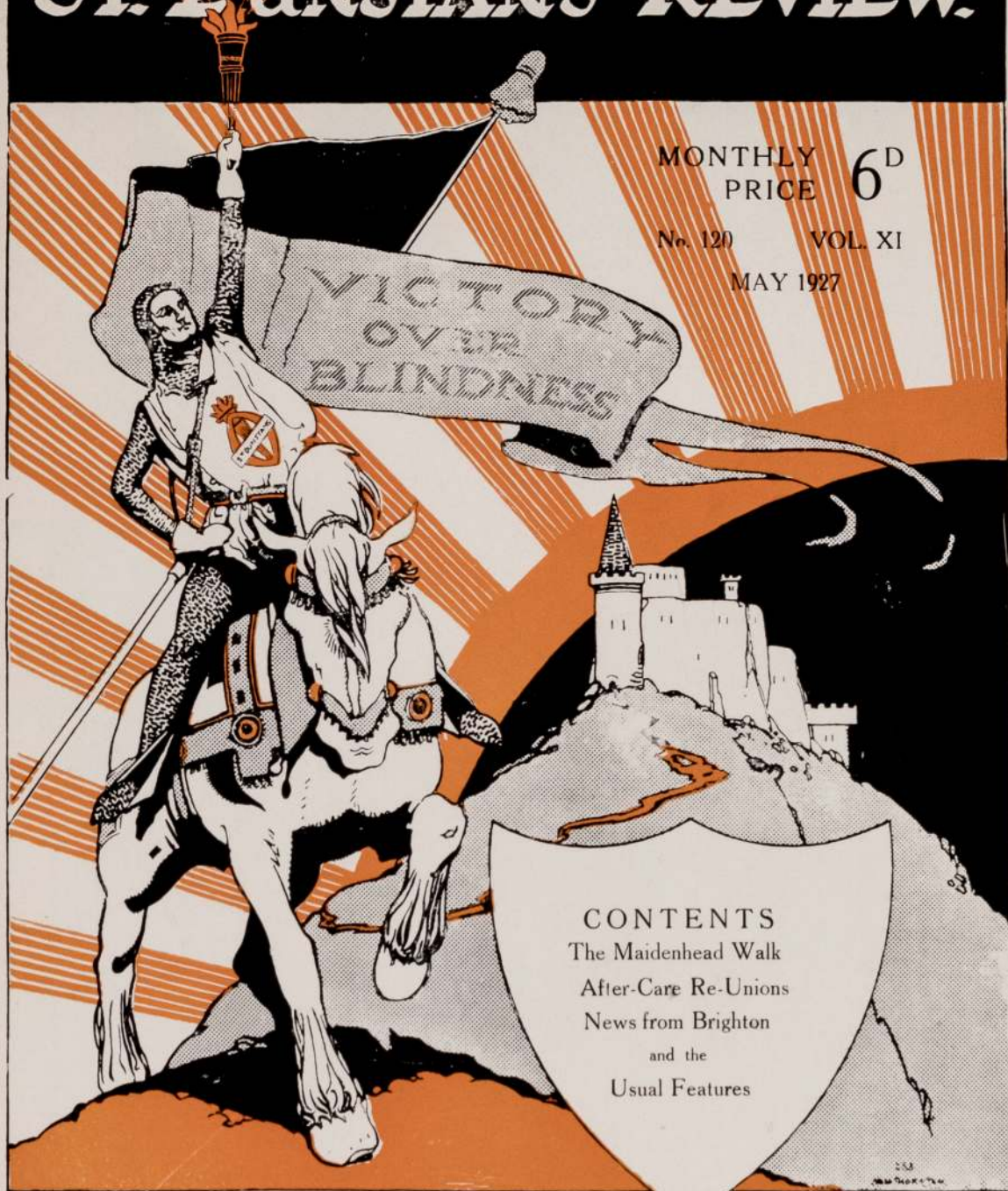


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## EDITORIAL NOTES

IT is gratifying to note that the leading poultry papers give great prominence to the results of St. Dunstan's Winter Egg-Laying Test. In most cases photographs of the winning pens and owners were also presented, and the *Feathered World* devotes the whole of its front cover picture to our Test. We would add that we have from this office taken every step to gain such publicity for the splendid results obtained by our men as is possible. We need hardly point out that the broadcasting of the fine achievements of our poultry farmers and the utility of their stock cannot but have most valuable effect, both directly and indirectly, upon their business. The public will ever have a very sympathetic regard for all the achievements of St. Dunstaners, but in such a strictly utilitarian age as that in which we live to-day, the practical proof of merit afforded by this competition is the very best means of sustaining interest in St. Dunstan's and St. Dunstan's men.

We congratulate all concerned upon the fine success which attended what is now our most important athletic event of the year, namely, the Twenty-Five Mile Circular Walk, which took place at Maidenhead on Saturday, 30th April. The whole of the organisation ran like clockwork, and the race throughout aroused the greatest interest in every part of the district through which the route led. The winners' times in both sections were exceedingly good. Although weather conditions were perhaps almost perfect, some portions of the Walk were undertaken in distinctly trying circumstances—newly tarred roads and very pot-holey untarred roads causing a good deal of foot-soreness. In both sections our men performed valiantly, but a word of sympathy must be extended to Ingram, who has not been at all fit lately and was compelled to retire at seventeen miles. It was plucky of him to start at all.

The day finished up most enjoyably at Skindles' Hotel, and we offer on everyone's behalf most grateful thanks to the energy and hospitality of the officials, committee, and members of the Maidenhead Cycling and Athletic Club, to whose enterprise and organisation the success of the day was so largely due.

It may not be out of place here to offer congratulations to those St. Dunstaners who have in recent times shown that loss of sight need be no bar to open competition with sighted athletes. Just as we go to press, for example, comes the news that on the 15th April J. Moeller competed in the 7½ Miles Road Race of the Dagenham Harriers. The winner's time for the Walk was 61 mins. 37 secs., while Moeller's was 79 mins. 43 secs. He finished fourth in the handicap from the 20 mark. This is an excellent performance, and others which come to our memory are those of A. Brown, who in a ten mile scratch championship with the Polytechnic Harriers came in third, and of W. Trott, who in the "Mercury" Fifty-five Mile Walk came in fifth and was first home for his club, winning also the sealed handicap for the second year in succession. All these are feats of which any sighted athlete could be justly proud.

## Maidenhead 25 Mile Walk—30th April 1927

[The following breezy account of this important event will be read with interest by St. Dunstaners everywhere.—ED.]

THIS walk, which was arranged by the Maidenhead Cycling and Athletic Club, took place on Saturday, 30th April, and for this year at any rate has replaced the Brighton Walk.

