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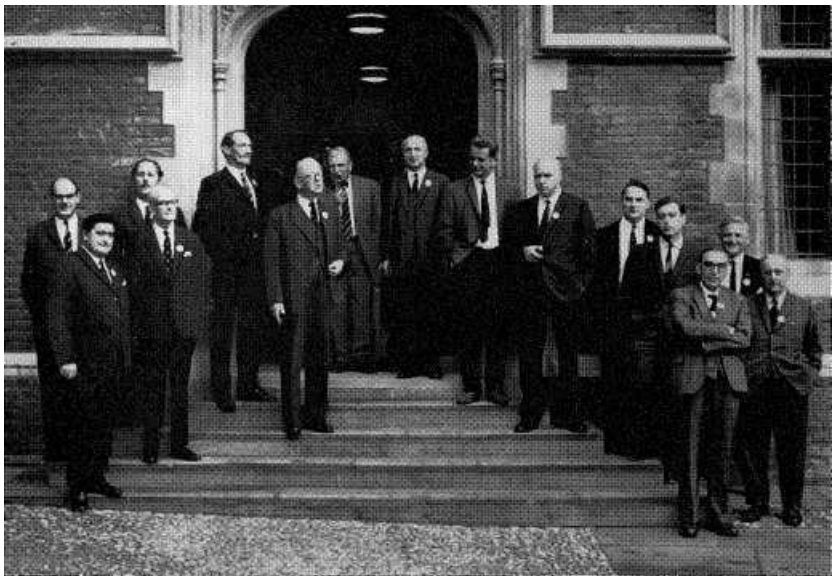
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AT THE REUNION



The Most Reverend C. J. Patterson

The Master



The Society Assembles

St Catharine's College Society Magazine

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The Opening of the New Buildings

ON Tuesday, the 3rd October 1967, at a joint ceremony held in King's College, the new buildings of St Catharine's and King's were formally opened by the Most Reverend C. J. Patterson, C.M.G., C.B.E., M.A., Archbishop of West Africa, who represented the Visitor of King's College in his unavoidable absence as well as the Visitor of St Catharine's.

Although officially indicating the completion of a building project without parallel in Cambridge history, at the level of personal convenience the occasion also marked the end of two years of domestic upheaval and makeshift accommodation. Indeed, so involved had the domestic situation become in the two Colleges that for several months before the official opening King's were taking all their meals, undergraduate as well as High Table, in the new St Catharine's Hall though the Long Gallery flanking it and all the modifications of the old Hall area adjacent had still to be completed; and few will forget the quiet amusement at the gatherings in Queens' Lane when the High Table contingent from King's, proceeding south, met that of St Catharine's, proceeding north, exactly outside the temporary door at the end of the new Hall. As a conference, too, had already been and gone, and the St Catharine's Society itself, this formal occasion signifying a return to normality could hardly fail to be one of rejoicing, and the Provost of King's, opening the ceremony, happily expressed the gratitude of both colleges for the co-operation of everyone who had laboured to make it possible—from the architect down to the men on the site, one of whom had voluntarily worked for 56 days without a break. In comparison with the leisurely progress of some building projects in Cambridge, this joint undertaking by St Catharine's and King's had proved 'a real triumph', and the Provost paid a final tribute to the Keynes family whose generosity had done so much to cover King's share of the common expenditure.

Continuing this theme, the Master of St Catharine's expressed his gratitude to the old members of the College who were giving similarly powerful assistance to St Catharine's, and like the Provost, he saw the joint undertaking of the two Colleges as a most remarkable achievement in collaboration. Chance, moreover, had contrived that even this formal opening should continue that collaboration, for when the Bishop of Lincoln, King's Visitor, had been taken ill, King's had gladly

accepted the Most Reverend C. J. Patterson, and it was to him that the Master turned with the words: 'May I ask you to declare these buildings open?'

So, with the quiet dignity of formal blessing and declaration, the Archbishop of West Africa, a son of St Catharine's, set the seal of fulfilment on a project which had not only brought St Catharine's and King's together, but also, it appears, the Archbishop himself some 4,000 miles from his diocese.

Now it remained for the Master of St Catharine's to recognise the indebtedness of both colleges for the magnanimity and forbearance, apart from professional ability, shown by those directly or indirectly concerned with the project, not least among them the President of Queens', for two years tormented by intermittent damage to his drains! But it was to the staff of Messrs Bovis, the builders, that especial thanks were due. Not only had they achieved a worthy structure in every way: they had done so on a desperately tight schedule in both time and money. The two Colleges were therefore asking those who had directed the work of building, from project manager to resident engineer, to accept as mementoes of their achievement silver tankards engraved with the crests of the two Colleges—mementoes which the Archbishop was delighted to present.

There is no doubt that the new Hall is seen at its best—and that is saying quite a lot—when the lighting is discreet and the magnificent curtains which rival the doctors' scarlet conceal the huge bay window bordering Queens' Lane. Over seventy ladies broke the severity, if not the dignity, of academic dress. Notable guests included the Reverend Lord Soper and, not least, Mr A. A. Heath and members of the St Catharine's Appeal Committee who have done so much towards achieving this splendid renaissance. Nor can one overlook the personal triumph of Dr S. C. Aston who crowned his exacting work as Bursar throughout the building period by taking over the office of Steward on Dr Sydney Smith's appointment as tutor and contriving a dinner in every way commensurate with an occasion both memorable and historic.

At the meeting of the Society in 1964, Dr T. R. Henn declared that the College stood on the eve of a renaissance comparable with the rebuilding in the 17th and 18th centuries. That renaissance the College celebrated on the 3rd October 1967, with thankfulness and rejoicing, and the Master reading the same Latin grace, *post cibum*, that was doubtless read in the old Hall of St Catharine's on the day when that was new.

News of the Society

ON Friday, the 29th September, the occasion of the annual reunion, the Society's membership was estimated at 3,930. The number on the corresponding occasion in 1948 was 1,672.

The Annual Reunion. Last year, when the Society filled the already restricted accommodation of the old Hall and Gallery, 126 members were present. This year, in the new Hall, the number was 192, including two guests, and but for late cancellations and inability to stay for dinner, the number would have been 202. Not unexpectedly the younger age-groups provided the bulk of the increase—67 against a modest contribution of four by their elders—and the striking resurgence of the '30' age-group, together with a healthy contribution from the '40', ensured that the 'degree age' of the gathering did not go beyond 1943.

	1964	1965	1966	1967
1890s	2	1	1	2
1900s	1	1	0	1
1910s	3	2	3	2
1920s	33	21	24	27
1930s	55	47	31	58
1940s	32	31	23	44
1950s	31	33	24	30
1960s	9	9	13	26

(These figures relate only to members of the Society who matriculated at St Catharine's.)

Especially welcome on this occasion were the Society's Victorian graduands—R. C. D. Armitage (B.A. 1899), who had been unable to be present at the last two meetings, and the Reverend F. E. Smith (B.A. 1899), the Society's President for the year 1967-8. Fathers with sons attendant—maintaining a feature of these gatherings which has now lasted for seventeen consecutive years—were S. C. Aston (B.A. 1937, Fellow 1943) with H. A. F. (B.A. 1965); R. F. Champness (B.A. 1924) with C. J. (B.A. 1954); J. R. Colclough (B.A. 1937) with J. P. (B.A. 1967); A. R. Cronin (B.A. 1927) with A. C. (B.A. 1961); and W. P. Speake (B.A. 1930) with C. J. (1962).

Undoubtedly the substantial increase in the attendance at this year's reunion reflects the Society's interest in the new St Catharine's, and how widespread that interest is can be seen when the attendance figures are analysed in terms of 'new faces', members, that is, attending a reunion for the first time. This year they numbered as many as 52, roughly a quarter of those present, and their degree dates spread over forty years—from 1926 to 1967. Yet, as a percentage, this figure is not abnormal. In 1963, when 157 members and two guests attended, the percentage was 24, and for the last ten years 'new faces' at a reunion have averaged about 20 per cent.

At the other end of the attendance list, forming what has been lightly, and with some accuracy, referred to as 'the core of old faces', there is again no significant change. Three members of the Society have attended all its twenty-one reunions since the war—C. R. Benstead (B.A. 1921), R. F. Champness (B.A. 1924) and F. D. Offer (B.A. 1927). Three have missed only one—H. J. Bunker (B.A. 1922), A. A. Heath (B.A. 1923) and T. R. Henn (B.A. 1923, Fellow 1926). S. C. Aston (B.A. 1937, Fellow 1943) has attended nineteen. Four members, among them R. C. D. Armitage (B.A. 1899) and Professor D. Portway (Fellow 1919, Master 1946), have attended eighteen, and three, among them Professor E. E. Rich (Fellow 1930, Master 1957) have attended seventeen.

The Society's Branches. Restricted space allows no more than a brief review of Branch-activity during the past year, and sympathy alone demands that mention must first be made of the Northern Branch's loss in the death of Robert Howard Parker (B.A. 1954) only a year after the death of their President, Colonel A. D. S. Rogers.

Although the Yorkshire Branch had to cancel their dinner which unhappily clashed with the holiday exodus—next year the intention is to hold it in September—activity elsewhere has been normal. Present at the London Branch's well-attended and most successful dinner at the President Hotel last December were the Master, Professor Donald Portway, Dr T. R. Henn and Dr L. T. Topsfield; forty-two members and guests attended the Manchester dinner at which Mr A. A. L. Caesar represented the College; and at the West Country dinner, held in the Senior Common Room of Bristol University, twenty-one members gathered. This proved to be an unusually venerable assembly, the Reverend C. D. R. Sharpe and the Reverend W. H. G. Reed being of 1921 vintage, Air Vice-Marshal T. C. Traill and J. R. Hardwick of 1924, and, representing the College, there was none other than Professor Donald Portway.

The Quincentenary Appeal Accounts

CASH ACCOUNT FOR THE TWELVE MONTHS ENDED 31ST DECEMBER 1966

<i>Receipts</i>	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance at Bankers brought forward				187	16	0
Subscriptions under Covenant	11232	5	8			
Interest and Dividends	1072	12	5			
Income Tax recovered	11062	8	9			
<u>Donations</u>	10153	2	2	33520	9	0
Sale of Investments				95940	18	6
Additional Loans received less repayments				616	13	6
				£130,265	17	0
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<i>Payments</i>				£	s.	d.
Fee, Midland Bank Executive Co.				40	8	0
<u>Stamp Duty</u>				82	13	7
Administration				2	2	0
Advance to Governing Body				100000	0	0
Cost of Additional Investments				29894	6	6
Balances at Bankers carried forward				246	6	11
				£130,265	17	0

BALANCE SHEET

<i>Liabilities</i>	£	z.	d.	£	s.	d.
Accumulated Fund, Balance at 31/12/65				74342	17	4
Income received per Cash Statement	33520	9	0			
Less: Administration Expenses	125	3	7	33395	5	5
Net Surplus on Investment Sales				2848	10	8
				110586	13	5
<i>Deduct:</i> Advance to Governing Body				100000	0	0
				10586	13	5
Interest-free Loans				2359	13	6
				£12,946	6	11
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<i>Assets</i>				£	s.	d.
Investments at Cost on 31/12/65				75898	1	4
Cost of additions during year				29894	6	6
				105792	7	10
<i>Less:</i> Cost of Securities realised				93092	7	10
				12700	0	0
Balances at Bankers				246	6	11
				£12,946	6	11

A. A. HEATH
J. F. BUNFORD

Trustees

T. M. CARMICHAEL, LL.B., F.C.A.
Honorary Auditor

The Quincentenary Appeal and the Building Fund

This report is dated some three months later than usual, and for various reasons it has not been possible to prepare the detailed valuation of the two funds which have now reached a combined total estimated at £235,000. The following are comparative figures:

Value at 30th April 1966	£190,000
Value at 31st December 1965	£158,000
Value at 31st December 1964	£85,000

The Accumulated Fund at 31st December 1966 amounted to £113,000. At today's date it amounts to £128,000. The difference between these figures and those of the valuation is represented by about £64,000 of covenants still to be performed, and about £45,000 of tax to be recovered, along with some reserves. There are other minor sources of revenue.

Since the last report, £100,000 has been handed over to the Governing Body.

The Building Fund target was fixed at £150,000, and has been reached within a margin of about £1,000. The Quincentenary target was £200,000, and the joint objective being £350,000, today's valuation leaves £115,000 to be raised by the Quincentenary date in November 1973. With this object in view, and in consultation with the Master, it is hoped to institute a new appeal committee in the course of the next few weeks. The current decision is to leave the fund intact, for investment by the trustees, until the Quincentenary date.

I feel that the Society should compliment the Governing Body on their decision to get the building completed now. Already this is almost accomplished. They have had recourse to fairly substantial borrowing, and this help has possibly been an operation of prudence because they knew that substantial aid from the Society was behind them.

I would like to record again my thanks to Mr T. M. Carmichael for his advice and for carrying out the audit. My thanks are also due to Mr J. D. Cormie for his work on tax-recovery.

For anyone who wishes to communicate with me, I append my new permanent address, the final symbol of which is the new post-office code.

Glevins, Lymington,
Hants. SO49AF
8th August 1967

A. A. Heath,
Chairman of Trustees

The Society's Finances

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH APRIL 1967

<i>Income</i>	£	s.	d.
New Members subscriptions	505	5	3
<u>Interest on Investments</u>	64	1	2
<u>Magazines sold to Undergraduates</u>	52	2	6
<u>Donations to the Society</u>	5	13	0
<u>Deficit for year 1966-67.</u>	96	18	8
	£724	0	7
<i>Expenditure</i>	£	s.	d.
Magazine, printing, wrapping, postage	650	2	7
Annual General Meeting notices	41	10	0
<u>Gratuities</u>	25	0	0
<u>Name discs</u>	1	2	0
<u>Loss on Annual Dinner</u>	6	6	0
	£724	0	7

BALANCE SHEET ON 30TH APRIL 1967

<i>Liabilities</i>	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
General Reserve: Balance at 30th April 1967 ..	1035	18	3			
<i>Less:</i> Deficit for year	£96	18	8			
Loss on sale of						
Debenture Stock ..	£88	10	8	185	9	4
Part-paid subscriptions by Undergraduates				850	8	11
<u>Benevolent Fund</u>				581	0	0
				43	11	1
				£1,475	0	0
<i>Assets</i>	£	s.	d.			
<u>Cash at Bank</u>	59	13	9			
688 Practical Investment Fund Units	399	10	7			
1,000 General Funds Investment Trust	901	9	4			
Due from: College (subscriptions)	107	12	9			
Practical Investment Trust (Interest)	6	13	7			
	£1,475	0	0			

Market Value of Investments on 30th April 1967, £1,475 5s. 4d.

F. D. Robinson, *Auditor*

The General Meeting of the Society, 1967

A CROWDED house; a sense of impending revelation; and the Society's President, the Most Reverend C. J. Patterson, in the chair—this, the 39th General Meeting of the Society, promised well and did not disappoint. The minutes of the last meeting called for no correction and were duly signed; the election of Mr J. F. Ablett (Fellow Commoner 1965) to honorary membership of the Society—the first of its kind in the Society's history—was gladly confirmed; and the Treasurer left no doubt that a deficit of £97 meant little when reserves, at present value, stood at £1,750 (this, after the Society gift of £2,000 to the Building Fund) and not until next year would the full advantage of the increased joining subscription be attained. Meanwhile the price of the magazine to non-members would be raised to 5s., and that of the dinner, with accommodation and breakfast, to 37s. 6d.

It was then that the Secretary voiced the Society's particular welcome to its staunchest of Victorian supporters, R. C. D. Armitage and the Reverend F. E. Smith, and concluded his report with the blandest of smiles and the confession that, by some oversight in the management of the Quincentenary Fund, nothing had been done about the yearly rotation of Trustees for eleven years! The meeting was clearly delighted, and Mr A. A. Heath took over. Now that the Building Fund with its professional inspiration was completed, he felt that the Society should resume its original policy with the Quincentenary Appeal and aim at producing a grand total of £350,000, derived from both professional and amateur effort, by the Quincentenary date in 1973. He therefore suggested another intense effort—a proposal evoking such enthusiastic support in the shape of well-meant advice that even Mr Heath was moved to observe that 'people were getting confused', and to Mr J. F. Pirie, LL.B., the Society is indebted for this account of what was ultimately decided:

'It was agreed unanimously that the rotation of the Trustees of the Quincentenary Fund should be carried out in accordance with the provision of the Trust Deed which was executed in 1954. The Chairman explained that this procedure had not been observed. It was also agreed that a fresh start should be made by reappointing the existing Management Trustees en bloc and that the process of rotation should commence at the Annual General Meeting in 1968.'

