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Sunderland Bede Collegiate Bovs' School.

SIXTH DRAFT, somewhat Rough and Incomplete, Made July 15th, 1916,

OF AN

OLD BEDANS' ROLL OF HONOUR.

In the FINAL FORM of which Roll it is hoped to place

The NAMES of all OLD BOYS of BEDE SCHOOL (1890-1916)

Who were in any Branch of His Majesty's Military or Naval Forces During the Great War which began in 1014.

EXPLANATORY NOTES.

A. An attempt has been made—partly by advertising in The Times, Sunderland Daily Echo, Newcastle Daily Chronicle, Newcastle Evening Chronicle, Newcastle Daily Journal, North Mail, and Evening Mail; partly by personal inquiries directed to Boys, Old Boys, Parents, and various other people-to procure information as to the (1) Name, (2) Rank, (3) Regiment, Ship, or other Section of the Army or Navy, and (4) Present Station, of EVERY OLD BOY now on military or naval service.

Also, information has been sought with regard to EVERY OLD Boy who, while serving in the War, has (1) Fallen, or (2) Become one of the Missing, or (3) Been Wounded, or (4) Been Taken Prisoner, or (5) Gained Special Distinction.

The particulars obtained have been in some cases full and exact: in others, copious but obscure or contradictory; in others, again, extremely scanty-perhaps a name, and nothing more. And there is good reason for believing that there are hundreds of Old Bedan soldiers and sailors whose

bare names, even, have not been supplied. B. The Roll here given is based upon the materials at present available. It is obviously incomplete, and is perhaps incorrect in several places. But, having been compiled with some amount of care in an honest endeavour to represent the facts as far as they are known, it is more likely to be unsatisfactory on account of omissions than by reason of important mistakes.

The Roll at present contains the Names of 570 Old Bedans (including several who left School to enlist), of whom 521 are in the Army and 49 in the Navv.

An Analysis based on RANK gives the following figures :

a. ARMY: 135 Officers (2 Majors, 15 Captains, 1 Chaplain, 26 Lieutenants, 91 Sec.-Lieutenants). 116 Non-Commissioned Officers (1 Co. Sergt.-Major Instructor, 1 Co. Q.M. Sergt., 1 Squadron Q.M. Sergt., 2 Staff-Sergts., 5 Q.M. Sergts., 32 Sergts., 2 Lance-Sergts, 28 Corporals, 29 Lance-Corporals, 13 Bombardiers, 1 Sec.-Corpl.,

250 Men (181 Privates, 4 Riflemen, 27 Gunners, 10 Drivers, 15 Troopers,

10 Sappers, 2 Second Air Mechanics, 1 Trumpeter). 20 Cadets, O.T.C

b. NAVY: 27 Officers (6 Lieutenants, 1 Navigating Lieutenant, 3 Eng.-Lieuts., 1 Lieut.-Gunner, 2 Naval Instrs., 1 Navig. Officer, 6 Sub-Lieuts., 6 Eng.-Sub-Lieuts.,

22 Men (1 Warrant Eng., 12 E.R. Artificers, 1 Signalman, 1 Gunner, 1 Wireless Operator, 2 Writers, 1 Able Seaman, 1 Ordinary Seaman, 1 Man in Armourer's Crew, 1 Cook's Mate).

[At the foot of the Roll appear the Names of 7 Bede School Masters (1 Killed in action) belonging to the Army. Not being Old Boys of the School, they are not included in the foregoing Analysis; but the Clerk, an Old Boy serving, is so included. Also, the Names of 5 Masters who Attested under Lord Derby's Scheme, are shown at the foot of the Roll.]

Another Analysis of the 570 Old Bedan Soldiers and Sailors in the Roll gives their PLACE f STATION as follows:—

British Isles, 270 (including Wounded and Invalided); British Overseas Dominions (chiefly India and Egypt), 25; At Sea, 46; Salonika and Mesopotamia, 20; France and Flanders, 200. Of the men shown as being in the British Isles, not a few are probably

already abroad, and many others are certain to go abroad before long.

A Third Analysis of the Roll indicates the following facts with regard to Old Boys:--

Killed in action, 26; Died while on Active Service, 2; Wounded or Gassed, 53; Prisoners of War, in Germany, 5 (2 Wounded).

Decorations: Military Cross, 1; Distinguished Conduct Medal, 1; Cross of Chevalier of

Legion of Honour, 1. Mentioned in Despatches, 3.

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p. The Growth of the Roll has been steady. Here are the Dates when the different Drafts of printed, and the Number of Names in each Draft:—rst, Dec., '14, 180; 2nd, March, '15, 240; 3rd, July, '15, 320; 4th, Dec., '15, 440; 5th, April, '16, 5t5; 6th, July, '16, 5rd,

x. The Roll will be augmented and amended from time to time as additional information is received, and will be published afters his each Number of The Bedas which appears during the War. My colleague Mr. (now Gun.) T. H. Blyth assisted me to compile the earlier Drafts. Mr. J. H. Smith-white has helped with the present one. With aview to making the Roll as comprehensive, as up-to-date, and as well-arranged as possible, we shall at all times be glad to receive particulars or suggestions from any quarter. Enlishments, promotions, changes in place of station, and the addition or the alteration of other items, daily combine to render the Roll somewhat kaleidoscopic: it varies in appearance almost incessantly, and is always attractive. To record each new piece of information is to us a labour of love: all that we ask is that any lowly wide notices, and the glad of the property of the matter.

I specially appeal for Names and Particulars of Old Bedans now serving who were at the School fifteen, twenty, or twenty-five years ago. In many cases it is hard or impossible (mainly owing to changes of address) for me to trace nuneteenth-century Old Boys. I therefore beg them, or their relatives or acquaintances, to layour me from time to time with a post-card giving such information as can be embodied in the Roll.

The whole School, is most grateful to Old Boys who have supported, or who are now supporting in arms the cause of King and Country, and also to their parents and friends. We are wishful and eager, as has already been indicated, to have a full list of those Old Boys' names. We shall watch, with pride, interest, sympathy, and affection, the careers of all Old Bedsan taking part in the War; and we shall ever remember with special gratitude the men who fall. We hope and pray that, by making the supprene scarifice, they may gain an even better reward than grateful remembrance. Whosover shall lose his life shall preserve it; and not Bedsan who die in but only many perhaps realise the full again cance of his school motto. Faul Teaches Lax. After Darkness,

G. T. FERGUSON, Headmaster.

"KILLED IN ACTION. 44 26

["Dulce et decorum est pro patria mori." Horace, Carmina.

"Nothing is here for tears; nothing to wail,
Or knock the breast; no weakness, no contempt,

Or knock the breast; no weakness, no contemps,
Dispraise, or blame;—nothing but well and rails,
And what may QUIET us, in a death so NOBLE." Millon, Samson Agonistes.]

BAMFORD, Sec.-Lieut, Harold W. K.S.L.I., B.E.F., France. March, '16. BARLOW, Engineer Lieut. George, B.Sc. (Durham). H.M.S. "Natal". December 30th, '15.

BROWS, Ptc. Burton. 7th D.L.L., B.E.F., Flanders. Whit Monday, May 24th, '15.
BROWS, Ptc. William, S.S.C. Machine Gun Section, 7th D.L.L., B.E.F., Flanders. Whit Monday, May 24th, '15.

BUBB, Lance-Corporal Thomas Barry Lawson. 7th City of London Batt., London Regt., Brit. Exp.

Force, France. June 16th, '15.

Dobson, Private William Graham. 7th D.L.I., B.E.F., Flanders. May 25th, '15. FOWLER, Private George Edwin. 15th (C.S.C.) London Regiment, B.E.F., France. Dec. 23rd, '15.
HASWELL, Lieutenant Frederick. 2nd East Yorks. Regt., B.E.F., Flanders. April 25th, '15. HASWELL, Capt. Gordon, B.A. (Durham), L.R.A.M. 9th King's Own Yorkshire L.I., B.E.F., France, July 2nd, '16.

Hogg, Private Robert. 8th D.L.I., B.E.F., Flanders. April 26th, '15.

IBBITSON, Sec.-Lieut. William Beveridge. 14th (Prince of Wales's Own) West Yorks. Regiment, B.E.F. France. July 1st. '16. IACKSON, Private Israel. 7th Batt. D.L.L. Brit. Exp. Force, Flanders. May 15th, '15.

Leach, Corporal Richard H. 7th D.L.I., B.E.F., Flanders. Whit Monday, May 24th, '15. LOUNTON, Ptc. George. D.L.L., B.E.F., France. June 24,' 16. McCARRY, Sergt, Ambrose Blackett, 3rd Mounted Rifles, Canadian Exp. Force, France. Dec., '15.

MICKELS, Writer Thomas Edward. H.M.S. "Hawke". October 15th, '14.

MONRO, Private Duncan. 7th D.L.I., Brit. Exp. Force, France. May 24th. '15.

NESEITT, Sergeant Thomas Hudson. 5th Batt. Australian Imp. Force, Dardanelles. April 26, '15. PATTISON, Private Charles Lilburn. 7th D.L.I., B.E.F., Flanders. Whit Monday, May 24, '15. PETERSON, Private Harold. 4th Yorks, Crinice of Wales's Own), B.E.F., France. May 18t, '15. Ports, Ordinary Seaman Thomas Fairhead, H.M.S. "Bayano", March 11th, '15. SMITH, Lance-Corpl. Arthur. 7th D.L.I., B.E.F., Flanders. Whit Monday, May 24, '15.

STAFFORD, Private Robert. 8th D.L.I., Brit. Exp. Force, France or Flanders, Between April 28th

and June 26th, '15. TILLEY, Corporal Arthur Boston, Canadian Exp. Force, France. June 15th, '15.

Todd, Private Charles Adolphus. 7th Batt. D.L.I., Brit. Exp. Force. May 31st, '15.

WATSON, Capt. George Carr. M. A. (Cantab.). 6th Batt, Devonshire Regt. Mesopotamia, March 8.'16. [WHITE, Capt. Stewart Alexander, M.A. (Oxon.). North'd Fus. (2nd Tyneside Scottish), B.E.F., France. July 1, '16. A Bede School Master. Not an Old Bedan.

DIED WHILE ON ACTIVE SERVICE.

JOHNSON, Corporal John Wright, Ir. R.A.M.C. Killed in Railway Accident, near Tyne Dock, December 17th, '15.

MITCHELL, Private Norman Cogdon, R Co., R.A.M.C. Died, of appendicitis, in 3rd Northern General Hospital, Sheffield, December 10th, '15.

* WOUNDED OR "GASSED".

This list is very incomplete.

Allison, Corporal Edwin. 7th Royal Sussex, B.E.F., near Loos. Right leg amputated, October, '15. Armstrong, Private H. Oswald. Civil Service Rifles, B.E.F., Frauce. Wounded slightly; Gassed

slightly, twice. Atkins, Private Fred. M. 1st Batt, Scots Guards, Guards Div., B.E.F. Gassed at Loos, Sept. 26, '15.

Beardall, Sec. Lieut. Wilfrid C. 22nd N.F. (3rd Tyneside Scottish), B.E.F., France. Wounded,

Bruce, Lance-Corol, Arthur Stanley, Signal Co., Roy, Naval Div., now B.E.F., France, Wounded Brydon, Corpl. Robert. B.E.F., France. Wounded, Loos, Sept. 26, '15.

Canney, Sec.-Lieut. Ernest E. 10th D.I.I., B.E.F., France. Wounded, Dec. 15, '15.

Chisholm, Lieutenant Robert Oswald. R.N.R., H.M.S. "Velox". Had both legs broken when his ship was mined. Has been in Haslar Hospital many months,

Cook, Private Wayman. 13th Batt., Australian Imperial Force, Dardanelles. Right arm amputated, May 2nd, '15.

Coupland, Private (now Sergt.-Instr.) George, 7th D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Wounded and gassed,

Ypres, May, '15. Dale, Lance-Corporal Theophilus A. R.E., 91st Field Co., B.E.F. Wounded at Loos, Sept. 26, '15.

Durrant, Sergt. Arthur Swaby. 18th D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Wounded, July 2, '16.

Ellis, Private Jas. West. 8th Batt. D.L.I., Brit. Exp. Force. Gassed, May, '15. Fairclough, Lance-Corpl. Robert L. 129th Field Co., R.E., B.E.F., France. Wounded, June, '16. Foulkes, Lieutenant George Boyd, M.A. (Edin.). 6th Royal Scots Fusilers, B.E.F., France. Wounded, September, '15.

Hamilton, Drill Instr. Joseph. 1st East Yorks. Regt., B.E.F., France. Wounded twice, Loos and

Ypres, Sept. '15. Discharged as the result of wounds.

Hands, Pte. Cecil. 18th D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Wounded, July 2, '16.

Hardy, Sergt. (now Lieut.) George R. 10th Batt., 4th Brigade, Canadian Exp. Force, France. Wounded, April 28th, '15.

Harrison, Sergt, Geo, Stephen. Wearside Brigade R.F.A., B.E.F. Leg broken by recoil of gun.

March, '16.

Harrison, Capt. John George. 21st Batt. North'd Fus., B.E.F., France. Wounded, July 2, '16. Hart, Private Geo, M., 7th D.L.I., Brit. Exp. Force. Wounded, May, 15. Prisoner in Germany. Hodgon, Private Geo, P., 4th Batt, D.L.I., Brit. Exp. Force. Wounded, May, 23d, 17. Hogg, Lieutenant Frederick S. R.F.A., B.E.F., France. Wounded, September 30th, 15.

Holmes, Pte. Newby, 18th D.L.I., B.E.F., France, Wounded, July 2, '16.

Hudson, Pte. Stephen L. 18th D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Wounded, July 2, '16.

lacoby, Private Harry, 7th D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Wounded and gassed, July, '15. Jordan, Lieutenant Harold G., B.Sc. (Durham). 10th D.L.I., B.E.F. Wounded, near Loos, Sep-

tember 26th, '15.

Liebrecht, Sec. Lieut. William H. 7th D.L.I., France. Wounded, May, '15. Mackay, Corporal Malcolm J. 19th Yorks, Regt., B.E.F., France. Wounded, October 21st. '15.

Moffitt, Sapper Robert. Royal Anglesev R.E., B.E.F., France. Wounded.

Morgan, Private Stanley Barnsdale. 5th Royal Highlanders of Canada, Canadian Exp. Force, France. Wounded, May 24th, 15.

Newby, Pte. Wm. Allan. 7th D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Wounded, May 24, '15, and again, July, '16. Phalp, Pte. Geo. Stafford. 18th D.I.I., B.E.F., France. Wounded, July 1st, '15. Pollock, Sec.-Lieutenant Charles W., B.A. (Durham). 2nd Batt. Northumberland Fusiliers, Brit.

Exp. Force. Shot through chest, July 6th, '15.

Potts Pte. Wm. Windle. Australian Force. Wounded at Gallipoli. Reed, Lance-Corporal Stanley Spencer. 17th Lancers ("Death or Glory" Boys), Brit. Exp. Force.

Wounded and Frost-bitten, February, '15.
Robson, Sec.-Lieut. Robert Kirkley, B.A. (Durham). 2nd D.L.I. Skull fractured at Hooge,

August oth. '15.

Rudd, Sec.-Corpl. Arnold. R.A.R.E., B.E.F., France. Wounded, June 19th, '16.

Sands, Lance-Corporal Geo. T. 7th Batt. D.L.I., Brit. Exp. Force. Wounded, May 24th, '15. Now Sec.-Lieut., 8th Wilts. Wounded again, July 5th, '16. Scott, Lance-Corpl. Thos. Cuthbert. 7th D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Wounded and taken prisoner,

May 25th. '15. Shields, Sec.-Lieut. Edwin B. 16th D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Wounded, July 1st, '16.

Shields, Sec.-Lieut. F. Trevor. 13th West Yorks., B.E.F., France. Wounded, July 1st, '16. Sladden, Sec.-Lieutenant Harry E., B.A. (Durham). 4th Batt, King's Own Yorks, L.I., Brit. Exp.

Force. Skull fractured, April, '15. Taylor, Warrant Engineer Arthur. H.M.S. "Arethusa". Wounded.

Todd, E.R. Artificer John Osborn, R.N. Wounded in Jutland Battle, May 31st, '16.

Walker, Pte. Wm. Edward. 18th D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Wounded, July 1st, 16.
Watson, Able Seaman Fredk. Walton, H.M.S. "Bacchante". Wounded by shrapnel, Gallipoli, May, '15.

Wayman, Sec.-Lieut. Fawcitt. 20th D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Wounded, July 2nd, '16. Welch, Sergt. John G. E. R.A.M.C., 23rd Gen. Hosp., B.E.F., France. Wounded, April 25th, '16. White, Sec.-Lieut. Wm. J. 15th North'd Fusiliers, B.E.F., France. Wounded, July 2nd, '16-

Wigzell, Private Richard. 12th Batt, Australian Exp. Force, Cairo. Wounded, April 30th, '15. Wilson, Sergeant Percy. 15th D.L.I. Thigh bone fractured, near Loos, September 26th, '15. in 5th Northern General Hospital, Leicester.