Our rendezvous was Baker Street Tube Station, time 8.30 a.m., and, with a very promising outlook so far as the weather was concerned, and competitors, escorts, and officials all turning up to time, we straight away loaded up the big General 'bus and off they went. It was followed by the Lodge 'bus, equipped with eats, drinks, medical stores, mostly in liquid and bottle form, &c., Sisters Stacey and Woolrych, and Miss Airs, accompanied by Joe Binks and Billy Pepper, brought up the rear in Morrison's car (sounds rather like a convoy moving off)! Arriving at Maidenhead, we were met and welcomed by Mr. Secretary Wood, and his hard working assistant and clerk of the course, Mr. Roberts, who conducted us to Skindle's Hotel, where arrangements had been made for changing, &c. The scene in front of the famous hotel was very animated, with a fleet of motors kindly lent and placed at our disposal for any use. A troop of boy scouts, complete with scoutmaster, were used as markers round the course, and right well they did their job. By this time Captain and Mrs. Fraser had arrived, followed by Mr. Kessell and Mr. Barringer.

The race had been arranged for two sections, T.B. and S.S., and we had an original entry of 14 and 9 respectively, but owing to minor indispositions we were only able to start 10 and 7. At the start a very large crowd had assembled, and Captain Fraser, introducing Lord Desborough, K.C.V.O., who kindly acted as starter, paid tribute to the active interest his Lordship had always taken in St. Dunstan's from its very earliest days. The army of photographers having performed from every angle, his Lordship, with a sincere "Good luck, Boys," sent the T.B.

section on their journey, followed after a ten-minute interval by the S.S. section. I think the pace set by the leaders surprised the onlookers, and at least two of the competitors themselves. The course was via Bray (we had not time to call on the vicar), Holyport, Money Row Green, Foleys, Paley St., Bucks Farm, Felix Farm (that is why they kept on walking), Binfield Church, Warren House Inn, Manor House, Binfield Park, West End, Warfield Hall, Newell Green, Warfield Grove, Winkfield, Winkfield Church, back to Money Row Green, Holyport, and Bray, finishing at Oldfield Road, Maidenhead. The competitors had in attendance for feeding, cheering, &c., car 1. Sisters Stacey and Woolrych, car 2; Sisters Hodgson and Nelson (who had come especially to attend to the wants of the Birmingham contingent); car 3, Instructor Tovell and Orderly Lomax; car 4, Miss Airs, Joe Binks, and Billy Pepper, judge and timekeeper. And holding a watching brief whilst patrolling in cars, Captain and Mrs. Fraser, Mrs. Bates, Nurse Lloyd, Sisters Davies and Bamberger, Messrs. Kessell, Barringer, Anglis and Hegarty. The country-side and the Thames Valley was absolutely perfect, but the road was hard from the walker's point of view. When we had been over the course some few weeks previously, the going was good, but in the meantime they had "tarred and shingled" it, and we know what that means when the sun is on it. But it takes more than that to put our jolly old sportsmen off. They did not put their backs into it, but they certainly put their foot in it, but always the best foot forward, and so after a few miles we were being treated to a rare tussle for supremacy between Ingram, Castle, and Lowings. At ten miles Lenderyou was forced to retire with stitch, not the one that saves nine; Alf said it saved him 15 (miles). Moeller, who had been travelling very fast,

was the next to crack. That pace which was set at the start was beginning to tell. Lowings was now second and walking like a winner, followed by Ingram, Benning, Johns and Rhodes. Archie Brown, in the S.S. section, was now coming through, and walking with perfect rhythm, was leading Trott, Ashton, Fallowfield, Read, and Giles in that order. Ingram was none too comfortable about here. Fallowfield had picked up a lot of grit, and in spite of two pairs of socks, had now to retire, quite strong in himself, but with a pair of very badly blistered feet. The sun now had a say in the matter, and Roberts sighed for the breezes and cockles of Southend. But as we carry everything except those two things, he elected to join the riders, after having put up a good show. Horace Kerr was walking well within himself and seemed surprised that he had got so far. Frank Rhodes, who has improved a lot, was next to retire, followed by Ingram, who had not been well a few days before, and took matters rather easy. This left Castle in the lead from Benning, a greatly improved walker, followed by Johns, Lowings, Kerr, and Chiverton. Meanwhile Brown, in the other section, was forging ahead from Trott, with Ashton close up third and Read still talking and laughing just in front of Giles. Chiverton now retired. The above order

was now maintained to the end, except that Lowings seemed to be affected by the sun and slowed down, and eventually finished fourth, a few yards in front of Kerr, who walked the last two miles in wonderful style. It will be seen by the appended list that Birmingham carried off three out of six prizes, which should give them every encouragement to maintain their enthusiasm. Well walked, Birmingham, Trott included!

Tea was served in the Lawn Pavilion, where Miss Hamar Greenwood and Mrs. Broughton looked after the wants of the boys who live in the district.

His Worship the Mayor of Maidenhead presented the prizes, and during his speech mentioned that he hoped this was the first of many walks that would be held at Maidenhead. Captain Fraser, replying on behalf of St. Dunstan's, thanked His Worship, the Maidenhead Cycling and Athletic Club, in fact everybody who had helped to make the day such a success.

### PRIZE LIST

		T.B.	Donor
1st Prize	W. A. Castle	Mr. Sampson	
2nd "	A. Benning	" Berman	
3rd "	P. Johns	St. Dunstan's	
		S.S.	Donor
1st Prize	A. Brown	Mr. Angliss	
2nd "	W. Trott	" Berman	
3rd "	P. Ashton	St. Dunstan's	

### RESULTS—T.B. SECTION

Order of Finish	Name	Regiment	Escort	Time
				h m s
1st	W. A. Castle ..	Essex Regiment ..	Mr. Simpkins (Highgate H.) ..	4 42 45
2nd	A. Benning ..	Scottish Rifles ..	" Harris (L.C.C. Tram.) ..	4 45 37
3rd	P. Johns ..	Grenadier Guards ..	" Rathbone (Belgrave H.) ..	4 54 57
4th	W. J. Lowings ..	Royal Fusiliers ..	" W. Smith (Stock Exchange) ..	5 0 40
5th	H. Kerr ..	London Regiment ..	" Thomas (Belgrave H.) ..	5 1 3
6th	A. Chiverton ..	Royal Berks ..	" Hill (Ranelagh H.) ..	—
7th	J. Ingram ..	Seaforth Highlanders ..	" Unstead (Q.P.H.) ..	—
8th	R. Rhodes ..	Canadians ..	" Belchamber (Belgrave) ..	—
9th	J. Moeller ..	Lancasters ..	" Croft (Dagenham H.) ..	—
10th	F. Lenderyou ..	Bedfords ..	" Stupples (Lyons A.C.) ..	—

### S.S. SECTION

1st	A. Brown ..	Cheshire Regiment ..	Mr. Winter (Polytechnic H.) ..	4 16 5
2nd	W. Trott ..	R.F.C. ..	" Shaw (Queens P.H.) ..	4 24 2
3rd	P. Ashton ..	A.O.C. ..	" Moore (Highgate H.) ..	4 37 47
4th	E. Read ..	Worcester Regiment ..	" Booker (Surrey) ..	4 38 59
5th	H. Giles ..	Canadian Regiment ..	" Wall (Belgrave H.) ..	4 55 13
6th	W. Roberts ..	Essex Regiment ..	" Austin (Belgrave H.) ..	—
7th	G. Fallowfield ..	R.G.A. ..	" Wicks (Min. of Pensions) ..	—

Six escort medals presented by Mr. Berman were received by Messrs. Simpkins, Harris, Rathbone, Winter, Shaw and Moore.

