

## 1858-1868 SEASONS

1858-59:

ETON Field Eleven for 1858 (The Field Game by John J.Pawson): Sir F.T.W. Johnstone, M. Lubbock (Keepers), A.S.B. Van de Weyer, Hon C.G. Littelton, R.S. Scholfield, W.M. Hoare, H.H. Langham, E.W. Chapman, H.B. Rhodes, E.C. Follett, Hon G.H. Cadogan, G.W. Kekewich (12<sup>th</sup> man)

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL Eleven for 1858: A. Balfour, A. Walker, A. Hamersley, H.M. Marshall, W.E. Dowdeswell, J.C. Hawkshaw, S. French, A.C. Onslow, W.S. Wright, C.R. Henderson, G. Upperton.

TUES OCT 12<sup>TH</sup> :

WINCHESTER COLLEGE 20 OXFORD 8

Bell's Life 31/10/58 P.10:

Winchester College: Eyre 1, Williams 2, Copleston 8, Biscoe 4, Lipscomb 2, Fearon 3.

Oxford: C. Wickham 0, F.R. Wickham 1, A.R. Wickham 1, W. Bouchier 1, Neale 2, Burney 3.

WED OCT 13<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 2 (A. Balfour, C.R. Henderson) + T. WATER'S ELEVEN 0 (At Fields)

+ Captain of the first eleven last year

Bell's Life 24/10/58 P.7 / Westminster School Football Ledger:

Westminster School: A. Balfour, W.E. Dowdeswell, A. Walker, A. Hamersley, H.M. Marshall, J.C. Hawkshaw, C.R. Henderson, G. Upperton, A.C. Onslow, S. French, W.S. Wright.

T. Waters Eleven: E.O. Berens, H.L. Thompson, W.E. Bovill, T. Waters, Rev J.G. Bonney, Rev. J. Back, Rev G. Turle, W.V. Williams, J. Green, + H.J. Pratt, + A. Harrison. + Emergencies

FRI OCT 15<sup>TH</sup> :

WINCHESTER COLLEGE 11 OXFORD 8 (Return)

Bell's Life 31/10/58 P.10:

Winchester College: Williams 5, Martin 2, Copleston 3, Biscoe 0, Lipscomb 1, Fearon 1. (12 ?)

Oxford: C. Wickham 0, F. Wickham 0, A.R. Wickham 0, Bouchier 5, Sewell 1, Wigram 2

WED OCT 20<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 4 F. STEWARD'S ELEVEN 0 (At The Fields)

Bell's Life 24/10/58 P.7 / Westminster School Football Ledger:

Westminster School: J.C. Hawkshaw, A. Walker, W.E. Dowdeswell, A. Balfour, H.M. Marshall, G. Upperton, A.C. Onslow, W.S. Wright, A. Hamersley, S. French, H.J. Pratt (for C.R. Henderson who was unable to play).

F.Steward's Eleven:Rev J.G.Bonney,W.Bristowe,F.Giles,W.Hunt,H.Hunt,L.Rattou,E.Stearns,  
F.Steward,A.Stratton,R.Taylor,+A.Harrison. +Emergency

WED OCT 27<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER Match:

First Seven 3 Next Sixteen 0 (In the Fields)

Bell's Life 31/10/58 P.6:

The Seven:A.Balfour,W.E.Dowdeswell,A.Walker,A.Hamersley,H.M.Marshall,J.C.Hawkshaw,S.French.

Next Sixteen:C.R.Henderson,A.C.Onslow,W.S.Wright,H.T.Pratt,G.Upperton,T.W.Wheeler,  
C.W.S.Stanhope,J.Tomlinson,J.M.Dowdeswell,R.D.Balfour,H.Barnes,G.Gumbleton,A.Hope,H.Salwey,  
J.Lowther,C.J.H.Chepmell.

TUES NOV 2<sup>ND</sup> :

WESTMINSTER Match:

Sixth 2 School 1 (in "Green")

Bells Life 7/11/58 P.6:

Sixth:A.Balfour,W.E.Dowdeswell,A.Walker,S.French,C.Shadwell,G.Stenning,H.Salwey,  
A.Karslake,C.Barnes,N.Madan,L.A.Goodeve.

School:A.Hamersley,J.C.Hawkshaw,H.M.Marshall,G.Upperton,C.R.Henderson,W.S.Wright,  
A.C.Onslow,A.H.Harrison,H.J.Pratt,J.M.Dowdeswell,R.D.Balfour.

WED NOV 3<sup>RD</sup> :

WESTMINSTER Match:

First Eleven 4 Next Twenty-Two 1 (at "Fields")

Bell's life 7/11/58 P.6:

First Eleven:A.Balfour,W.E.Dowdeswell,A.Walker,A.Hamersley,S.French,G.Upperton,C.R.Henderson,  
T.Hawkshaw,H.M.Marshall,A.C.Onslow,W.S.Wright.

Next Twenty-Two:H.Pratt,A.H.Harrison,C.Barnes,L.Goodeve,H.Barnes,C.Stanhope,J.Lowther,  
Mr Parker,A.Cope,H.Russell,J.M.Dowdeswell,G.Gumbleton,R.Balfour,Chamberlayne,C.J.H.Chepmell,  
Yates,Sanders,O'Brien,Tomlinson,Thomas,Oliver,H.Salwey.