Wilson, Lance-Corporal Roy. 21st Royal Fusiliers, B.E.F., France. Wounded in right arm, December 4th, '15. Was in St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London.

PRISONERS IN GERMANY.

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Bell, Pte, John Day, Canadian Expeditionary Force, France. Captured, June, 16. Carter, Private William K. 7th D.L.I., B.E.F., Flanders.

Fawcett, Private Robert. 8th D.L.I., B.E.F. Taken at Ypres, April 25th, '15.
Hart, Private Geo. Manson. 7th D.L.I., B.E.F., Flanders. Wounded and captured, May, '15.
Scott, Lance-Corpl. T. C. 7th D.L.I., B.E.F., Flanders. Wounded and captured, May 25, '15.

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DECORATED OR MENTIONED IN DESPATCHES. (Details of Awards were given in the April Bedan.)

Craven, M.B., B.S. (Durham), Captain Jos. Wilfrid. 1st Northumbrian Field Amb., R.A.M.C. Awarded, by French Republic, Cross of Chevalier of Legion of Honour, Nov. 6, '15. Mentioned in Sir John French's Despatch, Nov. 30, '15.

Lindsay, Pte. J. F. A. Homer, 5th Batt. Can. Exp. Force, France. Awarded D.C.M., Jan. 4, '16, for

gallantry under fire between Dec. 12-14, '15. Mitchell, Lieutenant Wm. McGregor, A.V.C., 1st Guards' Brigade, B.E.F., France. Sir John French's Despatch, June 23, '15. Mentioned in

Neill, Sec.-Lieut. Robt. Macfarlane, 3rd Batt. Royal Scots Fusiliers (attached 27th Brig.), B.E.F.

France. Awarded the Military Cross on Dec. 24, '15, for gallantry in the field on Nov. 24, '15. Nesbitt, Sergt. Thos. Hudson, 5th Batt. Australian I.F., Dardanelles. Killed in action, April 26, '15. Mentioned in Despatches to Australian Government.

GENERAL ROLL (IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER).

[" Remember the Lord and fight for your brethren, your sons, and your daughters, your wives, and your houses."—Nehemiah iv. 14.1

Abrahams, Mark, '07. Priv., 19th Batt. Northumberland Fusiliers, Morpeth.

Adie, Septimus James, '02, Sec.-Lieut., 8th Wiltshires, B.M.E.F., Egypt, Formerly Minister, U.M.F.C.,

Glyncorrwg. Aitchison, George L., '12. Lance-Corporal, 2/10th Batt. Middlesex Regt., B.M.E.F. Invalided from

Gallipoli, with enteric fever. Was in Hospital, Manchester.

Alder, Percy, '10. Driver, Army Service Corps, Doncaster. Allan, Robert. ''99. Private, 20th D.L.I., B.E.F., France.

*Allison, Edwin, '02. Corpl., 7th Royal Sussex Regt., B.E.F. Wounded (right leg amputated) near Loos,

October, '15. Was in Nottingham General Hospital. Recovering from second operation.

Allison, Geo. Fred, '95. Corpl., Machine Gun Section, 18th (S) D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Formerly B.M.E.F. Allison, Reginald Gibbon, '96. Driver M.T., A.S.C., attached to R.E., B.E.F., France.

Allison, Robt. Stafford, '07. Lance-Corpl., B Squadron, 1st Div., Northumberland Hussars, B.E.F. Ambler, Edward, '13. Sergt., 23rd Batt. D.L.I., Hornsea.

Anderson, George, '06. Engineer Sub-Lieut., H.M.S. "Marlborough", 1st Battle Squadron.

Armstrong, Gilbert G., B.A. (Durham), '10. Sec-Lieut., 2nd Northumberland Fusiliers, India.

*Armstrong, H. Oswald, '11. Private, Civil Service Rifles, B.E.F., France. Wounded slightly; gassed slightly, twice.

Asher, Sydney, '12. Private, 20th D.L.I., B.E.F., France.

*Atkins, Fred. M., '09. Priv., 1st Batt. Scots Guards, Guards' Div., B.E.F., France. Gassed at Loos. Atkins, Osborne, 11. Trooper, Hampshire Carbineers. Atkins, Percy '06. Navigating Lieut., H.M.S. "Terrible", recently at Dardanelles. Formerly Lieut.,

H.M.S. "Ramsay". Was in Dogger Bank Battle, Jan. 24, '15; saw "Blucher" sunk. Was one of 27 rescued out of crew of 180 when "Ramsey" was sunk by German ship " Meteor", Aug. 8, '15.

Atlay, Thos. A., '01. Quartermaster-Sergt., 7th (Service) Batt. D.L.I., British Exp. Force. Auld, Robertson, '08. Trooper, Leicestershire Yeomanry, British Exp. Force.

Ayers, Arthur Fletcher, '14. Private, 20th D.L.I., B.E.F., France.

Baillie, Jno. Henry, '02. Priv., Queen Victoria Rifles, B.E.F., France.

Baillie, Andrew Welcome, '10. Priv., R.A.M.C., Twezeldown.

*Bamford, Harold W., 'vl. See-Lieut, K.S.L.L, B.E.P., France. Promoted to commissioned rank for gallant conduct in the field. Died at Le Touquet, March, '16, from wounds received in

action on Nov. 26, '15. Barclay, Frank O., '12. Gunner, Wearside Brigade R.G.A., Tidworth, Hants.

Barker, Charles F., '93. Farrier-Sergeant, 116th Heavy Battery, R.G.A., B.E.F., France. Served in China (Boxer Rising), the Philippines (U.S.A. against Spain), and in South African War. **Bartow, George, B.Sc. (Durham), '03. Engineer Lieut., H.M.S. "Natal". Killed when ship was des-

troyed by internal explosion, Dec. 30, '15.

Barron, Arthur, '10. Gunner, 142nd (Durham) R.G.A., H.B., B.E.F., France. Baty, Robert Wilson, '05. Sub-Lieut., R.N.R., H.M.Y. "Amalthia". Beal, William Ernest, '11. Gunner, R.G.A., Hull.

*Beardall, Wilfrid, C., '09. Sec-Lieut., 22nd Batt. Northumb'd Fusiliers (3rd Tyneside Scottish), B.E.F., France. Wounded July 2nd, '16.

Beattie, Stewart Nugent, '13. Sec.-Lieut., 3rd South Staffordshires, Earsdon.

Beaty, Arthur Ernest, '01. Private, 3/9th Manchesters, Witley, Milford, Godalming.

Bell, Arthur Osborne, '12. Priv., 18th Batt. D.L.I., B.M.E.F., Egypt. Bell, David Ernest, '02. Trooper, Maxim Gun Section, Queen's Own Yorks. Dragoons, Bridlington.

Bell, George, '15. Sec.-Lieut., Machine Gun Corps, B.E.F., France.

Bell, Howard, '09. Sec-Lieut., Indian Army Officers' Reserve. Bell, John Day, '04. Pte., Canadian Exp. Force, France. Taken Prisoner of War, June, '16. Now in Germany.

Benson, Charles G., '08. Gunner, Durham R.G.A. (Heavy Battery), Sunderland.

Berg, Benjamin, '04. Pte., Army Veterinary Corps, Doncaster. Berg, Joseph, '05. Pte., A.V.C., Doncaster

Bernstein, Lionel, '13. Priv., R.A.M.C., B.E.F.

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Birse, Harold, '0s. Sapper, Telegraphic Dept., R.E., B.E.F., France.

Blakeman, Thomas H., '99. Staff-Sergt., A.S.C., British Exp. Force, France.

Blakey, Richard P., '94. Lieut., 19th Batt. Alberta Dragoons, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada. Blenkinsop, John H., '97. Quartermaster-Sergt., 7th (Service) D.L.I., British Exp. Force.

Blyth, James Wm., '01. Sapper, R.E., Chatham. Boggon, Henry Hopper, '11. Sec.-Lieut., 15th Northumberland Fusiliers, Penkridge, Stafford.

Boustead, Edward Pawson, 12. Private, Northumbrian Cyclist Corps, Tynemouth. Bowes, Alfred Stanley, '09. Lieut., 7th D.L.I. Invalided from Armentières with shell deafness.

Bray, Ernest C. W., '08. Corp., R.E., Motor Cycle Dispatch Rider, Aldershot. Brewis, Percy V. S., '06. Ptc., 20th D.L.I., B.E.F., France.

Brierley, Harold H., B.Sc. (Durham), '07. Sec-Lieut., 12th Northumberland Fusiliers, Tring, Herts. Brough, George T. C., '12. Cadet, O.T.C., Armstrong College, Newcastle.

Browell, Charles William, '08. Corporal, Durham R.E., Jarrow.

Brown, Benj. Albert, '09. Sec.-Lieut., Tunnelling Co., R.E., Chatham. **Brows, Burron, '05. Ptc., 7th D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Killed in action, Whit Monday, May 24, '15

Brown, Charles E., '13, Rifleman, Queen's Westmiester Rifles, Hazely Down, Winchester,

Brown, Joseph, '09. Corporal, Durham R.G.A., Sunderland. Brown, Percy Haswell, '03, Priv., 5th Batt, Royal Sussex,

Brown, Robert, '97. Corporal, 5th Siege Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery, B.E.F., France.

Brown, Vernon, B.Sc. (Durham) '10. Captain, Northern Cyclist Batt., Farnley Park. Brown, William, '96. Priv., 7th (Service) D.L.I., British Exp. Force, France.

**Brown, William, S.S.C., '01. Priv., Machine Gun Section, 7th D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Killed in action,

May 24th, 1915. Brown, Wm. Cuthbert, S.S.C., '99. Sec.-Lieut., 21st D.L.I., B.E.F., France; formerly Sergeant,

Honourable Artillery Company, British Exp. Force.

Browne, Wm. Eddington, '09. Corpl., 23rd Kes. Batt. Canadians, West Sandling, Kent. Bruce, Arthur Stanley, '04. Lance-Corpl., Signal Company, Royal Naval Div., now B.E.F., France.

Wounded and invalided from Dardanelles; after recovery was at Salonika. Brydon, Robert, '10. Corp., 10th Batt. Yorkshire Regt., B.E.F., France. Wounded at Loos, Sept.

26th, '15. Now with 11th Batt., Rugeley Camp, Staffs. **Bubb, Thomas Barry Lawson, '09. Lance-Corporal., 7th City of London Batt. London Regt., British Exp. Force. Killed in Action, June 16th, 1915.

Bundred, Jas. W., '00. Navigating Officer, H.M.A.S. "Aorangi." Burnham, Bennett, '08. Private, New Zealand Contingent, B.M.E.F., Alexandria.

Burnham, Norman Oliver, '06. Sub.-Lieut., Royal Naval Reserve, H.M.S. "Defiance".

Burnham, Roger, '07. Private, New Zealand Contingent, B.M.E.F., Alexandria. Burt, Harold, 10. Pte., R.A.M.C., B.E.F., France.

Butterfield, John Wilson, '05. Sec.-Lieut., 20th D.L.I., B.E.F., France; formerly Private, 19th Northum berland Fusitiers, Salisbury Plain, Byers, Alexander William, '96. Corporal, R.E., Tyne Garrison, Newcastle.

Byers, Arthur Kenneth, '09. Corp., R.E., Motor Cycle Dispatch Rider, B.E.F., France.

Cairns, Herbert, B.A. (Oxon.), '10. Lance-Corp., 2nd Cadet Co., Inns of Court O.T.C., Berkhamsted. Cairns, John Alex, '12. Priv., Northumbrian Divisional Cycling Co., Whickham.

Cairns, Thos., '12. Gunner, 147nd (Durham) R.G.A., H.B., B.E.F., France. Cameron, Ailan Gordon, 05. Sec.-Lieut., R.G.A., (East Riding), Immingham.

Cameron, Ernest, '94. Capt., 19th D.L.I., B.E.F., France.

Cameron, Percy B., '01. Lieut., 142nd (Durham) R.G.A., H.B., B.E.F., France. Campbell, John, B.A. (Oxon.), '10. Sec.-Lieut., Royal Marine L.I., Portsmouth Div., Forton, Gosport.

Campbell, W. E. H., '11. Sec Lieut., Gunnery Instructor, West Riding R.F.A., Ripon. Candlish, Leslie S., '12. Driver, 2/3rd Northumberland Brigade, R.F.A., Low Fell.

Candlish, Wm. C., '11. Driver, 2/3rd Northumberland Brigade, R.F.A., Low Fell.

*Canney, Ernest E.,' 13. Sec.-Licut., 10th D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Wounded, December 15, '15. Now in

France again. Canney, Joseph R., '11. Priv., 14th County of London Batt. London Scottish, British Exp. Force. Now in London, Inns of Court O.T.C.

Carr, John F., 10. Priv., Machine Gunner, 7th (Service) D.L.I., Brit. Exp. Force, Carr, Thos. Maughan, '10. Pte., Motor Transport, A.S.C., 8th G.H.Q., Amm. Col., B.E.F., France. Carr, W.H. Sowan, '07. E.R.A., M.M. S. "Fishgrand", Pottsmouth. Carr, W.H. Survey, 10. Pte., A.S.C., Supply Depót, Leith Fort.

Carter, Frank, '02. Priv., 1/7th D.L.I., British Exp. Force, France.

Carter, Joseph, '12. Lance Corpl., M.M.P., Headquarters, 50th Div., B.E.F. France. Carter, Victor, '12. Priv., 7th (Reserves) D.L.I., Sunderland.

Carter, Wm. K., '06. Priv., 7th (Service) D.L.I., British Exp. Force, A prisoner in Germany. Cartledge, James, '13. Private, 29th Field Ambulance, R.A.M.C., B.E.F., France.

Cawthorne, William James, '01. Corporal, Army Service Corps, India. Chapman, David Markwell, B.Sc. (Durham, '91. Sec.-Lieut., 10th East Surrey Regt., Youghal.

Chappel, James, '96. Gunner, R.G.A., Inchkeith, Firth of Forth. Chick, Harry Thos., '04. Sec.-Lieut., 30th Northumberland Fusiliers (Local Reserve), formerly

Gunner, R.G.A., Heavy Battery.

Chisholm, George William, '06. Lieut., H.M. Patrol Boat "Enterprise". Recently in Red Sea. *Chisholm, Robert Oswald, '02. Lieut. (R.N.R.), H.M.S. "Velox". Had both legs broken when his ship

(a destroyer) was mined. Has been in Haslar Hospital many mouths. Chrishop, Wm. Ernest, '09. Gunner, Anti-aircraft Section, Shoeburyness.

Clifford, Rev. Ernest O., B.A. (Oxon.), '95. Chaplain. 10th Batt. York & Lance. Regt., B.E.F., France. Coates, Wilfrid Brian, '13. Cadet, Officers' Training Corps, Royal Grammar School, Newcastle,

Compton, Geo. Haddon, '03. Bombardier, 4th Res. Battery, R.F.A., Ipswich. *Cook, Wayman, '03. Priv., 13th Batt. Australian Imperial Force, Dardanelles. Wounded, Arm ampu

tated, May 2nd, '15. Cooper, Robert Ernest, '99. Private, 32nd Batt. Canadian Expeditionary Force, Shorncliffe.

Cory, Sydney S., '06. Corporal, Northumberland Hussars, Scarborough; formerly Brit. Exp. Force. Cottam, Hubert F., 12. Cadet, O.T.C., Armstrong College, Newcastle.

Coulson, Alfred, '95. Private, 9th D.L.I., Dunston. Coupland, George, '95. Sergeant Instructor, 7th Res. D.L.I., Horton Camp, Cramlington. Formerly Priv., 7th (Service) D.L.I., Brit. Exp. Force. Wounded and gassed. Invalided home from Ypres, May. '15.

Cowan, Arthur, '04. Pte., 18th D.L.I., B.E.F., France.

Cowell, Arthur W., '01. Private, 7th Infantry Brigade, Australian Imperial Force, Egypt. Cowey, Foster, '08. Private, Royal Naval Division, R.A.M.C., Blandford, Dorset. Cowey, Joseph, '98. Bombardier, 14th H.B., R.G.A., B.E.F., France.

†Craven, Jos. Wilfrid, M.B., B.S. (Durham), '05. Captain, 1st Northumbrian Field Ambulance, R.A.M.C., B.E.F. Awarded, by French Republic, Cross of a Chevalier of the Legion of Honour,

Nov. 6, '15. Mentioned in Sir John French's Despatch, Nov. 30, '15. Crawford, Reginald Dixie, B.A. (Durham), '09. Sec. Lieut., 3/7th Northumberland Fusiliers, B.E.F., France, Cudworth, Reginald, '99. Sergeant, Artists' Rifles O.T.U.

Dale, Theophilus A., '09. Lance Corpl., R.E., 91st Field Company, B.E.F., France. Wounded at Loos,

September 26th, '15. Davidson, Arthur S., '99. Cadet, D Co., Officers' Cadet Batt., Whewell's Court, Trinity Coll., Cambridge. Formerly Priv., 21st (Service) Batt., Royal Fusiliers, B.E.F., France.