Six standard time medals (4hrs. 50mins.) presented by Messrs. Toye. These were presented to:—W. A. Castle, A. Benning, A. Brown, W. Trott, P. Ashton and E. Read. W. A. T.

### Manchester Sports Club

The last indoor meeting at the Y.M.C.A. was well attended—there being over sixty men and escorts present. After tea the draw was made for the scarf and apron which the sister of J. Pearson, of Pen-leton, had very kindly given to be raffled for Club funds.

Gaffney won the scarf and Mrs. Mead (one of our kind helpers) the apron, but as she was not there her friend told us to draw again. This time the lucky person was Mrs. Mitchell, an old lady of eighty-five. The scarf and apron brought in the splendid sum of £2 16s. We are all very grateful to Pearson's sister for her kind thought.

Guessing the weight of an Easter cake was won by J. Saxon.

After this we had a very good concert, the artistes being Mrs. Gellibrand, Birley, Gaffney, Eaton and Robinson, and our old friend, Mr. Ken McKay, came and entertained us for quite half-an-hour and kept us in fits of laughter all the time.

The first outdoor meeting was held on 27th April at the Y.M.C.A. Athletic Ground, Alexandra Park. We were fortunate in having a fine day, but there was a very bitter east wind blowing, which rather spoilt things. There were twelve men present and I hope that next time, 18th May, there will be more. We had goal kicking, throwing the cricket ball, throwing the football, single and treble jump and putting the weight.

The next meeting will be on 18th May at 3.30 on the same ground and the following one will be on either 1st June or 2nd June. K. V. M. IRVINE

You are master of the spoken word; the spoken word is master of you.

## Departmental Notes

### Netting Notes

May has arrived full of sunshine. Just the sort of weather we want for the Netting department, because everyone thinks they would like to play tennis, cricket or golf, so we have more orders for nets than we can comfortably manage. The staff are working overtime to finish the men's work sent in and get the orders off, various S.O.S.'s having to be sent to the men, such as "Have you finished your golf net?" and "Can I expect those hammocks to-day?" Long may it continue!

The men have a splendid stall at a show at Exeter this week, with local men demonstrating rug, trays, and sponge bag making. We hope it will bring them orders.

Netters will be prominent at the Chelsea Flower Show and rug makers at Central Hall, Westminster, this month, all helping to advertise the men's work.

Congratulations are due to W. Raine, A. A. Tennison, W. B. Riley and J. W. Bullock for finishing their two rugs and to P. J. Rock, B. Read and J. Peeling for passing their bag tests.

T. Gregory has finished his netting and done very well indeed. Captain Hurst has made us a gay orange swing, while "Sambo" has finished a very nice hammock.

### Braille Notes

We heartily congratulate A. Pimm, S. P. Peacey and Jock Brown on passing the Reading Test.

### Typewriting Notes

Many congratulations to E. Brewer on passing the Typewriting Test.

M. H. R.

Copies of the group photograph on our back page, taken after the Maidenhead Walk, can be secured at the price of 2s. unmounted and 3s. mounted. Will any of our readers requiring copies of this photograph please let the Editor know at once, enclosing remittance, when we will obtain copies for them.

## News from Brighton

THE Easter holidays at Brighton must rank among the best spent at this Home of Hospitality. The weather was perfect and the beautiful sunshine reflected itself in the high spirits and *bon camaraderie* with which the boys entered into the arrangements made for their entertainment, amongst which was a charabanc drive to Plumpton Races, where, although there were no bookies broken, nearly all the boys held their own, in addition to the enjoyment of a perfect day's outing.

On Easter Monday a charabanc drive, about 88 of us, along the coast to Worthing and thence through the lovely Sussex country. There was also a visit to Eastbourne at the invitation of the proprietor of the Grand Hotel, in order to hear Mr. A. Sandler, the well-known violinist, who, by the way, has kindly promised to give us a concert later on. Added to the pleasure of the concert was the lavish way in which the boys were entertained by their host.

A brilliantly successful dance and supper rounded off a wonderful holiday, which left the boys keenly looking forward to their next visit to Brighton.

Our little chapel looked beautiful on Easter Day. Some of the flowers were given by our own boys, absent and present. Our very hearty thanks to them.

A handsome white altar frontal has been presented by our old friends, W. A. Biggs and Mrs. Biggs of Leicester, which was designed and executed by M. Louis Grosse, of Baker Street, W., and which was used on Easter Day for the first time. It added much to the beauty of the chapel and was much admired by all. We send our very best thanks to both Mr. and Mrs. Biggs for their magnificent present, which will always be greatly appreciated by those who worship in our little chapel.

"OBSERVER."

## Holiday Sports Camps

It has been decided to hold the Stratford-on-Avon Camp again this year at Clifford Chambers, two miles from Stratford, 13th to 21st June. June 20th there will be the Annual Regatta on the Avon.

The date of the Little Gaddesden Camp is fixed for 22nd June to 29th June. The camp is five miles from Berkhamstead and 28 from London. Miss Talbot is again inviting us to her house and grounds, and she has kindly undertaken to do all the organising beforehand, as I shall be in camp at Stratford.

There will be a 9 mile walk to Halton Regatta, we hope, at Marlow, and all the usual features; all that is needed is a good number in camp to make things go and the camp pay.

Fees for the week at both camps, 27s. 6d. Intending campers are responsible for their own railway fares, though it may be possible to arrange transport free of charge from London.

Please let me know as soon as possible if you are coming this year. My address is Clopton, Stratford-on-Avon.

SISTER HODGSON.

H. A. Knopp, of Worksop, sends us an interesting letter concerning his Rhode Island Reds. He says:—

"You will be pleased to hear that my Rhodes are standing third in the Notts County 12 months' test, and that one bird in my pen has laid the largest egg in the whole test ever since she started laying, viz. 2½ oz.

"I also won two Silver Cups at the Worksop Show, which was held last December.

"I am afraid I am late in advising you of my small successes, but better late than never, for I know you like to hear of anything that we St. Dunstaners can do in the poultry world."

We are asked to correct a slight error which crept into our News of St. Dunstaners last month, in which it was stated that J. T. Rouse, of Leighton Buzzard, was busy with mats and nets. We learn that lately Rouse has been concentrating on mats only.



## NEWS OF ST. DUNSTANERS

A NEW house is the latest interest of P. Austin, of Higham Ferrers, and an exceedingly nice one it is, too. Austin is all eagerness to get his hut up and start to work, since he has a fine supply of advance orders. May everyone lead to a "repeat!"

"A very good year" is the news that comes from A. Holland, of Rushden, N'hants. He has had excellent hatchings, and his chickens look most promising; they are keeping him very busy.

We hear also from G. H. Thomas, who is buying a really charming house, one of which any man might be proud. He has not got his shed up yet, but hopes to utilise a stretch of waste ground near by for this, and then should be most comfortably fixed up.

The lingering cold weather has been of benefit to A. Artingstall, of Ashton-under-Lyne, inasmuch as it enabled him to develop quite a trade in scarves.