N.B Bell's Life 5/12/58 P.7 :Dowdeswell's Team 0 Walker's Team 0 (Wed Dec 3<sup>rd</sup>)

Nones of November(5<sup>th</sup>):

WINCHESTER Match :

College Twenty-Two 14 Commoners Twenty-Two 3

Bell's Life 14/11/58 P.7/No Field report found:

BL:"The returning nones of November again saw the chosen twenty-two of College arranged against an equal number of Commoners in the college meads.Unfortunately for both sides,the superiority of College was such that the most zealous of Commoners could only hope,that by dint of pluck they might make a better game of it than they did last year.Precisely at twelve o'clock,according to old custom,the blue jerseys of College and the red of Commoners mingled in the grand commencing "hot".For a few minutes any spectator,ignorant of the respective merits of the two sides,might have been inclined to prophesy an even game;very soon,however,the superiority of College began to tell, and with their superior kicking,combined with great weight in the "hots",goals were kicked fast.The game requires few comments;suffice it to say that Commoners played a good uphill game.On the part of College Mr Williams was always near the ball,kicking goal after goal with astonishing quickness.Messrs Marshall and Copleston also kicked well.For Commoners Messrs Pode and Wesley did their best to make a good show against such odds."

College :F.G.Byre,Capt(2),D.W.Williams(7),C.Martin(2),J.H.Copleston(1),M.W.Biscoe(J.R.Garnier), A.M.Lipscombe(R.B.Wither),W.A.Fearon,W.B.R.Jacobson,C.Burney,W.Wigram,G.W.Carter(1),J.W.Haygarth,C.J.Manning,H.C.Adams,H.Stewart,H.E.Eliot,C.C.Pode(1),R.W.Pound,F.T.White, L.Walford,G.P.Lucas,J.P.Young.

Commoners:E.Pode(1),F.G.Wesley(Capt.),A.J.Berger(1),W.C.Copleston,E.J.Humphery,J.H.Edwards, C.J.E.Wilde,A.Bell,R.G.Wrench,E.D.Thomson,F.G.Crooke,G.H.Shum,J.H.Thresher,M.Smallpiece, C.J.G.Clark(1),A.M.Porter,C.P.T.Kendall,J.N.Pyke,J.C.Hunt,C.J.Maxwell,G.C.Helme,E.S.Creek.

MON NOV 15<sup>TH</sup> :

FOOT-BALL AT ETON:

Field 20/11/58 P.407:"On Monday ,November 15<sup>th</sup>,a match was played at "The Wall" between the Eton College Eleven,and a mixed Eleven from Oxford,Aldershot,and Woolwich,with two Eton players given,as behind and goals.The gentlemen who played in the mixed Eleven were:-Lord Turnour, Messrs T.Baring,T.F.Halsey,R.Leny,Tremlett,Leverne,Rhoydes,Chilton,Ainsworth,Middleton,and the Hon J.Cadogan.The Eton players were:-the Hon E.G.Littleton,Messrs V.B.Vandemeyer, R.S.Scofield,R.H.Balls,E.W.Chapman,A.Austen Leigh,G.F.Dawson,Hankey,Bridger,W.M.Hoare,and Sir F.Johnston.The umpire was W.Young,Esq.,On the Eton side the Hon C.Littleton,Messrs Scofield,Vandemeyer,and Hoare,distinguished themselves by their play.On the other side,Lord Turnour,Messrs Tremlett,Leny,and Leverne were conspicuous.The play was very even throughout, the Eton side getting slightly the best of it at the end.The match ended in a tie,neither side having got either a shy or a goal."

SAT NOV 20<sup>TH</sup> :

ETON COLLEGE 1 goal and 2 rouges OXFORD 0 (In the Field,Eton)

Eton College:Sir F.Johnstone,M.Lubbock,Van de Weyer,Hon C.G.Lyttelton,E.W.Chapman, E.C.Follett,H.B.Rhodes,R.S.Schofield,W.M.Hoare,Hon G.H.Cadogan,G.W.Kekewich.

Oxford:G.Follett,Prothero,Jones,W.Gladstone,Leny,Bacon,Legge,Dawson,Jefferson.(Had only nine men)

TUES NOV 23<sup>RD</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 2 (J.W.C.Master,A.H.Hussey) W.H.STONE'S ELEVEN 1 (V.E.Walker)

Field 27/11/58 P.437: Bell's Life 28/11/58 P.6:

F: "Of those whose names were down on Mr Stone's list two gentlemen, Messrs Lucock and Pardoe, did not arrive in time for the match; the Hon R. Grimston kindly volunteered to supply one of the vacant places, while the other remained unfilled. The match was very even and very warmly contested. On the side of the School, Messrs Daniel, Marten, Hussey, and Master were distinguished, while on that of their opponents, Messrs Walker, Deverell, Thompson, and Crosse in the following-up department, and Messrs Smith, and Hope-Edwardes, in the base-keeping, showed that they had not in the least lost their ancient prowess. The bases were—for W.H. Stone Esq.'s Eleven, V.E. Walker, Esq., 1; for the School-Master 1, Hussey 1, Mr Master's being obtained by a very good kick. The School Eleven could not, however, help feeling the loss of their captain, Mr T.D. Burnett; while, on the other hand, we cannot help regretting the deficiency in the numbers of Mr Stone's side."