' It was also agreed unanimously that, as the Building Appeal had now ended, the Quincentenary Appeal should be revived and pursued with vigour with the object of collecting sufficient money by November 1973 to pay off the balance of money borrowed by the College by means of its Debenture stock. It was decided to appoint a Working Committee to consider the best way of dealing with the problem. The Committee is to consist of four members of the Governing Body, namely, the Master, Dr T. R. Henn, Mr W. K. Lacey and Mr J. M. Y. Andrew, and five members of the Appeal Committee, namely, Mr A. A. Heath, Mr J. C. R. Hudson, Mr J. D. Cormie, Mr J. F. Pirie and Mr R..T. Pernberton.'

So, at this purposeful meeting, the Society stoked up the fires of past endeavour, and thus ensured that a fresh start, as it were, was made with the original target of £150,000 achieved. Subscriptions were invited after dinner, and nothing could be more fitting than that the donation which carried the total past that target came from Mr F. W. W. Kempton who originated the idea of a Quincentenary Appeal.

The routine business that followed this lively dedication to further endeavour—and the Secretary's almost pathetic plea: ' May we move on?'—provided no thrills but genuine pleasure (and applause) when the Reverend F. E. Smith accepted the office of President for the coming year. He was, he said, ' feeling terribly old but very honoured ' —as, on the second count, were the Society. Retiring Committee members raised no discussion, I. G. Campbell (B.A. 1953) and P. J. Harris (B.A. 1946) being eligible for re-election, and A. C. Cronin (B.A. 1961), on the Committee's recommendation, replacing F. M. Merrett (Ph.D. 1949) who had served his allotted time. Nor did the customary grant of £25 to those on the staff who do so much for the Society meet with any opposition. Only the Benevolent Fund roused some misgiving, for money was getting short and one had to recognize that repayment of loans was not a certainty.

On the Bursar's advice, Saturday, the 28th September 1968, was accepted for the date of the next meeting, and remarkably, under the heading of A.O.B., there was none.

The Annual Dinner, 1967

THE Society held its Annual Dinner in the new Hall on Friday, the 29th September, and the Most Reverend C. J. Patterson presided—under a ghostly walnut tree, according to one clairvoyant who justly observed that the new Hall not only flanks the old (which is now the new and delightful S.C.R.) but also spreads itself over the old S.C.R., Walnut Tree Court and the original E block.

Proposing the toast of the College in a brief address of great felicity, the Archbishop thanked the Society for giving him this opportunity of paying tribute to those on whom had fallen the burden of adjusting the College. Aston Villa, he gathered, would not be an inappropriate name for its new buildings, and he congratulated the Master and Fellows on the wonderful work that had been done. He bowed to them all—not forgetting Mr A. A. Heath and his able associates whose work had materially assisted the College of tomorrow to acquire so rich a heritage, for the new buildings were symbols and expressions of the deep vitality of the old.

The Master replied. Referring to the joint opening ceremony only a few days ahead, he emphasized how tremendously important that ceremony was, for separate though St Catharine's and King's remained in physical bounds, the collaboration between the two Colleges had been wonderful. But this achievement did nothing to solve the financial problems that lay ahead. Repayment of borrowed money alone might be 'a halter round our necks for the next twenty years'. Nor is the academic side of the College without its difficulties now that all is changing, and the future of both the University and the College within the University are problems in themselves. At the moment, University teaching officers are in a selling market, and this means that the College must bring on its own young men as teaching officers in ever greater numbers. What is needed to ensure that the College can do so is a substantial improvement in its endowments, particularly in its estates.

Looking back on a year that had been marked by an eightieth-birthday lunch to Donald Portway, the Master recalled both achievement and change. To the Bursar, he said, the College owed an enormous debt. Nor could the work of W. K. Lacey with the Appeal fund be overlooked. And to cope with the increasing burden of looking after the College itself, they had gone to the R.A.F. for Group Captain

S. J. P. Pursey, O.B.E., as Assistant Bursar. Among recent changes in the Governing Body, R. N. Gooderson had been elected to a University readership, and A. A. L. Caesar had taken over as senior tutor. Dr G. J. Davies, of Auckland, New Zealand, a University Lecturer in Metallurgy, had been elected to a Fellowship, and D. C. Twitchett—B.A. 1949—had been made a Professorial Fellow on his election to the Chair of Oriental Languages—in particular, Chinese. Glen Cavaliero, M.A. (Oxon) before coming to St Catharine's, had been made a Research Fellow. So today one sees, working smoothly together and still a teaching body, a Master and twenty-two Fellows in a College that gained 47 firsts in the Triposes. That, roughly, is one-eighth of its undergraduate population. Moreover, although it had not won the cup and had only a single rugger blue, it was unbeaten in the league. The College had, in fact, a tolerant and understanding race of undergraduates who, apart from their impressive academic and sporting achievements, had put up with hardship and even welcomed undergraduates from King's! It was because there had been this co-operation between senior and junior, former and present members, culminating in this first Society dinner in the new Hall, that St Catharine's faced the future with confidence.

All in all, it had been quite a year.

Members who accepted were:

The Master of St Catharine's, J. F. Ablett (Fellow Commoner 1965), R. A. Adcock (B.A. 1948), F. W. Admitt (B.A. 1931), M. J. Allen (B.A. 1963), J. M. Y. Andrew (B.A. 1949, Fellow 1965), R. C. D. Armitage (B.A. 1899), D. G. Arundale (B.A. 1957), D. Asdell (B.A. 1947), M. H. R. Astbury (B.A. 1952), H. A. F. Aston (B.A. 1965), S. C. Aston (B.A. 1937, Fellow 1943), J. F. B. Atkins (B.A. 1926), D. A. Bailey (B.A. 1957), G. D. Baird (B.A. 1957), J. L. Barber (B.A. 1936), R. Barnes (B.A. 1934), D. J. Battye (B.A. 1960), J. M. Bee (B.A. 1909), C. Belfield Clarke (B.A. 1917), C. R. Benstead (B.A. 1921), M. L. Bentley (B.A. 1948), L. Blake (B.A. 1937), R. F. Bonny (B.A. 1930), A. W. Bonsall (B.A. 1939), A. J. Booth (B.A. 1927), J. E. Boulding (B.A. 1958).

A. Bower (B.A. 1920), Sir Frank Bower (B.A. 1920), H. F. Bowmer (B.A. 1938), R. E. Browne (B.A. 1948), H. J. Budd (B.A. 1940), H. J. Bunker (B.A. 1922), D. J. Bunyon (B.A. 1965), W. A. Burnett (B.A. 1931), A. A. L. Caesar (B.A. 1936, Fellow 1951), D. W. G. Calder (B.A. 1960), T. M. Carmichael (B.A. 1938), the Rev. C. Casson (B.A. 1927), the Rev. Canon R. P. Chalmers (B.A. 1938), C. J. Champness (B.A. 1954), R. F. Champness (B.A. 1924), H. C. Chaytor (B.A. 1930), A. R. Clack (B.A. 1935), the Rev. E. P. Clare (B.A. 1925), H. Cohen (B.A. 1942), J. P. Colclough (B.A. 1967), J. R. Colclough (B.A. 1937), T. G. Cook (B.A. 1943), H. J. Cox (B.A. 1933), F. S. Crawford (B.A. 1923), A. C. Cronin (B.A. 1961), A. R. Cronin (B.A. 1927), P. J. Crowley (B.A. 1934).

B. P. Davies (B.A. 1959), G. J. Davies (Fellow 1967), R. F. Davies (B.A. 1941), L. R. Dawson (B.A. 1933), the Rev. J. Dennis (B.A. 1954), P. D. Downs (B.A. 1950), T. M. S. Dyer (B.A. 1934), A. W. Eagling (B.A. 1930), G. Edlington (B.A. 1946), W. S. Elliott (B.A. 1938), M. A. Farrant (B.A. 1965), F. D. Field-Hyde (B.A. 1924), J. R. Fink (B.A. 1936), C. A. Fisher (B.A. 1940), P. H. Ford (B.A. 1965), I. M. L. D. Forde (B.A. 1928), S. Fox (B.A. 1946), P. R. Freeman (B.A. 1960), the Rev. F. W. T. Fuller (B.A. 1948), R. A. Gardener (B.A. 1961), P. Garfield (B.A. 1965), A. J. Glasspool (B.A. 1947), R. N. Gooderson (Fellow 1948), E. I. Goulding (B.A. 1931), G. B. Gray (B.A. 1930).

J. R. S. Hadfield (B.A. 1949), J. R. Haigh (B.A. 1940), P. Hall (B.A. 1951), R. J. L. Halliwell (B.A. 1952), A. G. S. Hanby (B.A. 1948), D. M. J. Harding (B.A. 1954), G. Harrington (B.A. 1953), P. J. Harris (B.A. 1946), F. E. Haynes (B.A. 1928), A. A. Heath (B.A. 1923), F. W. Henderson (B.A. 1927), T. R. Henn (B.A. 1923, Fellow 1926), C. E. Hett (B.A. 1931), J. P. Hewitt (B.A. 1947), F. E. C. Hills (B.A. 1951), D. Hinchliffe (B.A. 1930), F. G. Hiscocks (B.A. 1939), J. T. Hodgson (B.A. 1955), E. F. Holden (B.A. 1948), J. C. R. Hudson (B.A. 1948), D. G. Hughes (B.A. 1963), H. M. Hughes (B.A. 1942), R. H. Hughes (B.A. 1939), A. R. Humphreys (B.A. 1953), A. G. Hurrell (B.A. 1948).

W. L. Jago (B.A. 1931), A. J. Johnson (B.A. 1928), F. J. Joscelyne (B.A. 1938), D. E. Keeble (B.A. 1961, Research Fellow 1964), F. W. W. Kempton (B.A. 1931), P. J. R. King (B.A. 1931), F. W. B. Kittel (B.A. 1929), the Rev. A. F. Knight (B.A. 1961), the Rev. B. E. Knight (B.A. 1934), W. M. Knight (B.A. 1926), W. K. Lacey (B.A. 1946, Fellow 1951), R. E. Lawry (B.A. 1939), P. G. Le Huray (B.A. 1951, Fellow 1959), J. Le Provost (B.A. 1939), A. E. Lock (B.A. 1956), C. W. R. Long (B.A. 1961), H. H. McCleery (B.A. 1930), D. C. L. Marwood (B.A. 1949), H. T. D. Marwood (B.A. 1951), S. H. Mather-Lees (B.A. 1962), B. G. Midgley (B.A. 1960), H. H. Mills (B.A. 1948), F. R. Mingay (B.A. 1959), R. L. Mitchell (B.A. 1948), the Rev. J. St H. Mullett (B.A. 1947).

G. J. Nash (B.A. 1927), F. D. Offer (B.A. 1927), the Rev. J. A. I. Oliver (B.A. 1948), M. H. Onley (B.A. 1965), W. H. Openshaw (B.A. 1934), J. C. Patek (B.A. 1944), the Most Reverend C. J. Patterson (B.A. 1930), E. D. M. Peacock (B.A. 1953), D. F. Perrens (B.A. 1939), T. H. Petch (B.A. 1927), M. F. Petheram (B.A. 1953), A. J. Pickett (B.A. 1934), J. F. Pirie (B.A. 1947), J. M. Popkin (B.A. 1946), D. Portway (Fellow 1919, Master 1946, Hon. Fellow 1957), A. J. Powell (B.A. 1960), A. Price (B.A. 1927), H. A. R. Puttee (B.A. 1921), N. Pye (Mat. 1937), R. T. H. Redpath (B.A. 1934), J. W. Reed (B.A. 1952), B. H. Roberts (B.A. 1953), F. D. Robinson (Fellow 1955).

D. J. Scott (B.A. 1946), F. H. Scott (B.A. 1949), P. C. Shapland (B.A. 1944), J. R. Shelford (B.A. 1933), A. G. Sheppard (B.A. 1965), J. H. Shirlaw (B.A. 1951), G. B. Skelsey (B.A. 1965), R. E. Slee (B.A. 1949), the Rev. F. E. Smith (B.A. 1899), R. R. Smith (B.A. 1937), N. F. I. Sorrell (B.A. 1967), the Rev. D. A. Sparrow (Chaplain 1967), C. J. Speake (B.A. 1962), G. D. Speake (B.A. 1941), W. P. Speake (B.A. 1931), G. W. E. Stark (B.A. 1941), A. Stephenson (B.A. 1930), M. K. Stephenson (B.A. 1962), M. G. Stokell (B.A. 1953), E. T. Stokes (Fellow 1964), J. D. Sutton (B.A. 1957), the Rev. R. F. Swan (B.A. 1959), B. N. C. Sweeney (B.A. 1966), J. F. Sweetman (B.A. 1954).

N. E. Tarbolton (B.A. 1933), D. Winton Thomas (Fellow 1943), F. Y. Thompson (B.A. 1930), L. M. Thompson (B.A. 1931), P. R. V. Thompson (B.A. 1930), L. T. Topsfield (B.A. 1946, Fellow 1953), C. Vickerman (B.A. 1951), V. C. Vinsen (Mat. 1919), the Rev. T. S. Volans (B.A. 1931), B. S. Waldon (B.A. 1948), R. Wallace (B.A. 1935), P. A. Watson (Mat. 1965), R. D. Wayman (B.A. 1922), J. Webster (B.A. 1939), H. W. West (B.A. 1949), G. B. Westcott (B.A. 1931), D. E. Whitehouse (B.A. 1936), A. P. Wigley (B.A. 1959), D. H. Wilkins (B.A. 1935), S. R. Williams (J5.A. 1929), B. J. Wilson (B.A. 1949), J. Wort (B.A. 1935), E. K. Wright (B.A. 1933), G. B. Yeo (B.A. 1947).

Guests: S. J. P. Pursey, R. W. E. Barton.

From *The Woman's Journal*, November 1966:

' Why Cambridge? Not only because it has comfortable hotels, but because there is the time to enjoy the splendour of Trinity and St Catharine's, the beauty of the Backs, and the unforgettable singing in the chapel of King's.'

' Eating Out with J. B. White '

Engagements

- Cocks : Locker. In April 1967, between M. F. Cocks (B.A. 1963) and Joan Narelle, daughter of Mr and Mrs T. Locker of Newcastle, Australia.
- Comings : Cartwright. In September 1966, between P. G. Comings (B.A. 1966) and Daphne, younger daughter of Mr B. Cartwright and the late Mrs Kathleen Cartwright of Godalming.
- Crow : Grassick. In December 1966, between W. A. M. Crow (B.A. 1962) and Anne Gillian, elder daughter of Captain and Mrs John Grassick of Edinburgh, and Port Swettenham, Malaysia.
- Davies : Day. In June 1967, between F. G. Davies (B.A. 1957) and Caroline Janet, only daughter of Mrs E. Day of Ratlinghope, Shropshire.
- Hartley : Vincent-Jones. In June 1967, between R. A. Hartley (B.A. 1964) and Roslyne, only daughter of Mr and Mrs A. D. Vincent-Jones of Sandsend, Whitby, Yorkshire.
- Hay : Garrod. In October 1966, between A. M. Hay (B.A. 1963) and Pauline, only daughter of Mr and Mrs H. A. Garrod of Letchworth.
- Hay : Pouncy. In January 1967, between D. A. Hay (B.A. 1965) and Elizabeth Joy, daughter of the Reverend and Mrs A. G. Pouncy of Bebington, Cheshire.
- Heffron : Dixey. In September 1966, between T. N. Heffron (B.A. 1958) and Hilary Ann, daughter of Mr and Mrs H. A. Dixey of Hitchin.
- Hewlins : Hart. In November 1966, between M. J. E. Hewlins (B.A. 1964) and Julia Hart of Altwood Bailey, Maidenhead.
- Holsman : Capewell. In June 1967, between A. J. Holsman (B.A. 1966) and Carolyn Ann, daughter of Mr and Mrs R. T. Capewell of Wallington, Surrey.
- Lovibond : Ayliffe. In April 1967, between A. D. Lovibond (B.A. 1966) and Vivienne Mary, daughter of Professor and Mrs S. H. Ayliffe of Bristol.
- Scoggins : Salter. In April 1967, between Squadron-Leader I. M. Scoggins, R.A.F. (B.A. 1958) and Anne, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs R. E. Salter of Dunedin, New Zealand.
- Sly : Lavers. In July 1966, between A. J. T. Sly (B.A. 1957) and Elizabeth Anne, elder daughter of the late Mrs K. E. Lavers and Lieutenant-Commander H. J. Lavers, R.N., of Godalming.
- Stableforth : Phillips. In May 1967, between D. E. Stableforth (B.A. 1963) and Penny Jane, only daughter of Mr and Mrs D. I. Phillips of Hendon.
- Thomas : Calvert. In July 1966, between D. W. P. Thomas (B.A. 1953) and Margaret, younger daughter of Mrs O. A. Calvert of Penarth, and the late Mr G. B. Calvert.
- Thurley : Bennett. In September 1966, between J. M. Thurley (B.A. 1963) and Diana Cynthia, daughter of Mr and Mrs T. J. Bennett of Wallasey.
- Walduck : Ruffer. In February 1967, between T. H. Walduck (B.A. 1964) and Sarah Louise, only daughter of Major and Mrs. John Ruffer of Stokesley, Yorkshire.