A social honour has come the way of A. Urry. He has just been elected—or rather re-elected, so the honour is greater—chairman of the local club. He is an excellent man in the post, we feel assured, for he takes a genuine interest in all local movements. Among other things he organised a whist drive which proved a capital draw. There was a large attendance, and Urry himself, with Temperton, Whitham and Coman, provided the prizes—their own work in every instance, and each the best of its kind.

"A very successful chicken season," says J. W. Whitham, of Dunswell, Hull, and he is in high spirits accordingly.

Another who has a wonderful little poultry farm is A. G. Coman, of the same district. He is one of the most industrious

of our busy St. Dunstaners, for, in addition to attending to his poultry, he makes a mat a day with amazing regularity.

An excellent loud speaker has been made by J. Levett, of Worthing, and at a cost of only 17s. 6d. Congratulations to him. Perhaps he will let us have a description for THE REVIEW, so that others may copy his achievement. Levett, by the way, is remarkably lucky in his gardening. He contrived to have his dalias blooming in June last year and is hoping to beat his own record this season.

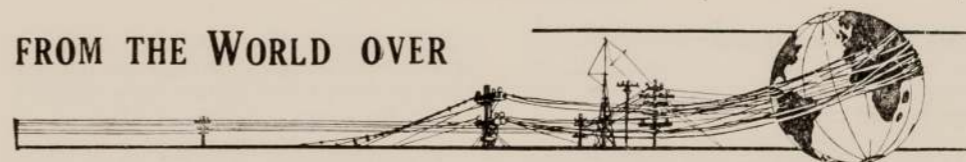
Pigs seem to have gone somewhat out of fashion with St. Dunstaners of late, but one who is strongly optimistic concerning them, and with good reason, is E. J. Burley, of Redruth, Cornwall. Poultry has become quite a side line with him as a consequence, and he does not find much time for mats either.

Wireless is proving a great boon to our Cornishmen, especially J. Martin, of Long Rock, and A. B. Tanner, of St. Ives. The former is in a somewhat isolated position, so fully appreciates all it means, while the latter works so steadily all day that the evening's amusement provided by the B.B.C. gives him just the amount of relaxation without exertion that he requires.

Yet another enthusiast is J. Brockerton, of Coleraine. He says he had perfect reception on the night of the community singing at St. Dunstan's, Captain Fraser's voice coming through so clearly that it was difficult to believe he was not in the room. Brockerton has secured an illustrious and appreciative customer for mats, by the way, no less a person than the Attorney-General.

J. Williams, of Hampton, has just been made a Noble Arts Druid of the Ancient

## FROM THE WORLD OVER



Order of Druids. We offer him congratulations, for we know the honour is a very real one.

Very few families are in the position of being able to say "none of us have had 'flu,'" but W. Whiteside, of Lytham, has achieved the miracle—unless one of the family is laid low before we appear in print. Whiteside has been fortunate in another way, too, since he has had quite a run of orders for baskets. It is only just slackening sufficiently to permit him to begin getting stock together.

"A very busy time," reports H. Raymond, of St. Annes-on-Sea. He is a carpenter and has had various orders for cabinets for wireless sets of late. They have proved interesting jobs. Raymond is a very keen worker, by the way, and one who finds constant happiness in doing things.

At Brenchley C. Brooks is doing well with poultry and is contemplating adding to his live stock. He intends to try his luck with pigs, and perhaps goats.

Bognor is suiting J. H. Mason well, we are glad to hear. He has a nice house and has made some good friends. We wish him success with the stall he intends to have at the sale in May.

What with keeping engagements as a jazz drummer, looking after his large supply of chickens, and coping with a number of orders, H. A. Knopp, of Worksop, is a very busy man—so busy, he says, that he only had time to have "the merest touch of the 'flu!'"

Friends will be glad to know that E. P. Horan, of Sandymount, is as well and busy as ever. He makes a mock grievance of the fact that he cannot get ill enough to require a holiday at Brighton!

T. M. Fisher, of Longforgan, is doing well with his chickens and now has 400. He should get busier in other directions as the years slip by, for he has planted several acres of small fruit and is hoping great things as a result. We wish him good crops.

"Improving steadily" is the news from D. Bee, of Bolton, whose shop is nicely stocked with such things as leather, tobacco and cigarettes.

At the Radcliffe Bird Show in March, F. Tait, of Bolton, won the "cup" for his canary exhibit, and a day later carried off a gold medal for "the best bird in the show." Everyone will congratulate him, we are sure, particularly those who went in for the same hobby as a result of Tait's interesting articles for the REVIEW.

Another St. Dunstaner with many interests is A. H. Singleton, of Grantham. Both he and his wife play in a dance band, and in addition, Singleton gives music lessons. Mrs. Singleton, by the way, carried off a prize at a Charleston competition the other day.

A. Cooke, of Kingsthorpe, Northampton, is in luck with his business premises as he has been allowed to have his mat-frame erected in the big hut where a boot repairer is at work, so comes into touch with all the people who bring their repairs, which results in orders for him!

As the result of a Woman's Institute Exhibition where R. J. Vine, of Ewhurst, exhibited he has received some orders for children's flower baskets. He is also getting an increasing demand for his centre-cane trays with beaded handles, many of which he has coloured.

Do many of our poultry men suffer at the hands of egg-stealers? R. H. Atkinson

**News of St. Dunstaners—continued.**

has been subjected to a good deal of annoyance from such petty thieves. We hope he will catch the culprits soon.

Among the many gardens which it is a pleasure to see at this season mention should be made of that belonging to J. R. Smith, of Beckhampton, Lambourne. It is a perfect picture with its mass of spring flowers. Indeed the whole house looks most attractive as it has been done up recently. Smith is busy and doing well with his poultry.

Another of our gardeners is A. W. Vaughan, of West Croydon. He spends a considerable amount of time on it and has got it into excellent order. His crop of gooseberries promises to be excellent.

**Brief Notes**

Tobacco and cigarettes are now being sold by H. W. Hale, of Croydon, as a side line to boot-repairing. May the customers for the one increase the clientele for the other!

Business in Pitlochry is quiet at the moment, says J. Stibbles, but he is looking forward to doing well when the season opens up, which should be by the time these lines appear in print.

Friends will be glad to know that G. Anderson (of Alton, Hants) is much improved in health and is again at work on mats.

"All's well" with J. H. Hey, of Keighley, who "keeps on smiling," and the same might be said of W. Anderson, of Steeten, not far distant, who, by the way, is hoping to secure better accommodation than he has at present.

Another who keeps fit is J. Fowler, of Ilkley. His poultry is flourishing.

A man who always contrives to find a job for himself is W. Bruce, of Skipton. All will be glad to hear that his health is much improved. F. Saxon, of Cross Gate, Staffs, is also enjoying fair health, but he has been a "flu" casualty like so many

others. J. S. Smith, of Madeley, is in high spirits as he has obtained a house quicker than he hoped and is now eager to start work. He is very cheerful and fit.

Those who were "flu" sufferers last month will, we are sure, sympathise with the later victims, among whom are F. Jerome, of The Lone Pine, Hurn and family, R. J. Thomas, of Worcester, also "and family"; F. R. Creasy, of West Croydon, who had a very bad time since he also had bronchitis; A. Charman, of Hever, Kent, and W. J. Hallam, of the same address—the latter, by the way, has been remarkably lucky with his hatching this season; J. Langham, of Sutton-in-Ashfield; E. Clarke, of Edwinstowe; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Taylor, of Grantham; A. Brown, of Holbeach, Lincs.; J. R. Green, of Holbeach, and J. L. Housden, of Whitefield, who says, by the way, that his "tobacco trade is holding its own." We hope recent Budget developments will not interfere with his progress!

