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## The Chronicle.

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The War continues ; so does the paper shortage ; wherefore again the Queen's School Magazine consists mainly of summaries characterised by brevity rather than by beauty of diction. The Chronicle itself is under a self-denying ordinance.

The Distribution of Prizes took place on Monday, November 5th, Lady Philipps kindly presenting the prizes to the winners. The Chairman, Mr. Gardner, gave an interesting address on the work and aims of the School ; among other speakers were Mrs. H. F. Brown, the Bishop of Chester, Mr. Noel Humphreys, and the Rev. H. Williams.

A War Charities Association serves little purpose unless it has funds to administer. It was necessary, therefore, to find means of adding to the shrunken balance at the Bank, and to this end, a Sale of Work and Produce was held, and a Variety Entertainment given. The Sale was a great success, and produced far more than could have been contemplated in the most optimistic forecast. A store of attractive and useful articles left over from former Sales and a most generous contribution of vegetables, fruit, dairy produce and jam sufficed to furnish four stalls. The sincerest thanks are due to those who gave so generously in these times of stinted supplies, as well as to those who bought ; not a few friends appeared in both categories.

The Variety Entertainment on December 12th and 13th proved very successful. There was no attempt to be classic, and in the present time of stress, the audience seemed satisfied that it should be so. The programme afforded scope for any and all kinds of "talent," and consequently, nearly a third of the girls and all the staff in some capacity or other rendered service. The thanks of the School are again due to Mr. Alfred Ayrton, who acted compendiously as stage-builder, electrician, appreciative audience, and—subsequently—auditor.

"Our little systems have their day,  
They have their day and cease to be,"

sang the poet, and at the same time unwittingly furnished an admirable description of the School Societies. They come and go, one proving serviceable to one generation of girls and another to the next. This year, the Debating Society is revived. It is exclusive—very exclusive of the staff, with one exception—Miss Petty, and she, from the beginning of the revival, has been enlisted to advise on methods of procedure. The School public has to await the appearance of the report in the Magazine to know the decisions and opinions of the Society.

During the winter months, a course of Lectures has been given on certain aspects of local history and local institutions, and although outside the usual School curriculum, has been well attended by members of the Fifts and the Upper Fourth. The subjects have been: Roman Chester; S. John's Church, its History and Architecture; the Cathedral; Municipal Government. In connection with these addresses, visits have been paid to S. John's and to the Cathedral, and the heartiest thanks are here recorded to Mr. Polehampton, who kindly devoted an afternoon to taking a party over his Church and describing all the points of interest, and to the Precentor of the Cathedral, who also gave an afternoon to a delighted company. In the Autumn term, it is proposed to hold a Parliamentary Election and to open Parliament.

Two very interesting Missionary addresses have been delivered in the course of the year. One on China gave some insight into the extraordinary superstition, cruelty and ignorance that have to be combated in the remoter districts of that vast Empire, where a high official accepts as satisfactory explanation of his illness the statement that the making of a new path through his grounds has disturbed the repose of the Earth Serpent. The second Lecture dealt chiefly with Missionary work in India.

The Choral Competition was held this year in the Spring instead of in the Summer Term, which is apt to be overcrowded with events. On this occasion, Mr. Frederick Morris, of Oswestry, kindly consented to act as judge, and the West House carried off the honours of the contest. The judge's report was so complimentary as to encourage the arrangement of an Entertainment, mainly musical, as the mode of celebrating Empire Day. The Hall was filled by a most friendly and appreciative audience, to whom the thanks of the School are due for a collection amounting to £7, which was devoted to the fund for providing music for the men at the Front. A collection made by the girls themselves in the morning produced £1. 8s. for the Overseas Tobacco Fund for the Services.

The programme was as follows:—

1	Two Pieces ...	The Orchestra ...	<i>Dolmetsch</i>
2	Two-part Song	"My Land" ...	<i>Stanford</i>
3	Recitations ...	(a) Ecclesiasticus, Chap. xlv, 1-15 C. GORNALL.	
		(b) Appreciation of Agricola ... E. MILLS.	<i>Tacitus</i>
4	Song ...	"Annie Laurie" ... M. BARKER JONES.	

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| 5.  | Three Songs of Spring | (a) "The Spring is Coming"—(date 1700)           |  |
|     |                       | (b) "Come, ye Young Men"                         | <i>Staines Morris</i><br>(Elizabethan) |
|     |                       | (c) "Now is the Month of Maying"                 | <i>Morley, 1598</i>                    |
| 6.  | Dance                 | "Autumn"   | ...                                    |
|     |                       | E. STUBBS.                                       |  |
| 7.  | Two Pianoforte Duets  | (a) <i>Moment Lyrique</i>                        | ... <i>Glière</i>                      |
|     |                       | (b) <i>Esquisse.</i>                             |  |
|     |                       | E. QUILLIAM & S. COLLINS.                        |  |
| 8.  | Songs                 | "I will make you brooches"                       | <i>Coningsby Clarke</i>                |
|     |                       | Evensong   | <i>Sidney Homer</i>                    |
|     |                       | MISS FERGUSSON.                                  |  |
| 9.  | Recitations           | (a) <i>Trafalgar</i>                             | ... <i>W. Canton</i>                   |
|     |                       | P. WILLIAMS.                                     |  |
|     |                       | (b) <i>Big Steamers</i>                          | ... <i>R. Kipling</i>                  |
|     |                       | M. JONES.  |  |
| 10. | Violin Solo           | <i>Reverie</i>                                   | ... <i>Wieniawski</i>                  |
|     |                       | MISS McCULLAGH.                                  |  |
| 11. | Song                  | "Jogging Along the Highway"                      | <i>Harold Samuel</i>                   |
| 12. | Songs                 | (a) <i>The Mother Seal's Lullaby</i>             | <i>Liza Lehmann</i>                    |
|     |                       | (b) "You Mustn't Swim till you're Six Weeks Old" |  |
|     |                       | MISS COATE.                                      |  |
| 13. | Pianoforte Solo       | <i>Impromptu in F Sharp Major</i>                | ... <i>Chopin</i>                      |
|     |                       | MISS EMILY GILES.                                |  |
| 14. | Two-part Song         | "Our Native Land"                                | ... <i>Grieg</i>                       |
| 15. | A Play in One Act     | "Such is Fame"                                   | ... ..                                 |
|     |                       | THE HEADS OF THE FOUR HOUSES.                    |  |

The War Savings Association has increased its membership in the course of the year, and has a considerable sum to its credit. The thanks of all concerned are rendered to Mr. Welsby, who has again kindly audited the accounts, and to Miss Nedham and Miss Jameson, who, as Secretary and Treasurer respectively, cope with the very considerable amount of work involved.