Watts : Stonehouse. In February 1967, between A. G. Watts (B.A. 1963) and Gillian, younger daughter of Captain and Mrs Stonehouse of Brockenhurst, Hampshire.

Watt-Smith : O'Sullivan. In August 1967, between I. R. Watt-Smith (B.A. 1964) and Kieran Mary, younger daughter of Dr and Mrs H. J. L. O'Sullivan of Clifton, Bristol.

Marriages

Arundale : Kew. On May 13, 1967, at St Martin's-in-the-Fields, D. G. Arundale (B.A. 1957) to Diana Jane, younger daughter of the late Mr C. A. Kew and Mrs Kew of Eastbourne.

Babe : Bramhall. On April 1, 1967, in Pasadena, California, T. J. Babe (B.A. 1965) to Susan Alice, daughter of Mr and Mrs William Dexter Bramhall.

Bailey : Kirwan. On June 25, 1966, at St Mary's Church, Cadogan Street, Chelsea, P. B. H. Bailey (B.A. 1951) to Sheila, daughter of Dr and Mrs C. F. Kirwan.

Drakes : Hafner. On March 18, 1967, at St Mary's Church, Knighton, D. H. F. Drakes (B.A. 1966) to Brigitte Hafner of Berlin.

Edgcombe : Padmore. On Aug. 30, 1966, at St Michael's Church, Highgate, C. J. Edgcombe (B.A. 1961) to Katherine, younger daughter of Sir Thomas Padmore and the late Lady (Alice) Padmore of Highgate.

Endacott : Perry-Keene. On July 10, 1965, at St Mark's Church, Cheltenham, J. B. Endacott (B.A. 1964) to Gillian Heather Perry-Keene.

Gaston : Caiman. On Sept. 5, 1966, at Leigh-on-Sea, Essex, G. K. Gaston (B.A. 1964) to Patricia Yvonne Carman.

Griffiths : Taylor. On July 30, 1966, at the Church of St Mary and St Nicholas, I. H. Griffiths (B.A. 1949) to Anne Mary, only daughter of Mr and Mrs C. W. S. Taylor of Leatherhead.

Handy : Gates. On Aug. 19, 1967, N. C. Handy (B.A. 1963, Research Fellow 1965) to Elizabeth Carol, daughter of the late Mr A. R. Gates and Mrs Gates of Keswick, Northumberland.

Hewat : Goodison. On Feb. 22, 1967, in Chelsea, A. D. Hewat (B.A. 1953) to Mrs Anne Goodison.

Judge : Gregory. On June 1, 1967, P. H. Judge (B.A. 1962) to Pamela, daughter of Mr and Mrs R. E. Gregory of Maidstone.

Kerr : Dent. On April 1, 1967, at Cromer Parish Church, R. W. Kerr (B.A. 1965) to Elizabeth, daughter of Mr and Mrs A. J. Dent of Cromer. R. J. B. Pringle (B.A. 1965) was best man.

Kettlewood : McMillan. On July 1, 1966, K. Kettlewood (B.A. 1963) to Fiona Margaret, youngest daughter of Mr and Mrs E. McMillan of Inverbervie, Kincardineshire.

Laborde : Warner. On April 3, 1967, C. D. Laborde (B.A. 1936) to Margaret Joan Warner of Hindhead.

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Adoption

Goodfellow. By Mary and Ian Goodfellow (B.A. 1961)—a son, brother for Emma.

Deaths

- Airne. On March 5, 1967, Clement Wallace Airne (B.A. 1915) aged 77.
- Ballard. On Feb. 23, 1967, Philip Ballard (B.A. 1907).
- Bingham. On Aug. 31, 1967, Ernest Arthur Bingham (B.A. 1947).
- Bispham. On Sept. 8, 1966, William Michael Lindley Bispham (B.A. 1948), Senior Lecturer in Industrial Relations, Department of Economics, University of Abadan, Nigeria.
- Bunker. On Jan. 25, 1967, at the R.A.F. Hospital, Uxbridge, Squadron-Leader Nigel Vincent Delahunty Bunker, M.B.E., R.A.F. (B.A. 1949) aged 39.
- Davies. On June 30, 1966, Thomas Frederick Davies (B.A. 1935).
- Freeman. On Aug. 28, 1966, the Reverend Robert Henry Freeman (B.A. 1902) in his 90th year.
- Galpin. On Sept. 28, 1966, after a severe illness, the Reverend Eric Claude Galpin (B.A. 1923), Vicar of Holy Trinity, Aldershot.
- Garmonsway. On Feb. 27, 1967, in Toronto, George Norman Garmonsway (B.A. 1921), Professor Emeritus of English Language, University of London, aged 68.
- Griffith. In November 1966, the Reverend George Andrew Montagu Griffith (B.A. 1910).
- Howarth. On Oct. 17, 1966, suddenly, William Howarth, M.B.E. (B.A. 1936) aged
- Jeeves. On Nov. 27, 1966, the Reverend Frederick William Jeeves (B.A. 1913) aged 89.
- Johnson-Davies. On April 23, 1967, in Tenerife, Colonel Kenneth Cuthbert Johnson-Davies, T.D. (B.A. 1920) aged 72.
- Laurie. On April 14, 1967, suddenly, Robert Arthur Laurie, O.B.E. (B.A. 1936), until recently with the Shell International Petroleum Company.
- Lister. On Sept. 3, 1966, the Reverend Canon John George Lister (B.A. 1907) aged 81.
- McAuliffe. On Oct. 24, 1966, the Reverend Robert Paton McAuliffe, O.B.E. (B.A. 1903) at one time Warden of the Philanthropic Society's School, Redhill.
- McMeekin. On March 30, 1967, suddenly, Herbert William Porter McMeekin (B.A. 1913) aged 75.

- Muir. On Aug. 5, 1967, Robert Kilpatrick Muir (B.A. 1921).
- Parker. On June 22, 1967, suddenly, Robert Howard Parker (B.A. 1954) aged 35.
- Pearce. On April 15, 1967, suddenly, Robert Pearce (Mat. 1932).
- Pearson. On March 7, 1967, at his home in York, Geoffrey Frank Dennis Pearson (B.A. 1926).
- Robinson. On June 5, 1967, Alfred Ernest Robinson (B.A. 1903).
- Robinson. On Jan. 21, 1967, at Kendal, the Reverend Basil Cautley Robinson (B.A. 1911) aged 77.
- Robinson. On March 23, 1967, in Chicago, Lancelot Roden Claud Robinson (B.A. 1915).
- Senior. On Feb. 25, 1967, the Reverend Sam Senior (B.A. 1913) aged 80.
- Taylor Wilson. On Jan. 28, 1967, the Reverend David Taylor Wilson (B.A. 1896) aged 94.
- Thole. On May 3, 1967, Leslie Ludwig Stephen Thole (B.A. 1923) aged 67.
- Van Moppes. On Oct. 24, 1966, suddenly, Robert Van Moppes (B.A. 1937), aged 50.
- Williams. On Dec. 30, 1966, Edward Howard Williams (B.A. 1940) aged 50.

From information reaching the College, the deaths must be presumed of:

Clark, Sidney Hubert (Mat. 1930)

Miller, Edward Mark (B.A. 1965)

Monsarrat, Nicholas (Mat. 1924)

Steed. On April 19, 1967, at the Hope Nursing Home, Cambridge, Mrs May Steed, for some fifteen years on the office staff of the College.

A widow in her later years, Mrs Steed brought to the office not only an expertise at 'casting accounts' that, it was said, rivalled an adding machine, but also a willingness to help that made light of the labour involved. Familiar with University ways—her son was at Jesus and her daughter married a St Catharine's man—she took an honoured place among those on whom the College so largely depends for the smoothness of its running. Her funeral service was held in the College Chapel.

Obituaries

THE REVEREND DAVID TAYLOR WILSON

Died—28th January 1967

David Taylor Wilson was the Society's oldest member—and one of the most faithful. He matriculated in 1893 and graduated three years later. In December 1961 he wrote:

You will remember me as the oldest of those who accepted the kind invitation which you gave me to attend the Reunion of the *Very Old Members* of the College which took place on October 2, 1959. I look back to that time with great joy, although there was not a single person present whom I had met previously. A few of them I had known by name.

On St Andrew's Day I entered the 90th year of my life.

I was at St Catharine's in what I suppose you would consider the Dark Ages, when a cloud overshadowed everything. Professor Lumby passed away while I was at St Catharine's. The other Fellows with whom I was in touch were Southward and Lay considerably, and Spratt slightly. Nearly all the men who were undergraduates in my day have passed away.

I wish to assure you that my affection for St Catharine's is as great as ever.

And so it remained. He had paid his last visit to the College, but he kept in touch as long as increasing illness and incapacity permitted, and today the College mourns one whose devotion fought even the mounting years.

He was 94.

ALFRED ERNEST ROBINSON

Died—5th June 1967

Alfred Ernest Robinson was another of the Society's really old members, for he came up to St Catharine's in 1900, read Mathematics, and took his degree in 1903. After teaching for a year at Galway

Grammar School in the west of Ireland, he joined the Egyptian Government Educational Service in which he served with such distinction that he was appointed Director of the Egyptian Educational Mission to England and honoured with the rank of Commander (3rd Class) in the Order of the Nile. While in Egypt—he wrote, shortly before his death—he and two other members of the College, E. W. Coates and C. Barton, 'formed what must have been an early embryo of the Society, all dining together on the night of November 25th for many years'.

On the change of Egypt's status in 1923, he returned to England and retirement in Gloucestershire, but he continued to take an active interest in education, particularly the part played by the Church of England in the Diocese of Gloucester. He also maintained his great interest in music, and at one time was chairman of the Gloucestershire County Council Musical Committee and other musical organizations.

SQUADRON-LEADER

NIGEL VINCENT DELAHUNTY BUNKER, M.B.E., R.A.F.

Died—25th January 1967

After graduating at St Catharine's in 1949 and completing his training at Westminster Hospital in 1953, Nigel Bunker joined the Medical Branch of the Royal Air Force and embarked on a career that gave every promise of later eminence when, for his work with the Ghana Air Force, he was made a Member of the Order of the British Empire. But after three years—in 1964—he returned to England with the symptoms of an illness that was to prove fatal. It was an illness that, in the words of the Director General of Medical Services in the R.A.F., he 'bore with dignity and with a courage and fortitude that was in keeping with the highest traditions of his profession and the Royal Air Force'.

He was only 39.

PROFESSOR GEORGE NORMAN GARMONSWAY

Died—27th February 1967

George Norman Garmonsway, Professor Emeritus of English Language at London University, retired after thirty-five years of service. He came to St Catharine's in 1916, but he was soon caught in the First World War in which he served as a gunner lieutenant before returning to Cambridge in 1919 and, two years later, graduating with first-class honours in both parts of the English Tripos. After that, his career was one of unbroken distinction both at home and, as Visiting Professor, in the United States and Canada where, in Toronto, he was destined to die.

Not least among his literary memorials is a translation of the *Anglo-Saxon Chronicle* in its several forms, with an introduction which has been described as 'a model for the lucid handling of intricate material', and his *Penguin English Dictionary*, with its inclusion of colloquialisms, is also hailed as 'a triumph of accuracy and thoroughness'. These words, indeed, describe his work with the Ancillary Materials Division of the Ministry of Food in the Second World War.

He attended the dinner at which the College remembered its older members after that war—those who matriculated between 1910 and 1919—and the ease with which he carried his years aroused something akin to envy. Now he is mourned on both sides of the Atlantic.

He was 68, and leaves a widow and daughter.

WILLIAM HOWARTH, M.B.E.

Died—17th October 1966

William Howarth, a dedicated schoolmaster, died suddenly at the early age of fifty-two. Apart from the years of his war service, which took him to North Africa, Italy and Austria, he had been on the staff of Arnold School, at Blackpool, since he graduated in 1936, and for nine years, until 1957, he commanded the Combined Cadet Force. But his athletic record is even more outstanding, for while at St Catharine's he played twice against Oxford at Association Football, and on going down, not only represented Lancashire on twenty occasions in the Rugby code, but stood a reasonable chance of being selected for England, had not the war intervened.

At the time of his death he was a Housemaster, Head of the Geography Department, and Master in charge of Rugby—apart from being a selector for Lancashire and Chairman of the Manchester Referees Society—and his work with the Cadet Force was recognized when he was made a Member of the Order of the British Empire. It is a record that clearly indicates his contribution to the well-being of the school to which he had devoted his life.

COLONEL KENNETH CUTHBERT JOHNSON-DAVIES, T.D.

Died— 23rd April 1967

Kenneth Johnson-Davies crowded much into his seventy-two years. He matriculated in 1917, graduated three years later, and, basically, he was a lawyer with an immensely varied experience that included service in both World Wars, legal practice in Vancouver and East Africa, a period in the Sudan Political Service, and for eighteen years the post of Secretary to the British Motor Trade Association. During this appointment, he wrote three books, *The Law and Practice of the Motor Trade* (a classic of its kind), *Restrictive Trade Practices* and *Price Maintenance*. But the Society will remember him chiefly as its President in 1948-49, and for the part he played in helping to organize the Quincentenary Appeal Fund. At its birth he was elected one of the Managing Trustees. About everything he did there was an air of unruffled calm, and also a breadth of vision that surely found its happiest expression during his Presidential address at the Society dinner when he foresaw the day of such teeming membership that numbers alone would compel the Society to hire the Albert Hall.

He died in Tenerife four years after retiring.

THE REVEREND SAM SENIOR

Died—25th February 1967

The streets of Cambridge are not without distinguished men, but only a few become part of the Cambridge scene, and among them undoubtedly was the Reverend Sam Senior. For close on half a century, from 1912 until his retirement in 1955, he was Headmaster of

St John's College Choir School, and those who remember him during his years of maturity will ever recall a rotund little clergyman of unruffled serenity who defied even the worst that Cambridge can do in January. Of him, it has been said, 'his friends were everywhere—at High Table and college gate, in Parliament and city council, in town house and cottage home, for he brought to his work a unique love of his fellow men and an understanding of human nature given to few'.

He graduated from St Catharine's in 1913, and it can be said that he devoted his life to the Choir School where his memory will be cherished as long as there are old pupils to recall him, but his extraneous activities were many. For twenty-one years, from 1916, he was Curate of the Holy Sepulchre—the Round Church—and after that, of the University Church of Great St Mary until his retirement. He was also Precentor of St John's for seven years, and at one time President of Rotary in Cambridge. Not only St Catharine's, but Cambridge itself has lost a valued friend.

He was 80.

GEOFFREY FRANK DENNIS PEARSON

Died—7th March 1967

Geoffrey Pearson, who graduated in 1926, was an athletics coach of genius. In 1940 he joined the staff of Pocklington School—the present headmaster is G. L. Willatt (B.A. 1940), himself an old cricket and soccer blue—and, while there, not only coached many national champions but also edited a book that will long be his memorial. Its title is *Athletics*, and it carries the blessing of the Amateur Athletics Association.