A. Hamlett, of Winsford, Cheshire, is making quite a speciality of teapot stands. His total since Christmas is upwards of three hundred.

D. McCarthy, of Wood Green, Breamore, is considering joining the ranks of our goat-keepers.

The new house at Newbold Moor Chesterfield, is giving great pleasure to P. Johns; he ought to be most comfortable.

A very delightful garden is E. B. Baron's (of Bridlington) chief hobby. He enjoys every sunny hour we have.

Not only G. Lawty, but his wife as well, find that his little shop keeps them very fully employed. Like Baron, Lawty is a Bridlington man.

Little news reaches us from W. Robinson, of Welby, and G. Chapman, of Scaldwell, but with both it is a case of "well and happy."

J. Davies, of Neasden, is doing fairly well at mats and is feeling much better. He is one of the many looking forward to his Brighton holiday. Boots keep H. Gransby, of Willesden, as busy as usual; he too is much better in health than he used to be.

Good reports as to progress with poultry come from W. Woodrow, of Ebbsbourne Wake; F. J. Harriss, of Ramsden Bellhouse, Essex; W. E. Edmonds, of West Barns, who is getting 40 eggs a week from 10 hens; R. Metcalfe, of Nelson, who from 40 birds gets on an average something like 24 eggs a day; T. Murphy, of Bedlington, who besides attending to his poultry is getting his garden ready for planting, and C. A. Stevens, of Ashford, whose home, by the way, always looks as clean and bright as a new pin.

With joinery E. E. Barrett, of Lower Edmonton, is doing fairly well and keeping cheerful. Mats keep busy R. Dunn, of Burnley, who works away gallantly and is always in excellent spirits. "Business is holding its own," says L. Jackson, of Cheshire. "Hard at it getting the market garden ready for the summer," reports D. Makin, of Wallsend. "Getting on fine" is the news from H. J. Glendennan, of Kilcullen, who is in excellent health, and so also is another of our Irishmen, Martin, of Bray, whose latest interest is his wireless set; he contrives to get quite a number of stations and is never tired of "listening."

Parents will sympathise with R. Shaw, of Burnley, whose little daughter, Irene, was knocked down by a conveyance a short time ago and had to be taken into hospital with injury to her foot. Until the bandages are removed it is not possible to say how serious the damage may be.

A. Simmons, of Northampton, has just moved into a new house which promises to be very nice. The same item is all the news we have concerning H. V. Thompson, of Wood Green, and R. P. Coles, of Boston Manor, while if S. Ash, of Exeter, has not a new house, he, at least, has a

fine new workshed and one of which he has reason to be proud, since he put it up himself!

Boots keep H. C. Ollington, of Earlsfield, going very steadily; the former keep H. B. Barnard employed and C. E. Gill, of Teddington, has had a record number of repairs of late.

"All well," says A. Lenderyou, he has not been a 'flu casualty (unless he has fallen a victim to the scourge since we last had news of him)!

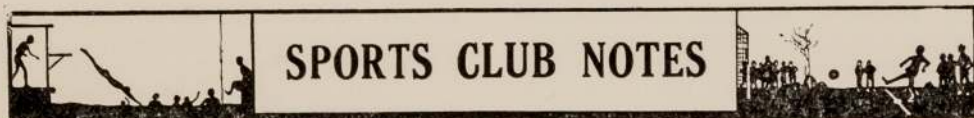
Our Belfast shopkeeper, H. McAteer, is busy and cheerful. He does a great amount of walking, which keeps him fit. J. Berry, also of Belfast, is among the latest recruits to wireless.

At a Sale of Work held recently at Lockerbie under the auspices of the local branch of the British Legion, G. B. Swanston exhibited some splendid specimens of joinery and cabinet work. His stall was the subject of much admiring attention, and will, we hope, be the means of bringing him many orders.

**Death of Sir E. Hodder Williams**

We regret to record the death of Sir Ernest Hodder Williams, C.V.O., the famous publisher and head of the firm of Hodder & Stoughton, Ltd. Sir Ernest was a close personal friend of the late Sir Arthur Pearson, and gave valuable assistance to St. Dunstan's by collaborating with Sir Arthur Pearson and, later, with Captain Fraser in the publication of the two books relating to the Prince of Wales' tours throughout the Dominions and India, namely, the "Prince of Wales' Book" and the "Prince of Wales' Eastern Book." Sir Arthur Pearson's own book, "Victory Over Blindness," was also published by Sir Ernest Hodder Williams. St. Dunstan's loses a good friend and offers condolences to Lady Hodder Williams.

Hours fly,	New ways;
Flowers die;	Pass by,
New days,	Love stays.
	H. Van Dyke.



## PRESENT CARE SPORTS

## EASTER TERM RESULTS

It was only the last Saturday of the term which decided the third man in both sections, and one always feels a little sorry for number four on these occasions—but someone must be last, so we extend our congratulations to all, and wish good luck to those who have left us, and a hearty welcome to the newcomers. Our summer sports term will be a long one, and by the keenness already shown, it is hoped that many records may be broken.

## EASTER TERM RESULTS—POINTS

T.B.		S.S.	
1. Robinson .. 840	1. Crook .. 1045	2. Alexander .. 735	2. Eden .. 855
3. Weedall .. 590	3. Wilkie .. 685	4. Vaughan .. 575	4. Moore .. 665
5. McDonald 437½	5. Brewer .. 320	6. Day .. 325	6. Riley .. 295
7. Bullock .. 325	7. Raine .. 270	8. Chamberlain 302½	8. Jarman .. 190
9. McLean .. 270	9. Monaghan 185	10. Tennison .. 255	10. Clarke, F. 130
11. Peeling .. 245	11. Isaac .. 125	12. Burridge .. 165	12. Rock .. 110
13. Sambo .. 30			

## FOOTBALL RESULTS

The Jocks had to work hard to win the cup, as the Spurs were always at their heels! It was rumoured that they only won because they were used to the damp mists of Scotland. Chamberlain and Eden won the medals for goal scoring, which could have been no light matter in the mud and wet.