Harrow School: J.D. Burnett (H. Hardcastle, absent), W.E. Currey (J. Webster, absent), G.H. Hodgson, A.W.T. Daniel, F. Smyly, A.H. Hussey, J.A. Cruikshank, R. Lang (T. Lock, absent), Hon H. Strutt, G.N. Marten, G. Ashton (J.W.C. Master, absent)

W.H. Stone's Eleven: H.B. Crosse, W.H. Deverell, W.J. Hope-Edwardes, W. Latham, H.M. Luckock (absent), A. Smith, W.H. Stone, V.E. Walker, H.Y. Thompson, H.M. Upcher, J. Pardoe (absent); Hon R. Grimston (Harrow substitute)

WED NOV 24<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 3 (C.R. Henderson, A. Balfour, J.M. Dowdeswell) DINGLEY DELL 0 (At Field's)

Bell's Life 12/12/58 P.7/ Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL: "A match was played at Field's, on Wednesday, Nov 24, the opponents of Westminster consisting of an eleven of the Dingley Dell Club, brought down by Mr G. Sills. The ground being slippery from the frost, and the afternoon being very dark, prevented the game from being as good as it might otherwise have been. After an hour's play Westminster had gained three games, the Dingley Dell none."

Westminster School: A. Balfour, A. Walker, W.E. Dowdeswell, A. Hamersley, J.C. Hawkshaw, S. French, C.R. Henderson, A.C. Onslow, W.S. Wright, H.J. Pratt, J.M. Dowdeswell.

Dingley Dell: G. Sills, Rev J.G. Bonney, W. Williams, W.C. Clayton, J. Fisher, G. Fitzroy, C. Wilkinson, (\*H. Peirce, G. Duval and two emergencies). \*Not listed in WSFL

OXFORD COLLEGES 2 rouges CAMBRIDGE COLLEGES 1 goal and 2 rouges (In the Field, Eton)

Morning Post 27/11/58 P.3/ Evening Standard 27/11/58 P.3:

Oxford: Hon. E.L. Stanley, Hon A. Legge, H. Jones, G. Follett, W.M. Leny,  
W.M. Severne, S. Bircham, G. Warner, C.A. Dawson, W.H. Gladstone, E.L. Horne.

Cambridge: H. Brandreth, T.C. Blofeld, J. Pinney, R. Hankey, R. Wharton, W.H. Stone, R. Rawlinson,  
J.L. Wharton, H.H. Collings, (R.D.) Cleasby, C. Puller.

NOV 30<sup>TH</sup> : ST ANDREW'S DAY ETON WALL GAME :

COLLEGERS 1 shy OPPIDANS 4 shies (See below for the celebrated Hollingworth disputed goal for  
Collegers)

Upon St Andrews Day 1841-1901/Bell's Life 5/12/58 P.7:

USAD: "The Oppidans had scored some shies and seemed to be winning comfortably. But in the first  
bully after changing ends Young, the Colleger flying-man, made a very fine kick into, or nearly into  
good calx. A shy was soon after got up, and the ball very smartly thrown to Hollingworth, who made a  
capital throw at goals with both hands, at a distance of eight or ten yards. The Oppidan behind  
Duggan was in the door goal; Rhodes, the Oppidan goals, was between him and Hollingworth, and  
when the latter threw, Rhodes made a dive at the ball, and said he touched it; the ball passed on and  
hit the door close to Cadogan's hip."

Collegers: R.L. Bridger, F.N. Wright, \*P.G.U. Pickering (Wall), R.K. Wilson, +H. Hollingworth (Seconds),  
R.H. Balls, A.C. James, A. Austen-Leigh (Outsides), W.M. Young, J.B. Dyne, ++A.C. Ainger.

\*played instead of J.P. Carter. + Played instead of R.H. Carter. ++ Played instead of G.F. Dawson (Capt.)

Oppidans: E.C. Follett, M. Hankey, H.S. Fraser (Walls), R.S. Scholfield, E.W. Chapman (Seconds),  
Sir F. Johnstone, V.S.B. Van de Weyer (Capt.), F. Lubbock (Outsides), Hon C.G. Littelton, Hon G.H. Cadogan,  
+H.B. Rhodes. + Played instead of W.M. Hoare.

TUES DEC 7<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 W.C. CLAYTON'S ELEVEN (Harrow) 2 (In Fields)

Bell's Life 12/12/58 P.7/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL: "Mr Clayton's team proved too strong for the Westminsters, who, however, were unluckily  
deprived of the services of two of the eleven, Mr Hawkshaw and Mr Onslow. After a spirited game, Mr  
Clayton's Eleven came off victorious, by two games to none."