As well as being an Honorary Senior A.A.A. Coach himself, he was the first senior coach to qualify in every event. He was therefore well-equipped for his editorial task with a book that covered the whole of track and field Athletics from historical introduction to mathematical explanation where necessary. He himself contributed the chapter on Putting the Shot.

Recently, an American publication referred to him as 'a true representative of the coaching elite of the World'.

The Memorial to Christopher Waddams

The Master and Fellows decided not to institute a separate memorial appeal for Christopher Waddams but to allow those who wished to commemorate him to earmark their subscriptions to the building fund for the 'Christopher Waddams Memorial Room', which will be a Graduates' Dining Room. It has, however, become clear that some members who have been more particularly associated with Christopher's ministry in chapel would wish to see him commemorated there.

In February of this year the Chapel Committee were empowered by the Governing Body of the College to discuss with ecclesiastical furnishers the matter of design and provision of a suitable memorial in the chapel. The Committee have accordingly held discussions with a firm of furnishers, and they have communicated outline proposals to the Governing Body. They have asked the firm in question to provide them with designs embodying the proposals under consideration, and it is hoped that they will become available by the beginning of the next academical year.

Any present or past member who may wish to contribute to the memorial is invited to send his donation to the Chaplain, the Reverend David Sparrow, St Catharine's College, at latest by 30 April 1968. All donations will be gratefully received and acknowledged.

D. WINTON THOMAS

President

Chairman, Chapel Committee

Ecclesiastical Appointments

The Right Reverend George Eric Gordon, M.A.
Bishop of Sodor and Man

Before succeeding to the vacant Bishopric of Sodor and Man, the Right Reverend G. E. Gordon (B.A. 1927) was Provost of Chelmsford.

The College Chaplaincy

The Reverend A. B. Wilkinson, Ph.D. (B.A. 1954), Chaplain of St Catharine's since 1961, has been appointed Perpetual Curate of Barrow Gurney, Bristol, Chaplain to the students at Barrow Court, and part-time lecturer in Divinity at St Matthias College of Education, Bristol. The Reverend D. A. Sparrow, Chaplain to the Archbishop of Canterbury, has been appointed to St Catharine's.

- Baxter. The Reverend R. D. Baxter (B.A. 1923) has resigned the Vicarage of Woodville and accepted—for, he hopes, the rest of his active life—an Assistant Curacy in the Parish of St Luke, Sunderland.
- Bridgman. The Reverend G. B. Bridgman (B.A. 1950) has been appointed Vicar of Holy Trinity, Hull.
- Curwen. The Reverend D. Curwen (B.A. 1962) has been appointed Industrial Chaplain in Croydon, London.
- Ford. P. H. Ford (B.A. 1965) was made Deacon on Trinity Sunday, 1967, to serve in the Parish of Christ and St John, Isle of Dogs, London.
- Godfrey-Thomas. The Reverend C. S. Godfrey-Thomas (B.A. 1945) has been appointed Rector of Woodham Mortimer and Hazeleigh with Woodham Walter, Maldon.
- Goodfellow. The Reverend I. Goodfellow (B.A. 1961) is now Chaplain at Haileybury and Imperial Service College.
- Michell. F. R. N. Michell (B.A. 1964) was made Deacon in Peterborough Cathedral on Sept. 25, 1966, to serve in the parish of St Giles, Northampton.
- Minchin. The Reverend A. J. Minchin (B.A. 1959) has been appointed Vicar of St Michael's Church, Cheltenham.
- Morgan. R. C. Morgan (B.A. 1963) was made Deacon by the Bishop of Lancaster in Blackburn Cathedral on Sept. 25, 1966, to serve in the parish of St Mary's Priory Church, Lancaster, and ordained Priest on Trinity Sunday, 1967. He is also Assistant Lecturer in the Department of Religious Studies at the University of Lancaster.
- Shiress. The Reverend D. H. Shiress (B.A. 1949) has been appointed Vicar of St Michael and All Angels, Blackheath Park, London.
- Stevens. The Reverend M. J. Stevens (B.A. 1963) was ordained Priest in St Paul's Cathedral, London, on Sept. 29, 1966.
- Turvey. The Reverend J. G. Turvey (B.A. 1924) was ordained Priest in the Cathedral and Abbey Church of St Alban on Dec. 18, 1966, and is serving as Curate at St Paul's Church, Letchworth.
- Wilson. The Reverend C. R. M. Wilson (B.A. 1957) has been appointed Anglican Chaplain at Toronto General Hospital, and Executive Assistant (Interprofessional Affairs) with the Toronto Institute for Pastoral Training.

Miscellaneous

Abubakar. I. Abubakar (Ph.D. 1962)—see Crampton.

Adderley. P. L. Adderley (B.A. 1950)—see Portway.

Alm. P. M. Ahn (B.A. 1950)—see Ozanne.

Allder. S. Allder (B.A. 1937) has been appointed Headmaster of Westminster City School, London, S.W.I.

Allen. After teaching at King Edward's School, Bath, for two years, M. J. Allen (B.A. 1963) has taken up an appointment to the Board of Extra-Mural Studies at Cambridge.

Andrew. J. M. Y. Andrew (B.A. 1949, Fellow 1965) has been appointed Secretary to the Board of Extra-Mural Studies.

Archer. G. W. E. Archer (B.A. 1962)—see Portway.

Arundale. A. B. Arundale (B.A. 1946) is still with British Railways, and is Divisional Manager for the eastern half of Scotland.

Astbury. M. H. R. Astbury (B.A. 1952) has been appointed Assistant Secretary to the General Council of the Bar.

Aston. J. L. Aston (B.A. 1947) has taken up a Research Fellowship in the Department of Metallurgy at the University of Aston in Birmingham.

Astwood. It is regretted that an error of identification in the Birthday Honours last year may have caused embarrassment by making J. C. Astwood (Mat. 1952) a Commander of the Order of the British Empire when the honour was bestowed upon Mr J. C. Astwood, his father.

Bannerman. C. R. M. Bannerman (B.A. 1961)—see Collier.

Barber. Writing last November, J. L. Barber (B.A. 1936) said: 'There are now four old Cath's men on the staff at Oakham: H. J. Cox (B.A. 1933) who is second master and commands the C.C.F. (for his services with its organization he was awarded the O.B.E.); myself (B.A. 1936), Housemaster; F. G. Hiscocks (B.A. 1939) who is Head of the Chemistry Department—these three cover an unbroken period of nine years at St Catharine's—and O. D. Kember (B.A. 1965) who is teaching Classics.'

Barcilon. H. V. Barcilon (B.A. 1929)—see Portway.

Barford. L. Barford (B.A. 1929) was made a Knight Bachelor in the New Year Honours. He is Chief Inspector of Taxes, Board of Inland Revenue.

Bee. J. M. Bee (B.A. 1909), whom older members will recall as a chess-player of distinction, has kindly presented his copy of the *Cable Chess Match Souvenir* for inclusion in the College archives. He writes: 'The six-a-side cable chess matches between Oxford and Cambridge, and Harvard, Yale and other American Universities, began in 1899 and ended in 1910 on account of costs. For the last match of the series, in which St Catharine's established what is probably an all-time record by having two out of the three Cambridge players, the English team played in the large ball-room of the Savoy Hotel.'

The College representatives were J. M. Bee, who also played in the 1909 match, and F. E. G. Southwell (B.A. 1908) who was killed in action during the 1914-18 war.

Benson. The Society will learn with regret, and great sympathy, that W. L. Benson (B.A. 1921) is now living in retirement following severe illness.

- Berwick. E. J. H. Berwick (B.A. 1933) is, with the International Union for Conservation of Nature, at 1110 Morges, Vaud, Switzerland.
- Bill. L. G. Bill (B.A. 1953)—*see* Crampton.
- Birkett. J. H. Birkett (B.A. 1964) is Training Officer at Bird's Eye Foods, Eastbourne.
- Black. W. A. M. Black (B.A. 1962)—*see* Higham.
- Booth. Last December, the Royal Military College of Science at Shrivenham was the scene of a happy encounter. Wearing a St Catharine's tie at the Annual General Meeting of the College Arts Council, A. J. Booth (B.A. 1927) was promptly^s challenged¹ by Lieutenant-Colonel P. A. Camp who was in residence at St Catharine's during the war until he left to take an active part in it as a Sapper.
- Bowcott. H. M. Bowcott (B.A. 1929)—*see* Smith, J. V.
- Bradshaw. R. P. Bradshaw (B.A. 1962), who is now a solicitor living at Radlett, Herts, writes: 'Peter Webster, Iain Cumming and myself all try to keep in touch, but Peter has moved up to Leicester, and Iain may be going to Australia.' One of the partners in the firm of solicitors for which he is working is Roger Dixon.
- Bridge. J. W. Bridge (B.A. 1962)—*see* Collier and Laurie.
- Brookes. J. S. Brookes (B.A. 1958) is lecturing in Economics at Bristol College of Commerce.
- Bunker. H. J. Bunker (B.A. 1922) has been elected President of the Institute of Biology. He is also Councillor of the new University of Brunei where he 'fulfills the functions of Biological Governor'. His commitments in 1967 also include the Irish Maltsters Conference, by invitation, in Dublin in April; the European Brewery Convention in Madrid in May; the International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry Conference at Prague in August; and a three-day conference at the M.I.T., Cambridge, Mass., U.S.A., at which he is lecturing in October.
- Burnham. Writing last September, A. B. Burnham (B.A. 1965) said: 'I am working in Grasse in a sort of apprenticeship in perfumery. I have become a qualified perfumer, and am now in charge of sales to the Middle East.... There is talk of sending me to England to develop a subsidiary company.'
- Caesar. A. A. L. Caesar (B.A. 1936, Fellow 1951) has recently pursued his geographical studies with unusual felicity in the U.S.A. Under the heading, 'Chicago Meet of some of St Catharine's Pack', word has come—by panoramic postcard—that 'Caesar M.F.H. and four Caesarian Hounds woofed it up together' on the 6th May 1967, the 'hounds' being Graham Chapman, Mike Conzen, Phil Rees and Ro Randall. As the M.F.H. himself testifies that he found the pack^o in good order¹, and one of them deemed the wine and dinner 'second only to that of Mr Rooke', it appears that the Meet was in every way successful.
- Ching. D. Ching (B.A. 1958) is now a lecturer in Geography at Coventry College of Education.

At the J.C.R. Reception

The Committee: A. S. V. Williams (President), R. A. Lawson, J. M. Mason (President-Elect), G. A. Savage, P. C. Waller, J. Colquhoun, S. G. Smith.

- Chisholm. M. D. I. Chisholm (B.A. 1954) is Reader in Economic Geography at Bristol University.
- Cleaver. J. E. Cleaver, Ph.D. (B.A. 1961) is Assistant Biophysicist in the University of California. Before taking this post, he was a research fellow in Neurosurgery at Massachusetts General Hospital, and he writes: 'I had two rather disappointing years in Boston because, after all the publicity that had been given to the facilities for scientists in America, I found my working conditions worse than those under which I worked for a Ph.D. in Cambridge. I am much happier in my new location, and I am writing a book entitled *Thymidine in the Metabolism of DNA* which should be published in the summer of 1967.... Neither my wife nor I intend to remain permanently in the US.'
- Clemens. C. C. Clemens (B.A. 1947) writes: 'I have been here—in Strasbourg—a couple of years in the British Delegation to the Council of Europe.' He joined the Foreign Service, which is now the Diplomatic Service, in 1947.
- Coles. R. P. A. Coles, LL.B. (B.A. 1964) writes: 'I am now articled in Peterborough and finding the office quite pleasant. In the results of my Finals, I fortunately managed to pass in all seven heads, so it looks as though exams are at an end for me.'
- Collier. R. B. Collier (B.A. 1962), who recently 'moved out to the wilds of Buckinghamshire', writes: 'When we left our flat in Putney, Colin Dutton and his wife took over. Colin and I meet playing for the Wasps. We're both still reasonably active members of the 1st XV although I feel a bit old on some Saturdays. However, as Vice-Captain for a second year, I get a regular place!' 'I don't see many old members these days, except on the rugby field, but John Bridge is a frequent visitor to our new house. I heard from John Herbert some time ago. He seemed happy teaching at Fettes, although I believe he is seriously thinking of going to Australia. You probably know that Clive Oatley is now a big oil tycoon in Geneva, having moved from Shell to Marathon Oil as European marketing co-ordinator. We still keep in regular contact with Calum and Mary Bannerman.'
- Comings. P. G. Comings (B.A. 1966) has joined the staff of Rossall School.
- Conzen. M. P. S. Conzen (B.A. 1966)—see Caesar.
- Cox. H. J. Cox (B.A. 1933)—see Barber.
- Crampton. Writing from Katsina, Northern Nigeria, where he is Principal of the Secondary School, E. P. T. Crampton (B.A. 1952) adds that the Principal of the other major educational establishment, the Teachers Training College, is also a St Catharine's man—L. G. Bill (B.A. 1953). 'In the last few months,' he writes, 'I have had great pleasure in entertaining Bishop John Mort and Mike Kershaw, and have met Don Farrar at conferences. The recent troubles in Nigeria have been difficult times for both Bishop Mort and Archbishop Patterson. Mike Kershaw travels extensively on behalf of London University Press. Don Farrar is Principal of Okene Secondary School. Dr Iya Abubakar is now one of the leading figures in Ahmadu Bello University.'
- Crawford. G. D. Crawford (B.A. 1961)—see Laurie.
- Crewdson. Since going down, J. D. Crewdson (B.A. 1963) has been teaching Economics and Economic History at Leeds Grammar School, and is now Deputy Head of the Economics Department which is about to introduce Advanced Level Business Studies. He is also reading for a Master's degree in Education at Leeds University. He is married and has three children.

- Crothers. In July this year, J. H. Crothers (B.A. 1962) became Warden of 'The Leonard Wills Field Centre' at Nettlecombe Court, Willington, Somerset. This is a partly Elizabethan house of 71 rooms, claiming some fame as the home of Sir Walter Raleigh's parents and the locale for the filming of *Tom Jones*. He writes: 'It will become the Field Studies Council's 9th Field Centre. As with the other eight, we shall aim to provide residential, library and laboratory facilities for anyone wishing to work in 'The Countryside'—in our case, Exmoor, the Quantocks and the shores of the Bristol Channel'
- Cumming. R. I. C. Gunning (B.A. 1962)—*see* Bradshaw.
- Dales. R. N. Dales (B.A. 1964) has been appointed Vice-Consul at Yaounde in the Cameroons.
- Darby. Professor H. B. Darby, O.B.E., Litt.D. (B.A. 1928, Hon. Fellow 1960) has been elected a Fellow of the British Academy.
- Davie. Professor D. A. Davie, Ph.D. (B.A. 1947) has been appointed Pro-Vice Chancellor of the University of Essex for 1967-68.
- Davies. K. Davies (B.A. 1955) writes: 'I did a P.E. Diploma at Loughborough after leaving Cambridge, and the greater part of my time-table at Llanelli Grammar School has been taken up with P.E. and Games, but I have had to teach a little French and English. Unfortunately I am now suffering from two slipped discs, and have been advised to move completely into the classroom.'
'I have been at Llanelli for seven very happy years, in a school which enjoys an excellent reputation in the sporting world, especially rugby, so you see that I am teaching what I actually learned best at Cambridge! What has happened to Cath's rugby since I left? My three sons will have to put them back on top again, but they will have to wait ten years or so.'
- Davies. R. F. Davies (B.A. 1941) has been appointed Registrar of the Courtauld Institute of Art, University of London.
- Delph. L. W. Delph (B.A. 1912) is living in retirement at Whangarei, New Zealand, and still treasures, he says, a chit from 'Tottie' Southward which reads: 'This is to certify that Mr L. W. Delph is a communicant member of the Church of England and a fit and proper person to ride a bicycle in cap and gown after dark.'
- Dixon. L. C. W. Dixon (B.A. 1957)—*see* Fuller.
- Dixon. R. H. V. Dixon (B.A. 1953)—*see* Bradshaw.
- Donald. W. G. Donald (B.A. 1930) has been elected Chairman of the Executive Council of the City of Westminster Chamber of Commerce, the fifth largest in Great Britain.
- Doncaster. J. P. Doncaster (B.A. 1929) was made a Commander of the Order of the British Empire in the New Year Honours. He is Keeper, Department of Entomology, in the British Museum (Natural History).
- Dutson. C. S. Dutson (B.A. 1963)—*see* Collier.
- Edis. R. J. S. Edis (B.A. 1965) has successfully embarked on a diplomatic career, starting as a Third Secretary in the Foreign Office.