The heartiest congratulations are offered to Margaret Welsby on her double First in the Economics Tripos—probably a record achievement among women students. Among present pupils, Diana Beck has won a Bronze Star from the Royal Drawing Society for a series of drawings representing the various stages in a botanical experiment. This is the sixth special award gained by the School in seven years.

At the beginning of the School year, Miss Bailey, Miss Coate and Miss Shennan joined the Staff and were heartily welcomed. Miss Bailey has charge of the Kindergarten and acts as Games Mistress; Miss Coate has Form IV. Upper and is Classical Mistress. Unhappily, Miss Shennan, who had undertaken the duties of Science Mistress, had to leave in

December on account of illness. She has the best wishes of all for her complete recovery. Her place was taken for the Spring Term by Miss Farrow, who, before she left, gave a most interesting lantern lecture on her own country, New Zealand. She is now Science Mistress in Kirby Stephen Grammar School, and we wish her all success and happiness. When it was found that Miss Shennan could not return, as had been hoped, for the Summer Term, Miss Skues, formerly Head Mistress of the Newark High School, kindly filled the gap.

The match with "Fathers and Governors," always a much appreciated event, took place on Wednesday afternoon, June 26th, which was also a half-holiday in honour of the Mayor, Sir John Frost. The result, a win for the "Fathers" by one run, forms a very agreeable postscript to the Chronicle just as it is going to press.

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## Gifts to the Fiction Library.

<i>Name of Book.</i>	<i>Presented by—</i>
"Jimmy's Cruise in the Pinafore"—by L. M. Alcott	... H. Humphreys.
"The Fairy Latchkey"—by M. Horsfall	... ..
"The Tapestry Room"—by Mrs. Molesworth	... ..
"T. Tembarom"—by Frances Hodgson Burnett...	... ..
"The Little Glass Man"—by W. Hauff	... ..
"Trapper Dan"—by G. Manville Fenn	... N. Carson.
"Freckles"—by G. Stratton-Porter	... ..
"Happy-go-Lucky"—by Ian Hay	... Miss Maris.
"The Amateur Gentleman"—by G. Farnol	... ..
"Peg o' My Heart"—by J. H. Manners	... ..
"The Definite Object"—by G. Farnol	... R. Walley.
"My Lady Joanna"—by E. Everett-Green	... E. Elliott.
"The Last of The Barons"—Retold by C. E. Smith	... ..
"Afterwards"—by Ian Maclaren	... C. Smith.
"Carry On"—by Ian Hay	... D. Smith.
"The Campers"—by J. S. Aldis	... D. Evans.
"The Money Moon"—by G. Farnol	... E. Wright.
"Dinah Leaves School"—by M. Royce	... D. Edwards.
"Captains and Co."—by O. Wildridge	... M. Allen
"At the Foot of the Rainbow"—by G. Stratton-Porter	... M. Griffith.
"The Magic Forest"—by E. Stewart White	... M. Haworth.
"Shakespeare in Pictorial Art"	... O. Phillips.
"The Crescent Moon"—by Rabindrinath Tagore	... ..
"The Child of the Air"—by M. H. Spielman	... M. Mills.
"The Sword of the Carows"—by D. Maclaren	... B. Hobbs.
"The Story of a Year"—by Mrs. Molesworth	... P. Mowle.
"Ben Hur"—by L. Wallace	... R. Buccleuch.
"Unconquered"—by M. Diver	... H. Bibby Denny.
"The Eagle's Throne"—by Baroness Orczy	... ..

The following Gifts have been made to the School, and are gratefully acknowledged:—

A Clock	... Miss Maris.
Statuette—"The Venus of Milo"	... Miss Katharine Baker
Diana Pencil Sharpener	... Mr. P. R. Allen.
Money for Cigarettes for Soldiers	... Ruby Hale White.
2lbs. of Knitting Wool	... Mrs. Logan.
Money for Purchase of Wool	... Hilda Bibby Denny.
"The Glory that was Greece"	... Muriel Jackson.
Stuffed Owl	... Mr. A. Newstead.

## Prizes.

<i>Hastings Scholars</i>	... Diana Beck. Joan Woods.	
FORM VI.		
<i>History and Essay</i>	... Irene Naylor	... DONOR. Old Girls' Association.
FORM V.—UPPER.		
<i>Higher Certificate—</i>		
<i>Botany</i>	... Olwen Phillips	} Mrs. Alfred Ayrton.
<i>Mathematics</i>	... Helen Walley	
FORM V.—LOWER.		
<i>Form Prize</i>	... Diana Beck	... Mr. H. F. Brown.
<i>Botany</i>	... Diana Beck	... Miss Naylor.
FORM IV.—UPPER.		
<i>Form Prize</i>	... Elsie Phillips	... Mrs. Pitcairn Campbell.
<i>English Literature and History</i>	... Cicely Smith	... The Head Mistress.
<i>French and Latin</i>	... Honour Humphreys	... Mrs. H. T. Brown.
<i>Mathematics</i>	... Elsie Phillips	... John Thompson Memorial.
<i>Scripture</i>	... Honour Humphreys	... Miss Howson.
FORM IV.—LOWER.		
<i>Form Prize</i>	... Sylvia Brown	... Mr. W. H. Denson.
<i>English Literature and History</i>	... Ella Dutton	... Sandford Memorial.
<i>French and Latin</i>	... Sylvia Brown	... John Thompson Memorial.
<i>Mathematics</i>	... Sylvia Brown	... John Thompson Memorial.
<i>Geography and Nature Study</i>	... Ella Dutton	... Anonymous.
FORM III.—UPPER.		
<i>Form Prize</i>	... Doris Hincks	... Anonymous.
<i>English Literature and History</i>	... Doris Hincks	... Sandford Memorial.
<i>Arithmetic</i>	... Margaret Hewitt	... ..
FORM III.—LOWER.		
<i>Form Prize</i>	... Dorothy Evans	... Mrs. Gooddie Holmes.
<i>Distinctions in Examinations—</i>	<i>Doris French</i>	... ..
FORM II.		
<i>Form Prize</i>	... Muriel Miln	... ..
<i>Distinctions in Examinations—</i>	<i>Phyllis Waymouth</i>	... Mrs. Pitcairn Campbell.
FORM I.		
<i>Form Prize</i>	... Joyce Taylor	... ..