Davison, Benjamin Gee, '13. Gunner, (Durham) R.G.A., H.B., Sunderland. Davison, Wm., '10. Lieut., 2nd D.L.I., Brit. Exp. Force, France. Davison, William, '10. Pte., 24th Royal Fusiliers, B.E.F., France. Davison, Fred, '02. Priv., 192nd Battery, R.F.A., Norwich.

Davison, Wm. Storey, '11. Priv., (Clerk), A.S.O., 39th Divisional Train, B.E.F., France. Dickeson, Arthur, '13. Priv., 23rd Provisional Batt., Atwick, Hull. Dixon, Harold N., '06. Q.M. Sergeaut, 5th D.L.I., B.E.F., France.

Dixon, Jas. Ed., '09. Sec.-Lient., 20th D.L.I., B.E.F., France.

Dixon, ans. Ed., ov. Sec.-Heiti, 2010 D.L.I., D.L.F., France.

Dobson, G. D. R., 97. Sec.-Lieut (fornerly Priv.), 7th (Service) D.L.I., Brit. Exp. Force, France.

Dobson, Harrison, '99. Priv., 18th (Service) D.L.I., B.M.E.F.

Dobson, Wm. Allison, '11. Priv., 9th. Batt, Northumberland Fusiliers, Quayside Co., 2nd Army H.Q.,

B.E.F., France.

**Dobson, Wm. Graham, '08. Priv, 7th (Service) D.L.I., Brit. Exp. Force. Killed in action, May 25, '15 Dodd, Wm. D., '92. Bombardier, 3rd Brigade C.F.A., Canadian Exp. Force, France, Dodd, Urwin H., '00. Sec.-Lieut., 29th North'd Fus. (Tyneside Scottish), Hornsea. Dodds, Walter Hubert, '12. Sec.-Lieut., Durham (Fortress) R.E., Durham.

Donovan, Fred, '01. Sub-Lieut., R.N.R., H.M.S. "Fiona."

Douglas, Alf. Goldsmith, '04. Pte., A Co., 22nd D.L.I., B.E.F., France.

Douglas, Robert M., '06. Priv., British East African Pioneers, Field Telegraph Force, British E. Africa Dowley, Chas., '07. Sergt., A.S.C., Bradford.

Downes, Geo. Walker, '08. Sapper, R.E., Salisbury Plain.

Downs, Herbert, '03. Private, R.A.M.C., B.E.F., France.

Duckett, Lewis, '08. Ptc., 4/2 London Regt. R.F., Hurdcott, Salisbury.

Dumble, Jos. Lonsdale, '06. Sub.-Lieut., H.M. Patrol Yacht "Rivinski", R.N.R. Dunning, Alfred, '07. Engine Room Artificer, H.M.S." Prince of Wales", 5th Battle Squadron.

Dunning, Geo. C., '02. Engine Room Artificer, R.N.R., H.M.S. "Watchful". *Durrant, Arthur Swaby, '12. Sergeant, 18th D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Wounded, July 2nd, '16.

Easton, Robt, Miller, '16. Sergt., 11th Batt. Yorks. Regt. (Princess of Wales's Own), Rugeley Camp, Staffs. Edmundson, Geo. E., '10. Priv., A.S.C., Mechanical Transport, Brit. Exp. Force, France.

Edward, Jas. S., '09. Trooper, Northumberland Hussars, British Exp. Force, France. Edward, Osmond, '12. Driver, R.F.A., 92nd Ammunition Column, B.E.F., France.

Eggleston, Alex. '12. Lance-Corporal, 7th D.L.I., Benton.

Eggleston, Ernest, '11. Pte., London Scottish, Mortlake, Surrey.

Elliott, Thomas, '05. Bombardier, R.G.A., Fulwell.

*Ellis, Jas. West, '08. Priv., 8th Batt. D.L.I., Brit Exp. Force. "Gassed", May, 15. Now at Railway Office, Boulogne. Ellis, Robert S., '15. Priv., Motor Transport Section, A.S.C., 24th Field Batt., B.E.F., France.

Esdon, John Chas., '05. E.R.A., H.M.S. "Larkspur", R.N.R. Formerly Pte., 2nd Tyneside Scottish, Northumberland Fusiliers.

Etherington, Geo. Lord, '09. Trooper, Australian Light Horse.

Faichen, Jas. Aitchison, '10. Pte., Inns of Court O.T.C., London.

Faichen, Thos. Alex., '11. Gunner, 61st Siege Battery, R.G.A., B.E.F., France.
Fairclough, Robert L., '05. Laune-Corporal, 129th Field Co., E.E., B.E.F., Prance.
Wounded, June, '16.
Fairclough, Stewart M., '09. Private, New Yealand Contingent, B.M.E.F., Mesopotamia.

Fairclough, Wilfrid, M.B., B.S. (Durham), '96. Lieut., R.A.M.C., Field Ambulance, formerly in Gallipoli.

Was in hospital, Alexandria ; at present in England.

Fawcett, Reginald, '04. Private, R.A.M.C., Royal Herbert Hospital, Woolwich. Fawcett, Robert, '10. Private, 8th D.L.I. Prisoner in Germany : taken at battle of Ypres, April 25th, '15.

Fearon, Chas. Alf., '09. Driver, Northumberland Divisional Train, A.S.C., Gateshead.
Ferens, Leslie H., '09. Lance-Corporal, A.S.C., Aldershot.

Ferens, Lesie H., O. Lance-Copient, A.S.C., Assessander Ferguson, Andre Save, V. Lance-Copient, A.S.C., Assessander Ferguson, Andre Save, V. Lance, V. L. Lance, V. Lance, V. L. Lance, V. L. Lance, V. L. Lance, V. L. Lance, V. Lance, V. L. Lance, V. Lance, V. L. Lance, V. L. Lance, V. L. Lance, V. L. Lance, V. Lance, V. L. Lance, V. Lance, V.

Forster, Harry, '06. Trooper, Northumberland Hussars, Headquarters Staff, ith Div., B.E.F., France.

Forster, Wm. Atkinson, '11. Priv., A.S.C., B.E.F., France.
*Foulkes, Geo. Boyd, M.A. (Edin.), '09. Lieut., 6th Royal Scots Fusiliers, B.E.F. Wounded about

September, '15.

Foulkes, James, '09. Private, 20th D.L.I., B.E.F., France. **Fowler, George Edwin, '97. Private, 15th London Regt., Civil Service Corps, B.E.F. Wounded twice

and recovered. Finally, Killed in action, Dec. 23, '15. Fowler, John W. D., '91. Sergt., 20th D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Fowler, William Peel, '97. Engineer Sub-Lieut., H.M.S. "Hibernia."

Gaines, Chris., '01. Priv., Comrades' Batt., 19th D.L.I., B.E.F., France.

Gibson, Stanley Rutherford, B.A. (Cantab.), '09. Pte., Artists' Rifles, London, Gill, Frederick John, '12. Trooper, Northumberland Hussars, Stocksfield-on-Tyne. Goldsbrough, Harry, '00. Cadet, O.T.C., Armstrong College, Newcastle. Goldsbrough, Wilfrid, '06. Private, 15th West Yorks. Regiment (Leeds Pals' Battalion), Ripon. Goodrick, Walter R., '08. Captain, 7th (Service) D.L.I., Brit, Exp. Force, France,

Graham, Jas. H., '01. Coy. Quartermaster Sergt., Northumbrian (50th) Div'l Train, A.S.C., Newcastle, Grayston, Edward T., '01. Sub-Lieut., Transport Officer, Royal Navy, Invergordon.

Gravston, John W., M.A. (Edin.), '03. Lieut., 5th Div. R.G.A., British Exp. Force, France, Grumitt, Corrie, '14. Rifleman, 19th King's Royal Rifles, Wimbledon,

Grumitt, Francis H., C.A., '04. Pte., Home Service, Penang, Straits Settlements. Grigg, Raymond, '05. Sec.-Lieut., 3/5th K.O.Y.L.L. Clipstone, Notts.

Gunn, Ronald W. Craig, '10. Sec.-Lieut., 3rd Sherwood Foresters, Sea Lane, Sunderland,

Haddock, William, '14 Cadet, No. 4 Officers' Cadet Batt., Oxford. Hall, Albert A., B.A. (Durham), '10. Sec.-Lieut., 5th Batt. Northumberland Fusiliers.

Hall, Rev. Frank Gardner, B.A. (Cantab.), '05. Sec.-Lieut., R.F.A., 72nd Bde., B.E.F., France. Hall, Rowley, '09. Lance-Corporal, 17th Batt D.L.I., Barnard Castle.

*Hamilton, Joseph, '05. Drill Instructor, C Co., 1st East Yorks, Regt. B.E.F., France. Wounded twice. Sept., '1". Discharged owing to defective eyesight, the result of wounds.

*Hands, Cecil, '15. Priv., County Batt. 18th (S.) D.L.I., 31st Inf. Brig., B.M.E.F., Egypt. Afterwards B.E.F., France. Wounded, July 2nd, '16. Now in 2nd London Gen. Hosp., St. Mark's

Coll., Chelsea. *Hardy, Geo. R., '07. Lieut., 10th Batt., 4th Brigade, Canadian Exp. Force, France. Formerly

Quartermaster Sergt. Wounded April 28th. '15. Harrison, Edward, '09. Sec.-Lieut., Tyne Electrical Engineers, Gosport.

*Harrison, Geo. Stephen, '15. Sergeant, Wearside Brigade, R.F.A., B.E.F., France. In hospital, Boulogne. Leg broken by recoil of gun.

*Harrison, John George, '03. Captain, 21st Batt. Northumberland Fusiliers, B.E.F., France. Wounded July 2, '16. In Empress Eugénie's Private Hospital, Farnborough. Harrison, Osmond, '14. Cadet, O.T.C., Armstrong College, Newcastle.

Harrison, Percy, '03. Bombardier, Heavy Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery, Whitburn. *Hart, Geo. M., '09. Priv., 7th (Service) D.L.I., B.E.F. Wounded, May, '15. A prisoner in Germany.

**HASWELL, FREDERIC, '11. Lieut., 2nd East Yorks. Regt., B.E.F. Killed in Action, Ap. 25, '15. **Haswell, Gordon, B.A. (Durham), L.R.A.M., '10. Captain, 9th King's Own Yorkshire L.I., B.E.F., France. Killed in action, July 2, '16.

Hately, William, '04. Engine Room Artificer, H.M.S. "Havelock", Mediterranean Fleet. Haward, John, '03. Sapper, R.E., Seaford. Hay, Norman, '10. Priv., Border Regt., Seaford.

Hay, William H., '10. Priv., Army Cycle Corps, A.S.C., Mediterranean Exp. Force.

Helm, Geo. Mewse, '10. Private, Royal Army Medical Corps, H.M. Hospital Ship "Devanha", B.M.E.F. Henry, Gordon Campbell, '11. Pte., Ministers' Unit, R.A.M.C., Hillsborough Barracks, Sheffield. Henry, Stanley, B.A. (Lond.), A.K.C., '10. Sec.-Lieut., Machine Gun Corps, B.E.F., France.

Herring, James M., B.A. (Durham), '11. Sec.-Lieut., 9th D.L.I., B.E.F., Erance. Hetherington, Thomas, '03. Engineer Sub.-Lieut., R.N.R., H.M.S. "Motagua"

Hetherington, Thos W., B.A. (Camb.), '11. Lieut., 12th Batt. D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Hewitt, Wm. Hy., '10. Priv., Motor Transport, A.S.C., Alexandria, Heys, Harold Claughton, '05. Private, Army Service Corps, Aldershot.

Heys, William Thompson, '11. Cadet, O.T.C., Armstrong College, Newcastle. Hindmarch, Harold, 15. Gunner, Durham Royal Garrison Artillery, Heavy Battery, Sunderland.

Hipwood, Richard W., 12. Lance-Corporal, 21st Batt. Welsh Regiment, Kinmel Park, St. Asaph.

Hodge, Tom S., '00. Lieut., R.N.R., H.M.S. "Vulcan.", Leith.
Hodgson, Alfred, '96. Pte., 13th Batt. Northumberland Fusiliers, B.E.F., France.

Hodgson, Bryan, '03. Engineer-Lieut., Royal Navy, H.M.S. "Britannia"

Hodson, Geo. P., '10. Priv., 7th (Service) D.L.I., Brit. Exp. Force. Wounded (chest: bullet still in), at Ypres, May 23rd, '15. Now attached to 23rd Provisional Batt., Clacton-on-Sea. *Hogg, Fred. S., '07. Lieut., Royal Field Artillery, B.E.F. Wounded, September 30th, '15.

* Hogg, Robert, '11. Priv., 8th Batt., D.L.I., Brit. Exp. Force. Killed in Action, April 26th, 1915. Holmes, Arthur Ernest, '99. Pte., R.A.M.C., Mesopotamia.

*Holmes, Newby, '07. Priv., 18th D.L.I., B.M.E.F.; afterwards, B.E.F., France. Wounded July 2, '16. Holroyd, Haviland Charlton, '11. Wireless Operator., Wrecked in H.M.S. "Ocean". Present address:

Rinella, W/T Station, c/o H.M.S. "Egmont", Malta.

Home, Albt. Edmund, '98. Sec.-Lient., 7th Res. North'd. Fusiliers, Redcar. Formerly Cadet, Artists'

Rifles, O.T.C. Hope, Ernest S., '02. Sergeant, 16th Service Batt., Northumberland Fusiliers, B.E.F., France

Horan, James Knox, '12. Gunner, Royal Garrison Artillery, Co. Donegal. Now recalled to Sunderland, to do Govt, Engineering work.

Horton, John William, 13. Writer, H.M.S. "Tyne". Horwood, Wm. Henry, '09. E.R.A., R.N. Was in Jutland Battle.

Hounam, Geo. L., '13. Lance-Corporal, Northumbrian Divisional Train., A.S.C., Ripon. Howe, Wm. Wigham. '06. Private, 11th Royal Warwickshire (Commercial) Regt., Sutton Coldfield. Howitt, James, '93. Sergt., A Co., 7th D.L.I., B.E.F., France.

Hoy, John, '06. Sapper, 2/1st Northumbrian Div. R.E., Salonika. *Hudson, Stephen L., '08. Priv., 18th Batt., D.L.I., B.E.F. France. Wounded, July 2, '16. Now in

hospital at Birmingham. Formerly B.M.E.F., Egypt. Hudson, Wm A., '12. Sergt., Army Veterinary Corps, Bridge of Allan, Stirling.

Hugall, Geo. Archibald, '05. Priv., R.G.A., Heavy Battery, Cleadon.

Hugill, John, '05. Gunner, Durham Royal Garrison Artillery, Tidworth, Hants. Hunnam, Wm., '02. Priv., 18th (Service) Batt., D.L.I., B.M.E.F.

Hunter, Reginald, '11. Cadet, Officers' Training Corps, Durham University, Newcastle. Hutchinson, Jos. A., '11. Priv., 33rd Field Ambulance, R.A.M.C., Hillsborough, Sheffield.

**IBBITSON, WILLIAM BEVERIDGE, '09. Sec-Lieut., 14th (Prince of Wales's Own) West Yorks. Regt., B.E.F. France. Killed in action, July 1, '16.

Iliff, Eric, '11. Lance-Corporal, 2/7th D.L.I., Warmworth Hall, Doncaster.

**JACKSON, ISRAEL, '09. Priv., 7th (Service) Batt., D.L.I., British Exp. Force, Killed in Action, May 15th, 1915.

Jacobs, Cyril, '00. Captain, Royal Army Medical Corps. Jacoby, Harry, '01. Priv., 7th (Service) Batt., D.L.I., B.E.F. Wounded and gassed, July, '15.

Returned to France.

Jameson, Sydney, '16. Pte., 3/7th D.L.I., Byker. Johnson, Henry Charlton, '07. Second Air Mechanic, Royal Flying Corps, Ascot.

JOHNSON, JOHN WRIGHT, '08. Corporal, Army Service Corps, Alnwick. Killed in Railway Accident, near Tyne Dock, December 17th, '15.

Johnson, Wm. Wilson, '14. Driver, 2/3rd Northumbrian R.F.A., Low Fell. Johnston, Geo., '09. Sergt., R.F.A., Low Fell, Gateshead.

Jolly, Cecil C., 00. Cadet, O.T.C., Armstrong College, Newcastle. Jopling, Ford, '99. Sec.-Lieut., Scottish Horse.

*Jordan, Harold G., B.Sc., (Durham), '03. Lieut., 10th (Service) Batt., D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Wounded near Loos, September 26th, 1915.

Joseph, Julius H., '13. Priv., R.A.M.C., Woolwich. Joycev, Matthew W., '91. Sapper, R.E., 3rd Signalling Co., British Exp. Force, France,

Jupe, Alfred, '06. Lieut., R.N.V.R., B.M.E.F., Alexandria.

Kay, Herbert, '08. Pte., 32nd Res. Northumberland Fusiliers, Harrogate.