- Egginton. J. D. Egginton (B.A. 1957) has left Guinness, at Park Royal, and is now Chief Engineer with Gestra (U.K.) Ltd at Croydon. He is married and has four sons, ranging in age from one to nine.
- Eldon. The Reverend M. H. Eldon (B.A. 1952)—see Portway.
- Elliott. N. R. Elliott, C.B.E. (B.A. 1928) was made a Knight Bachelor in the New Year Honours. He is Chairman of the South of Scotland Electricity Board.
- Evans. D. A. W. Evans (B.A. 1956)—see Wrigley.
- Evans. I. S. Evans (B.A. 1964)—see Lund.
- Evans. Professor Maurice Evans (B.A. 1936) has been appointed to the second Chair of English at the University of Exeter.
- Farrar. D. J. K. Farrar (B.A. 1951)—see Crampton.
- Fletcher. E. Fletcher (B.A. 1931)—see Thorn.
- Foster. The Reverend D. W. Foster (B.A. 1947) has joined the staff of Loughborough Grammar School where he will be teaching English and also Assistant Chaplain.
- Frazer. S. M. Frazer (B.A. 1928)—see Portway.
- Fuller. Writing from Solihull, Warwickshire, where he is Chief Assistant Solicitor in the Town Clerk's Department, G. I. Fuller (B.A. 1959) says: 'I have recently become Church Secretary of one of the local Congregational Churches. I also go out lay preaching from time to time, and recently had the privilege of baptising Karen Elizabeth Dixon, the third child of Laurence Dixon (B.A. 1957) who is a lecturer at Lanchester College, Coventry.'
- Garside. P. D. Garside (B.A. 1963) has been appointed to an Assistant Lectureship at the University of Cardiff.
- Goodland. E. A. Goodland (B.A. 1933)—see Portway.
- Gray. R. J. Gray (B.A. 1966) has been awarded a Harkness Fellowship to the United States, and proposes to work at Vanderbilt University during 1967-68.
- Greenwood. R. H. Greenwood (B.A. 1936)—see Steers.
- Gutteridge. D. R. Gutteridge (B.A. 1966) is a Scientific Officer in the Chemistry and Toxicology Department of the Northern Forensic Science Laboratory at Newcastle, and 'finding the work interesting'. Much of it, he says, is concerned with the study of specialised techniques and the observation of court proceedings.
- Gwynn. J. B. Gwynn (B.A. 1960) writes: 'I have become part of Britain's export drive, selling such expertise as the old country has to Britain's hard-headed European neighbours. So being director of the Economist Intelligence Unit's European network is no cakewalk—but enormously challenging.'
- Harris. R. Harris (B.A. 1965) writes: 'At present I am studying at the University of California, Berkeley, for a Ph.D. degree in Operational Research, having obtained an M.S. degree in the same subject this past year.'

- Hawker. A. C. J. Hawker (B.A. 1965) writes: 'I am happy to say that the W.E.A. Western District have just offered me the post of Tutor-Organiser for the Association in Somerset. I am hoping to try out various methods of introducing Science as a subject for adult study, as well as courses in Law.'
- Hawkes. After teaching at a secondary school in Bechuanaland under the voluntary service scheme, M. J. Hawkes (B.A. 1963) returned to England in September 1964 and studied Radiation and Physics Radiobiology at St Bartholomew's Medical College; but he has now returned to the same school—planned to be the largest in Bechuanaland—this time as assistant senior science master. His work includes the formation of a sixth-form science course.
- Herbert. A. J. Herbert (B.A. 1956)—*see* Collier.
- Hickin. J. A. Hickin (B.A. 1956)—*see* Wrigley.
- Higham. C. F. W. Higham, Ph.D. (B.A. 1962), who has now taken up his appointment at the University of Otago, Dunedin, N.Z., in the Department of Anthropology, writes: 'They say Cath's men are universal! I didn't believe it until yesterday when I was walking back to the Department and a voice cried out: 'Charlie Higham!' It was Bill Black and his wife. He said: 'Remember that try against Christ's?'
- Hiscocks. F. G. Hiscocks (B.A. 1939)—*see* Barber.
- Hopkinson. D. A. Hopkinson, M.D. (B.A. 1956) is engaged in Medical Research at Galton Laboratory, University College, London.
- Hughes. Writing in September last year, R. H. Hughes (B.A. 1939) said: 'I am retiring from the post of Superintendent of Crown Lands after 25 years in the Hong Kong Government Service, and hope to find congenial employment nearer home.'
- Ingram. During several 'very happy years' teaching at the Royal Pinner School as senior science master, P. M. Ingram (Mat. 1955) gained his B.Sc. in Chemistry and Mathematics at the London University external examinations, and is hoping to return to Cambridge for his Dip. Ed. He is married and has two children.
- Innes. J. D. S. Innes (B.A. 1956)—*see* Wrigley.
- Jennings. J. N. Jennings (B.A. 1938)—*see* Steers.
- Johnson. J. K. Johnson (B.A. 1965)—*see* Steers.
- Jones. I. L. Jones (B.A. 1951) has been appointed Manager of the Shell Company of Sierra Leone, Ltd, and expects to be in Freetown for the next three years.
- Kember. O. D. Kember (B.A. 1965)—*see* Barber.
- Kemp. T. A. Kemp, M.D. (B.A. 1937)—*see* Smith, J. V.
- Kent. R. N. Kent (B.A. 1967) has been awarded a £750 scholarship by A.B.C. Television to train as a director in repertory theatre work.
- Kershaw. C. M. Kershaw (B.A. 1952)—*see* Crampton.
- Kettlewood. K. Kettlewood (B.A. 1963) is still with British Railways, and is now Manager at the Oil Terminal, Thames Haven.
- Kolbert. C. F. Kolbert, Ph.D. (B.A. 1959), Fellow of St Peter's College, Oxford, has been elected to a Fellowship and College Lectureship in Law at Magdalene College, Cambridge, and appointed to a University Lectureship in the Department of Land Economy.

Lambourne. D. J. Lambourne (B.A. 1959)—see Lepper.

Laurie. G. M. Laurie (B.A. 1961) writes: 'In May 1966 I left hospital administration to take my knowledge of the health service to Austin Knight, Ltd, the public authority recruitment advertising agency, as Number 2 in the company's public relations division. I have also been plying a creative pen for some years as a film critic, so that I am virtually a full-time professional writer. At least, it keeps me busier than I was in the public service!'

Among recent contacts, he mentions that John Bridge is now a partner in a London firm of solicitors; that John Harvey recently returned from the Lebanon; that Douglas Crawford has been appointed editor of *Scotland*; and that Ian McKellen is once again starring in the West End, at the Fortune Theatre in Arbusov's *The Promise*.

Lawry. R. E. Lawry, C.B.E. (B.A. 1939), who returned from Hong Kong last year, is now Director of the Cambridge Branch of the British Council.

Laws. M. A. Laws (B.A. 1952) has taken up the appointment of Factory General Manager, Hindustan Lever, Bombay.

Lepper. J. Lepper (B.A. 1955), who is teaching at Bridlington School, writes: 'We are losing David Rhodes who is moving on to be Senior Geography Master at Newcastle R.G.S., but gaining another St Catharine's man to take his place—David Lambourne.'

Lewis. J. B. Lewis (B.A. 1965) has been appointed to a lectureship in English at the University of Ljubljana, Jugoslavia.

Lofthouse. J. A. Lofthouse (B.A. 1939) was made an Officer of the Order of the British Empire in the Birthday Honours. Last April he became Chairman of the Heavy Organic Chemicals Division of I.C.I. at Billingham.

Lonsdale. Major-General E. H. G. Lonsdale (B.A. 1934) is head of the new Royal Corps of Transport.

Lund. In a letter written last December, K. Lund (B.A. 1964) continues the story of his activities in Seattle where, after fifteen months with the Boeing Company, he is now doing research in Geometronics—'a hybrid field composed mainly of Geodesy and Photogrammetry'—in the Graduate School in the University of Washington. 'My support,' he says, 'comes from a Research Assistantship which produces enough to live on fairly adequately.' His association with the Boeing Company enabled him to obtain a free flight to England for himself and 'a young lady from the U.S.A.' during the brief Christmas vacation.

His two Cambridge acquaintances in Seattle have now left, Ian Evans returning to Cambridge after completing his field-work in Glaciology in the Canadian Rockies, and Peter Vorzimer departing for Houston, Texas, to surround himself with security restrictions as the official space historian for NASA. Winter passed with 'skiing practically every weekend'. Last summer there was cricket and a tour—in a British M.G.A.—down the Pacific Coast to the Mexican border, followed by a comprehensive exploration of Mexico itself in the local buses; and this summer he hopes to spend a month in Alaska, and join a yacht-crew in the weekend races in Seattle. Meanwhile he sends his regrets that time—and time alone—prevented him from looking up his many St Catharine's friends last Christmas.

Mabbutt. J. A. Mabbutt (B.A. 1947)—see Steers.

McKellen. I. M. McKellen (B.A. 1961)—see Laurie.

- McVittie. R. T. McVittie (B.A. 1963) is teaching at Stand Grammar School, Whitefield, Manchester.
- Marston. F. S. Marston, Ph.D. (B.A. 1923) writes: 'I retired a year ago after nearly twenty years as Chief Inspector of Schools in Surrey. During the past twelve months I have been doing a part-time job for the new London Borough of Sutton as Acting Chief Inspector, filling a gap.'
'My greetings and best wishes to all who remember the great Renaissance of the College after World War I under Rushmore and Chaytor.'
- Matthews. R. G. Matthews (B.A. 1957) is now Assistant Professor of English at the International Christian University, Tokyo.
- Mauger. P. G. Mauger (B.A. 1935) has been appointed Head of the Education Department at the Coventry College of Education.
- Meikle. G. W. C. Meikle (B.A. 1933)—*see* Waghorn.
- Moorcock. I. G. Moorcock (B.A. 1960) has been appointed Sales Manager of Krisson Printing, Ltd, London, N.W.10.
- Mort. The Right Reverend J. E. L. Mort, C.B.E. (B.A. 1938), Bishop of Northern Nigeria—*see* Crampton.
- Murgatroyd. W. Murgatroyd, Ph.D. (B.A. 1946), Professor of Nuclear Engineering at Queen Mary College, has been appointed to the Chair of Thermal Power tenable at the Imperial College of Science and Technology.
- Newns. Sir Foley Newns, K.C.M.G., C.V.O. (B.A. 1931)—*see* Portway.
- Nicholson. R. B. Nicholson, Ph.D. (B.A. 1956) has been appointed to the Chair of Physical Metallurgy at Manchester University.
- Oatley. C. Oatley (B.A. 1961)—*see* Collier.
- Onley. M. H. Onley (B.A. 1965) is now marketing the resin products of the Shell International Chemical Company.
- O'Sullivan. A. A. O'Sullivan (B.A. 1925) writes: 'My wife and I came to Jersey in 1962 when I was appointed to the General Managership of A. de Grundy & Co, Ltd, which is the largest store in the Channel Islands. We have two grown-up children, a daughter who is married and lives in Jersey, and a son who recently emigrated to Canada after obtaining an Honours degree in German at London. Our 'Ruby' wedding comes up next year.'
- Ozanne. P. C. Ozanne (B.A. 1958) writes: 'I have tendered my resignation from Legon and become a Research Fellow in the Institute of African Studies, University of Ife, Ibadan, Nigeria. As I have already dug in the Gambia for the Duke of York's Award Scheme, and conducted a survey of Sierra Leone for her University College, a few year's work in Nigeria will make my experience very wide indeed. Peter Ahn and Richard York are still at Legon, well, and apparently settled for a time.'
- Patterson. The Most Reverend C. J. Patterson, C.M.G., C.B.E. (B.A. 1930) Archbishop of West Africa—*see* Crampton.
- Perry. T. M. Perry (Mat. 1957)—*see* Steers.
- Piper. D. T. Piper, F.S.A. (B.A. 1940) has been appointed Director of the Fitzwilliam Museum and Marlay Curator, and took up his appointment on the 1st June 1967. He has also been elected a Fellow of Christ's College.

Portway. During a Caribbean cruise in the Cunard's *Sylvania* in January and February 1967, Professor D. Portway, C.B.E. (Hon. Fellow 1957, Master 1946-57) enjoyed the hospitality of a number of old members. At Nassau he met Sir Foley News, K.C.M.G., C.V.Q., who is still Chief Secretary of the Bahamas; P. L. Adderley, LL.B., a prominent barrister and leader of the unsuccessful Liberal Party in the island's recent election; and G. W. E. Archer, busily teaching as ever. Unfortunately, the Reverend M. H. Eldon was away at one of the other islands. The welcome of St Catharine's only resident in Antigua—Group Captain Eric Burton, R.A.F., ret.—included a swim on one of the beaches for which the island is famous; and at Bermuda, the island's leading medical officer proved to be S. M. Frazer who, at St Catharine's, had not only read Engineering with Professor Portway as his supervisor, but on one occasion, immediately after being severely 'ticked off' for climbing into college, had excelled himself by going up to Millington Road and borrowing Professor Portway's dinner jacket from Mrs Portway!

H. V. Barcion is now Puisne Judge of the Bermuda High Court.

Greatly appreciated, too, was the kindly thought of E. A. Goodland, donor of the magnificent Demerara bell described in the 1962 magazine, who was homeward-bound in S.S. *Ipinia* and sent Professor Portway a ship-to-ship message of welcome to the Caribbean.

Professor Portway has been appointed Vice-Chairman of the East Anglian branch of the Institution of Civil Engineers.

Potts. C. G. A. L. Potts (B.A. 1953), who is teaching at Belhaven Hill Preparatory School, Dunbar, writes: 'I am now headmaster-elect of this splendid establishment, and take over in September 1968.'

Powell. C. G. Powell (B.A. 1965) obtained Second Class Honours in the Law Society Finals.

Randall. R. E. Randall (B.A. 1966)—*see* Caesar.

Rees. A. M. Rees, O.B.E. (B.A. 1935) has been appointed Chief Constable of Staffordshire and Stoke in the new Trent Police Force.

Rees. P. H. Rees (B.A. 1966)—*see* Caesar.

Rhodes. D. Rhodes (B.A. 1958)—*see* Lepper.

Richards. R. B. Richards (B.A. 1961) has been appointed head of the Modern Languages Department at Blundell's School, Tiverton.

Robinson. R. J. Robinson (B.A. 1957) has joined the staff of the College of Education, Birmingham.

Robson. B. T. Robson, Ph.D. (B.A. 1961) has been appointed a University Lecturer in the Department of Geography at Cambridge for three years, with tenure from the 1st October 1967.

Ross. R. C. G. Ross (B.A. 1963) has been appointed Senior English Master at Dunrobin School, Sutherland.

Sheppard. N. Sheppard, Ph.D. (B.A. 1943), Professor of Chemistry at the University of East Anglia, has been elected a Fellow of the Royal Society.

Skelsey. G. B. Skelsey (B.A. 1965) has been appointed Administrative Assistant to the General Board of Cambridge University.

Smith. A. H. Smith (B.A. 1956)—*see* Wrigley.

Smith. Belatedly comes news of another St Catharine's candidate at the last General Election—J. V. Smith (B.A. 1951) who, as he says, 'stood as the Liberal candidate in Stroud, though sadly my 8,397 votes did not make the grade'. He adds that, with T. A. Kemp, he was on the committee of the Rugby Football Union when the President was Air Marshal Sir Augustus Walker, whose accession to this high office was reported in last year's magazine; also that 'H. M. Bowcott is still doing his best for the Principality as an International Selector'.

Smith. As Sandars Reader for 1966-67, Sydney Smith, Ph.D. (B.A. 1932, Fellow 1939) lectured on the Charles Darwin Collection in the University Library early in May. According to the Librarian, a record for the Readership was established, the audience for the last lecture being larger than that for the first. On sabbatical leave for the Michaelmas Term, Dr Smith is to be Visiting Scholar at Duke University, North Carolina, for the month of October.