<i>Excellence Book</i>	... Diana Beck	...	Mrs. Logan.
<i>Special Industry—</i>			
<i>Upper School</i>	... Monica Cartwright	}	Mrs. Elliott.
<i>Middle „</i>	... Mabel Davies		
<i>Lower „</i>	... Annie Bate		
<i>Drawing</i>	... Phyllis Dodd	...	William Davies Memorial.
<i>Music</i>	... Muriel Jackson	...	Mrs. James Frost.
<i>Sewing</i>	... Kathleen Davies	}	Mrs. Stolterfoth.
	... Joyce Taylor		
<i>Drill</i>	... Ena Garratt	...	...
<i>Games—</i>			
<i>General Excellence</i>	Olwen Phillips	...	Mr. Gardner.
	Helen Walley	...	...

## SUCCESSSES DURING THE SCHOOL YEAR, 1916-17.

*Open Scholarships in History at Lady Margaret's, Oxford—*  
Irene Naylor.

*Responsions* ... Irene Naylor.

### OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE JOINT BOARD.

*Higher Certificate* ... Olwen Phillips ... Mathematics, Geography,  
Biology.  
Helen Walley ... Mathematics, Biology,  
Drawing.

*Northern Universities Senior School Certificate—*

*Matriculation* ... Muriel Jackson.

*Lower Certificate* ... Diana Beck ... Class I. Botany. Class II.  
Latin, French, Arithmetic,  
Additional Mathematics,  
English History.  
Phyllis Dodd ... Class II. French Arithmetic,  
Additional Mathematics,  
English History, Botany.  
Doris Edwards ... Class I. Arithmetic. Class II.  
German, Additional  
Mathematics, English  
History, Botany.  
Joan Woods ... Class I. Arithmetic, Botany.  
Class II. French, Additional  
Mathematics. English  
History.  
*Letters* ... Margaret Carter ... French, English History,  
Botany.

*Higher Certificate of the National Fræbel Union—*  
*Part I.* ... Marion Attwater.

## THE ROYAL DRAWING SOCIETY OF GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND.

*Preparatory Division. Honours.* C. Bate, K. Boden, J. Boden, R. Buccleuch,  
N. Carson, E. Cooper, B. Dean, W.  
Gaunt, A. Gillespie, M. Griffith, G.  
Hale, M. Haworth, D. Hincks, B.  
Hobbs, P. Mills, P. Murray, J. Taylor,  
P. Waymouth, J. Wild, Dora Williams,  
Dorothy Williams.

*Pass.* F. Taylor, M. Allen, A. Whitfield.

<i>Division I.</i>	Honours.	P. Barlow, A. Bate, I. Brown, R. Inceleuch, D. Evans, D. French, W. Gaunt, M. Hewitt, W. Hunter, B. Kemp, W. Murray, E. Prentice, M. Tattersall, K. Ward, P. Waymouth, Doris Williams, Phyllis Williams, G. Willis, M. Willis.
<i>Division II.</i>	Pass. Honours.	K. Dodd, M. Hill, M. Miln, B. Smith, B. Dean, H. Dutton, N. Eaton, N. Ellwood, E. Garratt, V. Gornall, D. Hincks, B. Lea, P. Lawson, K. Lunniss, P. Mills, L. Nickless, H. Sullivan, J. Welsby, B. Whitfield, E. Wilkins, D. Wrench, E. Wright, R. Youll.
<i>Division III.</i>	Pass. Honours.	M. Davies, M. Elliott, V. Harrison, W. Abel, M. Davies, B. Elliott, H. Humphreys, E. Mills, M. Whitfield.
	Pass.	C. Berney, G. Dent, M. Eason, G. Gerhard, E. Miln, F. Stubbs.
<i>Division IV.</i>	Honours.	E. Boydell, K. Davies, F. Davies, D. Freeman, E. Gornall, C. Holmes.
	Pass.	D. Britton, S. Brown, E. Dutton, E. Phillips, R. Walley.
<i>Division V.</i>	Honours.	J. Woods.
	Pass.	D. Beck, M. Barker-Jones, P. Mowle.
<i>Division VI.</i>	Honours.	P. Dodd.

A Full Certificate of the Royal Drawing Society was gained by Phyllis Dodd.

At the ANNUAL EXHIBITION OF PAINTINGS, &c., held by the above Society, the following awards were made:—

Highly Commended	...	...	...	...	Helen Walley.
Commended	...	...	Class II.	...	Diana Beck.
			Class IV.	...	Margaret Elliott.
Class I.	...	...	...	...	Dorothy Evans.
II.	...	...	...	...	Ronald Edwards.
				...	Doris Hincks.
III.	...	...	...	...	Mabel Davies.
				...	Phyllis Mowle.

## Record of War Work, 1917—1918.

### Autumn Term, 1917.

At the beginning of the term, a special donation was received from an "old girl" of the Queen's School, and in consequence, a large number of cigarettes was sent to soldiers at the front.