Kemp, Fredk. Chas., '01. Pte., 25th Batt. Royal Fusiliers (Fronticrsmen), East Africa. Kent, Maurice, '09. Trooper, Northumberland Hussars, Gosforth.

Kieffer, Alfred C., '03, Gunner, Wearside Brigade R.F.A., Tidworth, Hants.

Kirton, Chater Melville, '06. Gunner, Brigade Amm. Col., 148th Brigade R.F.A., B.E.F., France. Körner, Theodore, '98. Trooper, 30th British Columbian Horse, Vancouver City.

Laidler, Robt., '09. Priv., 6th Batt., East Yorks. Regt., Grantham. Lattimer, Fred H., '08, Priv., 18th Batt., D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Laycock, Joseph E., '15. Gunner, Royal Garrison Artillery, Dover.

Lawrence, Alfred, '11. Bombardier, C Battery, 160th (Wearside) Brigade, R.F.A., Corton, Salisbury Plain

Lawson, John J., '09. Priv., Motor Transport, A.S.C., London. Lawther, Frederick, '08. Priv., R.A.M.C., Darlington. **Leach, Richard H., '03. Corporal, 7th (Service), D.L.I., B.E.F. Killed in Action, Whit Monday, '15

Leadbitter, Charles Oscar, '02. Private, 26th Batt. Royal Fusiliers, Marlow, Bucks. Lee, F. Rupert M., '15. Private, 28th Batt. (Artists' Rifles), London Regt., London. Lee, Lionel J., '02. Sergeant, 16th Batt., King's Royal Rifles. B.E.F., France.

Lee, W. Gordon C., '15. Rifleman, 19th Batt. King's Royal Rifles, B.E.F., France.

*Liebrecht, William H., '05. Sec.-Lieut. (late Sergt.-Major), 7th D.L.I., B.E.F. Wounded, May, '15. Liley, Wm., '10. Gunner, 142nd (Durham) Heavy Battery, 35th Brigade R.G.A., B.E.F., France. thLindsay, J. F. A. Homer, '10. Priv., 5th Batt. Canadian Exp. Force, France. Awarded the D.C.M., Jan. 4, '16, for gallantry under fire between Dec. 12 and 14, '15.

Lindsay, W. Justice Homer, '11. Driver, 183rd Hampstead R.F.A., Aldershot.

Lindsley, Henry W., '08. Sec.-Lieut, 2/3rd Northumbrian Brigade, R.F.A., B.E.F., France.

Linton, Thos. E., '07. Priv., 6th Royal Highlanders (Black Watch), Dundee.

Lish, Matthew, '05. Priv., 16th Batt., Northumberland Fusiliers, B.E.F., France. Lish, Wilfred, '11. Priv., 7th D.L.I., Atwick, near Hornsea.

Lister, Matthew, '00. Sergt., Signalling Company R.E., Alexandria.

Lister, Samuel, B.Sc. (Durham), '00. Naval Instructor, R.N., H.M.S. "Hindustan". Logan, Wm., B.A. (Oxford), '02. Lieut., 4th Batt., Devonshire Regt., India.

**Loundon, George, '99. Pte., D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Killed in action, June 24, '16.

Lumsden, Charles D., '04. Sec.-Lieut., 11th York and Lancaster Regt. Lvnn, Stanley, '07. Lance-Corporal, 7th (Service) D.L.I., Brit. Exp. Force, France.

Macdonald, Arthur Charles de Pelton, '06. Lieut., Black Watch; formerly Private, London Scottish, B.E.F. MacDonald, Kenneth, '12. Sec. Lieut., 3/5th Northumberland Fusiliers; formerly Private, Northumbrian Divisional Cycling Co.

MacDonald, Ranald, '16. Pte., 3/7th D.L.I., Byker.

Mackay, Fredk. Horace, '16. Cadet, O.T.C., Armstrong College, Newcastle. *Mackay, Malcolm J., '12. Corporal, 19th Yorkshire Regt., B.E.F. Wounded, Oct. 51st, '15. Now at

Depot, Richmond.

Macnair, David, M.D., (Edin.) '03. Capt., 25th Field Ambulance, R.A.M.C., British Exp. Force, (16 months). Now training Ambulance men, Luton.

Macnair, Ian A. F., '07. Corporal, Despatch Rider, Northumberland Hussars, 'carborough.

Macnair, James, '98. Lieut., 3/3 Northumbrian Brigade R.F.A., Ripon; formerly Sergt., Northumberland Hussars, British Exp. Force, France (10 months). Macnair, Thos. Dunlop, '98. Sec. Licut., 3/3 Northumbrian Brigade R F.A., Ripon; formerly Sergeant,

Northumberland Hussars, British Exp. Force, France (1 year. Mahaffy, Thos. N., '09. Priv., 13th Batt., 7th Yorkshire Regt., Wareham

Manners, Frank, 13. Priv., Farrier, Transport Section. 2/7th D.L.I., B.E.F., France.

Matthew, Chas., '05. Corporal 7th Batt., Rifle Brigade, Maxfield, Thomas, '06. Private, Royal Army Medical Corps, B.E.F., France. McAlpine, William, '09. Private, 9th Field Co., 7th Division, Royal Engineers, B.F.F., France.

McBay, William, '98. Sec.-Lieut., D.L.I. McCormack, Joseph F., '13. Sec.-Licut., Sherwood Foresters, B.M.E.F., Salonika.

McDonald, Hugh C., '95. Sergt., 16th Batt., North'd Fusiliers, 96th Infantry Brigade, B.E.F., Fr ncc. McEwen, James Stephen, '07. Corporal, 8th Duke of Cornwall L.I., Sutton Veny, Wilts.

**McGarry, Ambrose Blackett, '98. Sergt., 3rd Mounted Rifles, Canadian Exp. Force, France. Kulled in action, Dec., '15.

McIntyre, Reginald John, '12. Sec.-Lieut., 13th (Reserve) H.L.I., Hipswell Camp, Kichmond. McKenzie, Frederick, '12. Priv., A.S.C., 96 Company, B.M.E.F., Salonika.

McKenzie, Frederick E., '10. Priv., 1st Batt., London Scottish. McKenzie, Joseph P., '96. Sergt., 1st Batt. King's Royal Rifles, B.E.F., France.

McLaren, James, '98. Major.

McLean, Richard S. '09. Gunner, R.G.A., Cleadon.

McLean, Walter, '05. Priv., 2nd Reserve, West Riding Field Ambulance, R.A.M.C.T., Leeds. McMillan, John, '00. Engineer-Lieut., H.M.S. "Lancaster".

McMillan, Wm. F., B.Sc. (London), '10. Sec-Lieut., 15th (Service) Batt., Northumberland Fusiliers, B.E.F., France.

Meadows, John, '07. Priv., 23rd Provisional Batt., Hornsea. Melvin, Ralph T., B.Sc. (London), '09. Sapper, R.E., 93rd Field Co., B.E.F., France.

Meredith, Henry, '09. Lieut., Royal Engineers, Hants.; formerly Private, London Scottish.

Metcalfe, Alfred, '05. Bombardier, A Battery, R.F.A., 51st Brigade, 9th Scottish Division, B.E.F., France Metcalfe, Edwin, '99. Sergt., No. 4 Siege Co., R.A.R.E., B.E.F., France. Metcalfe, Thomas Harrison, '11. Lance-Corpl., 20th D.L.I., Aldershot.

**MICKELS, THOMAS EDWARD, '08. Writer, H.M.S. "Hawke". Killed in Action, October 15th, 1914

Miller, Wm. W., '09. Priv., Border Regt. Pioneers, Maidstone.

Mills, Frederick, '11. Cadet, O.T.C., Armstrong College, Newcastle.

Mills, George, '10. Pte, 11th Canadian Field Ambulance. Minns, Stokeld, '04. Pte., Duke of Connaught's Own Rifles, 29th Vancouver Batt., 2nd Canadian Overseas

Force, France.

Mitchell, Douglas, '13. Corporal, 1st Northumbrian R.F.A., B.E.F., France. Mitchell, Geo. Oliver, '06. Capt., Transport Officer, 82nd Field Ambulance, B.M.E.F., Salonika. Mitchell, James, '06. Engineer Sub.-Lieut., H.M.S. "Jupiter II" (mine sweeper).

MITCHELL, NORMAN COGDON, '10. Pte., R Coy., R.A.M.C. Died, of appendicitis, 3rd Northern Gen. Hosp., Sheffield, Dec. 19, '15.

Mitchell, Roderick S. F., '10. Sec.-Lieut., 23rd Res. D.L.I., Richmond ; formerly Gunner, R.F.A. Mitchell, Thos. M., '10. Capt., A.V.C., 28th Div., B.M.E.F., Salonika; formerly B.E.F., France.

Mitchell, Victor C., '00. Corporal, 86th Field Ambulance, R.A.M.C., 28th Division, B.M.E.F., Salonika;

++Mitchell, Wm. McGregor, '01. Captain., A.V.C., 1st Guards' Brigade, B.E.F., France. Mentioned in Sir John French's Despatch, June 23rd, 1915. Moffitt, Jas. Prior, B.A. (Cantab.). '11. Sec.-Lieut., 14th D.L.I., B.E.F., France; formerly Lance-

Corporal, Lord Durham's County Batt., 18th D.L.I. *Moffitt, Robert, '10. Sapper, Royal Anglesey Royal Engineers, B.E.F., France. Wounded.

Moncur, James, '10. Sergt., R.A.M.C., B.E.F., France.

**Morr, DUNCAN, '13. Priv., 7th Batt., D.L.I., Brit. Exp. Force. Killed in Action, May 24-26th, '15. Moor, Wm. J., '95. Major, Northern Cyclists Batt., Chapel St. Leonard's, Lincolnshire.

Mcore, Alfred S., '02. Gunner, R.G.A., Great Yarmouth. *Morgan, Stanley Barnsdale, '07. Priv., 5th Royal Highlanders of Canada, Canadian Exp. Force, France.

Wounded, May 24th, '15. Morris, Peter C., '08. Priv., 18th (Service) Batt. D.L.I.-formerly. Now making munitions. Murray, Cyril Aubrey, '05. Sec. Lieut., 18th (S) Northumberland Fusiliers, 1st Tyneside Pioneers, Leyburn

Muscat, Nathan, B.A. (Lond.), '09. Pte., Ministers' Unit, R.A.M.C., Llandrindod Wells. Mushens, Charles, '11. Private, R.A.M.C., 2nd Malta Company, St. Andrew's Hospital, Malta.

Neasham, Arch., '96. Staff Sergt., 2nd Eastern General Hospital, R.A.M.C.T., Brighton Neill, Charles Victor, '14. Pte., Coldstream Guards, Caterham. Formerly Sec.-Lieut., 20th D.L.I.,

Barnard Castle, Commission resigned, ++Neill, R. Macfarlane, '12. Sec-Lieut, 3rd Batt Royal Scots Fusiliers (attached 27th Brig.), B.E.F., France. Awarded the Military Cross on Dec. 24, '15, for gallantry in the field on

Nov. 24, '15. **NESBITT, THOMAS HUDSON, '95. Sergeant, 5th Batt. Australian Imperial Force, Dardanelles. Killed in

Action, April 26th, '15. Mentioned in Despatches to Austrulian Government.

Newby, Wm. Allan, '09. Priv., 7th Batt. D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Wounded, Whit Monday, 1915. Wounded again, July, 1916. Now in Nottingham Hospital.

Nicholson, Sim F., '97. Corporal, 19th (Service) Batt., D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Nicholson, Stanley, '07. Sergeant, Durham R.G.A., Heavy Battery, B.E.F., France, Nicholl, Alexander, '07. See-Lieut. (Icomerly Quartermaster Sergt.), '7th Batt. D.L.I., Doncaster, Noble, William Straughair, '08. Private, 1st Tyneside Scottish (Northd. Fus.), B.E.F., France.

Oliver, Wm. J., '01. Lieut., 19th (Service) Batt., D.L.I., B.E.F., France.

Ord, Gilbert, '09. Bombardier, C Battery, 69th Brigade R.F.A., 13th Division, B.M.E.F. Oughton, Ernest, '99. Sec.-Lieut., 4th Royal Irish Fusiliers, Holywood, Co. Down. Oughton, Percy Bulmer, '04. Bombardier, 1/1 Welsh Howitzer Brigade, R.F.A., B.E.F., France.

Pallister, John, '06. Sec.-Lieut., R.G.A., Anti-Aircraft Section, Pelaw. Paton, Fred, '06. Gunnery Sub-Lieut., R.N.R., H.M. Yacht "Bacchante II."

*PATTISON, CHARLES LILBURN, '08. Priv., 7th Batt., D.L.I., B.E.F., Flanders. Killed in action, May 24, '15.

Pattison, Alfred N., '03. Sec -Lieut., 17th (Service) Batt., Northum'd Fusiliers, King George Dock, Hull Pearson, Alfred, '11. Priv., 7th Batt., D.L.I.

Pearson, James Humphrey, '06. Pte., 8th D.L.I., Doncaster.

Pederson, Waldemar Julius, '15. Pte. (Fitter), 3/4 Northumbrian Howitzer Bde., R.F.A., Winchester. Perris, Eric Loftus, '07. Sec.-Lieut. (formerly Lance-Corporal), 4th Yorks., Northallerton.

**Peterson, Harold, '08. Priv., 4th Yorks. (Prince of Wales's Own), Brit. Exp. Force. Killed in Action, May 1st, '15. Peterson, Thomas, '06. Lieut, (Gunner), H.M.S., "Carron," Royal Naval Reserve.

*Phalp, George Stafford, '09. Private, 18th (S) D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Wounded, July 1, '16. Now in

Reading Hospital. Formerly B.M.E.F., Egypt.

Phorson, Frank, '12. Driver, 2/3rd Northumberland Brigade, R.F.A., Low Fell. Pickard, Fredk. Wm., '12. Bombardier, Wearside Batt., R.G.A., B.E.F., France.

Pigg, Norman B., '11. Sec.-Lieut., Northumb'd Fusiliers, Richmond; formerly Priv., 8th Batt., D.L.I. Pinchen, John Allen, '15. Lance-Corporal, Northumbrian Divisional Cycling Co., Retford.

Plumpton, John Almi, 193. Bombardier, A/70 Brigade, R.F.A., 15th Division, B.E.F., France.

*Pollock, Chas. W., B.A. (Durham), '11. Lieut., 2nd Batt., NorthumbTd Fusiliers, Brit. Exp. Force. Wounded, July 6th, 1915. In France again.

Pool, James Berkelev, '14. Cadet, O.T.C., Armstrong College, Newcastle.

Pope, Wm. Stanley, '99. Sergeant, 1st Newcastle Batt., Northd. Fusiliers, B.E.F., France. Porteous, George, Jun., '93. Capt., 19th Batt., Welsh Regiment, B.E.F., France. Porteus, Joseph, '15. Rifleman, 19th Batt. King's Royal Rifles, B.E.F., France.

Potts, Frank Wm., '09. Sec.-Lieut., 4th Northumbrian Howitzer F.A., Winchester; formerly Trooper, Northumberland Hussars, British Exp. Force., France (12 months).

Potts, James Hunter, '07. Sub.-Lieut., Royal Naval Reserve.

**POTTS, THOMAS FAIRHEAD, '09. Ordinary Seaman, H.M.S. "Bayano". Killed in Action, March 11th, 1915.

*Potts, Wm. Windle, '03. Ptc., Australian Force (Perth, W.A.). Wounded at Gallipoli. Discharged

owing to wounds. Prince, Thomas, '93. Sergeant, 2/7th D.L.I., Doncaster.

Procter, George Donkin, '07. Sec. Lieut., Royal Field Artillery, B.E.F., France. Proud, Wm. J., '07. Lieut., 1st King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry, B.E.F., France.

Pyburn, Frank, '08. Pte., Army Ordnance Corps, Aldershot.

Pyburn, Walter, '13. Corpl., D.L.I. Assistant Drill Instructor, Cleadon.

Quenet, William McDonald, '11. Pte., 2/7 H.L.I., Banbury. Formerly Cadet, O.T.C., Armstrong College Newcastle.

Ramsay, Charles, '06. Sec.-Lieut., 6th D.L.I., Doncaster. Ramsay, Robert Watson, '11. Quartermaster Sergt., Wearside Brigade, R.F.A., B.E.F., France.

Ranson, Edward Clark, '02. Pte., O.T.C., London. Ranson, Henry M., '03. Squadron Quartermaster-Sergt, A.S.C., G Squadron, Remount Depôt, Bristol.

Reah, Albert Allan, '11. Sec.-Lieut., 21st D.L.I., Richmond. Reed, George, '00. Private, R.A.M.C., East Lancashire Field Ambulance, 42nd Division, B.M.E.F.

Reed, Richard, '02. Artificer-Sergeant, R.E., Despatch Rider, British Exp. Force, France. *Reed, Stanley Spencer, '02. Lance Corporal, 17th Lancers ("Death or Glory" Boys). Wounded and

Frost-bitten, British Exp. Force, February, 1915. Subsequently at Record Office, Canterbury, and in Ireland. Now again B.E.F., France.