## EASTER TERM FOOTBALL LEAGUE RESULTS

Team	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pts.
The Jocks ..	7	2	3	52	32	17
The Spurs ..	7	3	2	49	38	16
The Merrybrights ..	6	5	1	50	37	13
The Wanderers ..	5	6	1	38	46	11
The Redheads ..	5	7	—	50	50	10
The Wireless ..	3	8	1	41	54	7
The Sparklers ..	2	8	2	24	43	6

## MEN WHO HAVE PLAYED IN THE JOCKS

Name	Played	Goals
Kenward ..	9	10
Tennison ..	7	7
Cookson ..	7	3
McDonald ..	4	4

Name	Played	Goals
Tomkinson ..	3	2
Clover ..	2	1
Mullins ..	1	0
Willcocks ..	12	13
Isaac ..	9	9
Miles ..	1	3

## THE SPURS

Clarke, S. ..	11	13
Day ..	12	13
Weedall ..	12	7
Clarke, F. J. ..	12	5
Dunks ..	5	6
Edwards ..	4	4
Head ..	2	1

## T.B. GOAL SCORERS S.S.

Chamberlain .. 15	Eden ..	17
Clarke, S. .. 13	Raine ..	14
Day .. 13	Willcocks ..	13
Peach .. 12	Jarman ..	12
Redhead .. 10	Wilkie ..	12
Mason .. 10	Crook ..	10
Kenward .. 10	Isaac ..	9
Fleming .. 9	Brewer ..	9
Robinson .. 8	Saunders ..	8
Gale .. 8	Moore ..	6
Alexander .. 7	Dunks ..	6
Weedall .. 7	Monaghan ..	6
Tennison .. 7	Cook ..	5
Phillips .. 5	Hurst ..	5
Pimm .. 4	Clarke, F. J. ..	5
McDonald .. 4	Edwards ..	4
Scott .. 3	Miles ..	3
Cookson .. 3	Head ..	1
Tompkinson .. 2		
Gregory .. 2		
Rock .. 2		
McLean .. 2		
Clover .. 1		
Sambo .. 1		
Vaughan .. 1		

## ROWING

The ladies of Bedford College have once again come to our assistance, and the lake makes a pleasant rendezvous these sunny mornings. Now that the evenings are lighter it is hoped that the After-Care will make the most of their opportunities and get as much practice as possible on the lake before the Regatta.

## BOXING

Thursday, 5th May, we attended the Albert Hall. There was a wonderful house and we witnessed a very thrilling contest for the World's Bantam-weight Championship between Teddy Baldock.

of London, and Archie Bell, of America. It was a most enjoyable evening, and just as we were leaving we ran into Teddy Baldock.

He shook hands very cordially with our boys. It was noticed that he was practically unmarked. It may be remembered that we tipped Baldock, the coming world's champion, some months ago in THE REVIEW. W. A. T.

## POLICE MINSTREL'S CONCERT

Once again Supt. Annis, of the S. Division Met. Police, invited a party of our boys to their concert at the Golders Green Hippodrome. As in the past, the show was very bright and was very much appreciated by our party. Tea was provided at the interval; after the performance Sister Morris, gracious and smiling as ever, accepted two huge bunches of flowers presented by Mrs. Collett, of Mill Hill. Meanwhile the artistes threw flowers amongst the audience and made a special fusilade on the two boxes where our boys were seated. I know that many of the now After-Care boys who have attended these performances in the past will join us in thanking our friends the police. W. A. T.

## AFTER CARE SPORTS

## WINTER TERM RESULTS

Once again the T.B. men are well to the fore, in fact, they are all amongst the first seven, which shows that they must be keen sportsmen.

## AFTER CARE SPORTS WINTER TERM RESULTS

1. Fleming .. 173	8. Prior .. 73
2. McFarlane .. 171	9. Cookson .. 64
3. Webster .. 155	10. Windle .. 63
4. Henry .. 149	11. Gover .. 30
5. Thompson .. 146	12. Ashton .. 13
6. Burran .. 128	13. Taylor .. 9
7. Roden .. 111	

## SPORTS MEETING

On 26th April we had a very good attendance at our sports meeting, and the following points were discussed and decided upon:—

## (a) Sports (Outdoor).

That the points should be 3—2—1 for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places, respectively.

That T.B. and S.S. should compete in one section.

Handicapping the same as last summer.

## (b) Shield Competition (¼, ½, 1 and 2 mile races).

It was decided that the competitors have a test and that the team should be chosen according to times for the various distances.

## (c) Regatta (Fours' race for Shield).

It was decided that an eliminating race of the "Fours" should take place before the Regatta provided the entries were larger than usual, and that the actual race for the shield take place at the Regatta.

## NOTICE

We have just received an invitation from Supt. Woodmere, X. Division, Met. Police, to take part in a one mile walking race at the Metropolitan Railway Sports Ground, Wembley, on 7th July. It is a grass track, and a handicap will be framed. This is a T.B. event, there are three prizes. Entries must be sent to the Sports Office at headquarters not later than 11th June.

## SPORTS DAY

The proposed sports on 11th June, details of which were given in the last REVIEW, is being well supported, especially by the children; will those who have not entered please remember that no entries can be accepted after 28th May.

## REGATTA

We hope to hold our Regatta on Thursday, 14th July, commencing at 1.30 p.m. sharp. I am anxious that we should get started in good time so that we will be able to appear at the dinner in the evening at the right hour. Will the old boys please make a special endeavour to be at Putney by 1.30.

## REGATTA PROGRAMME

1. Single Sculls	Present Boys	T.B.
2. "	"	S.S.
3. "	Old Boys	T.B.
4. "	"	S.S.
5. Veterans Race	Single Sculls—open to men over 45.	
6. Double Sculls	P. Boys.	Open.
7. "	O. Boys.	Open.
8. Pair Oars.	Open (at least one T.B. in a boat).	
9. One-armed pairs.	Open	
10. Open fours	(At least two T.B.'s.)	

We will adhere to last year's rules, that men may enter for two events only, and that if there are insufficient entries for

any one event, it will be joined to another. After the good response of veterans last year, we will again include a veteran's race. If the "Fours" entries are large we will have to row a preliminary race a few

days before of which due notice will be given.

Will all those who intend entering please let me know not later than 25th June, as entries cannot be received after this date.  
J. E. W.

## After-Care Re-unions

### Portsmouth

THE annual Portsmouth and District re-union was held at the Esplanade Assembly Rooms Café on Wednesday, 20th April.

It was one of the largest meetings ever held in this town and over eighty St. Dunstaners, their wives or escorts, sat down to do justice to the excellent tea provided.

Truly, "The more we are together, the merrier we shall be," was the spirit that predominated, and it was very evident that the afternoon was not long enough.

After Mr. Swain had read Captain Fraser's message of welcome to all present, he went on to say how pleased we were to have Mr. Martin with us again, and he also sympathetically referred to the sad loss Mr. Martin had so recently sustained in the death of his wife but said that he felt sure that we were all the better for having had the privilege of knowing her. He also spoke of the wonderful work Mrs. Martin had for so many years done in the netting room. Mr. Martin then replied in a few well-chosen words, and a vote of thanks was ably proposed by W. Lowings and seconded by A. Mason.

G. Dennis again provided the entertainment and this year brought along the full company of the "Cheerio Concert Party," of which he himself is a member and all of whom are blind artistes. Their items were greatly appreciated, and everyone was most enthusiastic over the songs rendered by W. Lowings, F. Matthews and G. Matthews, and a friend of S. Aves. A. Mason, too, before the concert, played to us and his pieces were very much enjoyed. Of course, we had to have a little community singing to be in the fashion!

During the afternoon the usual interviews with Mr. Swain took place and also

we were kept busy with the bean bag. By the way, the winners of the competitions were E. J. Hall and Mrs. Boorman, whilst the booby prizes were won by J. Peel and Mrs. Triggs.