During the term, bags of horse-chestnuts were collected for Government purposes, and sent to the nearest depot. The dinner hour on wet days was spent in picking over dry sphagnum moss for hospital use.

In order to raise funds for the Queen's School War Charities Association, a sale was held on Wednesday, December 5th, and a Variety Entertainment given on the following Wednesday and Thursday. Details of the sum raised and of the distribution of the money will be found in the statement of the accounts of the Association. Some of the money has

been spent in buying wool for socks, cotton for knitted swabs and material for hospital bags, with the result that during the Autumn Term, 17 pairs of socks and a few other knitted garments were sent to Mrs. Logan for the Cheshires, 250 knitted swabs were sent to the Local Military Hospitals and 100 bags to Lady Smith-Dorrien's Hospital Bag Fund.

In addition to this work, Form V. Lr. sent three parcels to H.M.S. "Ready"; Form IV. Up. sent two parcels to Skipper Adamson; Form III. Up. sent 7s. 4d. to the Blue Cross Fund, made collections of fruit, vegetables, etc., for local Hospitals, made cotton-wool swabs for the wounded, and contributed towards Skipper Adamson's parcels; Forms III., Lr., II. and I. made numerous collections of fruit, eggs, tobacco, flowers, magazines, etc., for the local Hospitals.

#### Spring Term, 1918.

Eighteen pairs of socks, 100 swabs and 130 hospital bags were sent away. Each Form continued the work it had undertaken at the beginning of the school year, and Form III. Up. contributed £1 2s. 0d. to the Blue Cross Fund.

#### Summer Term, 1918.

On Empire Day, a general collection was made throughout the school, with the result that £1. 8s. 0d. was sent to the Overseas Club Tobacco Fund. In the afternoon, there was a concert arranged by the Heads of the Houses, and visitors were asked to subscribe to the Y.M.C.A. Musicians' Gift to the Forces. The sum of £7 was raised in this way.

Each Form is still "carrying on" its own war work, and Form IV. Lr. has undertaken to darn socks for Hoole Bank Hospital.

The War Savings Association has increased slowly but steadily. There are now 89 members and the subscriptions during the last year amounted to £137 2s. 9d.

During the week beginning June 3rd, a special effort resulted in the contribution of over £40 to the War Savings.

It is still hoped that all girls who have not already joined will do so. Is it not possible to bring the number of members up to a hundred?

M. T. N.

## Queen's School War Funds.—Statement of Accounts, 1st Dec. 1916 to 1st Dec., 1917.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>1916. Entertainment Receipts—</b>													
Sale of Tickets	36	3	0										
Do. Teas	7	10	0										
Do. Programmes	2	12	6										
Contributions	0	4	8										
Entertainment Tax returned	3	0	4										
				49	10	6							
<b>1917. Entertainment Receipts—</b>													
Sale of Tickets and Programmes				41	11	9							
<b>1917. Sale of Produce</b>													
Collection on Sports Day				8	1	1							
<b>1916. Entertainment Expenses—</b>													
Stage Properties, etc.								1	6	11			
Hire of Screen								0	7	6			
Do. Furniture								0	2	0			
Advertising								0	18	0			
Fireman's Fees								0	7	6			
Printing Bills' Programmes, etc.								3	5	6			
Envelopes								0	11	5			
Provisions for Tea								2	9	2			
											9	8	0
<b>1917. Entertainment Expenses—</b>													
Stage Properties, etc.								1	4	0			
Advertising								1	1	0			
Printing, etc.								2	12	6			
											4	17	6
<b>Sundry Small Expenses</b>											0	10	9
<b>Total Expenses</b>											<u>£14</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>3</u>
<b>Subscriptions—</b>													
Hoole Bank Red Cross Hospital								10	0	0			
Hoole House do. do.								10	0	0			
St. John Ambulance do.								5	0	0			
Cot Fund								10	0	0			
Belgian Relief Fund								2	0	0			
Women's Hospital								8	8	5			
Lady Smith Dorien—Bags								1	5	0			
King George Fund—Daily Telegraph								5	0	0			
“Our Day”								1	0	0			
Military Hospital Comforts Fund								5	0	0			
Linen League								2	2	0			
Savoy Fair								1	1	0			
Professional Classes Fund								1	1	0			
											61	17	5
<b>Materials for Work</b>											3	17	4
<b>Nursing Chair</b>											0	18	6
											81	9	6
<b>Balance in hand</b>											58	2	3
											<u>£139</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>9</u>

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## The Variety Entertainment.

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A most successful and charming entertainment was provided by Miss Clay and her pupils on December 12th at the Queen's School in aid of the War Charities Association.

The programme consisted of two little plays interspersed with dances and three Cautionary Tales from the pen of Mr. Hilaire Belloc. The first of the plays was founded on a Chinese tale, and was arranged by two ladies, "Somewhere in Chester," under the title of "The Golden Lily." The play was on the whole admirably acted. Miss Phyllis Williams and Miss Peggy Mills were excellent in their respective parts, in action and in enunciation. The other parts were all well sustained, and the two melodies from "The Country Girl," used by kind permission of Mr. George Dance, were very prettily sung. The dresses were particularly attractive in character. After some very graceful dancing on the part of the Misses Doreen Britton, Madge Elliott and Cicely Holmes, the three "Cautionary Tales" of Mr. Belloc came before the footlights. The first and last were deservedly encored. Miss Ferguson sang the "Lullaby Song" in the last of the tales very sweetly.

A one-act play, "A Highland Providence," in which Miss Elsie Phillips appeared as Captain Purdon, D.S.O., a wounded soldier; Miss Mabel Davies as Angela Brooke, the Hospital House Surgeon; and Miss Doris Edwards as Miss Elizabeth MacLeary, an elderly Scotch aunt, concluded the programme.

This was certainly the pièce de resistance of the whole programme, and where all three young ladies were such excellent actresses, it would be unfair to give individual praise; but a word of special commendation should be given to the Scotch aunt whose accent was refreshingly delightful. The acting was of a very high order, and must have amply rewarded the lady who had taken such evident pains in the training of the artistes. There was a crowded and appreciative audience.