Reeves, Howell, '98. Private, 66th Batt., Alberta Dragoons, Edmonton, Alberta.

Renney, Clarence H., S.S.C., '03. Sec.-Lieut., Northumbrian Brigade, R.F.A., B.E.F., France. Renney, Wm. Dunbar, '03. Sec.-Lieut., 3rd Northumbrian R.F.A., Durham. Richardson, Albert, '05. Gunner, R.G.A., Heavy Battery, Cleadon.

Richardson, Hugh Booth, '13. Private, 28th Batt. (Artists' Rifles), London Regiment, London.

Richardson, Matthew, '10. Pte., A.S.C., 689 Co., Hungerford, Berks. Richardson Norman, B.A. (Durham), '11. Sec-Lieut., 3rd D.L.I., South Shields.

Richardson, Percival, '01. Sec.-Lieut., Royal Engineers, Salonika.

Richardson, Wm. H., '09. Sec. Lieut., 3/6th D.L.I., Darlington.

Risdon, Harold, '97. Lieut., 20th D.L.I., B.E.F., France; formerly Company Sergt. Major, 2nd City 1 London Regt., B.E.F.

Robertson, Neil McLeod, '02. Priv., R.A.M.C., Brit. Exp. Force, France.

Robinson, Edgar, '07. Priv., 4th Queen's Regt., Secundarabad.

Robinson, J. Chas., '98. Priv., 5th Batt. West Yorks Regt. (Prince of Wales's Own), York. Robley, Wilfrid Foster, '11, Gunner, R.F.A.

Robson, Alan, '09. Sec.-Lieut., 14th Batt. Royal Fusiliers, Ireland; formerly Trooper, A Squadron, 2nd Troop, 10th Royal Hussars, B.E.F., France.

Robson, George Fredk., '05. Trooper, Northumberland Hussars I.Y., B.E.F., France. Robson, Henry Laidlaw, '11. Lance-Corpl., A.S.C., B.E.F., France.

Robson, James Heward, '15. Sec. Lieut., Machine Gun Corps, B.E.F., France.

Robson, Joseph Herbert, '05. E.R.A., H.M.S. "Lupin".

*Robson, Robert K., B.A. (Durham), '11. Lieutenant, 2nd Batt. D.L.I., Brit. Exp Force. Wounded at Hoogs, August 9th, '15. Has had second operation, Hamerton Hosp., Sunderland.

Robson, Wm., '03. Lance-Sergeant, 17th (2nd Res.) D.L.I., Rugeley, Cannock Chase.

Rogers, Thomas W., '05. Corporal, 7th (S.) Batt, D.L.I., Brit, Exp. Force, France.

Roscoe, Edgar, '11. Lieut., 22nd Batt., Northumberland Fusiliers, (3rd Batt., Tyneside Scottish) H.Q., 102nd Brig., B.E.F., France.

Rothfield, Abraham, B.A. (Durham), '06. Sec.-Lieut., 14th D.L.I., B.E.F., France; formerly Priv., Civil

Service Rifles, 4th London Infantry Brigade, Brit. Exp. Force.
Rothfield, Isaac, B.A. (Cantab.), '11. Sec.-Lieut., 16th King's Own Liverpool Regt., Prees Heath. *Rudd, Arnold, '11. Second-Corporal, Royal Anglesey R.E., B.E.F., France. Wounded, June 19, '16.

Salter, Cyril Jeffries, '03. Lieut., Royal Naval Reserve, H.M. Patrol Yacht "Sapphire II".

*Sands, Geo. T., '07. Sec.-Lieut., 8th Wilts., ; formerly Lance-Corp., 7th (Service) Batt., D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Wounded, May 24, '15. And again, July 5th, '16. In Lincoln Hospital.

Scorer, Whitfield, '15. Priv., Northumbrian Divisional Cycling Co., Retford.

Scott, Fred. Dawson, '10. Sapper, Royal Anglesey R.E., B.E.F., France. Se tt. Robert Watson, '98. Private, 2nd Overseas Draft, 54th Batt, Canadian Expeditionary Force.

Scott, Thos., B.A. (Durham), '10. Sapper, Northumbrian Div. R.E., Tyne Dock. *Scott, Thos. Cuthbert, '11. Lance-Corpl., 7th D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Wounded, and taken prisoner, May 25, '15. Now at Merseburg, Germany

Sephton, Robert Wilson. '13. Private, 18th (S) D.L.I., B.M.E.F.

In hospital at Belfast.

Shaw, Robert, '95. Lieut., 10th (S.) Batt. Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers. Seaford, Sussex. Sheraton, Wm. Fred., '13. Pte., C Co., 2/6 H.L.I., Maldon, Essex.

"Shields, Edwin B., '05. Sec. Lieut., 16th Batt. D.L.I., B.E.F., Fra ce. Wounded, July 1, '16. Now in Second Western Gen. Hosp., Manchester. Formerly Trooper, Royal Horse Guards Blue.

Shields, Fred T., '07. Sec-Lieut. 13th Batt. West Yorks., B.E.F., France. Wounded, July 1, '16. Now in Northumb'd War Hosp., Gosforth. Formerly Trooper, Royal Horse Guards Blue.

Shiells, Jas. R., '10. Priv., 7th Batt., D.L.I., British Exp. Force, France.

Short, Norman Fredk., '14. Gunner, B.G.A., 21st Siege Battery, B.E.F., France.
Simpson, Henry S., '10. Driver, A.S.C., No. 3 Co., 1st Northumbrian Divisional Train, B.E.F., France.

Simpson, William, '09. Pte., A Coy., 2/15th (P.W.O., C.S.R.) London Regt., near Warminster. *Sladden, Harry E., B.A., (Durham) '10. Sec-Lieut., 4th Batt., King's Own Yorks, L.I., British Exp. Force. Wounded, April, 1915. Commission resigned.

Slawther, Lancelot, '11. Private, Army Service Corps, Aldershot. Slight, Tom, '12. Lance-Corporal, Northumbrian Divisional Cycling Co., Darlington.

*SMITH. ARTHUR, '02. Lance-Corporal, 1/7th D.L.I., B.E.F., Flanders. Killed in action, Whit Monday,

May 24th, '15.

Smith, Geo C., '13. Private, 10th Batt., Middlesex Regt., Fort William, Calcutta, Smith, Gordon Huntley, '13. Sec. Lieut., A Battery 253rd Northumbrian Brigade, R.F.A., B.E.F., France. Smith, Harold, B.A. (Cantab.), M.Sc. (Dun., '07. Naval Instructor, Royal Naval College, Greenwich.
Smith, K. Ivor S., M.B., B.S. (Durham), '09. Captain, 2/1 Northumb ian Field Amb., R.A.M.C.,

Racecourse, Doncaster, Smith, Sydney J. C., '14. Sec.-Lieut., B Echelon, D.A.C., R.F.A., 50th Div., B.E.F., France.

Smith, Thos. Henry, '00. Sec.-Lieut., 185th Co. R.E., B.E.F., France.

Southwell, Henry, '06. E.R.A., Submarine G3.

Southwick, Arthur, '07. Private, No. 44 S Company, A.O.C., B.M.E.F.

Spain, Isaac, '05. Sec.-Lieut., Tyneside Irish Batt., Northumberland Fusiliers, B.E.F., France

Speight, Arthur, '11. Lance-Corporal, 7th Batt., D.L.I., Brit. Exp. Force, France.

Speight, Ronald, '11. Private, C Company, Royal Engineers, B.E.F., France.
Spencer, Percy, '94. Capt. (and Adjutant), 20th D.L.I., B.E.F., France; formerly Sergt., 14th D.L.I.

STAFFORD, ROBERT, '08. Priv., 8th Batt., D.L.I., Brit. Exp. Force. Killed in Action, between April 28th and June 26th, '15.

Stephenson, George, '15. Pte., C Coy., 21st D.L.I., Scotton Camp, Catterick.

Stephenson, Harold, '11. Second Air Mechanic, 9th R.A.S., Royal Flying Corps, Norwich; formerly Priv., Northern Cyclists Batt.

Stephenson, Thos. N., '13. Priv., 6th Batt., Queen Alexandra's Own (Yorks.) Regt., B.M.E.F. Invalided. Was in 21st Gen. Hospital, Alexandria,

Stoddart, Francis, '14. Private, Signalling Section, 3/7th D.L.I., Houghton-le-Spring. Stokoe, Wm., '07. Pte., Lord Durham's County Batt., 18th (S) D.L.I., B E.F., France; formerly B.M.E.F.

Storey, George, '11. Priv., Northern Cyclists' Batt., Ashington. Suffield, Norman Lionel, '09. Gunner, Royal Garrison Artillery, Hull

Summerbell, Alex. Wm., '09. Pte., 18th D.L.I., B.E.F., France.

Sutcliffe, Ronald, '13. Sec-Lieut., 23rd Res. Batt. D.L.I., Allwick Camp, Hornsea; formerly 19th D.L.I., B.E.F., France.

Swann, Chris. S., '07. Sec.-Lieut., Royal Garrison Artillery, Tynemouth.

Tate, Harold, '97. Corporal, Coldstream Guards, Windsor. Taylor, Alex., '03. Engine Room Artificer, H.M.S. "Devonshire."

Taylor, Arthur, '02. Warrant Engineer, R.N.R. In H.M.S. "Arethusa" when she went down, but was rescued, wounded and unconscious.

Teasdale, Jas. Harrison, '08. Pte., R.A.M.C., B.M.E.F., Alexandria.

Thackray, Alf. Thos., '13. Sec.-Lieut., 9th East Yorks. Thomas, Brynmor, '10. Trooper, Northumberland Hussars, Salisbury Plain.

Thompson, Herbert, '02. Sec.-Lieut. (late Sergt.), 7th Batt., D.L.I. Scouts, B.E.F., France.

Thompson, Jos. Blake, '01. Pte., R.A.M.C., So. African Exp. Force, Bournemouth.

Thompson, John Ridley, M.Sc. (Durham), '03. Lance-Corporal Cadet, O.T.C., Armstrong Coll., Newcastle. Thompson, Percy Noel, '05. Priv., R.A.M.C., British Exp. Force, France.

Thomson, Lancelot George, '03. Sergeant, 41st Siege Battery, Clarence Barracks, Portsmouth. Was in

Hartlepool Bombardment. Thornton, John, '96. Engine Room Artificer, H.M.S. "Loyal."

**TILLEY, ARTHUR BOSTON., '07. Corporal, Canadian Exp. Force, France. Killed in Action, June 15, '15

Todd, Alex., '10. Priv., 14th Batt. D.L.I., High Wycombe.

*Todd, Charles Adolphus, '06. Priv., 7th Batt. D.L.I., Brit. Exp. Force. Killed in Action, May 31, '15

Todd, James Dowell, '08. Sec. Lieut., 13th West Yorks. (Prince of Wales's Own), Stafford. *Todd, John Osborn, '00. E.R.A., R.N. Wounded in Jutland Battle, May 31st, '16.

Tonkinson, John Alfred, '07. Engine Room Artificer, H.M.S. "Liberty".

Topel, Oscar, '12. Gunner, Durham R.G.A., B.E.F., France.

Torbet, Jas. R., '10. Gunner, Durham R.G.A., B.E.F., France.
Towns, Robt. B., '96. Bombardier, D Battery, 190th Brig., R.F.A., 34th Div., B.E.F., France.
Turner, Class. '07. Sec.-Lieut., 2/3rd Northumbrian Brigade, Low Fell.

Turner, Wm. Hogg, '13. Cadet, O.T.C., Cadet Base, Cambridge.

Turpie, John Frederick, '14. Cadet, O.T.C., Armstrong College, Newcastle.

Turpin, Ernest, '66. Priv., Northern Cyclists' Batt.
Turpin, Frederick Vernon, '04. In Armourer's Crew, H.M.S. "Barham".

Tweedie, Douglas, '10. Sergt., Northern Cyclists' Batt., Morpeth.

Ure, Harold Oswald, '01. Lance-Corporal, Royal Engineers, Signalling Co., Stevenage, Herts.

Wade, Chas. Herbert, '03. Sec.-Lieut., 9th D.L.I., Rothbury; formerly Lance-Corpl., 7th D.L.I., B.E.F.

Wade, Horace Leslie, '09. Gunner, 160th Royal Field Artillery, Salisbury Plain. Wade, Wm. C. O., '07. Priv., 16th (Commercial) Batt., Northumberland Fusiliers, B.E.F., France. Walker, Cecil, '11. Gunner, Durham R.G.A., H.B., Sunderland.

Walker, Charles, '11. Private, 13th Batt. Yorks. Regiment, B.E.F., France. Walker, Ernest Henry, '93. Pte., 21st D.L.I., Hornsea.

Walker, James, '16. Pte., 21st D.L.I., Hornsea. Walker, Wm. Edward, '12. Priv., Lord Durham's Batt., 18th D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Wounded (four

places), July 1, '16. Formerly B.M.E.F. (Egypt).

Walker, Wm. Ewart, '12. Priv., 2/7th Batt., D.L.I., Doncaster, Walker, Wm. Pitt, '09. Lieut., Wearside Brigade R.G.A., B.E.F., France. Walton, Norman George, '07. Priv., 2/7th D.L.I., Claeton-on-Sea,

Wanless, Chas. E. O., '11. Priv., 8th Batt., D.L.I., Heworth. Wardropper, Harry, '10. Corpl., R.A.M.C., No. 5 Field Amb., 2nd Div., B.E.F., France.

Warren, Wm., '09. Sergt., R.G.A., B.E.F., France.

Watson, Charles Henry, '01. Cadet, O.T.C. (Cavalry), Kildare. Formerly Trooper, City of London Yeomanry (Rough Riders), 2nd Mounted Division, B.M.E.F. (Egypt and Gallipoli). Invalided (septic poisoning) from Suvla Bay.

Watson, Ed. Lord, '07. Lieut., 6th (Service) Batt., Devonshire Regt., Mesopotamia.

*Watson, Fredk. Walton, '07. Able Seaman, H.M.S. "Bacchante". fook part in Battle of Heligoland Bight, and Landing and Evacuation Operations at Anzac and Suvla Bay. Slightly wounded, May, '15, **WATSON, GEO. CARR, M.A. (Cambridge), '03. Capt., 6th (Service) Batt., Devonshire Regt. Killed in

action, in Mesopotamia, March 8, 16.

Watson, Geo. Franks, '08. Signalman, R.N.V.R., H.M.S. "Canning".

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Watson, Stanley, '09. Private, A.O.C., Woolwich,

Watt, Wm., '12. Cook's Mate, Royal Naval Air Service, Redcar.

*Wayman, Fawcit, '15. Sec.-Lieut., 20th D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Wounded, July 2, '16.

Wayman, Paul, '90. Pte., A.S.C., K Co., Thornhill Camp, Aldershot.

Webster, Wm. Armstrong, '09. Sec. Lieut., 1/3rd Field ('o., Durham (Fortress) R.E., B.E.F., France. Welch, Thomas Ridley, '12. Sec. Lieut., 3/7th D.L.I., Brompton Camp. *Welch, John G. E., '09. Sergeant, R.A.M.C., 23rd Gen. Hospital, B.E.F., France. Wounded, April 25, '16.

Welton, Geo. S., '09. Priv., 18th (Service) Batt., D.L.I., B.M.E.F.

Whipp, George, '97. Sapper, Royal Engineers (Postal Section), B.E.F., France.

White, James Donaldson, '07. Sec.-Lieut., 6th D.L.I., B.E.F., France,
White, John Henry, '15. Sec.-Lieut., 3rd Batt. South Staffordshire Regiment, Sunderland.

*White, Wm. J., '03. Sec.-Lieut., 15th Batt. Northumb'd Fusiliers, B.E.F., France. Wounded, July 2, '16.

Whitehouse, Geo. A., '08. Priv., Northern Cyclists' Batt.

Whitehouse, William S., '11. Priv., Royal Fusiliers, B.E.F., France.

Whittaker, Thomas, '99. Corporal, 3/3rd Northumbrian R.F.A., Leighton Buzzard.

Wight, Henry, '05. Lieut., H.M.S. "Sappho".

Wight, Wm. F. P., '07. Gunner, H.M.S. "Destinn". *Wigzell, Richard, '97. Priv., 12th Batt., Australian Exp. Force, Cairo. Wounded, April 30th, 1915.

Wilkinson, Albert Edward, '05. Lance-Corporal, 14th D.L.I., B.E.F., France Wilkinson, Frank, '07. Sec.-Lieut, 2/3rd Northumbrian Brigade, R.F.A., Low Fell.

Wilkinson, George, '16. Lance-Corpl., 3/7th D.L.I., Horton, Cramlington.

Wilkinson, Geo. Alderson, '10. Gunner, 138th Siege Battery, R.G.A., Leith Fort.

Wilkinson, Hartley, '08. Sec-Lieut., Tyneside Irish, B.E.F., France.

