

Hodson and **J. D. Belgrave** have filled vacancies at various times with some efficiency; G. F. Yarde and M. W. J. Hime have also been given trials.

J. G. Kilpin as cox has experience enough to be a good one when not somnolent.

The maiden Four, consisting of Kellie (bow), Partridge, Mothersill and Bolster (stroke), should give a useful account of themselves at the Town Regatta.

WATER CRICKET.

SHOOTING.

At the Eastern District Rifle Meeting, held on the Middlewick Ranges, near Colchester, on Thursday, June 26th, our team, as a whole, did not shine. Williams and Heriz-Smith were notable exceptions, and the former especially deserves congratulations on his first appearance as a member of the Shooting VIII. The failure of the remainder can only be ascribed to "funk," as the conditions prevailing on the day were quite normal. Haileybury won with 471, out of six schools competing. Details:—

EASTERN DISTRICT TROPHY.

	200 Yards.						500 Yards.						Total.					
Sapper Williams	4	4	5	5	4	31	..	5	4	5	4	5	32	..	63			
Sergt. Heriz-Smith	5	5	5	3	5	4	32	..	3	4	5	3	5	5	30	..	62	
Sergt. Sauer	4	2	4	4	5	5	28	..	5	4	3	3	5	5	4	29	..	57
Corpl. Masters	5	4	4	4	3	4	28	..	5	3	4	4	3	4	5	28	..	56
Sapper Sibley	4	4	3	3	4	4	26	..	3	4	4	5	4	4	5	29	..	55
Sapper Halse	4	3	4	3	4	4	26	..	5	4	3	4	5	3	5	29	..	55
Sapper Munckton	3	4	4	4	3	5	27	..	4	5	3	3	5	4	4	28	..	55
Corpl. Walker	4	4	4	4	4	4	28	..	2	4	4	5	4	5	3	27	..	55
						226							232		458		4th place.	

Match v. Wellingborough, etc., at Wellingborough.

(May 30th.)

	200	500	Ttl.
Corpl. Masters	31	29	60
Corpl. Walker	29	29	58
Sergt. Baker	25	31	56
Sapper Sibley	29	27	56
Sapper Halse	29	25	54
Sergt. Heriz-Smith	21	29	50
Sergt. Sauer	22	26	48
Sapper Munckton	24	24	48
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	210	220	430
Wellingborough	211	222	433
Glenalmond	220	218	438
Edinburgh Academy	240	253	493

Match v. Lancing.

(June 4th.)

	200	500	Ttl.
Sergt. Baker	28	34	62
Sapper Sibley	30	31	61
Corpl. Walker	29	31	60
Sergt. Heriz-Smith	29	31	60
Sapper Munckton	25	32	57
Corpl. Masters	27	30	57
Sergt. Sauer	24	31	55
Sapper Halse	25	23	48
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	217	243	460
Lancing	255	251	506

Match v. Tonbridge and Bradfield.

(June 11th.)

	200	500	Ttl.
Sergt. Heriz-Smith	31	34	65
Corpl. Masters	29	32	61
Sapper Munckton	31	29	60
Corpl. Walker	25	34	59
Sergt. Baker	27	31	58
Sapper Sibley	28	30	58
Sapper Halse	31	26	57
Sergt. Sauer	27	27	54
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	229	243	472
Tonbridge	241	244	485
Bradfield	249	248	497

Match v. Dulwich and St. Paul's, at Runmede.

(June 18th.)

	200	500	Ttl.
Corpl. Walker	31	32	63
Sapper Sibley	28	32	60
Sergt. Baker	30	30	60
Corpl. Masters	28	31	59
Sapper Munckton	28	29	57
Sergt. Heriz-Smith	27	29	56
Sergt. Sauer	27	29	56
C.S.M. Hore	28	26	54
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	227	238	465
Dulwich	238	237	475
St. Paul's	246	240	486

**Match v. Winchester, Clifton, Eton, Dover,
and Harrow.**
(June 20th.)

	200	500	Ttl.
Sergt. Heriz-Smith	33	33	66
Sergt. Baker	29	33	62
C.S.M. Hore	30	32	62
Corpl. Masters	30	31	61
Sapper Sibley	30	31	61
Sergt. Saner	30	30	60
Sapper Munckton	28	30	58
Corpl. Walker	30	28	58
	240	248	488
Winchester	234	243	477
Clifton	232	225	457
Eton	245	234	479
Dover	237	232	469
Harrow	226	235	461

O.T.C.

ANNUAL INSPECTION.

The Bedford Grammar School contingent of the Officers' Training Corps was inspected on Friday, July 11th, at 2.30, by Colonel N. W. Barnardiston, M.V.O., General Staff of the War Office. Captain E. L. Chambers was in command, the officers commanding companies being Lieut. A. W. Lucy, A Company; 2nd Lieut. R. J. C. Garrett, B Company; and 2nd Lieut. F. A. S. Sewell, C Company. The Inspecting Officer was received by the School Corps drawn up in line. After the "General Salute," and a careful inspection, the Corps marched past the saluting base in column, and returned in quarter column; they afterwards deployed and advanced in review order. After a careful and thorough inspection of Companies in company drill under their own officers and N.C.O.s, sections were chosen from A and B Companies to carry out an attack in open order. The Corps then formed up in quarter column and marched back to headquarters, where they were addressed by Colonel Barnardiston, who expressed himself as being very much pleased with their efficiency.

Love's Madness.

Anth. Gr. V. 266. Paulus Silentiarius.

Quem canis, ut perhibent, rabidus laniavit, in omni illi apparebit forma liquore canis.
Jam rabies animum pariter mihi vastat, acerbo me siquidem rabidus dente momordit Amor.
Scilicet in ponto, fluviis, vinoque figura protenus ante oculos stat tua cara meos.

A man by mad dog bitten, if they say sooth,
in every water that same dog espies.
Mad Love in me has fixed his rabid tooth,
and now my soul a prey to phrenzy lies;
for thy dear form in rivers, in the sea,
and in the wine-cup shows itself to me.

C. W. M.

The Grave of a Drowned Sailor.

Anth. Pal. VII. 350. (Auct. incert.)

Quem tegat hic tumulus, tu navita quærere vita:
at maria assignent di meliora tibi.

Ask not whose tomb I am: may Fate to thee,
O mariner, grant a more propitious sea.

C. W. M.

Games Regulations.

At a meeting of the Games Committee, held June 12th, 1913, the following proposals were made, and subsequently sanctioned by the Headmaster.

J. T. VARDE proposed, and F. K. SYMONDS-TAYLER seconded, that the cox of the 1st VIII. should be allowed to row in the Junior House IV's.—*Carried nem. con.*

M. A. MILTON proposed, and F. BAKER seconded, that House Colours should not be given for any junior event except Junior Shooting.—*Carried by 8 votes to 4.*

D. M. HERIZ-SMITH proposed, and M. A. Milton seconded, that boys certified medically unfit to swim should not count in the House Swimming Averages for the Senior and Junior Swimming Cups.—*Carried by 13 votes to 1.*

Correspondence.

Correspondents must send in their names, not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith. No anonymous contributions can be accepted. Correspondents are requested to write on one side of the paper.

CANADIAN ASSOCIATION OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

BOYD BUILDING,
PORTAGE AVENUE,
WINNIPEG.

(To the Editor of *The Ousel*.)

DEAR SIR,

I have been instructed by the Executive Council to write and inform you of the formation in this city of an Association of British