C. H. S.

## A Midnight Talk.

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It was a moonlight night in Summer, and as the Cathedral bell struck twelve, there was a rustling in the Lost Property Box; the lid was raised, a shoe puts its toe gingerly on the edge and stepped out. "It's all clear, no one about," it cried.

Immediately there was a scrambling inside the box, and a crowd of shoes, boots, pencils, indiarubbers, ribbons, pens, and books all came tumbling out. They seated themselves in a circle on the floor, and a pencil jumped up and cried: "Who will tell a story?"

It stood still a minute surveying the group before it.

"I will," said a comb.

"That's right, Spiky," replied the brisk pencil. "Let us hear what *you* have got to say."

"Once upon a time, I was part of a whale...part of its rib, in fact. The whale I belonged to was a very cruel one; it loved to eat sailors."—"Like my mistress," whispered a Stocking—"But one day," continued the Comb, casting a crushing glance at the interrupting Stocking, who vainly tried to explain that its mistress did not eat sailors, but was very cruel, "one day, to my sincere relief, it was killed. The next day, the whale was cut open and I was taken out and sent to a factory, where I was transformed into a comb. But my troubles were not nearly ended, only just begun." "You must have led a bad life to get into so many troubles," murmured a Paint Box. "I was sent to a shop," went on the Comb, ignoring this last remark, "where there were numerous other articles. One day, a lady and a little girl walked into the shop and asked my price, I being the handomest comb there at the time." "Conceit!" muttered a Pen. "Nothing of the sort!" exclaimed the Comb, angrily, "and if you do not cease interrupting me, I will sit down." "Oh, no! Do go on! This is a charming story!" "Charming, indeed!" said the Pen, sarcastically. The Comb, who had not heard this last remark, was somewhat pacified by the Pencil's answer; so smiling benignly on the company, he proceeded: "The lady asked my price, was told, and said: 'I think I will take this comb; three and six, did you say? Oh, thank you!'

"I was decidedly glad to leave the shop; its occupants were a very low lot. 'Ain't we that glad to see yer go!' they cried. I was infinitely shocked at this, as you can imagine."

"We don't need to imagine much for that," said a Ruler. "I beg your pardon?" remarked the Comb. "Oh, nothing! Pray continue," stammered the Ruler.

"I was then wrapped up," went on the Comb, "and given to the lady; but had I thought my lot seemed better, I was greatly mistaken, as I soon joined you here," he ended with a sigh. There was a stir in the background, and a Penknife forced its way forward, dashed at the Comb, threw himself into a theatrical attitude, and roared at the Comb. "What!" he thundered, "you think you are the only person in the world, but you're not," he ended in a high-pitched voice. Then suddenly he dropped his voice to a whisper. "If you go on being disrespectful to other people, I will tell them that your f-a-t-h-e-r was a—beggar," he ended emphatically.

"What!" said the Comb, faintly. "Oh, don't! I—I—" The poor Comb could get no further; he broke down altogether and burst into tears. "Oh! Don't weep, don't weep," begged the Knife; I really did not think you would take it so to heart." "I am not very well," said the Comb apologetically; "you see, I have told a long tale!" "Oh! yes," said the Pencil. "Now, boys," he went on, "I am sure you will shew your gratitude for such a splendid story." "Rather!" shouted the 'boys.' "Hip, hip, hip, hurrah!" burst from many lips. The Comb was silent; he had been rather nervous since the Knife's remarks.

"One minute to one!" cried the Pencil—"half a minute—a quarter!" DONG. The Cathedral bell struck one. There was a rush and scramble into the box, and by the time the echoes had rolled away there was silence, and the moon shed a clear white light on the silent Lost Property Box.

PHYLLIS WILLIAMS, Form III. U.

Editorial Note—Zoologists, be merciful!

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## The Debating Society.

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A debating society was started in the Autumn Term with Diana Beck as president and Joan Woods as secretary.

At the first meeting, held on December 7th, the motion "That girls should not leave school to do war work," was carried after an interesting discussion. The proposer and opposer were Trudie Adams and Clara Berney.

"That Communal Kitchens encourage laziness," on February 20th, was moved by Diana Beck, and opposed by Eileen Wright. The two first speeches appeared to exhaust the subject, and as no one but the proposer had anything but praise for the kitchens, the debating was poor.

Much more eloquence was displayed when, on May 10th, the Society debated the motion: "That the Freedom of the Press should be abolished in war time." The opener was Doris Hincks, who dwelt on the encouragement that a scare-mongering press may give to the enemy; the opposer, Doris Edwards, held that the relatives of soldiers serving have a right to full knowledge of what is happening to them. Other speakers expressed grave fear of German propoganda and its effects on the minds of working-people in England, and argued that Government reports were the only safe way of disseminating news. On the other hand the "inspired press" was attacked as a weapon of Prussianism, Napoleonism and autocracy generally, and freedom defended in the name of democracy. Nevertheless, the Society agreed to abolish the free press by nine votes to six.

Debating would be better if members could overcome their natural diffidence: most of them find that they have something to say when they are called upon to speak, but the Society would value their ideas more if they were expressed freely and not perforce

M. P.

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## The Queen's School Association of Past and Present Pupils.

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The Annual General Meeting of 1917 took place on Wednesday, 27th June, in the Science Room.

Miss Clay took the chair at 3-20. Fifteen members were present. Letters of regret for absence were received from thirty-seven members.

A list of ten new members was read:—J. Ayrton, C. Belton, R. Bloom, R. Dutton, H. Griffith, D. Hills, N. Martin, S. Mason, I. Meredith, A. Tombs.

The minutes of the last-meeting were read and approved.

The re-election of the existing officers was proposed by R. Dutton, seconded by C. Ayrton, and carried unanimously.

Five Committee Members were nominated and elected.