Wilkinson, Henry, B.A. (Durham), '10. Cadet, O.T.C., Armstrong College, Newcastle.
Wilkinson, Wm. L., '07. Priv., 3rd Canadian Field Ambulance, Canadian Exp. Force, France.

Williams, Walter B., '09. Priv., 7th Batt., D.L.I., British Exp. Force, France.

Williams, Wm. J., '11. Priv., 23rd Provisional Batt., Hornsea.
Williamson, William, 12. Lance Corpl., No. 3 Railway Co., No. 4 Construction Sect'n., Royal Anglesey R.E.,
B.E.F., France.

Wilson, Chas. Watson, '04. Lieut., 63rd Divisional Cyclist Co., Whickham.

Wilson, Henry, '99. Priv., 8th Batt., D.L.I. Wilson, Henry, '14. Trumpeter, Northumbrian Division A.S.C., Heaton, Newcastle.

Wilson, Joseph Jas., '05. Priv., Northern Cyclists' Batt., Blyth.

*Wilson, Percy, '00. Sergt., 15th Batt., D.L.I., B.E.F. Wounded (thigh bone fractured by shrapnel) near Loos, September 26th, '15. Was in 5th Northern General Hospital, Leicester. Wilson, Robert Hardy, '05. Engineer Sub-Lieut., H.M. Patrol Yacht "Sayanora". Ship not now in commission.

Wilson, Roger E., '10. Private, 7th Batt., D.L.I., British Exp. Force, France.

*Wilson, Roy, '10. Lance-Corporal, 21st (Service) Batt., Royal Fusiliers, B.E.F. Wounded in the right arm on December 4th, 15. Was in St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London. Wilson, Stanley, B.A. (Durham), 10. Ptc., 21st D.L.I., Richmond.

Wilson, Wm. Worthington, '08. Lance-Sergt., Lord Durham's County Batt., 18th (S) D.L.I., B.E.F.,

France. Formerly B.M.E.F Winship, Wm. French, '09. Sig. Lance-Corpl., 18th (S.) Batt. D.L.I., B.E.F., France. Formerly B.M.E F. Winstanley, Robert H., '91. Company Sergeant Major Instructor, D.L.I., York. Witten, Charlton P., '93. Bombardier, R.F.A., B.E.F., France.

Witten, Robert B, '97. Sergeant, Durham (Fortress) Royal Engineers, Barnsley. Wood, Frederick, '05. Ptc., 26th Batt. Royal Fusiliers, B.E.F., France.

Wright, Chas. John, '00. Sec. Lieut., 11th South Staffordshire Regt., Penkridge, Rugeley. Wright, John Nicholson, '11. Sec. Lieut., 4th D.L.I., Oxford.

Wright, Stanley Clarkson, '00. Sergeant, R.G.A., 23rd Brigade, Headquarters Staff, B.E.F., France

Young, Geo. Robert, '13. Priv., 10th Batt., Middlesex Regt. Yarmouth. Young, Thomas Beveridge, '10. Priv., Motor Transport, A.S.C., London. Young, Thomas Campbell, '12. Private, 41st Company, A.O.C., Havre, France.

BEDE SCHOOL MASTERS AND CLERK ON MILITARY SERVICE.

Back, Nicholas, B.A. (Camb.). Sec.-Lieut., 1st Service Battery, 1st East Anglian Brigade R F.A., St. Faith's Blyth, Thomas Hope, B.Sc. (Durham). Gunner, R.G.A., Yarmouth.

THE BEDAN

Dodd, John Albert, M.A. (London). Capt., Northern Cyclists' Brigade. Now B.M.E.F. Formerly B.E.F., France. Hildebrand, Christopher Webb, B.A. (T.C.D.) Gunner, B.G.A., Yarmouth.

Joseph, Henry Harold, B.A. (Cambridge). Captain, 27th D.L.I., Doncaster. Liebrecht, Wm. Ebenezer. Lieutv, and Quartermaster. War Depôt, Fenham Barracks, Newcastle-on-Tyne, "Wurze, Stewart Alexander, M.A. (Oxford). Capt., Northd. Fusiliers (2nd Tyneside Scottish), B.E.F.,

France. Killed in action, July 1st, '16.
Wayman, Paul, '90 (Clerk at the School) Pte., A.S.C., K. Co., Thornbill Camp, Aldershot.

BEDE SCHOOL MASTERS ATTESTED.

Clement, Howell Rees, B.A. (Wales), Findlater, James William, M.A., M.Litt. (Durham), Grisdale, John Charles Alexander, M.A. (Edinburgh), Wills, James Taylor, B.A. (Oxon.). Witter, Charles Kingsley, B.Sc. (Durham).

KILLED IN ACTION.

Brief Obituary Notices of Lance-Corpl. T. B. L. Bubb, Lieux, F. Haswell, Private I, Jackson, Writer T. E. Mickels, Sergeant T. H. Nesbitt, Private H. Peterson, Seanna T. F. Potts, Coppl. A. B. Tilly-Peterson, Seanna T. F. Potts, Coppl. A. B. Tilly-July, 1912, The December (1913) Number contained similar Notices of Pre. W. G. Dobon, Pre. H. Hogg, Corpl. R. J. Leach, Pre. D. Monro, and Pre. R. Staffort; and the April (1904) Number of Sec.-Leavel. H. Peter, and Pre. J. W. Johnson, Pr. Sergi, A. B. McGarry, Pre. N. C. Mitchell, and Capp. G. C. Watson).

PTE. BURTON BROWN.

25 years of age. Son of Mrs. A. Brown, I Harrison's Buildings, Sunderland. At Bede School in '04 and '05. Became a moulder, Pte., 7th D.L.I. Killer in action, Flanders, Whit Monday, May 24, '15.

PTE, WILLIAM BROWN, S.S.C.

29. Son of Coun, E. H. Brown, J.P., Ex-Mayor of Sunderland, of Fulwell House. At the School from '98 to '01. Was a solicitor. Married. Resided at 50 Barclay Street. Pte., Machine Gun Section, 7th D.L.I. Killed in action, Flanders Whit Monday, '15.

CAPT. GORDON HASWELL, B.A., L.R.A.M.

24. Son of Mr. R. Hasvell, Thombill Gardens, Sunderland, Ar the School from Jou Yo. Passed the Oxford Locals and London Matrien, got "Colours" for crick-tand forsthal, took an active part in the Debating Soc., and was accompanist in School Orchestra. A very well-shrown Bedan. Took an Honours degree at Durham Univ. in "13, and was prominent in games. Before the War, was an Ast. Master for a year at Harrow County School. Capital Killeli in action in France, July 2nd, '16. His brether, Liest. Fredk. Hasvell, an Old Bedan, was killed in Falanders, April 25th, '15.

Sec.-Lieut. Wm. Beveridge Ibbitson.

Nearly 23. Son of Mr. W. E. Ibbitson, Grace Terrace, Sunderland, At the School from '06 to' og. Passed Oxfd. Jun. Exam. After serving his articles with Mr. Hugh Hedley, architect, took a post in the Govt. Land Valuation Offices. Gazetted to 14th West Yorks. Regt., June, '15. Married, Oct., '15, daughter of Mr. Jas. Fowler, ex-Mayor of Selkirk. Killed, France, July 184, '16.

PTE. GEORGE LOUNTON.

29. Brother of Mr. C. Lounton, Whitehouse Rd., Sunderland. At the School in '98 and '99. A journalist on "Shields Gazette" staff. Pte., D.L.I., first in Egypt and then in France. Killed, June 24, '16.

PTE, CHAS, LILBURN PATTISON.

23. Son of the late Mr. T. Pattison, Rainton St., Sunderland, and brother of Mrs. Berryman, Fence Houses (whose boy Ronald is a Bedan). At the School from 'of to 1'o. Good singer and violinist, Was "Sergeant of Police", one Speech Day. A schoolmaster. Pte., 7th D.L.I. Killed, Flanders, Whit Monday, '15.

LANCE-CORPL. ARTHUR SMITH.

27. Son of the late Mrs. S. Smith, Valebrooke, Sunderland. Uncle of Norman Wardropper, now a Bedan. At the School from 9 ot 0°2. Second mate of a Westoll ship. L.-Corpl., 7th D.L.I. Killed, Flanders, Whit Monday, 1°5.

CAPT. STEWART ALEX. WHITE, M.A.

Cape. White, North'd Fusiliers, who fafter the fighting in France on July 1 and and yeas officially fighting in France on July 1 and and July and Stickling proported "missing believed killed", was obscarded at Oxford High School, and at University College, Oxford, where he won an open mathematical scholarship, gained a first class in mathematical scholarship, gained a first class in mathematical moderations, and took an honours degree in mathematics. He was a master successively at Cohester Grammar School, South Shields High School, and Bede Colleguise School (where he was appinted in April.)

1914). He was N.C.O. in the Territorial Force for esceral years, but resigned at Easter, 1914. Married just before the value of the Tyneside Sortish, Novembrond and the Tyneside Sortish, Novembrond and the Tyneside Sortish, Novembrond and the Tyneside Sortish, months. Capt. White stood about 6ft, sin, was 39 years old, and looked the picture of health and good spirits when he sixtle Belde School a few weeks ago. Mach sympathy is felt with his widow, whose present address in 30 Sea View, South Shields.]

LITTLE ILLNESS AND FEW ACCIDENTS:

THE SCHOOL'S GOOD RECORD.

BEDE SCHOOL was founded twenty-six years ago, and has never had fewer than three hundred boys. During two periods (one being the current year) the number of boys has slightly

exceeded four hundred

The general attendance is, and always has been, remarkably good. The Weekly Return has very rarely indeed, even under abnormal circumstances, shown an average attendance of less than ninety per cent of the pupils on the rolls. Usually the Weekly Percentage, relating to the whole school, is at least ninety-five; and, not seldom, it has rise to ninety-eight. In particular Forms, a weekly attendance of one hundred over cent is outlet common.

In view of these facts, it is hardly necessary to state that the school has NEVER been the victim of any sort of epidemic. Many another school has, in a period extending over more than a than once) to such an extent with infectious diseases that a miserable attendance for a time, or even the temporary closing of the place, has resulted. Bede School, however, has enjoyed better fortune. Once, many years ago, some nine or ten boys were, during part of a Term, absent owing to measles; but, except on that occasion, the school has, in respect of infectious diseases, either been able to show an entirely clean bill of health, or been troubled with only a few stray cases. Even when one, or two, or (very exceptionally) three boys have had to stay away from school on account of fever, "mumps", whooping-cough, diphtheria, or what not, the medical notification has, in the majority of instances, indicated that not the boys themselves, but their younger brothers or sisters, were the

Of ordinary ailments—colds, coughs, headache, sickness, biliousness, and the like—Bedans doubtless get a share; but it has certainly never been a large share.

It may be remarked that the total number of boys, who have died from any illness while their names were still on the school registers as pupils, is exceedingly small—something like five, or six.

A fact with regard to the school's candidates for the Oxford Local Examinations is worth mentioning in this connexion, as illustrating well the general good health which the boys enjoy. For many years the school has regularly, towards the end of July, presented at these Examinations a fairly large number of boys; this year the number will be between seventy and eighty. The University Regulations require all pay their Entrance Fees early in May-ten or There is plenty of time for a person who may be strong and vigorous on May 6th to become very unwell before July 17th. This year, indeed, one medically unfit to take the Examination; but, in all preceding years but together, only two boy candidates have been similarly unfit!

Just as the School has been blessed with a large measure of freedom from Illness, so it may well rejoice and be thankful over the matter of its comparative immunity from serious Accidents. It is, of course, almost unthinkable that any school of nearly 400 boys - many of them highspirited, and not a few daring, or careless, or foolish, or mischievous-should, even if most favourably situated in all ways, go on for a long succession of years without any accidents whatever. But Bede School has some conditions and circumstances which, to say the least, are not entirely advantageous, so far as lessening the pupils' liability to accident is concerned. Only a few of the boys live near the School. Many have to make their way to and from it, day after day, through busy streets crowded with traffic, their homes being in more or less distant parts of Sunderland and the district. For years, scores of boys came in and went out, each day, by train. Even now, the "train" boys are not a negli-

gible quantity. Then the school premises are inadequate and scattered: to utilize every bit of class-room space that may be available as each successive lessonperiod comes round, far more moving about must take place every forty minutes than would be necessary if the accommodation were ample. Under present conditions if, during a particular lesson-period, one Form goes to the Chemical Laboratory, another to the Physical Laboratory, another to the Manual Instruction Room, another to the Art Room, another to the Singing Room, another to the Gymnasium, and another to the Playing Field, the School is so full and the demand for space so insistent that all the classrooms vacated by these Forms are forthwith occupied by other Forms, transferred into them for the time being from various parts (near or

remote) of the general buildings. Also, the Gymnasium is at seven minutes' walk from the School in one direction, the Swimming

Bath at seven minutes' walk in another, and the Playing Field at twenty minutes' walk in another. Moreover, not only do Gymnastics, Football, Cricket, and Swimming cause the boys who take part in them to run certain small risks, but also some of the ordinary subjects of the School Curriculum-for instance. Chemistry. Physics. and Woodwork-cannot be studied without some slight measure of hazard. Acids, flasks of boiling water, and edged tools must always require

People would, however, make a great mistake if they concluded from all this that accidents to Bede School boys are incessant. As a matter of fact, they occur exceedingly seldom: a thing due to the good sense of the vast majority of the pupils, to the School's General Rules (designed to meet all ordinary cases), to Special Directions given whenever considered necessary, and to the

Masters' Supervision. Considering the hundreds of millions of railway journeys, long or short, taken in England every year, and the extraordinarily small number of passengers killed (as shown in the Official Annual Report), statisticians sometimes contend that a railway carriage in England is the safest place in the world for anybody to be in. As bearing on this matter it may be stated that no boy while travelling by rail to or from Bede School has ever come to any harm; but it will be remembered that the late Chairman of the Governors, and his son, lost their lives in a lament-

able railway disaster. Motor-cars have affected many people in many ways, and are things with which at least two Bedans, when youngsters, were brought into violent contact. One boy, while running or playing in Chester Road, was knocked down by a motor-car and had his leg broken. This "little pickle" was so lively and sportive that, when recovering in the Children's Hospital, he broke his leg over again! His adventurous past does not seem to have done him the slightest permanent injury. Another boy, having started to run at the top of the sloping path which leads from the Play Park down into Burdon Road near the railway bridge, was crossing Burdon Road at a great rate and making for the gate of the Park opposite when a motor-car, going towards the town, ran over him-in spite of the chauffeur's best efforts-and dragged him some distance. The circumstances were such that spectators feared that the boy, when extricated, would almost certainly be dead. There was, however, no such dreadful result. On being got out from

under the car he soon showed plenty of signs of life, and, caked with mud, was taken forthwith to a doctor who, after a thorough examination, said that his hurts were not serious. Three weeks later he returned to school, all right again. One beneficial consequence of this particular motorcar accident (which, like that previously mentioned, happened years ago) was the erection of a strong iron railing in Burdon Road, opposite to the north-east exit from the Play Park. Boys cannot now rush, at that point, straight out of the Park into possible danger from tram-cars or motor-cars going down Burdon Road.

No boy has ever had a fatal accident at, or in any way connected with Bede School.

Much the most serious accident which has ever happened on the premises occurred about seventeen years ago. During the mid-day interval a boy began to twirl a stout stick round his head, aimlessly-and senselessly. Soon after he had started this silly game, and before anybody had stopped him or even noticed him, he most unfortunately struck another boy in the eye, and injured it so much as to make its removal necessarv. In many-perhaps in most-school accidents the sufferers, though one is sorry for them in any case, have themselves done something to cause their own misfortunes: but, in this instance, the quiet, fine-natured lad who lost his eve was a victim entirely blameless, and received the school's whole-hearted, unmixed regret and sympathy.

Not a single misadventure worth the least notice has ever happened to any boy in the Physical Laboratory. Once, however, many years ago, the Physics Master slipped somehow on the top step of the first-built staircase (now never used by boys) leading to that laboratory. and fell right to the bottom! He was sore for a

The Workshop might reasonably be expected to be a place where blood is shed occasionally. The saws, planes, and chisels are kept very sharp, and many of the tool-users are young and inexperienced. But the boys, especially the little ones, are told so carefully and so exactly what to do and what not to do, and the benches and appliances are so well contrived that a youngster's chance of harming himself is reduced to a minimum. Rarely, some small worker is wilful, and handles a chisel or attempts a piece of work in the very way which he has been cautioned to avoid. Generally he is detected in the act and checked before mischief ensues. Sometimes, on the other hand, he cuts his finger, or incurs some other more or less slight injury. He then, most probably, goes straight to Mr Smithwhite, and

Mr Smithwhite is a Master whose kindness of heart, knowledge of ailments, and skill in using to full advantage all the resources of a School First Aid Box, have made him in a special degree a sort of Good Samaritan and provisional Medicine Man to boys the victims of small mischances at school. This opportunity is taken to thank him and all other Masters who have done good offices to boy-patients.]