Before the time to "pack up" arrived Mr. Swain thanked the entertainers, and the National Anthem was sung, and then there were many hasty au revoirs, as time and tide, to say nothing of trains, wait for no man.

A. K. R.

### Norwich

Wet weather did not damp our spirits when we held our annual re-union at the School of Music, Norwich, on the 7th April, in fact, if possible, it was more jolly than ever this year.

It was a big family party that sat down to an exceptionally good tea and many old acquaintances were renewed and experiences recalled.

Captain Fraser sent us a very nice message and Mr. Swain spoke a few words in his usual cheery manner before we started our entertainment. We were fortunate in having a particularly fine one as our friend—Mr. Lamb—brought along his concert party and their varied items greatly amused us. Our thanks are not only due to Mr. Lamb for providing the entertainment but also for the fact that he gives his services to us. We hope he will not forget us another time. W. Cubitt once again added to the enjoyment of the programme by singing to us, and R. Davies too gave us one or two songs.

The Bean Bag competition puzzled us somewhat, but the lucky ones eventually proved to be H. Smy and Mrs. Smith, junr.

We must not forget to mention how well F. Ashworth proposed a vote of thanks to Capt. Fraser for the meeting and G. Wright spoke equally well when seconding.

"God save the King" brought to an end a thoroughly enjoyable afternoon, but not before we had all had a personal interview with Mr. Swain.

E. A. S.

### Bournemouth

The verdict on the Bournemouth meeting this year which was held at Gervis Hall on Thursday, 28th April, could easily be given as "a record attendance"; over eighty being present.

Captain Fraser sent us a message of good cheer, and Mr. Swain during his speech remarked on the increased number at the re-union. He also welcomed Mr. Martin; speaking with sympathy of the loss he had sustained a few months ago through the death of his wife. Mr. Martin then said a few words thanking everyone for their sympathy and telling us what a great help his visits to us had been to him during the greatest year of trial he had been through. F. Reason proposed a vote of thanks, J. Godwin seconded and was

supported by H. Hill, who, by the way, was the fifth man to enter St. Dunstan's.

Miss Court and her concert party provided us with a splendid entertainment which was thoroughly enjoyed. The artistes kept the ball rolling all the afternoon with their songs, monologues, cornet solos, &c.

Whilst the personal interviews with Mr. Swain were in progress, we were also puzzling our brains to know how many beans a certain bag contained, and the winners of this competition proved as follows:—

*Ladies' First Prize.*—Mrs. Clare.

*Ladies' Booby Prize.*—Mrs. Reason.

*Gentlemen's First Prize.*—D. McCarthy.

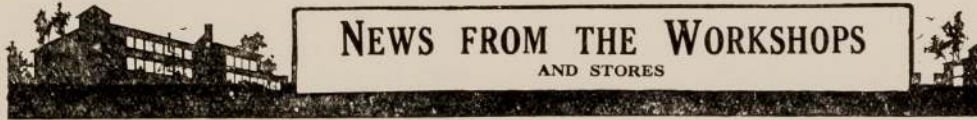
*Gentlemen's Booby Prize.*—F. Bulley.

At six o'clock, after due thanks had been conveyed to Miss Court and her party, everyone stood to attention for the singing of the National Anthem, and with many regrets we had to part for yet another year.  
A. K. R.



An interesting photograph of the Prince of Wales chatting with St. Dunstaners, taken on the occasion of the recent visit of His Royal Highness to Hastings.





## NEWS FROM THE WORKSHOPS AND STORES

### BASKETS

**J.** MOORE has been steadily advancing with his work, and has shown an all-round improvement. It must be a difficult thing for a man of his splendid physique, who still has a "punch" left in him, to make his hands deal lightly with centre cane baskets. He is finding out the tricks of the trade, and getting more success every day. A. W. Pimm takes his difficulties very calmly; he is a real tryer and is doing some very good work. On account of his extra disability, he has to worry out many things himself, and we congratulate him, both on his patience and success. A. Hughes is a good worker, and has been trying his hand at various kinds of baskets. He lacks neatness, however, and his work is on the slack side; we are expecting better things from him. T. Gregory has done a number of soiled linens this term, and has also been making a good attempt on oval work. Some parts of this work still trouble him, but we feel that he is coming out all right in the end. H. J. Fleming is gradually getting on top of his work and steadily improving all round. A dog bed which he made in March was very good, and he has done some quite useful square work. When he gets the knack of controlling the square frame, he will do well, as the working of his rods has greatly improved. On the whole, E. E. Kenward has been making better progress this year; he is concentrating on small work, both willows and centre cane. We are pleased to report an improvement in the work of G. W. Savory, he is evidently finding it easier to overcome his difficulties on the centre cane work, and has made an improvement all round. Our South African visitor, A. J. Mason, is on his way home, after completing a full course on basketwork in a comparatively short time. He has our congratulations, and we feel confident that he will be a good representative of St. Dunstan's.

### MATS

T. S. Burrige has been making very fair progress; he places his thrums well, and his cutting is good. He has some difficulty, however, with other parts of the work, such as his shape and bordering. J. Batchelor is doing well, his last mats having reached a very satisfactory standard, considering the time he has been at it. T. W. Saunders has now completed his matwork, and is giving full time to boots. We referred previously to his distinctly good work on mats, and this was maintained right through. W. Raine has also continued to make excellent mats and has commenced on designs. A. L. Isaac has completed his course; some five-diamond designs which he made were distinctly good, and we think he should have no difficulty in maintaining this standard of work. G. Parrick has been coming into the mat-shop a few days a week recently, and made a number of mats of excellent quality.

### BOOTS

Since our last report, P. W. Powell has shown an all-round improvement, because he is taking greater pains, and is realising that it is a good thing to have his faults pointed out; he can now turn out a very satisfactory job. T. Peach works very steadily, putting in full time. His riveting is always good, but he has not yet reached his best level in finishing. W. L. Redhead has completed his course. He was keenly interested, and did his best with every job, always reaching a level standard. He took every advantage of his opportunity in the workshops, and, with his brother's assistance, we feel that he has a very good prospect.

### JOINERY

F. J. Clark has completed the Elementary Course very satisfactorily, and has since made a tool chest, a stool, and a boot stool. The quality of his workmanship is well up to the average, and he

promises well as a joiner. E. G. Willcocks has also completed similar articles, and in addition a meat safe, a small table and a kitchen table. He is extremely interested, and aims at a high standard of quality. During this term J. Dunks has made a kitchen table, a wireless cabinet, a step-ladder, and some trays, reaching a good standard. The step-ladder made by C. H. Cook was also a satisfactory piece of workmanship; since then, he has had experience with trays, trousers' press, and tie press, an oak octagonal table, and other articles. The quality of his work improves as he goes on. T. W. Chamberlain has completed his course, and he should do very well, as his whole heart is in the job. He finished up with an oak bedstead, in which he was keenly interested.

### OLD BOOTS

Every St. Dunstaner knows that those who take up boot repairing in the workshops need a supply of old footwear to practise on. It happens that our supply has run rather short, and we felt that some St. Dunstaners could help us out of this difficulty. It does not matter whether the boots are men's, women's, or children's, or how badly worn they are; we should be very grateful for any that could be sent to us.