Westminster School: A. Balfour, A. Walker, W.E. Dowdeswell, A. Hamersley, H.M. Marshall, S. French,  
G. Upperton, C.R. Henderson, W.S. Wright, A.H. Harrison, J.M. Dowdeswell.

W.C. Clayton's Eleven: W.C. Clayton, J.A. Hussey, C.H. Kennard, S. Hoare, R. Elphinstone, A. Ainslie, J. Russell,  
G.R. Davies, H. Master, H.C. Langton, J. Osborne.

FRI DEC 17<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 2 (A. Walker, A. Balfour) TRINITY COLLEGE 0 (At Westminster)

Westminster School Football Ledger: "This match was played at Fields, on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> Dec: and I am glad to record that in this match we were again victorious, as we obtained 2 games, to their none. The Eleven were brought down by F. Catt, Esq., O.W. The afternoon was finished by the discussion of 6 bowls of punch provided by our adversaries-our games were kicked by Walker and by Balfour. The sides were:"

Westminster: A. Balfour, A. Walker, W. E. Dowdeswell, A. Hamersley, H. M. Marshall, S. French, J. C. Hawkshaw, A. C. Onslow, G. Upperton, C. R. Henderson, W. S. Wright.

Trinity College: +F. Catt, +J. Cowell, +J. Salwey, +W. Henty, D. Collins, R. Harvey, \*(R.) D. Cleasby, \*( ) Cleasby, +J. P. Ingham, C. Maltby?, (Not recorded). +O.W's \*(Not Clearby)

N.B. There is extensive correspondence about the rules of Football in Bell's Life 19/12/58 P.7; 26/12/58 P.7; 2/1/59 P.7; 9/1/59 P.6; 16/1/59 P.7; and 23/1/59 P.6.

WED FEB 16<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 2(A. Walker, A. Balfour) DINGLEY DELL 0 (At Fields)(Return)

Bell's Life 27/2/59 P.6/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL: "On Wednesday Feb 16, a match was played at Fields, between an eleven brought down by G. Sills Esq, and the Westminster Eleven. After a very good match the Westminsters were victorious by two games to none."

Westminster School: A. Balfour, A. Walker, W. E. Dowdeswell, S. French, J. C. Hawkshaw, H. M. Marshall, G. Upperton, A. C. Onslow, C. R. Henderson, H. J. Pratt, W. S. Wright. (A. Hamersley was unable to play)

G. Sills Eleven: G. Sills, W. Williams, Rev T. G. Bonney, T. Fisher, C. Smith, G. Fitzroy, W. Wilkinson, Green, Marindin, and two others names unknown.

WED FEB 23<sup>RD</sup> :

WESTMINSTER Match:

Town Boys 2 Queen's Scholars 1 (At Fields)

Bell's Life 27/2/59 P.6:

Town Boys: W. E. Dowdeswell, A. Hamersley, S. French, J. C. Hawkshaw, (J.), T. Lowther, H. Barnes, C. J. H. Chepmell, H. Sanders, T. Thoms, J. M. Dowdeswell.

Queen's Scholars: A. Balfour, A. Walker, A. Goodeve, H. M. Marshall, C. R. Henderson, H. Pratt, G. Upperton, A. C. Onslow, W. S. Wright, A. H. Harrison, G. Gumbleton.

N.B. 2 games at Lords 2<sup>ND</sup> v 3<sup>RD</sup> Battalions Grenadier Gurds 25 a side (Tues 1<sup>st</sup> Mar) and 3<sup>RD</sup> Battallion Grenadier Guards 10 v 10 (Sat 5<sup>th</sup> Mar) (BL 6/3/59 P.5 and 13/3/59 P.6)

N.B. Game in CORFU: Garrison v 2<sup>ND</sup> Battalion 9<sup>th</sup> Regmnt. "ended in favour of the latter by three goals out of four." (Bell's Life 17/4/59 P.1)

1859-60:

ETON Field Eleven for 1859 from The Eton Field Game by John J.Pawson P.83:

E.W.Chapman,H.B.Rhodes(Keepers),Hon C.G.Lyttelton,E.C.Follett,F.Lubbock ,R.Peel,  
R.E.Moore,E.H.Wynne,W.F.Middleton, H.Garnett,P.Norman,J.G.Chambers(12<sup>th</sup> man)

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL Eleven for 1859:H.M.Marshall,J.C.Hawkshaw,W.S.Wright,  
A.C.Onslow,A.H.Harrison, J.H.Forster, W.H.Oliver,B.N.Thoms,H.E.Bull,J.O.Williams(10 only)

FRI OCT 7<sup>TH</sup> :

RIFLE DEPOT BATTALION 1 FIRST BATTALION RIFLE BRIGADE 0 (Governor's Field,Portsmouth)

Bell's Life 30/10/59 P.3:

BL:"...the eleven officers of the Rifles from Winchester went down to Portsmouth to play the First Battalion Rifle Brigade,in the governor's field.At the end of the hour the match stood as follows:- Rifle Depot Battalion,one goal to nothing."

Rifle Depot Battalion: Capt. Moore,Lieut Egerton,Parr,Reid,Smyth,Hon T.Scott,Hon A.Hood, Fairfield,Hillyard,Miller.