Snelus. A. R. Snelus, C.M.G. (B.A. 1933) returned to England from Sarawak last year. In Sarawak he had been Deputy Governor.

Spaté. O. H. K. Spate, Ph.D. (B.A. 1933)—*see* Steers.

Stableforth. D. E. Stableforth (B.A. 1963) has returned to St Mary's Hospital Medical School for his final studies after spending a year with Voluntary Service Overseas in the wilds of New Guinea. Left very much on his own at times where 'sophistication extended to an X-ray machine but no further', he says that 'in two weeks I must have seen more patients than in my previous time in medical school'.

Stedman. R. J. Stedman (B.A. 1950) has been appointed first deputy headmaster of Grove Hill School, the new grammar school at Hemel Hempstead.

Steel. C. G. H. Steel (B.A. 1947) is working for his Ph.D. in the Department of Biology, Queen's University, Kingston, Ontario.

Steers. Professor J. A. Steers (B.A. 1920, Fellow Emeritus 1966) who recently returned from a visit to Australia, brings news of a number of St Catharine's men. At the Australian National University in Canberra, the College is well represented. O. H. K. Spate is now Director of the Research School of Pacific Studies, in which he had been Professor, and also a member of the councils concerned with the University of the South Pacific (Fiji) and University Development in New Guinea. P. W. Williams, seconded from Trinity College, Dublin, is doing research in New Guinea, a type of work in which he is closely associated with J. N. Jennings who is a Professorial Fellow and, at present, working in Western Australia; and J. K. Johnson is doing research in Economic Geography that he expects to last three years.

Although D. W. G. Timms is now lecturing in Sociology at Brisbane University, Professor R. H. Greenwood's department continues to flourish, and he himself maintains the association of the College with the Great Barrier Reef as an active member of the G.B.R. Committee. At the University of New South Wales, J. A. Mabbutt has recently been appointed Professor of Geography, a post for which his several years of work in the Commonwealth Industrial and Scientific Organization have made him well qualified, his Chair being mainly Applied Geography; and T. M. Perry is now at Melbourne University engaged upon a definitive work on Flinders which should be published in the not distant future.

- Stephenson. The Minister of Technology has appointed P. H. Stephenson (B.A. 1949) to be Director of the Institute of Advanced Machine Tool and Control Technology at East Kilbride, near Glasgow. He was formerly Chief Mechanical Engineer of the Pye group of companies.
- Styan. J. L. Styan (B.A. 1947) writes: 'After a visiting year, 1955-56, I have taken an appointment at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, as Professor of English. I was previously Senior Staff Tutor in Literature and Drama in the Department of Adult Education at the University of Hull. Cambridge University are to publish my new book, *Shakespear's Stagecraft*, in September.'
- Sugden. J. B. Sugden (B.A. 1962) has been appointed Senior French Master at King's School, Canterbury.
- Thorn. C. McG. Thorn (B.A. 1950) is Senior Executive of Cyprus Mines Corporation at Skouriolissa, Cyprus, an island where life is still seemingly unhurried. 'The Society's publication for 1964 and the notice of the 1964 annual meeting,' he says, 'reached me two and a half years later, and some of my mail, addressed to me in my former official capacity, remained on the shelf of a Turkish coffee shop in Lefka for nearly three years.' He adds that he has met Ted Fletcher who heads the Industrial and Human Relations Division of Associated Industrial Consultants, and also Jack Burbridge 'who has built a house in Bellapais, Cyprus, for his retirement'.
- Thomas. In last year's magazine it was stated that Professor D. Winton Thomas, D.D., F.B.A. (President of St Catharine's, Professorial Fellow 1943) had been elected Fellow of the British Association when his election had been to the British Academy. The error is regretted.
- Timms. D. W. H. Timms, Ph.D. (B.A. 1959)—*see* Steers.
- Twitchett. Professor D. C. Twitchett, Ph.D. (B.A. 1949) has been made a Fellow of the British Academy.
- Vacca. In addition to being Manager of the Technical Department of Rethymnis Kulukundis, Ltd, Shipbrokers, A. P. Vacca (B.A. 1942) is now a Director of Specifications & Surveys, Ltd, and of Liquid Carriers, Ltd.
- Vorzimer. P. J. Vorzimer (Ph.D. 1964)—*see* Lund.
- Waghorn. P. D. Waghorn (B.A. 1955), who is a Housemaster at Wellington College, Berkshire, writes: 'The number of Cath's men on the staff here has recently been reduced to three (J. Wort, G. W. C. Meikle and self) now that Mike Wardle has moved to St Luke's College, Exeter. We now have three daughters, the last born on Jan. 23rd this year.'
- Walker. Air Marshal Sir Augustus Walker, K.C.B., C.B.E., D.S.O., D.F.C. (B.A. 1934)—*see* Smith, J. V.
- Wardle. M. E. Wardle (B.A. 1960)—*see* Waghorn.
- Webster. P. Webster (B.A. 1959) is lecturing in Geography at the Charlotte Mason College of Education, Ambleside.
- Webster. P. D. Webster (B.A. 1962)—*see* Bradshaw.
- Westcombe. Since 1965, J. B. Westcombe (B.A. 1959) has been Deputy County Music Adviser for Leicestershire, working closely with school orchestras and conducting others further afield. Last February he conducted a concert in the Guildhall, Cambridge.

- White. P. R. White (B.A. 1965) left England last October for a year's voluntary service with the Ministry of Community Development at Buca, West Cameroons.
- Williams. P. W. Williams (Mat. 1961)—see Steers.
- Wort. J. Wort (B.A. 1935)—see Waghorn.
- Wright. D. R. Wright (B.A. 1961) is 'exchanging' with the U.S.A. for the year 1968, and teaching 'World Cultures' at Mount Lebanon Public School, Pittsburg.
- Wrigley. A. L. Wrigley (B.A. 1956) who recently 'swopped textiles for the aeroplane industry', says that he is now Export Sales Executive for the Aero Division of BTR Industries and doing a good deal of travelling, mostly in Western Europe. 'I am still in fairly regular contact with several '53-'56 men, among them Tony Hickin (just off to Ghana for yet another tour), James Innes (now settled in San Paolo), Alan Hardman Smith (whom I hope to look up in Copenhagen shortly) and David—D. A. W.—Evans (whom we see regularly in London).
- York. R. N. York (B.A. 1963)—see Ozanne.
- Young. Writing from Adelaide, South Australia, where he is Director of the Australian Mineral Development Laboratories, P. A. Young, Ph.D. (B.A. 1948) says: 'My main concern is the remoteness of Australia (even in the jet age). But Adelaide is a delightful city. There are two universities, a conservatorium, and a good deal of music (for which, alas, I have altogether too little time) so that, as a place to live, it is greatly superior to Middlesboro' or the N.E.! I reckon I have five years work out here (to put the establishment in order) and I'm also trying to write a book.'

Publications

Rudyard Kipling, a critical appreciation by T. R. Henn, C.B.E., Litt.D. (B.A. 1923, Fellow 1926), is to be published by Oliver and Boyd in the near future.

Under the title of *The Worshipful Company of Turners of London*, R. F. Champness (B.A. 1924) has written an up-to-date history of the Company, of which he is a member and Past Master. He writes: 'The Turners are my 'mother' company—I was admitted a Freeman in 1926—and I have always regarded it as a happy coincidence (no more) that St Catharine of Alexandria is the Company's patron saint, and that the earliest known arms used by the Company from 1587 to 1634 (when the existing complicated coat was granted by the College of Arms) was a gold Catharine wheel on a red shield.'

Next year—1968—Peter Owen Ltd are publishing a book entitled *The Artist and the Book in France* by W. J. Strachan (B.A. 1924). In the meantime he has been closely concerned with an exhibition of *livres d'artiste*, under the same title, which was held in the Scottish National Gallery of Modern Art from the 7th July to the 6th August 1967. Apart from a contribution from the Victoria and Albert Museum, the books on display form an anthology from Strachan's own collection, and he has not only compiled a catalogue of all the exhibits, but has contributed an introduction, a note on autographic processes, and a glossary.

A small but unusual book comes from D. W. Doughty (B.A. 1938) who is Sub-Librarian of the University Library at St Andrew's and has written, under the title of *The Tullis Press, Cupar, 1803-1849*, a comprehensive account of this essay in private enterprise for the Abertay Historical Society, Dundee. Its purpose is thus clearly defined, and achieved. For the casual reader, however, the standard of Tullis production revealed in the excellent plates, and the background detail in the running of the firm in the early nineteenth century, certainly invite an interesting comparison with modern publishing.

The Family in Classical Greece (Thames and Hudson) by W. K. Lacey (B.A. 1946, Fellow 1951) is a study of the Ancient Greeks through their families. It deals with the family as an independent unit, especially the relationship of the free members as they are governed by the laws on marriage, legitimacy, citizenship and succession-rights to property, and their opposites, adultery, bastardy, exposure of children[^] etc. It also deals with the family as a social unit, and its relations with other families and the State and its sub-divisions, some of which were based on ancestry, some on place of residence.

The book is written primarily for students, but it is intended to be of interest to the general reader as well, and technical discussion is relegated to the notes. It also contains forty-nine pictures, with discussion on various aspects of the family and its life.

In the April, May and June issues of the *Contemporary Review* is a study of 'The Rise of English Radicalism' by F. W. Admitt (B.A. 1931).

' My aim in writing the article,' he says, ' was to describe the ideas and ideals behind a movement which has always provided the driving power for so many of the reforms effected in our political institutions. It was the Radical movement which set the pace in political organisation, and which came to dominate the whole growth of British Parliamentarianism. The Radical goal—the promotion of ' the greatest happiness of the greatest number '—provided a dynamic force of legal, social, political and economic reform, and a touchstone for all governmental policies.'

' The spirit that animated the Radicals is still operating, and the lines on which social and political action are at present proceeding were largely laid down by them. They carried forward their principles step by step, each thinker and politician adding something of permanent value. Progress was their watchword, and their enthusiasm for liberty and the public good supplied the driving force. That is what the present time inherits from them. They supplied to the world no complete philosophical system but certain well-defined principles that have stood the test of results, and that still allow of indefinite beneficent application. From ' honest ' John Lilburne to David Lloyd George, Radicalism has always looked steadfastly to the future.'

Although it is unusual to refer to the writings of those who are not St Catharine's men, an exception is always made when the book directly concerns the College, and such a one is *Richard Wilton, A Forgotten Victorian*, by his great-granddaughter, Miss Mary Blamire Young, which is about to be published by Allen and Unwin. Members of the Society will no doubt recall the edited version of his letters to his parents and brothers during his residence at St Catharine's, which—with Miss Young's kind permission—appeared in the 1961 magazine.

The significance of Wilton's letters, which Miss Young has now edited in their entirety, springs from their timing. They might be said to mark the end of the ' old ' University, for the year in which he went down, 1850, saw the first of a series of Royal Commissions recommending degrees in what must have seemed like a mushroom growth of new knowledge. The University, in fact, was at last shaking off its medieval fetters. Happily for those who are interested in the Victorian scene, as well as the University, Wilton practised the now lost art of legible hand-writing to the end of his days, and what he has to tell of parochial life with its extremes of wealth and poverty—first at Kirby Wharfe and then at Londesborough, a most desirable living—

is no less interesting in its way than what he has to say about St Catharine's. Quite a lot of period detail creeps into the picture. Doctors, then, were still applying leeches; railways were still a novelty; a trip to Scotland was still undertaken by sea; and always, beyond the walled enclosure of the Established Church, there was the voice of heresy, ranging from simple nonconformity to Darwin's ignoble theory and Bishop Colenso's scandalous mathematical analysis of the Pentateuch.

It is difficult not to see Wilton as just a little 'unworldly', once he had settled in Londesborough, for here, at least, he was comparatively free. None other than his old friend Robinson, who had duly become Master of St Catharine's, persuaded him to resume his earlier ventures in authorship. So one finds him composing his sonnets 'in the calm noon of a country parson's life', and taking his place as one of the few living poets in Palgrave's Golden Treasury when it first appeared. Moreover, not many clergymen can have been sufficiently close to nature to entice the hares that were happy to rest on Wilton's knees as he sat and mused in his garden. Nor can he share the distinction with many St Catharine's men.

His sonnet entitled *Cambridge Days*—it begins: 'The precious years we spent at Catherine Hall....'—was reproduced in the 1961 magazine.

College News Letter, 1967

THE academic year 1966-67 saw the end of an era for St Catharine's. The new building moved towards its completion on schedule; the College lost its library, albeit temporarily, and the pre-fabricated kitchen was miraculously turned into a library almost overnight. The shape of things to come was first seen in April when the new Hall and Kitchens were opened. With new equipment of the latest design, and the need to provide meals for King's who were then unable to fend for themselves, teething troubles were inevitable, among them being the ultra-modern and expensive washing machine that, for a time, resolutely refused to wash up. But if the year was one of transition with some inconvenience unavoidable—and, as such, taken by the College in its stride—it has also been a year of notable successes.

At University level the College produced twenty-one blues or half-blues, a number certainly without precedent in recent years. Rob Read and David Cobb were in the victorious soccer side at Wembley, and Mac Corry acquitted himself excellently at Twickenham. Geoff Leggett rowed at No. 4 in the Blue Boat; Graham Cottrell and Pat Thomas helped to defeat Oxford at hockey; Adrian Loader received a blue for his shot-putting; John Clark was awarded a hard-earned golf blue; Graham Cottrell gained his fourth blue when playing against Oxford at Lord's, where Roger Knight also secured a cricket blue; and Rodger Alderson swam his way to a second blue. In the Modern Pentathlon, St Catharine's provided half the University team, Richard Leachman, Simon Carlyle and Jerry Patterson gaining half-blues; Bob Hough won a second half-blue for badminton; Alan Jackson captained the University as well as the South of England at lacrosse, in which Stuart Smith became one of the few men from south of the Thames to gain his half-blue; Bob Egerton, at table tennis, John Bone, at small bore shooting, Vaughan Shalson, at archery, and David Straus at judo, were similarly rewarded; and to complete this impressive list it seems only proper to add the name of Tony Hoare, captain of University tiddly winks with its 'quarter blue', and regret the absence of an 'eighth blue' for shove-ha'penny and darts!

The story is also one of sporting success at college level. My predecessors have described the decline in recent years, but happily that decline has not continued. Freshmen have played their part enthusiastically, and most of the major clubs have shown strength in depth. Moreover, the number of St Catharine's spectators at these sporting events has been high, and it was particularly pleasing to see some sixty members, both senior and junior, at the Cricket Cuppers Final.

Led by Steve Sillery, the 1st XV finished head of the 1st Division of the League with a 100 per cent match record and a team greatly strengthened by two freshmen of considerable ability—David Raw at full-back and Roger Knight at fly-half, both of whom played regularly for the University in the Lent term. The essence of the success was team work, aided by the fine back row of John Tredwell, Brian Briscoe and Roger Kenig, and a pair of hard-tackling centres in Alan Wicks and Steve Jackson. In the Cuppers, the XV had a good run but fell in the semi-final against Trinity Hall. The 3rd XV also did well to finish top of the 5th Division, again with a 100 per cent record.

Already possessing a fine goalkeeper in John Groom, and experienced players in Adrian Beale and the captain, David Eastwood, the

Hockey Club had the good fortune to find talented freshmen in Phil Matthews, Bill Bellenger and Phil Carling, and, like their rugger colleagues, not only finished head of the 1st Division in the League, but also reached the semi-finals of the Cuppers in which an excellent Fitzwilliam side beat them. All the players mentioned were elected members of the Wanderers—a total of eight with the two blues—and the 2nd XI not only won their division of the League but, in doing so, beat Selwyn 15-1. For the Soccer Club, however, it was a sad year. Although the 2nd XI gained promotion from the 3rd Division, the College could do no more than finish ninth in the 1st Division, and was eliminated in the preliminary round of the Cuppers. Yet John Smalley, Derek Spooner, Stuart Smith and others are good players. Unfortunately, of the freshmen, only Jim Pritchard and Stuart Hill were outstanding.