W. H. O.

### Births—Deaths

#### Births

**BOYD.**—To the wife of J. Boyd, of Brighton, a son, on 5th April.  
**CAPLE.**—On the 31st March, to the wife of A. J. Caple, of Cardiff, a son.  
**CORNS.**—To the wife of I. Corns, of Gt. Yarmouth, a son (Derick Arthur Frederick), on the 16th April.  
**GOBOURN.**—On the 8th April, to the wife of S. Gobourn, of Segrave, Park Place, Cheltenham, a son.  
**GROVES.**—On the 24th March, to the wife of A. F. Groves, of Bodiam, a son.  
**JONES.**—To the wife of W. T. Jones, of Hedgerley, near Slough (late of Fareham), a son, on the 22nd March.  
**KERR.**—On the 16th April, to the wife of J. W. Kerr, of Widnes, a son.  
**LATH.**—To the wife of J. T. Lath, of Sheffield, a daughter, on the 23rd March.

**MARTIN.**—To the wife of B. Martin, of Bray, co. Wicklow, a son (Richard Edmund), on the 11th February.  
**MITCHELL.**—On the 20th March, to the wife of J. Mitchell, of Leith, Scotland, a son.  
**PEARCE.**—On the 28th March, to the wife of W. J. S. Pearce, of Hendon, a daughter.  
**SHERIDAN.**—To the wife of P. Sheridan, of Rosyth Garden City, a son, on the 14th April.  
**STEEL.**—On the 7th April, to the wife of J. J. Steel, of Rosyth, a son.  
**TEMPERTON.**—On the 29th March, to the wife of C. E. Temperton, of Hull, a son.  
**WHITTEN.**—On the 26th March, to the wife of J. H. Whitten, of Birmingham, a son.

#### Deaths

This month we have to send our sympathy to the following:—  
**BANNISTER.**—To J. Bannister, of Skelmersdale, who on the 25th January lost his wife with tragic suddenness. The loss is very sad, as Mrs. Bannister left a young baby, as well as other children.  
**BROWN.**—To G. Brown, of Erith, who has lost his wife, and stands in particular need of sympathy, as Mrs. Brown died three hours after giving birth to a son (Alan). The child is doing well.  
**GILL.**—To Mr. and Mrs. Gill, of Teddington, as Mrs. Gill lost her mother on 1st January.  
**GREAVES.**—To J. H. Greaves, of Oldham, whose mother died on the 27th March as the result of bronchitis and heart trouble.  
**GREEN.**—To J. R. Green, of Holbeach, Linc., who lost his mother recently while he was himself in bed with the 'flu and unable to attend her funeral.  
**MANNING.**—To H. G. Manning, of Upper Holloway, whose father died on the 11th March. He had been suffering from heart trouble for some time.  
**PAYNE.**—To G. F. Payne, of Arrington, who lost his sister on the 23rd March.  
**PRATT.**—To Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Pratt, of Enfield, whose little daughter, Francis, died on the 3rd April from diphtheria at the Eastern Hospital, Homerton.

News and Notes

We are very glad to receive a letter from our old friend Bill Dies, of Toronto. He tells us he reads with the greatest interest the extracts from the "boys'" letters published in the REVIEW each month.

As regards himself, business is holding its own. After expressing the sincere hope that all his old St. Dunstaner friends are getting along and making progress, our correspondent mentions that he has been very fortunate in having a car since 1920. He has toured quite a lot, and it has been a great pleasure and convenience to him.

"Hen No. 6," the White Leghorn bred by the Agricultural Department of the University of British Columbia, would, we think, be willingly accepted as a gift at any St. Dunstaner's poultry farm! It created a world record by laying 351 eggs in 365 days. Those who wish to purchase the few eggs of the Hen No. 6 which are sold must pay 25 dollars each, or at the rate of about 375 dollars a setting.

Hen No. 6 began laying again shortly after the new year, having taken little more than half the usual rest during the moulting period. Now she is back at her regular egg-a-day routine, and her eggs are averaging well over two ounces each in weight. After laying nearly thirty dozen eggs, this bird actually had increased in weight from 3.5 lb. to 4.4 lb. Up, King's Langley!

The following extract from the *Observer* of 27th March 1827—one hundred years ago—is of interest:—

The Regent's Park.—An address to members of Parliament has been posted throughout Mary-la-Bonne on the subject of opening the whole of Regent's Park to the public, which, it says, the Commissioners are pledged to do this summer. It says, "A few interested persons may attempt to defeat the promise by describing the most pleasurable part of it as the pleasure-ground attached to the

houses, but the leases make no mention of such a right"; and asks, "Why, then, should we be robbed of our acknowledged rights? Are our aged parents and our infant children to enjoy no more their safe and healthful walk, or are they to be condemned to the dust, the dulness, and the danger of the carriage-road? God forbid!"

G. Fallowfield, who is very keen on his tandem, wants to do some speed riding as a path to fitness. He asks if anyone can suggest any method by which he could have a racer fixed to a stand of some kind, which would allow the machine to take his own weight, and so enable him to have a good "dust up" when he liked on his own, and to know what speed he was doing.

A DANCING ST. DUNSTANER

There is perhaps nothing particularly unique in our title, for most St. Dunstaners are dancers, but H. R. Potter, of Hastings, not only dances, but has a record as a prize winner at fancy dress balls that few can equal. In the past year or so he has won no fewer than twenty-five prizes with fancy dresses most cunningly and artistically designed. His skill and success is gaining him, we notice, a good deal of press mentions.

We congratulate H. Roberts, of Stalybridge, and his son baby Arthur, who took third prize at a baby show held at the Co-operative Hall, Ashton-under-Lyne, last month. There were two hundred and fifty competitors, and the tests set by the judge, Dr. Parks, were most exhaustive.

We are interested to learn that D. K. Peacock, of Watford, secured third place in the Massage Examination of the Chartered Society of Massage and Medical Gymnastics held in March last in open competition with many sighted candidates.

FOR SALE

Tandem, in good order, with carrier and lamp, price Ten Guineas. Apply—G. Matthews, 51 Noreuil Road, Petersfield, Hants.



AFTER THE WALK

A group of competitors, escorts and others, taken at Skindle's Hotel after the Walk at Maidenhead. Those present in the group are as follows:—  
*Back Row* (left to right):—Mr. Wall, Belgrave Harriers; Mr. Booker, Surrey Walking Club; Mr. Unstead, Queen's Park Harriers; Archie Brown; Doctor Trewhy; Mr. Winter, Polytechnic Harriers; Mr. Shore, Queen's Park Harriers; Instructor Tovell; Mr. Thomas, Centurian and Belgrave Harriers.  
*Second Row* (left to right):—E. Read; Mr. Simpkin, Highgate Harriers; P. Ashton; Mr. Stubble, Lyon's Athletic Club; Mr. Harris, L.C.C. Tramways Athletic Club; Mr. Rathbone, Belgrave Harriers; Mr. Webster Smith, Stock Exchange Walking Club; Horace Kerr.  
*Third Row* (left to right):—H. Giles; W. Trott; W. A. Casile; Captain Ian Fraser; A. Benning; P. Johns; W. Lowings. Sitting in front are Sister Hodgson, Sister Stacey and Sister Nelson.

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