Rifle Brigade:Capt Tryon,Lord E.Clinton,Cunningham,Lieut Blundell,Russell,Bunbury, Patton,Palmer,Grant,Palmer,Williams.

THURS OCT 13<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL FIRST THIRTEEN 8 (J.T.Prior,R.D.Walker,G.K.Webster,P.M.Thornton 4)  
E.E.BOWEN'S THIRTEEN 0 (At Harrow)

Bell's Life 30/10/59 P3:

BL:"Mr Bowen's Thirteen consisted principally of old Rugbeans"

Harrow School:J.A.Cruikshank,A.W.T.Daniel,T.W.C.Master,R.D.Elphinstone,J.T.Prior, P.M.Thornton, R.D.Walker,G.K.Webster,J.B.Martin,E.L.Williams,G.R.Davies,W.E.Medlicott,H.L.Burton.

E.E.Bowen's Side:E.E.Bowen,R.D.Dalby,C.Tawney,H.D.Dakyns,H.Holley,W.Walford,C.Puller, H.Brandreth,H.King,W.J.Bull,C.Royds,O.W.Hardy,E.G.Sandford,F.W.Stow(substitute for part of the time).

WED OCT 19<sup>TH</sup> :

FIRST BATTALION RIFLE BRIGADE 1 goal and 3 rouges RIFLE DEPOT BATTALION 1 rouge

Bell's Life 30/10/59 P.3:

BL:"The return Match was played at Portsmouth on Wednesday Oct 19.The Rifle Brigade turned the tables this time ,winning by one goal and three rouges to one rouge.The ground was fearfully slippery,and,yet,notwithstanding,some capital play on both sides was displayed."

Rifle Depot Battalion: Capt. Moore, Lieut Curtis, Moseley, Gosling, Hon. T. Scott, Larcom, Smith, Fairfield, Hon. A. Hood, Hillyard.

Rifle Brigade: Capt. Cunningham, Lieut Ruthven, Pester, Bunbury, Palmer, Russell, Blundell, Patten, Grant, Williams.

WESTMINSTER Match:

First Seven 1 Next Sixteen 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 23/10/59 P.3:

First Seven: H.M. Marshall, C.R. Henderson, G. Upperton, W.S. Wright, A.C. Onslow, A.H. Harrison, J.H. Forster.

Next Sixteen: C.W.S. Stanhope, B. Thoms, W.H. Oliver, R.D. Balfour, G. Gumbleton, H.B. Maurice, G.M. Osborn, J. Chepmell, J.M. Yates, E.M. Tomlinson, H.E. Russell, A.R. Tomlinson, J.O. Williams, J.P. Gardiner, C.M. Barker, Hon. C. Barker.

FRI OCT 21<sup>ST</sup> :

WINCHESTER COLLEGE (COMMONERS) 12 WINCHESTER RIFLES 16 (At Winchester College) (11 a side)

Bell's Life 30/10/59 P.3:

BL: "The officers came off victors by 16 goals to 12, but it should be stated that, owing to a mistake of the time keepers, the sides were changed at the quarter, by which the officers gained the advantage of the wind for three-quarters of an hour. The College were deprived of the services of Mr Wither, from an accident which that gentleman had met with."

College: Pound, Wigram, Haygarth(2), Manning, Adams(1), Stewart, Wesley(2), Berger(2), Humphrey(3), Wilde(1), Wrench(1)

Rifles: Capt. Moore, Lieut Curtis, Mosely(2), Orchard, Gosling(1), Reid(3), Smyth(2), Hon T. Scott, Smith, Hillyard(2), Larcom(6).

FRI OCT 28<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER School Match :

The Sixth 2 The School 0

Bell's Life 6/11/59 P.6:

Sixth: H.M. Marshall, J.C. Hawkshaw, A.C. Onslow, W.S. Wright, H. Salwey, A. Hughes, G. Gumbleton, S.B.H. Chamberlayne, H.B. Harrison, W.A. Hetherington, S.C.E. Williams.

School: A.H. Harrison, J.H. Forster, B.N. Thoms, W.H. Oliver, H.E. Bull, J.M. Yates, G.M. Osborn, J.O. Williams, J. Chepmell, C.M. Barker, E.M. Tomlinson.



SAT NOV 5<sup>TH</sup> :

WINCHESTER MATCH :

Twenty-Two of College 11 Twenty-Two of Commoners 5

Field 12/11/59 P.400/Bell's Life 13/11/59 P.6:

F/BL: "On the 5<sup>th</sup> of November, according to annual custom, Twenty-two of College met Twenty-two of Commoners, with an expectation on both sides of the fiercest game which has been played for some years. The ground was in tolerable order, notwithstanding the immense amount of rain which had fallen, but there was a high wind blowing, which proved a source of great annoyance. Report of the contest expected drew a fair amount of spectators, who were doomed, however, to disappointment, for from the very commencement of the game College proved themselves superior to their adversaries. College having won the toss for choice of goals, kicked against the wind for the first half hour, reserving the wind for their last efforts. The first "Hot", which usually occupies five or ten minutes, was the work of a few seconds, and both sides set well to work. Scarcely five minutes had elapsed before College succeeded in kicking the first goal. In the first quarter of an hour the game was once a tie, but College gradually pulled ahead, and when the goals were changed the game was entirely in their hands. As the hour struck the game stood as follows:

College : Wither (Capt.) (3), Wigram (2), Haygarth, Manning (1), Adams (1), Stewart (1), Pound, Pearson, White, Holt, Lee, Mitchell, Streatfield, Young (2), Malet (1), Lucas, Strong, Awdry, Forster, Crompton, Duthy, Bache.