Led by Malcolm Moseley, with Dave Reeve and Adrian Beale sustaining the batting and Jon Graveson, Derek Spooner and Simon Kirkwood bowling steadily, the cricket XI had a season that was sufficiently successful to take it to the final of the Cuppers against Fitzwilliam. Then, for the only time during the term, the batting failed, and with 123 to beat, the College could make only 80.

Final success also eluded the Squash Club in an otherwise excellent season. With David Reed, the captain, powerfully supported by James Mason and David Gregory, the 1st V finished at the top of the 1st Division, but in the Cuppers succumbed in the quarter-finals. At tennis, thanks largely to a fine opening pair in David Eastwood and Steve Chen, the VI managed to remain in the 1st Division, but in its other sporting activities the College was remarkably successful. The water-polo team again won its Cuppers; at table-tennis the 1st team earned promotion to the 1st Division; at lacrosse, St Catharine's won the inter-college six-a-sides; and the Modern Pentathlon team also won its Cuppers.

Nevertheless, to the Boat Club must go the satisfaction of a year that was not only successful but also, to say the least, unusually interesting. Stroked by Jim Chapman and reinforced by freshmen, Richard Fawcett and Stephen Janisch, the 1st Lent boat won their oars, a success last achieved in 1933, and the 2nd Lent boat made three bumps. But in the Mays St Catharine's undoubtedly stole the lime-light, for on the first day the 2nd boat, stroked by Jonty Barnard and already the highest 2nd boat on the river, not only made an overbump in the 1st Division which put it immediately behind the 1st boat, but on the following day went gaily on to bump that! Not even *The Times* correspondent, or anyone else, could recall such impertinence.

The 1st boat blushed; the 2nd boat celebrated; and the Amalgamated Clubs paid the £5 fine. The 1st boat, however, speedily recovered its dignity—it caught the disrespectful 2nd before the Plough—and on the last night both crews rowed over in proper order of seniority.

Two innovations were made in College sporting activities during the year: a Golf Club was formed, and a Tour Fund was established on a two-year experimental basis to help in defraying the expenses of clubs wishing to go on tour. Both are promising. Encouraged by Richard Ahrens and John Scotland, the golfers won seven of their nine inter-college matches, and the Fund has already assisted the Cricket Club in Kent, the Soccer in Durham and the Hockey in Black-pool.

Nor was the College less prominent in other fields of undergraduate endeavour. Andy Knowles, with an enthusiastic group of freshmen, raised £394 for the Central Fund of 'Camrag', Poppy Day's successor. Philip Cohen was Business Manager of *Varsity*, Martin Wakeling President of 'Cuuna Travel', and Mike Bradford Chairman of the Arnold Society. Mike Ross revived *Light Blue*, the magazine of University sport. Richard Luckett and Nick Kent continued to enliven the Cambridge theatre with their writings and productions. Jon Graveson was appointed Secretary of the Cambridge University Holiday Venture. There was, indeed, little in which St Catharine's was not represented, and if, for the J.C.R. itself, the year has been eventful, it has also been extremely pleasant, especially when one notes the difficulties which have had to be accepted. Fortunately there were no pseudo-political groups. The Bar Parlour proved a great success. New laundry facilities were introduced, and the Governing Body further relaxed restrictions in late leave. Most interesting, too, was the questionnaire which revealed that 59 per cent of the J.C.R. preferred to live in college during their first and third years.

Two words will suffice to sum up the past year, participation and co-operation, and I should like to thank not only the many undergraduate officers for their enthusiasm and efficiency, but also the Governing Body—and the College staff—for their unceasing help throughout a period of difficulty. To Peter Waller, the J.C.R. Secretary during my year of office, I am particularly indebted, and it is with a feeling of envy that I give my best wishes to James Mason, the new President, and to Colin Cohen, his Secretary.

Adrian Williams

President, J.C.R.

Marlow and Henley, 1967

The Boat Club's claim to distinction in 1967 might be said to derive from a Gilbertian duel between its 1st VIII and its 2nd—the one of impeccable dignity and no mean prowess, and the other of cheerful precocity and robust performance. So much was quickly evident, for after the 2nd VIII had beaten the 1st by ten seconds in the Head-of-the-Cam race, it was noted that there were only three faster boats, all 1st. The splendid culmination in the Mays has already been described, and even though this called for some delicate adjustments in the crews for Marlow and Henley, the 2nd VIII's enthusiasm was clearly unimpaired.

In the Senior VIII's at Marlow, the College had the misfortune to fail in the first heat, narrowly losing to Kingston while beating Jesus easily, but in the Junior section, the 2nd VIII were happily at their disrespectful best, and having disposed of Moseley in the first heat and swept triumphantly on to the final, they finished dead level with L.M.B.C. (2). Reading University was hardly in the race. The judges ordered a re-row, but that was little more than a formality in which the 2nd VIII romped over the course to collect the Cup.

At Henley, Douglas Calder took over the training, and did much to boost morale, but confident though the 1st VIII were when drawn against Durham University in the Thames Cup, they found the atrocious conditions on the day too much for them and lost by a length. Geoffrey Leggett, who won the Magdalene Pairs with Delafield of Jesus, was rowing for Leander in the Grand.

With ten boats on the river—which means that nearly a quarter of the College are engaged in rowing—and with the 1st and 2nd VIIIs in positions 8 and 9 in the 1st Division, the 3rd in the 2nd Division with only one other 3rd boat above it, and most of this year's 1st VIII still in residence, the outlook for next year is at least promising. R. Pilkington will be Captain.

The Marlow and Henley crews were: 1st VIII, J. D. Ellis (bow), R. B. N. Fawcett (2), J. C. Cheshire (3), R. M. Aspinall (4), I. R. Maggs (5), R. Pilkington (6), S. A. Janisch (7), J. F. Chapman (stroke), I. H. Bone (cox); 2nd VIII, N. C. B. Davenport (bow), C. B. Cohen (2), A. W. Stokes (3), R. Hough (4), J. M. Hostler (5), J. D. Cantrell (6), J. D. Esterly (7), T. F. Chapman (stroke), J. H. Heath (cox).

*The College Societies***The Shirley Society***President:* T. R. Henn, C.B.E.*Chairman:* R. Lockett*Secretary:* S. D. H. Lapsley

The Society has had a full year, remarkable for consistency rather than sparkle, but nevertheless having its moments of glory and, equally memorably, disaster. There was the speaker who stopped, and the speaker who very nearly didn't start, and, of course, the two plays, the latter of which stopped what the other had started—namely drama.

But there were the other moments, and the year got off to a good start with a witty revaluation of Kipling by the President, who gave what was a critical reassessment of that misunderstood but eminently successful genius. In fact, it was Kipling year, for in the Lent term Hugh Brogan spoke on 'Stalky and Kipling', after which, it is rumoured, several members of the Society purchased catapults in a moment of literary emulation.

Rather more serious than the latter talk was Mr J. M. Y. Andrew's inquiry into 'The Nature of a Free Society'. There was a salutary urgency about this and the awkward but inescapable questions it posed. Curiously, in a much more light-hearted way Hugh Sykes Davies, allegedly describing 'Deer-Watching in Thetford Chase', expressed similar doubts about modern society, though in a much less demanding manner. Perhaps one answer was given by Nathaneal West's Indian who said: 'Don't mistake me. I'm no Rousseauistic philosopher. I know that you can't put the clock back. But there is one thing you can do. You can smash that clock.' Unfortunately no one, so far as we know, succeeded. Glen Cavaliero and Brian Hammond, however, did their best to put it back to the 'thirties in their talk on 'The Art of Popular Song—Bessie Smith to Barbra Streisand', amply illustrated by recordings, and decidedly the kind of thing the Shirley could do more often; it was well presented, and serious despite their disclaimers. The Chairman gave a paper on 'The Chinese Scientist—some aspects of language', of which one of the audience remarked that they hoped it puzzled him as much as it puzzled them.

Poetry was represented by two readings, the first by Paris Leary, an American poet at present lecturing at Leicester, the second, more genial and less strenuous, by G. S. Frazer. A small group met throughout the year to read and discuss their own work, and avoided both too

much mutual adulation and too many stabs in the back—a pleasant change. Nor was the quality of the poems negligible, another cause for relief and surprise. In the Easter term a recital of poetry and music was held in the Chapel in conjunction with the Music Society: this was another experiment that could bear repeating.

Drama, of the explicitly theatrical kind, was provided by the double bill of plays presented by the Society in the Lady Mitchell Hall. Desmond Lapsley directed *The Collection*, which was stylishly performed and featured good performances by Olive Hartwell and Chris MacGregor, and Timothy Kidd directed *Winter Daddykins* by Howard Brenton, formerly of St Catharine's. This was less successful, though there were some good performances, particularly by Steve Morgan as Daddykins himself. One of the actresses was inaudible, except for publicity purposes, but cynics remarked that this was probably just as well. However, the enterprise was commendable, and a gratifying number of tickets were sold—a welcome change.

Less theatrically, an admirable reading of Yeats' *Purgatory* was given, with the President taking part, and a lively and cogent discussion of the play was ably led by Brian Rothwell and John Kelly. The Society also organized a visit to Zeffirelli's production of *Much Ado About Nothing*—Shakespeare came in somewhere, but where?—which suffered from a disappointing lack of support.

Altogether a various, even multifarious, year, with meetings moderately well attended though by somewhat specialized audiences, and with a good deal of enterprise though desire sometimes tended to outrun performance. But that is often the way of things.

The John Ray Society

President: M. J. Coleman

Secretary: H. C. Percy

The John Ray programme for the year was informally opened with a Freshmen's 'Squash' in the J.C.R., when the President spoke of the necessary function which the Society fulfilled in College life, and some forty freshmen were present. At the first meeting proper, Dr C. E. R. Bruce of the Electrical Research Association discussed 'Cosmic Electric Fields and Discharges', and his controversial ideas led to a spirited discussion. Dr P. Echlin of the Department of Botany, who followed, spoke on 'Primitive Photosynthetic Organisms', illustrating his lecture with coloured slides and discussing recent work in this field; and Dr D. W.

Sciama of the Department of Applied Mathematics and Theoretical Physics, provided the high spot of the Michaelmas term when he addressed an audience of 130 on 'The Origin of the Universe: Big Bang versus Steady State', one of the most controversial and complex problems of recent years. Dr Sciama delivered the arguments for both sides, and enthralled a highly appreciative audience. The term closed with a disappointingly small attendance when Dr P. Sykes of the Department of Chemistry spoke on 'Chemical Signposts'.

At the first meeting of the Lent term, Professor C. W. Oatley of the Department of Engineering described 'The Scanning Electron Microscope and other Electron Probe Instruments', illustrating his talk with many slides, and after a thorough but readily comprehensible exposition of their operation, a capacity audience discussed their advantages and limitations. The second meeting of the term was also exceptionally well attended. At this, Professor N. Tinbergen of the Department of Zoology, Oxford, spoke on 'Animal Behaviour as Equipment for Survival', and held the attention of the audience from the beginning with his description of (mainly) avian behaviour, both *en masse* and as individuals. At the third meeting, a small but critical audience heard Dr H. I. S. Thirlaway of U.K.A.E.A. speak on 'Earthquake Seismology after the Stone Age' in the course of which he described the essential equipment of a seismological observatory and the interpretation of the seismograph obtained. Then, concluding the programme for the year, Professor J. A. Steers honoured the Society by speaking on 'Some Aspects of the Coastline of England and Wales'. Professor Steers, a Vice-President of the Society, recently held the Chair of Geography at Cambridge, and from him a highly appreciative audience learned how the coastline results from both the geology of the area and the inconstancy of the elements, as the trained eye can detect.

In so far as 'average attendance' reflects popular acclaim, the Society seems to enjoy a healthy reputation in Cambridge, and it is my pleasant duty to thank the Secretary, Treasurer and the Committee—J. Bates, R. A. Kirby and J. R. Tomlinson—for doing most of the work behind the scenes. I must also thank Dr C. J. R. Thorne who entertained our visiting speakers. May next year's President enjoy as much cooperation as I have.

M.J.C.

The Music Society*President:* Neil Sorrell*Secretary:* Christopher Haynes

Like other Societies relying on room in College for their functions, the Music Society suffered from the building programme, and the unexpected absence of John Castle, on teaching duty outside Cambridge, meant that Neil Sorrell had to take over the President's office for the Lent and Easter Terms.

Freshmen contributed much to the concert that opened the Society's year. At this, Christopher Rathbone played piano music by Borg and Schunberg, and Wyn Guneratne, on the violin accompanied by David Hopkins, played Bartok's Rumanian Dances; and, significantly, at the concert given in the Master's Lodge, two of an all-St Catharine's string quartet—the first for several years—were Wyn Guneratne (violin) and David Hopkins (cello), with Richard Elliston (second violin) and Neil Sorrell (viola). At the concert held in the Chapel, John Castle conducted the College Singers and Orchestra in Schitz' *Christmas Story*, and Barrie Webb a short choral piece composed by John Castle. With Geoffrey Simmonds conducting, Andrew Stewart played the Freshmen's contribution, Vivaldi's flute concerto in D.

The first concert of the Lent Term, held in the J.C.R., was decidedly unusual in that Colin Wright played piano pieces by the French eccentric Erik Satie, and Neil Sorrell read Satie's absurd texts while Geoffrey Simmonds projected surrealistic pictures on to a screen; and the excellent Freshmen's Concert was also unusual in that the performers outnumbered the audience. At the Choral and Orchestral Concert, however, it was noted that the Chapel had never been so full! In this, Bruce Saunders conducted Handel's *Passion of Christ*, Barrie Webb Gabrieli's *In Ecclesiis*, and Neil Sorrel arranged and directed nine fugues or canons from Bach's *Art of Fugue*.

The idea of a May Week Concert in which the Shirley and Music Societies presented a 17th century masque by the poet Shirley in the new Hall fell through on the grounds that it would be almost as expensive to produce as the Hall itself, and the two Societies eventually collaborated in a recital of poetry and music in the Chapel. This left the Music Society free to adopt Richard Luckett's suggestion of Mozart's charming operetta *Bastien and Bastienne* for the second part of the May Week Concert. In this, Diana Wright sang the part of Bastienne, Bruce Saunders that of Colas, and Maurice Hemingway that of Bastien. For the magnificent set and beautiful costumes, the Society was indebted to Robin Ritzema, the stage manager, and to Rosalind Aston, the wardrobe mistress. Robert Luckett was the

producer, and Neil Sorrell conducted an orchestra of strings, flutes, harpsichord and timpani. In the first half of the Concert, Peter Johnson conducted the chorus and a vast array of percussion, with Christopher Rathbone at the piano, in Constant Lambert's *The Rio Grande*, and Geoffrey Symonds played the flute with Neil Sorrell conducting the orchestra, in Bach's Suite No. 2 in B minor.

N.S.

The Law Society

President: J. T. Brownlow

Secretary: C. P. Bishopp

The Society began its Michaelmas programme with the usual sherry party to enable freshmen to meet other members informally, and the first speaker was the Chief Constable of the Mid-Anglia Constabulary, whose most informative talk on modern police methods must surely have discouraged any potential criminals in his audience. Mr J. W. Elven, the Town Clerk of Cambridge, who followed, cleared up many misconceptions about the position of the lawyer in Local Government which undergraduates had hitherto found unattractive. No less instructive, the Lent Term began with a talk by Professor Hamson on Comparative Law, a subject not studied in the B.A. course but one which is clearly of much value; and the final meeting of the year was a St Catharine's reunion in which Paul Baron, a solicitor, and James Black, a barrister, described their professions.

In conclusion, I must congratulate the Lawyers' Boat on their outstanding success in the May Races, and thank Mr R. N. Gooderson, our Senior Treasurer, for his invaluable assistance and hospitality throughout the year.

J.T.B.

The Lightfoot Society

President

Michaelmas 1966: Chris Cook

Lent, 1967: Doug Levy

The past year has been one of the best in the Society's recent history. In particular, it has been a year of innovation, with the Michaelmas term seeing a written Constitution, and meetings held at regular fortnightly intervals in the J.C.R. The Society was also successful in attracting top University debaters, among them Anne Mallalieu (then Union Vice-President) and Tony Millington (President, C.U.C.A.). The College, too, provided promi-

nent speakers in Peter Carter, David Purbrick and Nick Hudson, and freshmen showed a wealth of talent that should stand the Society in good stead. Among the more interesting votes, the House decided to support the ' masses against the classes ', and to join in the xenophobic cry of ' Yanks go home '.