The following mistresses, ceasing to be members of the Staff, were proposed as honorary members by Mrs. Ayrton and elected with acclamation:—Miss Maris, Miss Baker, Miss Smart.



The Hon. Treasurer read her report. It showed a balance of £7 (£20 having been invested in Exchequer Bonds). The adoption of the report was proposed by M. Dickson, seconded by Mrs. H. F. Brown, and carried unanimously.

A letter of thanks was read from Joyce Ayrton, the recipient of the Old Girls' Prize. A motion that, in future, the prize be given without a special vote each year was proposed by Mrs. H. F. Brown, seconded by S. Thornton Jones, and carried unanimously.

The Cot Treasurer read her report. Its adoption was proposed by R. Dutton, seconded by Mrs. L. Smith, and carried unanimously.

Attention was called to the need for devising means to increase the funds for the Cot. It was thought that some kind of entertainment might be given jointly in the Autumn, and a Sub-Committee was appointed consisting of Miss Clay, Miss Giles, C. Ayrton, R. Dutton, and the Hon. Secretary, with power to co-opt to their number. Proposed by Miss Clay, seconded by Mrs. Brown, and carried unanimously.

Suggestions of methods of keeping in touch with Old Girls were asked for, and a motion was proposed by Miss Clay, and seconded by Mrs. Brown, that at the end of the Spring Term, members who seemed to be getting out of touch should be circularized, and that the occupation of members of the Association should form an additional column in the Magazine.

An Autumn Meeting was discussed, and it was proposed by Mrs. Brown, and seconded by M. Dickson, that it should be combined with the Entertainment and Sale.

A hearty vote of thanks to Miss Clay for presiding and editing "Have Mynde" was proposed by Miss Hilda Giles and carried with acclamation.

Tea was served in the dining-room at 4-30. The company was swelled by the members of the Staff and of Form V. Up. Afterwards, members sewed slippers for the hospitals until 6-30.

Officers for 1917-18:—

Hon. Secretaries: K. Day, H. Atcherley.

Hon. Treasurer: Mrs. Ayrton.

Cot. Secretary: Ruth Welsby.

Cot Treasurer: Mabel Dickson.

Committee: The above, with R. Dutton, C. Ayrton, S. Thornton Jones, Mrs. H. F. Brown, Miss H. Giles.

## Association Notes.

The attention of members is drawn to the War Savings Association that has been founded at the School. It numbers about 89 members, and Old Girls are eligible for membership. This may be found especially convenient to Old Girls who still have sisters in the School.

Our embryo doctors are rapidly increasing their numbers. The following are heartily congratulated on having passed the 1st M.B. examination of their respective Universities:—Dorothy Stewart (London); Joyce Ayrton (Cambridge); Betty Imison, and Betty Briant (Liverpool).

Congratulations are offered to Marjorie Evans and Cecil Bennett, whose names have been brought to the notice of the Secretary of War for valuable services rendered as V.A.D. workers in their respective hospitals—Oaklands, Runcorn, and Hoole Bank, Chester.

Olive Sheringham is in France, engaged in the interesting occupation of "Administrator" to a detachment of the W.A.A.C.

Another member who has come into contact with the hard-working and patriotic girls of the W.A.A.C. is Hester Atcherley who is now one of the "V.A.D.'s" at the Endell Street Military Hospital, London. She says: "We have two W.A.A.C. wards and I am in one now; it is really quite interesting; the girls are real bricks, they have been through such a lot."

Bertha Nicholls has obtained the Diploma of the London School of Economics, and is at work at the W.G.S. Settlement, Camberwell.

We offer sincere sympathy to E. Hewitt on her serious illness, and hope that she will soon be restored to health and be able to resume her useful occupation

Our old friend, Miss Pryce-Browne, is still carrying on her missionary and teaching work in Madagascar. The following is from the Notes of the Society's Magazine:—"The Girls' High School in Tananarive has greatly distinguished itself, one of its pupils, Razafindrasoa, having passed top of 149 candidates in the Brevet Examination." We offer our hearty congratulations both to her and to Miss Pryce Brown. The achievement is especially creditable when we remember that the examination is in French.

Ruth Dutton is working for the History Tripos and has just passed her first year "Mays" in the 2nd Class.

Margaret Welsby has once more won honour for her School and herself in taking a First Class in the Second Part of the Economics Tripos. Best congratulations!

Congratulations also to Joyce Ayrton, who has obtained a 2nd Class in her 2nd year "Mays."

# THE QUEEN'S SCHOOL OLD GIRLS' ASSOCIATION.

## *Statement of Receipts and Payments for the Year 1917-18.*

RECEIPTS.	£	s.	d.
Balance in hand, as stated in last Accounts,			
July, 1917	7	17	1
Subscriptions	11	9	6
Sale of Magazines	1	0	6
Bank Interest, November, 1917	0	1	10
Do. May, 1918	0	2	9
Dividend, Exchequer Bond, 6 per cent.,			
August 17	0	12	0
Do. February 18	0	12	0
	<u>£21</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>8</u>

PAYMENTS.	£	s.	d.
Postages and Stationery	1	1	6
Tea at General Meeting	0	12	6
Magazines (1916)	0	10	0
Do. (1917)	5	0	0
Old Girls' Prize	1	1	0
Balance in Bank	13	10	8
	<u>£21</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>8</u>

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# THE QUEEN'S SCHOOL, CHESTER, COT FUND ACCOUNTS.

## *Statement of Receipts and Payments for the Year 1917-18.*

Receipts.	£	s.	d.		Payments.	£	s.	d.
To Balance at Bank (brought forward) ...	2	11	3		By Chester Royal Infirmary Donation ...	18	0	0
„ Subscriptions and Donations ...	10	5	0		„ Printing and Postages ...	0	9	5
„ The Queen's School War Fund ...	10	0	0		„ Balance at Bank ...	4	10	1
„ Bank Interest ...	0	3	3					
	£22	19	6			£22	19	6

Examined and found correct,  
 (Signed) WALTER CONWAY,  
 Hon. Auditor.

May 27th, 1918.