Commoners: Wesley (Capt.) (1), Berger (2), Humphery (1), Wilde, Crook, Shum, Wrench, Thresher, Porter (1), Pyke, Helme, Skelton, Marshall, Collins, Hunt, Davy, Kendall, Hitchcock, Sladen, Bell, Worthy, Pyke, jun.

"The play on the part of College astonished even those who knew them, and each individual seemed to play as if the whole game depended on him. On such an occasion it would be invidious to particularise any. Suffice it to say that there was nothing to blame and everything to praise on the side of College. On the side of Commoners, the play of Wesley, Berger, Humphery, &c., is well worthy of notice."

ETON 4 rouges OXFORD 2 rouges (In the Field)

Bell's Life 13/11/59 P.6:

Eton: H.B. Rhodes, E.C. Follett, W.F. Middleton, F. Lubbock, H.L. Wood, P. Norman, B. Humprey, O. Mordaunt, R. Peel, E.H. Wynne, R.E. Moore.

Oxford: Hon. Stanley, R.W. Ainsworth, Dawson, G.F. Dawson, Follett, E. Shute, Hon. A.E. Legge, Marquis of Beaumont, R.H. Balls, T.F. Halsey, Hall.

N.B. E.W. Chapman, Hon C.G. Lyttleton, and H. Garnett were unable to play for Eton.

WED NOV 9<sup>TH</sup> :

WINCHESTER COLLEGE COMMONERS 11 WINCHESTER RIFLES 6 (At Winchester College) (11 a side) (Return)

Bell's Life 13/11/59 P.6:

"The officers sustained a loss through the absence of Mr Curtis."

Commoners: Wesley(2), Berger(3), Humphery(1), Wilde(2), Crooke(2), Shum, Wrench, sen(1), Porter, Pike, sen, Helme, jun, Skelton.

Garrison: Capt. Moore(1), Lieut W.H. Mosely(2), Lieut F.A. Orchard, H.W. Reid, C. Gosling(1), W.C. Smith, G. Larcom(1), Hon T.C. Scott(1), G.F. Smyth, G.A. Hillyard, L.V. Swaine.

SAT NOV 12<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 1 (Own goal) + H.Y. THOMPSON'S SEVENTEEN 2 (Currey, Thompson)

Bell's Life 20/11/59 P.3:

BL: "This exciting match came off on Saturday week, and is remarkable as being the first football match in which the School has ever been defeated. The victorious + Seventeen consisted mainly of old and present Cantabs, and was throughout the game too strong in all its points for its antagonists."

School: Cruikshank, Master, Thornton, Webster, Walker, Prior, Williams, Davies, Elphinstone, Mackenzie, Alexander, Upcher, Martin, Stow, Swinney, Medlycott, Wilson.

+ Old Harrovians: H.Y. Thompson, J.D. Burnett, A.E. Northey, E.E. Bowen, G.A. Holmes, W.H. Deverell, A. Smith, H.B. Crosse, W. Latham, G.H. Hodgson, G.W. Fisher, E. Arkwright, W.E. Currey, R. Lang, H. Strutt, H. Hardcastle, H.A. Brassey. + Described as such in BL Lineup

N.B The School lost the services of Mr Daniel, one of their best players. On the other side, Mr Arkwright was disabled early in the game."

WED NOV 16<sup>TH</sup> : (Played on 2 days starting on WED NOV 2<sup>ND</sup> Score 2-0 and finishing on this day 1-1 )

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 3 (J.C. Hawkshaw, W.H. Oliver, and another) \* G. SILL'S ELEVEN 1 (In Fields: WSFL)

\* Dingley Dell : or The Templars: see below

Bell's Life 20/11/59 P.3/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL: "This match was played at (Vincent Square ) on Wednesdays, the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> inst. On the first day the Westminsters got +two games to their opponents' none, but on the ++second day, after a hard game, the two sides got one game each. The match thus ended in favour of Westminster at three to one. For Westminster Hawkshaw and Oliver played well, and for Mr Sills eleven Barker got the game."

+ "J.C. Hawkshaw and W.H. Oliver got the games" (SB) ++ "Mr Sills eleven mustered in stronger force" (WSFL)

Westminster School: H.M. Marshall, J.C. Hawkshaw, A.C. Onslow, W.S. Wright, A.H. Harrison, J.H. Forster, H.E. Bull, W.H. Oliver, B.N. Thoms, G. Gumbleton, (J.O. Williams: not listed in WSFL).