For the first time in the Society's history, the Lent Term executive were elected by ballot of all college members, and with Doug Levy as President the Society continued to prosper. Debates were well-attended, and interest was further sustained by the Society's first Annual Dinner, held in the Garden House Hotel, when two ex-Presidents of the Union—Paul Crossley and Christi Davies—were guest speakers, supplemented by the President of the J.C.R. and the Society's former President.

With interest in the Society at a higher level than for many years, and with a capable Secretary in John Lackie, the Lightfoot's future seems assured.

C.P.C.

Academic Distinctions

First-Class Honours in the various Triposes were obtained by:

<i>Archaeology and Anthropology</i>	Part II	M. R. Jarman
<i>Classics</i>	Part II	T. R. Volk
<i>English</i>	Preliminary for Part I	C. P. MacGregor
	Part II	Rev. G. T. Cavaliero
<i>Geography</i>	Preliminary for Part I	R. R. Capewell
	Part II	L. W. Hepple
		B. A. Briscoe
		A. G. Hoare
<i>History</i>	Part I	G. R. Pinder
	Part II	C. P. Cook
<i>Law</i>	Part II	D. J. Askin
		J. T. Brownlow
		D. H. Fletcher
	LL.B.	Ds J. W. Davies
<i>Mathematics</i>	Part IA	A. W. Wickstead
	Part IB	D.A.Parker
		D. J. Strauss

<i>Mathematics (cont.)</i>	Part II	R. D. Lewis
	Part III	Ds A. P. Hunt
<i>Mechanical Sciences</i>	Electrical Sciences	A. J. Robins
	Part I, General Option	M. Donaldson L. J. Endicott
	Preliminary for Part I, Second Year	E. C. D. Sixsmith
<i>Medical Sciences</i>	Part IA	P. J. Barnes
<i>Modern and Medieval Languages</i>	Part I (Spanish and French)	E. A. Southworth
<i>Natural Sciences</i>	Part IA	M. G. W. Hayes G. J. Poyd M. J. Lunt C. A. Price R. V. Sansam
	Part IB	C. Anderson R. E. Barker E. R. Dabbs P. L. Dufton G. W. Gibbons M. A. Graham A. G. Sita-Lumsden
	Part II	R. J. Barnes M. J. Coleman P. C. Dewey J. A. Illingworth I. McConnell J. D. Pickard D. C. Tidy J. R. Tomlinson
	Part II, General	J. E. F. Houlton
<i>Oriental Studies</i>	Part I	G. Benton

College Awards

On the results of the examinations in 1967, College or Commemoration Prizes were given to all who obtained First-Class Honours. In addition, the following awards were made:

Elected to the Title of Scholar: D. J. Askin (Law), J. F. Bates (Nat. Sciences), G. Benton (Oriental Studies), B. A. Briscoe (Geography), G. T. Cavaliero (English), M. J. Coleman (Nat. Sciences), C. P. Cook (History), L. J. Endicott (Mech. Sciences), D. H. Fletcher (Law), R. P. Gordon (Oriental Languages), J. E. F. Houlton (Nat. Sciences), I. McConnell (Nat. Sciences), J. D. Pickard (Nat. Sciences), T. R. Volk (Classics).

Elected to Senior Scholarships: J. A. Illingworth (Nat. Sciences), M. R. Jarman (Archaeology and Anthropology).

Elected to Scholarships: G. Anderson (Nat. Sciences), R. E. Barker (Nat. Sciences), E. R. Dabbs (Nat. Sciences), M. Donaldson (Mech. Sciences), P. L. Duffon (Nat. Sciences), G. W. Gibbons (Nat. Sciences), M. A. Graham (Nat. Sciences), D. A. Parker (Mathematics), G. R. Pinder (History), A. G. Sita-Lumsden (Nat. Sciences), D. J. Strauss (Mathematics).

Elected to Exhibitions: M. G. W. Hayes (Nat. Sciences), G. J. Lloyd (Nat. Sciences)* M. J. Lunt (Nat. Sciences), R. V. Sansam (Nat. Sciences), E. C. D. Sixsmith (Mech. Sciences).

College Commemoration Prizes

<i>Drury-Johns Mathematical Prize</i>	Ds A. P. Hunt
<i>Figgis Memorial Prize for History</i>	C. P. Cook
<i>Adderley Prize for Law</i>	Ds J. W. Davies
<i>Tasker Prize in Modern Languages</i>	E. A. Southworth
<i>Belfield Clarke Prize for Biological Sciences</i>	J. D. Pickard
<i>Alexandria Prize for Mechanical Sciences</i>	A. J. Robins
<i>Bishop Browne's Prize for Reading in Chapel</i>	J. Austen
<i>Nicholas Prize</i>	A. S. V. Williams

University Prizes

<i>Philip Lake Prize for Physiography</i> (shared)	C. P. Carter
<i>George Long Prize for Roman Law</i>	Ds J. W. Davies
<i>Mayhew Prize for Mathematics</i> (shared)	Ds A. P. Hunt

University Scholarships, 1966-67

<i>Charles Oldham Classical Scholarship</i>	Ds D. W. T. Vessey
<i>W. A. Meek Scholarship</i>	Ds G. P. Chapman

Medicine and Natural Sciences

The interest in the ramifications of St Catharine's geographers revealed by the presentation to Professor J. A. Steers on his retirement last year, proved sufficiently wide to suggest that similar information about other faculties would be no less welcome, and the following list gives the activities and achievements in 1966/67 of those who may be lightly known as St Catharine's 'medicine men'.

University of Cambridge

<i>Whitby Medal for the best M.D. thesis, 1965-66:</i>	D. A. Hopkinson (B.A. 1956)
<i>E. G. Feamsides Scholarship:</i>	R. H. Johnson (B.A. 1955)
<i>Wellcome Prize in Animal Health:</i>	J. A. Firth (B.A. 1966)

Other Awards

<i>F.R.C.S.</i>	A. B. W. Thomas (B.A. 1958)	N. J. Barwell (B.A. 1959)
<i>M.R.C.P.</i>	C. Chantler (B.A. 1960)	A. J. Swannell (B.A. 1959)
<i>Entrance Scholarship in Physiology of 1967 at King's College Hospital Medical School</i>	J. D. Pickard (B.A. 1967)	

Higher Degrees in Medicine

<i>M.Chir.</i>	A. B. W. Thomas	
<i>M.D.</i>	C. M. French (B.A. 1959)	P. M. S. Gillam (B.A. 1952)
	D. A. Hopkinson, R. H. Johnson, F. E. Kenyon (B.A. 1950)	

Miscellaneous

C. V. Greenway, Ph.D. (B.A. 1958), has left the University of Aberdeen to become Assistant Professor in the Department of Physiology, University of Alberta.

M. J. Peckham (B.A. 1956) has been awarded a Medical Research Council Scholarship to work in the Radiobiology Department of the Institut Gustav Roussy in Paris.

C. M. French (B.A. 1959) has left the Department of Physiology, London Hospital Medical School, and taken a commission in the R.A.M.C.

Tihnet

This, the short title of the Cambridge Development Project for Tibetans in Nepal, must surely rank with the most ambitious examples of benevolent enterprise, for its purpose was not only to take some four hundred helpless Tibetan refugees away from the inhibiting atmosphere of a reception camp in Nepal, but also to re-settle them and turn them into a self-supporting community. It was a daunting task even when sponsored by the United Nations, and some two years ago it was undertaken by three St Catharine's men, D. H. Macpherson (B.A. 1960), R. J. Catchpole (B.A. 1962) and J. H. Pearce (B.A. 1963).

On a 12-acre site—half the size of Parker's Piece—the village itself took shape as a rectangle of six housing blocks, 84 'bungalow units' in all, stone-built with roofs of aluminium sheeting. Living-rooms were 13 feet square. At one time there were twenty Tibetan masons and some fifty labourers working with Nepali masons under a Nepali foreman. Others worked on road-making, and when food-rationing became unnecessary, except for the sick and aged, the opportunity was taken to introduce both payment for services and a wage differential governed by the importance of the work done and the craftsmanship involved. From this innovation stemmed the training of apprentices in the basic skills ranging from carpentry to agriculture. To obtain fertilizer for wheat, they chartered an aircraft of the Royal Flight which duly arrived with 1,320 lbs, together with supplies of Swedish milk, cottons and materials for a handicraft centre, and a Norwegian journalist—a lady—who rightly scented a story. Soon the tending of banana trees alone was a full-time occupation for one man, rice was being grown, and the village boasted a nursery school and a hotel for tourists.

But there were distractions.

'Last week, in preparation for removing the sheets from the Tibetan houses,' one of the earlier newsletters records, 'Tibnet removed their own house tarpaulin to set an example and show faith that no more rain would follow. This was immediately followed by heavy rain on five days, after the first of which Tibnet's example was hastily retracted and the tarpaulin replaced—only to be blown off again as it had not been lashed down!'

So these young men from St Catharine's completed their voluntary task. They found a squalid camp of ailing and bewildered refugees; they left a well-constructed village with surrounding land under cultivation; and their reward is the gratitude of an economically self-supporting community which has taken its place in Nepal.

Holiday Camp for Slum Children in Sedbergh

Mark Hudson and I (two St Catharine's men) would like to thank members of the College for the spectacular generosity which made possible a holiday camp for thirty children between August 15th and September 3rd, 1967. Old members between them provided about £1,300, while another £40 came from the Master and Fellows; this, together with £650 raised by the personal efforts of the organizing team of four men and four girls, all undergraduates, enabled the Society not only to run its first camp, but also to lay a firm basis for future camps by buying a good part of the necessary equipment. The camp was for sixteen boys and fourteen girls aged 7-16^{1/2} who, in the opinion of the Children's Departments that recommended them, were in urgent need of a holiday. Most of them were insecure and emotionally unstable, but they responded with increasing confidence to the security and friendship and unobtrusive discipline.

The beauty of the fells and rivers of this part of Yorkshire was not lost upon our children, who mostly came from London slums. We explored the surrounding countryside on foot, in Land-Rovers, and even in small groups on horseback. Building dams high in the fells was another popular pursuit, the more exciting for being spontaneous. We arranged overnight camping expeditions; and to occupy the older boys on Saturday nights—'punch-up night', according to the Sedbergh policemen—I would take them for a drive. One such drive turned into an overnight outing to Ben Nevis.

Life in camp had much to offer. Painting and making plaster models passed many of the rainy afternoons, and the welcome given to our children by Steven and Margaret Mason, the farmers on whose land we were, was quite inexhaustible, as was that of their kittens, dogs, calves and chicks. Farm-life fascinated the children, and there was always an audience for milking-time. Sedbergh School also gave us tremendous help—free use of the drying-rooms, the baths in the rugged pavilion, and the gymnasium.

Judged by our children's reluctance to go home at the end of the camp, and by their continual entreaties to be allowed to come again next summer—which, of course, is the whole idea—the camp was pretty successful in fulfilling the hopes we all had for it: giving the children a real holiday, which most of them had never had, and establishing with them a friendship which may provide an element of stability in their rather uncertain futures.

John Campion, *Treasurer*

' Atqui sciebat.....!'

Urbs Beata Jerusalem

This was the strong city
This was our God's salvation in wall and bulwark
In the watch-towers and the archers
In the rock-hewn tunnel and tomb.

We had remembered her in her captivity:
The star-gazers, the magicians, the daughters of music,
Masters of the carven work, of the Seven Lights,
The line of prophets that cursed, wept, entreated,
Proclaimed their visions of famine, or plenty, or destruction,
Called her Harlot or Bride.
They brought creation to adorn her, *in* the Lovers' Garden, in the
laughing valleys,
Tamed the birds for her symbols pelican, eagle, dove,
Lifted her brazen serpent.

But was there ghost or soul?

II

How blessed the City!
We have seen her desolate
Temples of intricate symbol, the carvings broken with axes,
Roofed again with the timbers of the high snows,
Plated with gold from idols, from breast-warmed jewels,
That many-times melted gold.

There were poets who set us in their battle-songs
 Songs of nostalgia, despair, hatred, revenge,
 Battles past or desired.

We dreamed of the great battles, in Esdraelon, in some valley of decision.
 We had always looked for a battle, that we might be blessed and bless,
 Among the burning chariots, the ham-strung screaming horses,
 Finding our feet in blood.

For always the enemies ringed us

From the deserts of the south, from the Great River, from the dark
ships of the coast
 Chariots and horses, monsters of fear from the sea.

We had seen great armies that scourged us to south or north,
 Armies that stormed our walls, that slew us as unbelievers,
 Armies that cried we were blessed in the City for ever
 In a God we did not know.

They brought the living waters from the Great River,
 Wrenched off the neck-fetters that bound us, forged them anew.
 They rode or walked through the gates.

III

There were inns in the City
 And rubbish-heaps outside the holy walls
 Where prophets might be stoned:
 The small resounding cruel city and the jostling streets
 Dark, and the secret houses on the wall.

IV

Punishment in the desert, punishment
 That wove the web of the golden builders of temples,
 That scourged us as slaves along the dusty roads,
 That brought back our remnant, in the darkened ships
 From the seven-times-heated furnace.

We had called on Jarweh for fire, on the altar, between the cherubims,
On the horned altars of Gentiles. Now he has sent us new fire
In the gun and land-mine, in the bellies of the aircraft,
Scourges in the thorns of the wire.
For we are the City, the divided, the unblessed City
Stripped of the Wall to lament at, stripped of Kedron's streams;
Watching behind the guns, the desert thorns
Scattered abroad, hating and loving the City,
Knowing the Veil that is rent for ever behind us.

The den of the dragons, the den of the machine-guns
Sited on our divided landmarks, the narrow crossings, guns that yearn
Eastward to Jordan. New prophecy shouted from Sinai
While the coiled horned vipers lie ready to strike from the sand.

VI

Yet we are the world: its pattern of evil,
Of repentance and strength, nobility, courage, corruption.
Its image in our patience, its banner our persistence.
We have known too many prophets to heed their promises.
We know that the cities about us are manned to our destruction:
Always, we speak with them, watch them, the gun by the ploughshare.
The gun, the ploughshare, the wealth poured over the waters
That our desert may blossom, the green fir grow in the desert,
We have turned the living water into our garden,
Though the jackals fringe the farms.

VII

There have been too many prophets. The old men know the Words,
 They bow to the Scrolls: brightness of blood on the lintels,
 Blood of our cruel and beautiful holiness,
 And bitter herbs of the Law,
 But we are young, and we have taken the blessing,
 By guile and strength we hold to the young man's blessing:
 We have learnt to speak with cunning in the gates.

God spoke thrice to the City: but now we have forgotten
 The pillar of fire, the bells on the dancers' feet.
 We listen now for the whirlwind, the going in the mulberry trees,
 The unstilled whispers in the air.
 We know that blessing is wisdom; that we must travel
 By Mazzoroth in his seasons, by Arcturus,
 By Orion whom He chained.

So the golden sands are drawn to the little broken City
 Blessed to our salvation in our kindred under the Law.
 They have taught us the cutting of stone, the power of red-lipped steel,
 The traffic in the bitter waters.
 This is the Covenant without promise, our handiwork that we have
 prospered.
 Our hands take that rough Blessing. But not the Peace.

T. R. Henn

The Seatonian Prize Poem for 1966/67.

Dr Henn also won this prize in 1957/58.

- S II Last two lines. In the 1914-18 War the British laid a pipe-line from Egypt. Allenby walked, not rode, into Jerusalem.
- S IV Line 4. There was an extensive and illegal traffic in Jewish refugees from the concentration camps in 1945: from the Adriatic ports to Haifa and elsewhere.
- S V Line 4. The 'fiery serpents' of *Numbers XXI. 6* and *Deuteronomy VIII. 15* are thought to have been horned vipers. Here the *sprengminem* of the frontier-zones; anti-personnel mines which leap into the air before exploding.
- S VII Line 10. The going in the mulberry trees: 2 *Samuel V. 24*.

NEW LOOK



Dr S. C. Aston, the Master, and the new 'Back of the Bull'



Mr A. A. L. Caesar explains the integration of 'old and new'

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