## Games.

### CRICKET SEASON, 1917.

OFFICERS: *Captain and Secretary* ... .. O. Phillips.  
*Vice-Captain and Treasurer* ... D. Beck.

#### QUEEN'S SCHOOL 1st XI.

D. Beck, E. Miln, M. Cartwright, O. Phillips, H. Walley, E. Boydell,  
 M. Jackson, B. Henderson, V. Harrison, D. Britton, E. Gornall.

#### MATCHES.

May 11—ENGLAND v. WALES.

The result was a win for England by 28 runs.  
 England, 76 runs.  
 Wales, 58 ..

June 12—1st XI. v. STAFF.

The result was a win for the 1st XI. by 60 runs.  
 1st XI., 93 runs.  
 Staff, 33 ..

June 20th—1st XI. v. FATHERS & GOVERNORS.

The result was a win for the Fathers and Governors by 8 runs.  
 Fathers and Governors, 56 runs.  
 1st XI., .. 48 ..

#### FORM MATCHES.

V. Up. & Lr.	} 27-21 runs.	} V. 57-16 runs.
IV. Up.		
IV. Lr.	} IV. Lr., 80-37 runs.	
III. Up.		

#### HOUSE MATCHES.

North	} North	} North.
East		
South	} West	
West		

## TENNIS SEASON, 1917.

OFFICERS: *Captain* ... .. O. Phillips.  
*Secretary* ... .. H. Walley.  
*Treasurer* ... .. D. Beck.  
*Queen's School Champions*: O. Phillips and E. Wright.

### MATCHES.

A Match against Birkenhead High School was played at Birkenhead on June 4th.

The result was a victory for Birkenhead by 15 games.

Birkenhead High School	...	34	games.
Queen's School	...	19	"

The return match was played at Chester on June 15th, when Birkenhead, again victorious, won by 21 games.

Birkenhead High School	...	36	games.
Queen's School	...	15	"

June 13th—QUEEN'S SCHOOL v. STAFF OF QUEEN'S SCHOOL.

An American Tournament was played, but the result was not decided, as the last match had to be stopped before it was finished.

July 6th—QUEEN'S SCHOOL v. TRANMERE HIGH SCHOOL.

at Tranmere.

The result was a victory for Tranniere by 16 games.

Tranmere High School	...	44	games.
Queen's School	...	28	"

July 10th—QUEEN'S SCHOOL v. FATHERS & GOVERNORS.

The Queen's School was victorious by 1 sett.

Queen's School	...	5	setts.
Fathers and Governors	...	4	"

#### Result of House Matches—

North	}	North	}	North
South		7-5		
West	}	West	}	6-4
East		6-1		

#### Result of Form Matches—

V. Up.,	bye			}	V. Up.
V. Lr.	}	IV. Up.	8-1		
IV. Up.				}	IV. Up.
IV. Lr.	}	IV. Lr.	8-2		
III. Up.					

This year it was decided not to hold the annual C.H.S.L.T.T. on account of the reduced train service and increased railway fares.

## ROUNDERS, INTER-HOUSE MATCHES.

North	}	...	South	}	
South			11-1		
East			6-1		East 14-3
West					

## HOCKEY.

SEASON 1917-1918.

OFFICERS: <i>Captain</i>	...	...	G. Dent.
<i>Vice-Captain</i>	...	...	M. Elliott.
<i>Secretary</i>	...	...	D. Beck.
<i>Treasurer</i>	...	...	E. Boydell.

### QUEEN'S SCHOOL XI.

Goal—T. Adams.

Backs—E. Gornall, V. Harrison.

Halves—G. Dent, M. Elliott, E. Boydell.

Forwards—D. Beck, M. Barker Jones, D. Britton, D. Freeman, E. Miln.

Nov. 16th—TOWN GIRLS v. COUNTRY GIRLS.  
No goals scored.

Nov. 23rd—TOWN GIRLS v. COUNTRY GIRLS.  
Score, 4-1.

March 26th—1st XI. v. STAFF OF QUEEN'S SCHOOL.  
Score, 10-3.

April 5th—DAY GIRLS v. BOARDERS.  
Score, 3-0.

### INTER-FORM MATCHES.

V. Up.	}	V. Lr.	}	
V. Lr.		9-0		
IV. Up.		IV. Up.		V. Lr. 5-4
IV. Lr.		4-0		
III. Up.		III. Up.		
III. Lr.		2-0		

### INTER-HOUSE MATCHES.

South	}	South	}	
West		10-0		
North		North		North 1-0
East		3-1		

G. Dent, D. Britton and E. Gornall gained their Hockey colours this season.

## BIRTHS.

- BESWICK—On May 26th, 1918, at Overdee, Chester, to Captain and Mrs. Harold Beswick (E. Johnstone), a daughter.
- GIBBS—On July 17th, 1917, at 16, Victoria Park, Weston-super-Mare, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gibbs (Ruby Arnold), a son.
- JONES—On October 12th, 1917, at Friend's Hall, Neston, Cheshire, to Captain and Mrs. Clement Jones (Enid Boscawen), a son.
- PARISH—On October 14th, 1917, at Burton Manor, Chester, to Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. F. W. Parish (Dorothy Drew), a daughter.