Mr Sills Eleven:G.Sills,Fitzroy,Woodall,Williams,Rev T.G.Bonney,W.K.Fenton, Earle, ,E.L.Smith, ++G.M.Osborn(Westminster),C.M.Barker(Westminster).(N.B.++Stock and Cardwell also listed in WSFL)

SAT NOV 19<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 2 W.H.STONE'S TWELVE 0 (Return)

Bell's Life 27/11/59 P.6:

Harrow School:J.A.Cruikshank,A.W.T.Daniel,T.W.C.Master,P.M.Thornton,G.K.Webster,R.D.Walker, J.T.Prior,H.Williams,G.R.Davies,R.D.H.Elphinstone,E.L.Mackenzie,H.R.T.Alexander.

W.H.Stone's Twelve:W.H.Stone,W.H.Deverell,H.Y.Thompson,J.D.Burnett,E.E.Bowen, W.J.Hope-Edwardes,W.Latham,V.E.Walker,A.Smith,H.N.Luckock,H.B.Crosse,N.Young,

RADLEY COLLEGE 1 WYKEHAMISTS OF OXFORD 1 (At Radley)

Bell's Life 27/11/59 P.6/Field 26/11/59 P.438:

F:"On Saturday last,the 19<sup>th</sup> inst,a grand match at football was played at Radley,Berks,between the Wykehamists,resident at Oxford,and the Radleians.The game was well contested,and ended in a tie,although the Wykehamists mustered strong and had a decided advantage in weight.The first goal,after half an hour's hard work,was won by the Radleians.The second goal,after upwards of an hour's hard play,was won by the Wykehamists.After some very good play on each side the game was an undecided one,both parties having scored one goal each."

Radley College:F.S.Russell,G.T.Worsley,F.L.Lightfoot,C.A.P.Talbot,A.J.Richards,E.N.Philips,G.Thornhill, N.C.Wade,E.A.Gillett,C.Thornhill,S.E.Illingworth,Hon H.Crichton,W.Monsell,M.Brown, E.Downes, M.O'Brien,J.P.Durell,J.S.Biscoe,L.Irons,C.J.Melhusish.

Wykehamists:Rev A.H.Faber,Rev E.C.Wickham,A.E.Robinson,A.B.Fisher,C.Mayo,F.R.Wickham, A.R.Wickham,W.Sewell,T.Garnier,T.H.Coppleston,A.M.Liscomb,E.D.Thomson,A.Wade,W.A.Fearon, E.O'Brien,W.W.Biscoe,F.G.Eyre,C.Martin,H.L.Rumsey,W.Bourchier.

OLD HARROVIANS 0 OLD WYKEHAMISTS 0 (At Christ Church Cricket Ground,Oxford University)

Bell's Life 4/12/59 P.6:

BL:"A match was played on Saturday,the +19<sup>th</sup> inst,on the Christ Church Cricket Ground,between the Old Harrovians and the Old Wykehamists.The game was according to the Harrow Rules,but played with a Winchester ball,and terminated in a tie,as neither side succeeded in obtaining a goal.The play was good throughout,and was kept up for more than an hour with much liveliness."

N.B Some Wykehamists played in the above Radly College game so date must be wrong

Harrow:The Hon E.Stanhope,E.H.Allen,T.D.Burnett,W.S.Church,W.H.Hughes ,K.E.Digby, E.M.Franklin,E.T.Hone,H.E.Legh,H.E.Midlicott,R.W.Monro,A.T.Parker,D.Smith,F.R.Toogood,A.Waller, C.E.B.Watson,H.B.Wheeler.

Winchester:W.Bourchier,C.Burney,T.H.Copleston,L.P.Evans,F.G.Eyre,W.A.Fearon,W.Fox,T.Garnier,  
T.K.T.Hichens,A.M.Liscomb,C.Martin,C.Mayo,R.H.Palmer,C.P.Pauli,J.S.Phillpotts,W.F.Phillpotts,  
W.Robinson,W.Sewell,F.R.Wickham.

WESTMINSTER Match:

Eleven 2 Twenty-Four 0 (at "Fields")

Bell's Life 27/11/59 P.6:

Eleven:H.M.Marshall,J.C.Hawkshaw,W.S.Wright,A.C.Onslow,A.H.Harrison,J.H.Forster,  
W.H.Oliver,H.E.Bull,G.Gumbleton,B.N.Thoms,J.O.Williams.

Twenty-four:H.Salwey,H.B.Chapman,S.C.Williams,H.B.Harrison,W.A.Hetherington,  
S.B.H.Chamberlayne, A.P.Dawson,S.P.Cockerell,G.M.Osborn,C.M.Barker,G.T.M.O'Brien,E.J.Chepmell,  
F.Yonge,H.C.Russell, G.Pember,R.D.Bonner,N.Monck,A.Fludyer,F.Borrodaile,C.J.H.Chepmell,  
C.Bull,J.Severn,E.M.Tomlinson, A.R.Tomlinson.

N.B. Also Wed Nov 9<sup>th</sup> Names with L 4 (H.M.Marsall 2,A.C.Onslow,J.Chepmell) Those without 0 (BL  
27/11/59 P.6 (with teams):"Although the L's proved victorious in this match at four games to their  
opponents' none,yet the Non-L's have hitherto had the superiority in most of the games in Green."

