, W. Thurston, T.W. Walker, W. Ward, R.E. Whitfield, J.R. Wilkinson, D.W. Wilson, A.C. Young, R.A.

.. 17 Vine Street .. Chapel Row, Sadberge ... 5 Roker Terrace

... Ullswater Road

.. 114 Belasis Avenue, Haverton Hill .. Karridale, Harlsey Road, Hartburn

..40 Atterby Terrace ..10 Vicarage Terrace

.. 20 Rodney Street, Haverton Hill

.. 33 Mitre Street

.. 30 Mill Lane, Billingham ..64 Buchanan Street ..99 Station Road, Norton

.. 18 Wynyard Street .. 33 Vicarage Avenue .. 14 Bowron Street .. 30 Walter Street

... Derwent Street

... 7 Grange Avenue, Grange Estate ... East View, Middleton-One-Row

... 3 Dixon Street .. 29 Lawson Street .. 70 Windermere Road

...35 Ware Street ...11 Wooler Crescent, Billingham

.. Spring Street ..41 Woodland Street ... 2 Askrigg Road

.. 14 Stranton Street, Thornaby .. Elmwood Road, Eaglescliffe

..563922, Room 1, Block 11, No. 1 (Apps) Wing, B Squadron, Hulton, Bucks.

..22 Buckingham Road

.. 10 Water View, Middleton-St.-George

.. Montecello, Osborne Road .. 72 Garbutt Street

... Cleveland Avenue, Haverton Hill

.. 26 Wharf Street ... 7 Askrigg Road ..30 Alliance Street

..26 Old Row, Middleton-St.-George

.. I Queen Street ... 9 Burgess Street . . 45 Greta Road, Norton .. West Row, Sadberge .. Thorne Cottage, Sadberge .. 83 Northcote Street ...38 Skinner Street

..38 Central Avenue, Billingham

..West View, Middleton-St.-George ..Vernadale, Junction Road, Norton

.. 105 Londonderry Read

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Aitken, R. M. Atkinson, G. S. Atkinson, J. R. Ball, R. J. Barnes, G. E.

Beadle, J. W. Beard, A. H. Broadbent, J. T. B. Bulman, J. Cartwright, F. Cherrey, R. J. Cornforth, W. W. Davies, A. Daver, R. D. Deans, H. Dennis, A. Dixon, F. J. Douthwaite, H. Dow, W. P. Elliott, J. Elmes, A. W. Farrington, H. G. Fawcett, J.S. Ferguson, N. Hale, H. G. Hallam, R. Harker, G. B. Harker, J. L. Huckle, N. E. Ibbotson, A. Jenkinson, D. Jones, L. W. Lacy, B. Laws, F. Lawson, W. Laycock, L. G. Liddle, J. G. Lister, D. L. Livingston, D. Marwood, K. Newton, H.

Pearson, R. L.
Pennock, C.
Pixton, W. H.
Purnell, R.
Rattray, H. S.
Rogers, J. W.
Rutledge, A. W.
Sharp, G. I.
Shepherd, J. E. C.
Smith, H.
Smith, H. S.

Oliver, R.

Parker, J.

...9 Spring Street ...89 Camden Street ...38 Mill Lane ...9 Linden Avenue

..Dinsdale Spa Golf Club, Middleton-St.-George

..42 Lowson Street, Carlton Ironworks
..45 Grange Avenue

...15 Grange Avenue ...15 Bowser Street ...1 Mellor Street

..5 Cottage Street, Haverton Hill
..22 Hawk Street do.
..84 Norton Avenue, Norton
..9 Corporation Street
..Neasham, Darlington
..21 Austin Avenue

... 10 Ford Place ... 5 Frederick Terrace, Haverton Hill

..13Victoria Street
..4 Lorne Terrace
..15 Langley Street
..36 Hume Street
..51 Eton Road
..27 Atterby Terrace

.. "Blythewood," Middleton-St.-George

...26 Derwent Street
...57 Londonderry Road
...23 Ullswater Road
...24 Sydenham Road
...56 Beaconsfield Street
...14 Starkey Street
...27 Herbert Street
...25 Eamont Road, Norton
...10 Grange Avenue
...54 Hartburn Lane