Only one really alarming occurrence has ever taken place in the workshop. There is a right method, and there are several wrong methods, of emoving a planing iron from a plane. A biggish boy-now a man, well-known before the War as a rather good cricketer-one day knocked the iron out of a plane in such a way that it fell towards the floor. Unfortunately the iron landed on the top of the boy's boot, and, cutting through both it and his stocking, gashed his foot. Things looked somewhat gory for a few moments; but the wound was bound up as quickly as possible, and, a cab having been got at once, the lad had gone to the Infirmary, had had four stitches put into his foot, and was on his way home, all in a surprisingly short time. A full month elapsed before he could be at school again,

During recent years there has, happily, never been, in the Chemical Laboratory, an untoward occurrence important enough to be called an accidient. During the closing decade of the nineteenth century the Boys Chemistry Course was, on the whole, more hazardous than that now followed. It did not make mishaps by any means inevitable; but they used to come if there was carelessness or too much audacity. Most of them were trivial in character and consequences.

Two, not trivial, call for mention.
One day a Master, lecturing on chemistry, did some experiments with two substances which, when kept separate, may be handled freely without danger, but which, it brought together and loud report. Having worked the experiments to illustrate a principle, he reminded the Form that he had purposely used very minute quantities of the two substances, and yet had produced by detonations. He therefore warned the boys arezer to mix the two substances in question, and chance of forming this damperons combination.

What his statement meant was that, though one of the substances (a very ordinary re-agent) could be found on every bench in the laboratory, could be found on every bench in the laboratory, the other would never be accessible to boys—the whole stock of it, which was small, being kept whole stock of it, which was small, being kept boy is, or has ever been, permitted to take chemicals from the general laboratory—much less from the general laboratory—much less from the general aboratory—much less from the for his own uses.

But the power of making a big noise in the world seems to have had an overmastering attraction for one particular boy. The experiments evidently fascinated him. At any rate he somerarer substance: he must have got it out of a small bottle which stood on the highest shelf of the store-room, about eight feet from the floor. He also took a little of the common re-agent; a thing much easier to do. Carrying the substances in his pocket in bits of paper, he went off homewards at the end of afternoon school. Having gone about a quarter of a mile he took the substances out of his pocket and held them in his hand. Doubtless he had intended to place a few grains of the mixture upon the pavement, stamp upon it with his heel-plate, and produce a loud report. But the heat of his hand caused the whole mixture to explode while he was holding it. The detonation was tremendous, and alarmed many people in the quiet street where it occurred. The poor lad was blown down, and, at first, his entire hand appeared to be injured beyond remedy. Surgical skill and good nursing, however, eventually saved him everything except the whole of one finger and about one-half of a second.

The other notable accident in connexion with the Chemical Laboratory occurred on the premises several years later. Strange to say, the cause was the explosion of the same two substances as in the first case! But the conditions were altogether different. The pupil concerned, instead of being about fourteen years of age, and a comparative novice in chemistry, was a youth, an advanced student, the best chemist the school has ever produced, and one who, three or four years afterwards, took a First Class Honours degree in Chemistry at the very University where such a distinction is, perhaps, hardest to get. He knew as well as anybody the properties of the two substances aforesaid, and bad full permission to use-of course, in a proper manner-these and other materials for some experimental work in which he was engaged. How the two substances were brought together has never been explained. What is unquestionable is that the Laboratory suddenly resounded with a noise like a thunderclap, and that the experimenter was found nearly blinded for the time being, suffering from shock, his face in the main as white as a ghost but pitted at intervals with black grains of the ex-

Several persons were at his side in a moment, one of the first being his school chum and bosom friend (an Oxford man now an officer in India); but nobody heard him utter the slightest crop groam, though the pain that he had to bear must very good—perhaps that was the true explanation of the accident—and his masters and comarde feared most that the flying chemicals might

have damaged or ruined his eyes. However, after spending a fortnight in the Infirmary and a fortnight at home, he was restored to his usual health and to the school. Wonderful to relate, his eyes had received no injury at all.

Curiously, the victim of this accident, though he bore it gamely, always contended that it was inexplicable—because (he stoutly asserted) the conditions necessary for its occurrence were not present. The question, though technically interesting, cannot be argued here. Even in chemistry—as in love, politics, and many other things—it is often the unexpected which happens.

The School could not have gained and maintained its fine tradition for Swimming if many hundreds of Bedans, present and past, had not made frequent visits to the Bath. These visits have hardly afforded a single incident that shave hardly afforded a single incident that swimming in a race, found that, when making the turn at the end of the Bath, he had put his shoulder out! But this was not very alarming—for his shoulder out! But this was not very alarming—for his shoulder out! on used, had a way of "coming out" occasion—ally with little or no provocation. Bestdes, he dislocated shoulder, he would be by no means

helpless in the Bath.

At the Debating Society's Picnics one boy bathing in Talkin Tarn, and another bathing in the Devil's Water near Hexham, got into difficulty for a moment or two; but they were never in peril, other members of the party who were powerful swimmers promptly rendering them

One year, at the School Camp at Daddry Shield, a boy, when crossing the stepping stones, fell and broke his arm. A doctor set the injured limb immediately, and it thereafter distressed its owner so little that, next day, he insisted on taking a walk of over twenty miles planued for his companions, and did the round as well as any

The Gymnasium has been the scene of wonderfully few mishaps. Only two deserve mention. A boy once fell down the stairs leading from the Gymnasium Hall to the dressing room. The fall happened in such a way that he might have done himself-serious permanent hypothehave done himself-serious permanent hypothethe-misself-serious permanent hypothesome brutises, and was soon quite well again. A fall in just the same way cannot now recur.

Once a boy, having vaulted over the "horse", fell on the matters with his arm made him, and broke the arm. This was a pure accident—ifever there was one; all the circumstances being such that neither the boy nor anybody else could be regarded as in any way to blame. Subsequent examination showed that his arm-bones were thin and slight to a quite exceptional degree. No one has ever been seriously injured at the Playing Field. Of course, small mishaps there are not uncommon. Anything like deliberate foul play is reprehended and vigor-sylpmished; but natural eagerness, the excitement of the word, a surface by the production of the production of

Some years ago a Bedan (now an officer), when playing football in a School match at Stockton, made the Masters in charge very anxious—for he seemed to have put his hip out, and it was only with considerable difficulty that he could be conveyed to his home at East Boldon. Fortunately his injury proved to be nothing more than a very but the prefer than a very but the prefer than a very but the prefer the convey.

Knee twists, and painful kicks on the shin or ankle, have occurred now and then; and when cricket used to be played on the Durham Road field-before the much superior Hendon field, now available in the Summer Term, could be hired-the erratic bouncing of the ball from the hard, uneven ground, gave two or three boys a black eve. One big, powerfully-built fellow (now an officer) was notorious, towards the end of his school life, for being often "in the wars" both in games and elsewhere. When coming to school, one very windy day, he unluckily contrived to intercept a falling slate! Just at that period he seemed fated to miss nothing bad that was going! However, as his injuries were never very serious, and as his prowess in swimming and football had given him a reputation for great strength, he perhaps got less than a proper share of sympathy: people used to say "So and so

Often there are sixty or seventy boys bicycles at the School. Vet cycling accidents in connexion with the place have been rare, and, generally, of little consequence. The most serious happened to Mr. Jarman who, when cycling to school one morning a few months ago, had a bad side-slip near the Royalty corner, at a point where the street was very greasy and slippery. He sustained a particularly nasty fall, and felt the effects of it for some weeks.

If a careful, experienced rider, going over ground familiar to him for many years, cannot be sure of immunity from accident, it is not surknowledge, and skill, should be liable to misadventure. Once a boy, cycling to the playing field, inadvertently dropped a football which he field, inadvertently dropped a football which he him off his machine immediately—and and without a certain amount of harm. Just last month two little boys collided, when riding down Park Lane. One of them was hurt slightly.

Onite recently a person much interested in Bede School saw an incident, which happily did not develop into an accident, but which for a moment or two looked very much like doing so, and was most exciting. A bicycle carrying two rather big Bedans-one on the saddle, the other on the step-came suddenly from a side road into a main thoroughfare, in which a tram-car and a motor-cycle, going in opposite directions, were nearly abreast of each other. The boy-pilot did not see how complicated the situation was likely to be, until he had gone too far to get out of it. As matters were, the only possible way to avoid a collision was to ride parallel with the tram-car in the narrow space between it and the motorcycle; and that space happened to be ill-paved and uneven. However, the boy made for it without hesitation, and, though his doubly-laden machine swaved about ominously, he managed to get out of a tight place without harm to anybody-except the fright he had given to onlookers.

sony—exception ingage means give convolvable at this Article has grown to proportions which it at the Article has grown to proportions which it should assume. Most of the events with which is should assume. Most of the events with which was born. It gives a fairly comprehensive indication of all the accidents in any way serious, and of some certainly not serious, which have happened to Bede boys since 1691; and it shows and of some certainly not serious, which have happened to Bede boys since 1691; and it shows of the School's size, circumstances, and length

of life-been very small.

In conclusion, a few words about recent minor mishaps, a little advice to be careful, and a general caution against roughness and reckless-

ness, may be interesting, useful, and salutary.

In the last two years the pupils have grown more and more numerous. The strain which more and more numerous. The strain which make the present of the strain which make itself perhaps more evident in the play-granual—as distinct from the playing field—than anywhere else. When all the boys are together there, it is quite impossible for them to play the simplest games, or even just to run about freely—and be ready for assembly-time; but they have precious little from for active moment. Now, boys do not like to be restrained, or to restrain themselves, in a play-ground—so-called; and, within the period named, the play-ground has ents.

Separately, they were perhaps "nothing much". For example, boisterous A, while darting after B, unintentionally upsets quiet, little C, who scratches his clow and makes his jacket "a pretty mess". D, E, and F, scurrying from different directions, somehow manage to bump into one another: they earry home sundry marks as mementos of their impromptu mélée. G, a boy with "shorts" like a scout's, trips himself up on the asphalt, and skins his knees. And so on, in considerable variety.

Most of such cases are investigated. Some appear to have been unavoidable: at any rate they point out nobody as plainly blameworthy. Others reveal real culprits, and retribution follows—more or less severe according to the nature of the offence.

Since all school accidents, whether great or Since all school accidents, whether great or the second school accident school accident the second school accident school accident since camingssors, though by no means their only, is without doubt their most frequent cause, Bede School boys are strongly urged to try be habitually cautious and observant—even in the play-ground.

This may seem to them a harsh, unnatural injunction. Knowing the narrow limits of their premises and recreation space, they may say "We, and generations of our predecessors, have

always been, like Macbeth,

Cabin'd, cribb'd, confined, bound in.

We have heard so often of more spacious quarters
about to be ours, and have been so often disappointed, that now, with Tennyson, we can only

Faintly trust the LARGER hope.

And, surely, it's too bad to ask us to walk warily on the little patch of ground that does belong to

us. We want more freedom, not less".

If they say this, let them remember that

Freedom broadens SLOWLY down; and while patiently bearing present restrictions

from a sense of their reasonableness under existing conditions, let them cheer up their hearts with Charles Mackay's fine old song: There's a good time coming, boys!

NESTOR.



THE SCHOOL LIBRARY.

The School wishes to express its thanks for books given to the Library by R. Baxter, N. Anderson, S. Olswang, R. W. Blair, S. Carter, R. Baird, J. C. Hudson, I., S. Mörck, I., Young, G. A. Liebrecht, Mr. Happé. Number of Books issued during the months of April May June Totals. Form I ... 26 28 30 84

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Books added to the Library this Term :—
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Number of volumes received this Term :-

11 from Boys.

4 ,, Forms (by subscription).
Number of Books now in the Library, 775.





Since the last edition of The Bedan one more school match has been played. This was the return fixture with West Hartlepool at West Hartlepool on April 8th. The school team on this occasion was:—Jackson, Hornsby and Huntley; Holmes, Ayre, and Blair; Robertson, Durrant, Walker, Smith, and Haswell. The weather was windy, but dry and sunny. A

sharply contested game ensued, which resulted in each side scoring three goals. The school goals were scored by Ayre 2, and Haswell 1. A very enjoyable game (one of a series of three) was also played with the Sherwood Propertors on Avril 14th The school, on

three) was also played with the Sherwood Foresters, on April 13th. The school, on this occasion, had the assistance of several of last year's team, the cleven being—Petch: Robertson, Hutchinson, Walker, Burnaud, Thompson. The score was 5–3 in favour of the soldiers. The school goal—scorers were Walker, Hutchinson, and Thompson.

The goal-scorers for the year in School Matches were:—Walker 10, Burnand 8, Ayre 7, Haswell 3, Smith 2, and Blair 1. Also, Burnand and Potts scored 1 each against Whitley Bay, and Walker 2, Haswell and Potts 1 each against the Sherwood Foresters.

The net result of the matches played during the season is as follows:—

P W L D For Against

The prospect for next season is not too encouraging, as about two-thirds of this year's eleven are leaving the school. But we must remember that the cry that the school football team will be weak is raised annually.

On the whole, we may expect that next season Bede football teams will uphold the splendid traditions of victory that have been handed down from formers years.

Much enthusiasm has been shown in the District Competition. The final arrangement of the teams was by no means certain until the last match of the season had been played. The order in which the teams stood at the last is as follows:—

Goals

CRICKET.

This year we aimed at equalling the performance of the Football Team, but it has proved too hard a task for us. At the time of writing only 1 game has been won, while there is only 1 considering the task before us. Only one of last year's team remained at the beginning of the season, so that almost an entirely new deven had to be found. Although we have lost the majority of our matches up to date, yet the total number those registered by our own batsmen.

Undoubtedly the weak spot of the team has been the batting element, few players having shown proficiency in this direction. Lack of practice has been largely to blame for this deficiency. Valuable help has been rendered by Mr Black during the last fortnight as a coach, for which we desire to give him our heartiest thanks.

On the other hand, the bowling has been par-

ticularly strong, Haswell having shown exceptional skill. At Gateshead he took the whole to wickets. Huntley's performance in the home match against Ryhope is also worthy of notice, for besides obtaining 5 wickets for 13 runs, he performed the hat trick.

May 27th.-School v. Ryhope, at Hendon. School 21, Ryhope 66,

Walker, b Duncan	**	0
Ayre, b Duncan		0
Haswell, c Wayper		3
Huntley, lbw., Wayper		2
Durrant, b Wayper		0
Clarke, b Duncan		3
Manners, c Duncan		3
Jackson, b Wayper		0
King, c Wauper		9
Gibbins, b Duncan	100	1
Robertson, not out		0
Extras		0
	m	-
	Total	21
School Bowl		
Durrant, 2 wickets fo	er 15 runs.	
Hoswell, 3	18 ,,	

June 3rd.-School v. Ryhope, at Ryhope, Ryhope, all out, 33,

Huntley, 5

SCHOOL,			
Huntley, Ibw, b Duncan			11
Durrant, c Hall, b Wayper			0
			7
Clarke, c Draper, b Duncan			0
			6
			1
			0
			4
			0
			0
Gibbins, c Robinson, b Wayper			1
Extras			0
	100		
	T	otal	30

School Bowling : Durrant, 4 wickets for 14 runs 18 ..

June 21st, v. Gateshead, at Gateshead, School 30. Gateshead 60.

Huntley, lbw, b Crabtree		0
Greig, c Gray, b Hately		3
Haswell, c Hately, b Crabtree	1.911,200	0
		0
Walker, b Crabtree		11
Durrant, Ibw, b Crabtree		0
Jackson, b Hately		6
Manners, b Crabtree	a. Shulle	2
Berg, c Knight, b Crabtree		6
Clarke, b Hately		0
King, not out		0
Extras	Singular in	2

School Bowling: Durrant, 0 wickets for 24 runs Haswell, 10 28

Total .. 30

June 23rd, v. Argyle House School, at Ashbrooke. School 76, Argyle House School 33.

School,	
Huntley, c and b Mitchell	 12
Greig, run out	 0
Haswell, b Miller	 6
Jackson, c Mitchell, b Miller	18
Walker, c Dunn, b Mitchell	5
Manners, run out	 7
Ayre, c Mitchell, b Miller	 0
Berg, c Ripley, b Miller	 14
Durrant, c and b Mitchell	 3
Clarke, ,, ,,	3
King, not out	 0

School Bowling : Durrant, 2 wickets for 20 runs Haswell, 8 12 ,,

Averages

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		of Tin				
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Berg	2	0	1	1	20	10-00
Huntley	4	0	15	2	25	
Jackson:	4	0	15	3	24	6.00
Walker	4	0	1		22	. 5:50
Manners	4	1		7	16 .	. 5:32
King		2				4:50
	4	0		7	16	4.00
The follow	ing also	batter	:-Gre	ig. A	vre.	Durrant
Robertson, Clar				4.	Service .	

Maiden Overs, Runs.

3 .. Haswell 36-2 .. 38.3 King J. W.

CRICKET CHARACTERS.