## MARRIAGES.

- BROTHERTON—GREENING—On August 8th, 1917, at Helsby Church, Elsie, second daughter of J. Brotherton, Esq., of Helsby, to Jack, only son of R. Greening, Esq., of Frodsham.
- BROTHERTON—BLOOMER—On February 12th, 1918, at St. Paul's Church, Helsby, by the Rev. E. W. Evans, M.A., Mabel, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Brotherton, Elm Cottage, Helsby, to Ronald William, second son of the late C. E. Bloomer, London.
- EARLE—HIGGIN—On June 11th, 1918, at Burton Church, Olive, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earle, of the Old Hall, Puddington, Neston, to Major W. W. Higgin, R.A.F.
- HUMFREY—ARNOLD—On June 30th, 1917, at St. John's, Hartford, Cheshire, by the Vicar (Rev. H. Pitts), Gwen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Humfrey, of Homewood, Hartford, Cheshire, to Richard Howard Arnold, Lieutenant, Welch Pioneers, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Arnold, Gabafta, Cardiff.
- LAYBOURNE—LAKE—On March 30th, 1918, at St. Peter's Church, Chester, by the Rev. G. Hindhaugh, Florence Ada, only daughter of the Chief Constable of Chester and Mrs. Laybourne, to Frederick Thomas Macdonald, Lieutenant, Indian Army, eldest son of Capt. and Mrs. F. T. Lake, of Ifford.
- VEERMAN—BURRELL—On July 5th, 1917, at Chester Cathedral, by the Rev. G. H. Veerman, Mus. Doc., Emilie, youngest daughter of Professor and Mrs. Leon Veerman, late of Chester, to Fontaine Mures Burrell, of Norwich.

## DEATH.

- SHERINGHAM—On June 16th, 1917, suddenly, at Flaxmoor, Helen, youngest daughter of the late W. G. Sheringham, and step-daughter of Col. A. W. Sheringham, of Flaxmoor, Caston, Norfolk.



# The Governing Body and Staff of the Queen's School, 1918.

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 MISS SKUES, Natural Sciences Tripos, Newnham College.  
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*House Mistress*—MISS TRAVERS.

## List of Members of the Queen's School Association of Past and Present Pupils.

- Adams, D., 35, Hough Green, Chester, Bank Clerk.
- Anderson, W. F., Girls' Collegiate School, Port Elizabeth, S. Africa (Hon.)
- †Atcherley, Hope, 44, Hough Green, Chester, V.A.D. member in Chester.
- \*\*Atcherley, Hester, 44, Hough Green, Chester, V.A.D. member in London.
- Ayrton, Mrs. A. (Winifred Brown), Ashfield, Wrexham Road, Chester.
- Ayrton, C., Ashfield, Wrexham Road, Chester, Music Mistress on the Queen's School Staff.
- Ayrton, J., Ashfield, Wrexham Road, Chester, Medical Student, Girton College, Cambridge.
- \*Bates, Doris, Post Office, Neuchatel, Alberta, Nurse at Vancouver Hospital.
- Baker, Miss R., Alexandra House, Kensington, W. (Hon.).
- Baker, Miss K., Queen Mary's High School, Liverpool (Hon.).
- Beavis, Phyllis, The Craig, Monkham's Drive, Woodford Green, Essex.
- Bell, Mrs. C. (G. Thompson), Jacob's, Sedlescombe, Sussex.
- Belton, C., Craigside, Sandy Lane, Boughton, Chester.
- Birch, Miss, 105, Downs Road, Clapton, N.E., and The High School, Glasgow (Hon.).
- Bloom, R., 9, Panton Road, Hoole, Chester.
- Briant, M., Helsby, via Warrington.
- Briant, E., Helsby, Medical Student, Liverpool.
- †Brown, Mrs. H. F. (L. P. Humfrey), 18, Curzon Park, Chester.
- Brown, J., Thorndene, Cambrian View, Chester, Bank Clerk.
- Brown, M., Thorndene, Cambrian View, Chester, Clerk in her father's business.
- Burges, Olive, 33, Halkyn Road, Chester, Quartermaster B.R.C.S.
- Carter, M., 171, Boughton, Chester, qualifying as a Dispenser.
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- Day, N., Rowton, Chester.

- Day, R., Rowton, Chester, Matron of the Mendell Home for Discharged and Disabled Soldiers, Bromborough, Cheshire.
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- †Dickson, M., Mayfield, Hoole, Chester.
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- Dodd, P., 13, Lumley Road, Chester, Student at Liverpool School of Art.
- Drinkwater, H., 24, Tavistock Place, London, W.C., in the Censor's Office.
- Dutton, R., Red Court, Church Walks, Llandudno, and Girton College, Cambridge.
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- Filmer, Miss A., 8, Portswood Park, Southampton (Hon.).
- Gallaher, Miss K., Feniscowles, Abbot's Langley, Herts. (Hon.)
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- Greening, Mrs. (E. Brotherton), Beechfield, Helsby, Warrington.
- †Gray, Peggy, Homecroft, Crewe, Clerk in L. & N.-W. Ry. Permanent Way Offices.
- Griffith, Hera, 7, Upper Northgate Street, Chester.
- Guest, May, Holmleigh, Helsby, Warrington, Clerk in County Accountant's Office, Chester.
- \*Harold, E., 4, Grove Road, Wrexham.
- †Hartley, Mrs. (A. Caldecott), The Sycamores, Leigh Road, Knutsford.
- Henderson, B., 70, Hough Green, Chester, Clerk in Army Pay Offices.
- \*\*Hewitt, E., Roseacre, Hough Green, Chester, Red Cross Nurse.
- \*Hewitt, M., Roseacre, Hough Green, Chester, Bank Clerk.
- Hills, Denise, Blencathra, Kingsdown, Deal.
- Hollamby, Mrs. (J. Cooper), 39, Richmond Avenue, Sedgley Park, Prestwich, Manchester
- \*Holmes, M., 35, Cambrian View, Chester.
- \*Holmes, E., 47, Hough Green, Chester.
- Horton, Q. and M., Holly Bank, Ashton Hayes, Chester, V.A.D. members at Hoole House Red Cross Hospital.
- Hovvitt, G. San Remo, 74, Herne Hill, London, S.E.
- Huggill, Mrs. (G. Day), at Bryntirion, Chester.
- †Hughes, K. Allington, Bryn-y-Groes, Gresford, N. Wales, Commandant B.R.C. Hospital, Gresford.
- †Imison, M. Heatherlea, Runcorn, Cheshire, Chemist in Coventry Dye Works.
- \*Imison, E., Heatherlea, Runcorn, Cheshire, Medical Student at Liverpool University.

- †Jackson, M. Avenham, Dee Banks, Chester, Elementary School Teacher.  
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