..60 Belasis Av., Haverton Hill .." Clovelly," Durham Road

.. 19 Allendale Road .. 8 Lambton Road

... Shotton Terrace, Yarm Lane

... 9 Dundas Street ... 18 Castlereagh Road

.."Daryngton," Stakesby Road, Westcliffe, Whitby

...18 Balaclava Street ...65 High Street ...6 Edward Street

... 26 Roscoe Road, Billingham

.. 14 Alma Street

...27 Mond Crescent, Billingham

..29 Kensington Road

...Schoolhouse, Neasham, near Darlington ..."Kirkella," Hartburn Lane

..Raby Farm, Sadberge ..3 Shakespeare Street ..West Bromwich

Smith, F. R. Smith, S. R. .. 13 West Street Sowerby, J. R. ... 8 Queen Street Stephens, A. .. 16 Lindsay Street Stephenson, J. B. .. 10 Stanhope Road Taylor, J. .. Insula Cottages, Bishop Middleham Thompson, F. ... 6 Byron Street .. 73 Collingwood Road, Haverton Hill Tulip, J. R. Turner, C. H. ... 26 Gray's Road Waite, J. C. .. 21 Chaytor Terrace, Fishburn Walden, A. D. .. Hurworth-on-Tees Ward, J. ..51 Skinner Street Wardhaugh, H. ... George Street ..35 Cecil Street Watson, J. C. Watson, S. A.

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Dodds, C. E.	Sabrang Estate, Telek Anson, Lower
*Eden, E. W.	Perak, Malayc/o Caribbean Petroleum Co., Maracaibo.
	Venezuela
Fender, F. Hale, F.	Camden's Hotel, Pietermaritzburg, Natal c/o G.P.O., Kenya Colony, British East
Harland, H. N.	Africac/o Anglo Persian Oil Co., Abadan Refinery, Persia
Harland, J. E.	2nd Engineer, S.S. Invercaibo, c/o The Lajo Oil Co., San Nicholas, Arnba, Dutch West Indies
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Hawes, F.	Tanganyikac/o Caribbean Petroleum Co., Maracaibo,
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	North Coast Line, Queensland, Australia
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	P.O. Box Central 141, Tokyo, Japan, (via Siberia.)
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*Waller, C.	c/o S.G.R. & S., Port Sudan, Sudan
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	St. Vital, Winnipeg, Canada
Wardell, J. N.	122 Rendall Street, Victoria, British Columbia
Whiting, Tom W.	1958 Clinton St., Muskegon, Michigan, U.S.A.
Willey, J.W.R.	c/o Power Gas Corp. Ltd., Beresnike,
	Khimstroy, Ussolie, Verhnekansky, Ural,
Wilson I G.	U.S.S.R.
Wilson, J. G.	e/o International Export, c/o (Ktangsu) Ltd., Nanking, China

OLD STOCKTONIANS.

Statement of Current Receipts and Payments for year ending Sept. 30th, 1930.

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H. NICHOLSON, Hon. Treasurer. N. E. GREEN, Hon. Auditor.

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Summary of Cash Account for year ending Sept. 30th, 1930.

Cash at Bank and in hand, Sept. 30th, 1929 £ s. d £ s. d 54 I 8 Life Members' Deposit Account 16 17 10	£ 70 1			Cash at Bank and in hand, Sept. 30th, 1930. £ s. d General Fund 35 13 0½ Life Members' Deposit Account 41 5 0	s.	
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WINNERS OF DURHAM COUNTY
JUNIOR EXHIBITIONS 1930.

RULES.

Old Stocktonians' Association.

Revised October, 1929.

1.-The name of the Association shall be the "Old Stocktonians."

The "Old Stocktonians" aims at continuing friendships and preserving that spirit of comradeship which ought to exist among those who have been educated at the same school. These aims are to be achieved by means of social, recreative, and educational pursuits.

2.—The Association shall be open to the Old Boys of the Stockton Secondary School and of the late Higher Grade School.

Past and Present members are also eligible.

- 3.—The government of the Association shall be vested in three Presidents, six Vice-Presidents, a Treasurer, two Secretaries and a Committee of sixteen, together with the Secretary of each sub-section.
 - (a) The present and retired headmasters shall be Presidents ex-officio. The third shall be elected annually.

(b) All the other officials shall be elected annually.

(c) A member holding any office shall be eligible for re-election in the following year, in the same or any capacity.

(d) In Committee seven shall form a quorum.

- (e) The Committee shall have power to co-opt any member or members at their discretion for the time being for any particular purpose.
- 4.—The Committee shall have power to refuse membership to any applicant for admission or to ask any member to resign (after investigation by the Committee and confirmation by a general meeting), whose conduct they consider such as to militate against the welfare of the Association.

Each Section shall be self-governing and self-supporting. The Committee, however, shall have power to grant financial

aid to any section.

Each Section shall submit its programme to the General

Committee for approval.

The Annual Subscription shall be one shilling, for the first two years after leaving School-after that it shall be two shillings-payable to any member of the Committee, before January 1st. In lieu of an Annual Subscription, a Life Subscription of twenty-five shillings may be made.

7.—These Rules shall be altered only at the Annual General Meeting, and then only by a two-thirds majority; all motions of such alterations to be in the hands of the Secretaries four days

before the date of such meeting.

8.—The Annual General Meeting shall be held in September or October.