R. E. Haswell. Has filled with confidence and success the difficult post of Captain of an entirely new Eleven. Has bowled very well

and done stylish work with the bat. S. Durrant. A good fast bowler and a fair bat. J. Walker. His batting improved as the season

T. Ayre. A good field, but not very successful

with the bat. G. Jackson. An excellent wicket-keeper: has

batted well. G. Huntley. A splendid all-round player.
D. Greig. Has shown himself a steady reliable

bat and a good field. I. King. A fair batsman

C. Manners. A promising young batsman, who fields well. C. Clarke. Not very successful with the bat,

but shows promise. T. Robertson. Has not had much opportunity

of showing his worth, but is a fair batsman. B. Berg. Played in two matches, and played very well in both.

SWIMMING.

The club commenced its practices again at the beginning of this Term, and judging by the attendances on the different evenings, there seems to be promise of a good season—for the average number of boys per practice has been about 70. This shows a marked improvement on the figures for the opening weeks of last on the state of the property of the pro

The enthusiasm and interest shown have been quickened and heightened by the renewal of the Shields' competitions, into which the Forms have entered with great kenness. This keenness is more marked in the Lower School than anywhere else, for throughout the competitions the funiors have shown much pluck, there being no hestiation by them to take the plunge from the "second splash-board" from which many inst tumble in, thus saining at least one mark

for their Form.

There are two shields—the Seniors and Juniors—the competitions for which deal with the three branches of swimming, namely—Lifesaving, Squadron races, and Diving, the winners being the two Forms in each section obtaining he highest percentage of marks. Of course, the considered and added to those won ure also considered and added to those won luring the competitions.

SENIOR SHIELD.

The results were as follows :-

I. 2. 3. 4.	Upper Fifth Sixth Form Lower Fifth (2 ,, (1)	6:	2.6 %	(winners).
	JUNIOR	Si	HEL.	D.	
I.	Upper Fourth	(1)			% (winners).
2.	31 day	(2)		88.4	
3.		(3)		82'0	
4.	Lower Fourth			74'3	
5.		(1)		54'6	
6.	,,	(2)	111	39.0	Actio qual s
7.	"	(3)	***	18,1	4
8.	Three (1)			14'6	7 .

The following certificates have also been obained this Term :—

RIEMENTARY SWIMMING CERTIFICATE.

J. M. Tone, J. C. Hudson, R. B. S. Smith, Turner, E. Wilson, R. B. Blair, E. Black, T.

LIFE-SAVING CERTIFICATE

J. M. Tone, J. C. Hudson, E. S. Allan, J. Smith, Wilson, R. B. S. Smith, A. Huntley, J. G. impson, J. Dalton, R. B. Blair, S. Sparrow. QUARTER-MILE SPEED CERTIFICATE. C. R. Sanderson.

Thanks are due to Mr. Geo E. Watson and Mr. T. H. Black, who kindly acted as judges in the Squadron-races and Diving competition respectively.

Mr. Witter also must be thanked for his excellent work this season, for by his uncessing vigour and attendance at the baths every Saturday morning, he has contributed greatly towards increasing the enthusisam for swimming which is at present prevalent in the School. Hence it is to be expected that with such bright prospects the cith, by the end of the season, will have intended the contributed of the swimmers stated by the assuming section may set the season of the state of the season of the season of the season of the state of the season of the season of the season of the state of the season of the seaso

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DEBATING SOCIETY

April 18 (285th meeting)—Lecture on "Shakespearean Puzzles" by Mr. I. W. Eng-

May 16—"That this House considers that clemency should be shown to the

Irish Rebels." Defeated, 5-14.
23—"That this House disapproves of the policy of the Northcliffe Press during

the War." Defeated, 10-16.
30—"That this House approves of the new regulations for exhibitions tenable at

June 6—"That there should be no Whitsuntide holidays during the War." Carried,

This Term (owing to the lateness of the date on which in the ordinary course of events Whitsun Holidays would have taken place) the session has lasted somewhat longer than usual, and this is responsible for the small attendances as compared with the two preceding terms. However, it was very pleasing to notice that the society has several most enthusiastic members.

Taking everything into consideration, the Society has had a most successful year, well worthy of emulation by posterity. For this success a large measure of thanks is due to Mr. Witter, who has done so much for the Society. The Society takes this opportunity of also thanking Mr. C. C. Bell for the continued interest he has taken in its welfare.

It is also to be hoped that the Society will receive more lectures on future occasions from

hitherto enjoyed.

Mr. J. W. Engvall, whose lecture at the beginning of the term was greatly appreciated. At the last meeting of the session, the members of the Lower IV were invited to attend, and it is hoped that many of them will, when in the Upper IV next Term, join the Society, and by so doing increase the prosperity that it has

The officers for the term were :-

President: W. V. Hornsby (VI) Vice-President: A. W. Best (VI). Treasurer: Mr. C. K. Witter.

Secretary: J. Border (U. V), resigned. M. Lipton (U. V).

Committee: M. Lipton (resigned on election to secretaryship), J. Hindmarch (L. V), J. Robson U. IV), M. Share (U. V).



ARTS AND CRAFTS SOCIETY.

ALTHOUGH the Society has not been so active as in former years in the way of organising sketching rambles (on account of the military restrictions), and although the day arranged for a ramble was so wet as to prevent altogether its being held . Mr. Hawkins has had to give out so much paper for drawings that the society hopes to be able to present a good exhibition, not only of the work of previous terms but of this term as well. This term's exhibition will be held on Monday, July 17th, from 3 to 4'30 and from 6'30 to 8.

With regard to last term's exhibition, it included some particularly interesting work, namely some in coloured crayons and black-and-white chalk, which were the chief feature of the display, the excellence of the work done in these branches being such as practically to ensure their continuation next term. It is an innovation of which Mr. Hawkins may well be proud, and for which he is very much to be thanked by the Society. Other work was shown in the exhibition, including posters, woodwork and mechanical models, the lightning sketches done at the Social, and interiors, but nothing really came up to the standard in the crayon work in respect of excellence.

In last term's "Bedan", the Society called in vain for a lecturer. Let the Masters and the Senior Boys see to it that this does not occur next term. Let them show that there is still, in the School, lecturing talent comparable to that which Savce used to display.

N. C.

EDITORIAL NOTES AND SCHOOL NEWS.

NEXT TERM

All New Pupils-the number of candidates for admission already examined and accepted is large -are to be present on Tuesday, September 12th. The School as a whole assembles on Wednesday,

September 13th. The Fees of Present Pupils are to be paid on

Monday, September 11th.

If a fee is paid by cheque, the cheque should be made payable to Corporation of SUNDER-Hitherto there has been no rule on that point, and cheques have come drawn in favour of the Headmaster, the School, the Governors, the Education Authority, and other persons or bodies. This has made different endorsements of different cheques necessary. Besides, the lack of unanimity, on the part of the drawers, as to the number and the order of the letters in the Headmaster's name and in the word Collegiate, sometimes caused one and the same cheque to have to be endorsed twice.

The uniform use of

CORPORATION OF SUNDERLAND will simplify matters.

PRESENT TERM.

The late date of Easter, 1016, has made this Term one of the shortest on record. And it has been one of the busiest. Several new pupils came on the Opening Day,

May 10th The Examination of Candidates for New Exhibitions took place on May 18th, at the School,

The premises being thus occupied there was a holiday for all Boys-but not for the Staff. The Daylight Saving Act, which came into legal operation on Sunday, May 21st, received practical adoption at Bede School on the follow-

ing day-and did so as painlessly and noiselessly there as in other places. On June 2nd Professor Latham took the Ox-

ford Local Special Examinations in Oral French and Oral German On June 6th a railway rolleyman, while deliver-

ing a parcel at the School, made the momentous announcement that Lord Kitchener had been drowned on the previous night. Monday, June 5th. We sent at once and got an Echo. The news produced a profound impression in the Common Room, the Sixth Form Room, and wherever it penetrated. Suitable allusion both to Lord Kitchener's death and also to the Jucland Naval-Battle (May 31st and June 1st) was made by the

Headmaster, at School assembly, a few days after these events.

The London Matriculation Examination lasted

The London Matriculation Examination lasted from June 13th to June 15th.

In response to the appeal of the Board of Education and of His Worship the Mayor of Sunderland, the holidays ordinarily taken at Whitsuntide were this year postponed. Instead of coming on June 9th . 12th, and 13th, they came—to the surprise and great delight of many boys, who cheered "like anything"—on June 27td, 26th, and 27th.

The weather was atrocious at Whitsuntide, and, even for the deferred holidays, we got rather more rain than sunshine.

James Russell Lowell said

"And what is so rare as a day in June? Then, if ever, come perfect days".

In reply to the poet's statement there are many people in Sunderland who, remembering the June of 1916, will henceforward be inclined to say "Perhaps!", or "Mebbis!"—if they use the vernacular.

The General Entrance Examination for candidates desiring admission to the School on Sept. 12th was held on July 10th. Even more boys than usual attended. Most of them qualified, and were accepted.

The Oxford "Locals" began on July 13th for candidates taking Greek, and on July 14th for candidates in general.

VARIOUS "DAYS".

May 24th was Empire Day. The School heard a short address, and sang the National Anthem.

June 28th was Kossovo Day, the national fête day of Serbia, one of our gallant Allies. For the three centuries between the Norman Conquest of England and the death of our King Edward III Serbia was an important kingdom—though English boys do not read much about it in their history books.

The most famous of Serbian monarchs, Stephen Dushan, was crowned Tsar in 1346. On his death rival princes caused civil war-instead of combining against the Turks, who were then threatening or conquering several parts of South-Eastern Europe. In 1389, on 28th June (15th Old Style), the Turkish Sultan defeated the Serbian Tsar Lazar on the Plain of Kossovo: this decisive battle led to the conquest of the whole Balkan Peninsula by the Turks, and, soon afterwards, the Serbs lost their independence. But they never forgot Kossovo Day-just as generations of Scotsmen never forgot Flodden; and, in 1804, the Serbians began, under Kara George (whose grandson is their present King Peter), to free themselves from the Turkish yoke. Their history since then is a tangled skein. Until recent years most English boys knew little of Serbia, except as a country which produced enormous numbers of pigs and enormous quantities of plums and jam, and which seemed to have unceasing internal dissensions (there being too many claimants for the throne) as well as frequent strife with its neighbours. But the heroic part, which Serbia has played in the wars of 1912 and 1913 and in the world-conflict begun in 1914. has awakened a more general interest in all that relates to the Serbs; and, on Kossovo Day, Bedans listened appreciatively to the short account which the Headmaster gave them of what that Day means, and of the hopes and the ideals of the valiant people found giving it, every year,

July 14th..."1e quatoræ juillet", as it is called across the Channel... is the National Fête Day of France, and recalls the storming and capture of the Bastille, on that date in 1756, by the common people of Paris. That great castle-prison had come to be looked upon as a symbol of the tyranny and misgovernment which France was its fall was one of the outstanding events in the French Revolution: a series of tremendous acts, many of which were evil and horrible, but which, as a whole, promoted human progress and freedom all over the world.

On July 14th the School sang La Marseillaise, in French. Monsieur Bernard had taken pains to teach the boys the words, and Mr. Jarman had given attention to their rendering of the music; and the famous hymn went well. Three hearty cheers for France and Belgium followed.

April 23rd, 1916 (Easter Sunday, as it happened) was the Tercentenary of Shakespeare's death. The Tercentenary was observed by the Sunderland Shakespearan Society on May 1st, on Weichoccasion the Headmaster of Bede School had the honour of proposing the toast of the Immortal Memory of the Bard of Avon—the greatest of Englishmen and greatest of the world's poets.

At a Concert last Term, and in certain indirect ways this Term, the School has done something to mark the Tercentenary; but, to our great regret, we have not vet been able to hold anything in the nature of a formal, elaborate Celebration all the sunsised preparation necessary. The absence of an Assembly Room, a drawback which the School feels every day, is a special difficulty when any big gathering is to be held or prepared for; but want of time has been the sam's obtactle or; but want of time has been the sam's obtactle ary Festival on a suitable scale. Perhaps next Term may be favourable for such an enterprise.

MR. T. H. BLYTH.

Mr. Thos. Hope Blyth, B.Sc., has joined the Army for the duration of the War, and is now a gunner in the R.G.A.,

Yarmouth. He left the school on June 2nd. Mr. Blyth came to Bede School nearly eighteen years ago, and has for a long time been Senior Master for Chemistry tion Honours Certificates in Chemistry and Geology. He was the Durham University Science degree and distinguished himself as a footballer. For some time he played for New-Castle in the First League Team, and is well known in the North of England as a referee. For years he was an active member of the Hendon Cricket Club. He is musical, is in the Sunderland Philharmonic Choir, and used to be an

organist Mr. Blyth has done much valuable work at Bede School. methods, keeps all his books and records in capital order, and has been Chairman of the Joint Committee of Masters and Boys which manages the School Games. He gave the Headmaster a considerable amount of assistance in compiling the Roll of Honour. Big, strong, personable, and trustworthy, he has always been liked and respected. Though the last man in the world to be quarrelsome, he would we should imagine, be an "awkward customer" to tackleeither on the battlefield or in any other place of combat.

We regret that Mr. Blyth's son has recently broken his arm rather badly, through falling from a pony.

MR. C. W. HILDERRAND Mr. Christopher Webb Hildebrand, B.A., who left the the War, and, like Mr. Blyth, is now a gunner in the

When a boy in schools at Sligo and Portarlington he had numerons successes in the Intermediate Examinations of the Irish Board. He holds several Board of Education Certificates for Mathematics. At Trinity College, Dublin, he was Honours degree in mathematics, logic, and English Litera-

Mr. Hildebrand held teaching posts in Dublin, Belfast, and ago. He is well known in the School as a good mathematician, a good teacher, a man of wide general attainments, and a humorist : to hear him sing some of Percy French's comic songs-especially "Matt Hannigan's Aunt" and "The

Mountains of Mourne"-was always a treat. He has the School's good wishes.

MR. P. WAYMAN.

Mr. Paul Wayman, Clerk at the School for over ten years, left on June 12th, on joining the Army for the duration of the War, and is a Private in the Army Service Corps at Aldershot.

Mr. Wayman was a boy at Bede School on its Opening Day: he—like Mr. R. W. Willis and like Mr. R. F. Jarman

For some years before returning to Bede School as Clerk, he was the representative of an engineer and iron merchant in Newcastle. He had a good knowledge of general office-work, including book-keeping, and, when Clerk to the Headmaster, made himself thoroughly competent to deal with the various official forms-far more numerous and intricate than many outsiders might suppose that they would be-which are a part devoted to the interests of the place which he served, he discharged his duties faithfully, exerted a wholesome influence. and was deservedly liked and trusted.

Mr. Wayman used to be churchwarden at St. Hilda's. He and acquaintances who, whether they are Bedans or not, send good wishes to him in his new capacity.

FORM I.

These little fellows have done great things this Termmade good progress in their lessons, learnt to box (under Mr. Rogers's care), had several pic-nics to Ryhope Dene, held an evening party (where Mr Witter and Mr. Hawkins helped Mr. Engvall to manage the cotertainment), got their photographs taken (by Mr. Hogben, whose skill and kindbeyond Form I), and brought out a very clever little Form Magazine, The Surprise!

REV. A. HOOPER.

The Rev. Alfred Hooper, who has been a Master in the School since January and is Curate of Christ Church, Bishopwearmouth, took the degree of Master of Arts at Convocation of Durham University on June 13th.

NEW MASTERS.

Mr. H. Ward, M.A., and Mr. T. H. Black, M.A., B.Sc. LL.B. (both of whom have First Class Honours degrees, and are good athletes-in spite of their having been rejected for military service), and Mr. J. E. Marshall Hall, A.R.S.M. a many attainments, have been appointed to positions on the Staff Great pressure on our space compels us to forgo, for the present, any detailed statement of their fine credentials.

LYNTON SMITH.

Lynton Smith is the only boy who has ever held an Ex hibition in the School for seven years continuously. His Oxford Local successes included passes in Oral French and Oral German at both the Junior and the Senior Examination and a First-Class Honours Senior Certificate in 1913. He matriculated in 1914. His attainments were general rather than special: in English, French, German, and History, taken together, he has perhaps never had a superior at the School. He was not very prominent outside of the classroom-except in the Debating Society, where he successively held every office, never made a really poor speech, and thrice won the Seniors' Prize (given by Mrs. Ferguson). A great lover of the School, he leaves it to join the Army-if accepted.

MR. R. A. DALTON. Mr. Dalton, who has been appointed in Mr. Wayman's room as from June 20th, is well acquainted with school conditions, having spent seven years as a Bedan. When very young he passed the Oxford "Locals", and last month he was a candidate-successful, we have no doubt-at the London Matriculation Examination. Intelligent, well-mannered, hard-working, eager to learn, and neither too confident nor too diffident, he is already a useful member of the Staff.

VALEDICTORY.

As this is the end of the School Year a number of the As this is the end of the condition older boys will naturally leave. We give them our very best wishes. But we mention to parents, pupils, and all comcerned, a striking fact in our experience : Old Boys have in scores of instances, when calling to see us, said that their after-life had taught them that they left school too soon ; but