WED NOV 30<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 \*MR SILL'S ELEVEN 1 (At Vincent Square)(Return)

\*"The Templars"

Bell's Life 4/12/59 P.6/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL:"On Wednesday,the 30<sup>th</sup> of November,a match was played at Vincent-square,between Mr Sills'  
Eleven and Westminster School,which was determined in favour of the former;the Eleven getting  
one goal,the School none.The game was very hard fought,the School making very strenuous efforts  
to recover their lost goal.""The School was represented by its usual eleven."

Westminster School(WSFL):H.M.Marshall,J.C.Hawkshaw,(W.S.Wright),A.H.Harrison,W.H.Oliver,  
J.H.Forster,H.E.Bull,J.O.Williams,G.Gumbleton,B.N.Thoms,C.M.Barker."(A.C.Onslow unable to play)

Mr Sill's Eleven:G.Sills,Rev G.T.Bonney,H.T.Erle,W.K.Fenton,Shurway, W.L.Williams,R.Cayley,  
W.H.Stone,Birley,+(W.H.Deverell),E.L.Smith.+Recorded as Durell.

ETON WALL GAME ST ANDREW'S DAY:WED NOV 30<sup>TH</sup>

COLLEGERS 0 OPPIDANS 3 shies

Upon St Andrew's Day 1841-1901 P.19/Bell's Life 11/12/59 P.6:

USAD:"The Oppidans won the toss,and kicked from College.During the first half hour the play on  
both sides was lively,but the ball remained within the chalk lines.At the beginning of the second half-  
hour the Collegers ran the ball down a considerable distance,but were gradually compelled to retire  
by the superior strength of their opponents,until the ball found its way into the Collegers' calx.Here,

however, the Oppidans failed to obtain a shy, owing to a brilliant kick of Carter, K.S., who, seizing the opportunity, sent the ball to the middle. But the exertions of the Oppidans, and especially of Rhodes and Lubbock, again were successful, and again a bully was formed in calx. This time three shies were obtained before the ball was kicked out. Time was soon called, and the victory therefore remained with the Oppidans, by three shies to nothing." (Eton Football Register, 1859) (BL had same report)

BL: "C.G. Littelton and Follett were unable to play for the Oppidans."

N.B. All the Collegers were listed with K.S. in brackets after their names.

Collegers: P.G.U. Pickering, E.E. Witt, W.V. Snow (Walls), H. Hollingworth, C.J. Bulteel (Seconds), W.M. Young (Capt.), A.C. James, J.P. Carter (Outsides), A.C. Ainger, H.N. Churton, A.S.W. Young (Behinds).

Oppidans: R.E. Moore, +R.A.H. Mitchell, R.H. Blake-Humfrey (Walls), E.W. Chapman, H. Garnett (Seconds), H.B. Rhodes, P. Norman, H.L. Wood (Outsides), F. Lubbock, W.F. Middleton, ++E.H. Wynne (Behinds).

+Played instead of E.C. Follett. ++Played instead of Hon.C.G. Lyttleton (Capt.)

ETON FIELD GAME WED NOV 30<sup>TH</sup> (In the Field, Eton) (2pm-3 pm)

OXFORD ETONIANS 1 goal and 1 rouge CAMBRIDGE ETONIANS 2 goals

Bell's Life 11/12/59 P.6:

BL: "On Wednesday, Nov 3th the new annual match between the Old Etonians of Cambridge and of Oxford was played in the Field. Owing to Collegers and Oppidans being played on the same day, this match was played from two o'clock to three p.m. Both elevens played very well, and great excitement was kept up all the time. Cambridge had lost their two behinds, Messrs J. Hall and Stone, but notwithstanding, they succeeded in winning the match by two goals to one goal and one rouge. Oxford first got a rouge and from it a goal; then Cambridge kicked a goal. It then remained a tie for some time, when Cambridge got another goal. Oxford got another rouge in the last ten minutes, but were unable to get a goal."

Cambridge: Brandreth, Rawlinson, R.D. Cleasby, H. Collings, R.S. Scholfield, R. Wharton, F. Langham, Hervey, Wharton, Wilson, Witt.

Oxford: Hon. E.L. Stanley, Hon A.E. Legge, N. Leny, C.A. Dawson, G. Follett, Lord Crichton, W.M. Hoare, Severne, Hill, Ainsworth, Gladstone.

THURS DEC 1<sup>ST</sup> (In the Field, Eton)

ETON COLLEGE 2 goals 2 rouges CAMBRIDGE ETONIANS 1 rouge

Bell's Life 11/12/59 P.6:

BL: "On Thursday, Dec 1, the Eton Eleven beat the Cambridge Eleven, which had played the day before against Oxford, Messrs Whitting, Morton, and D. Young taking the places of two Whartons and Mr Witt. The match was won by Eton, contrary to expectations, but chiefly owing to good backing up, and especially to the play of R.E. Moore, who got two goals by runs down, and the admirable kicking of

F.Lubbock at "short behind". "The Hon C.G.Littleton,Follet,and Norman were unable to play for Eton."

Eton College:E.W.Chapman,H.B.Rhodes,R.Peel,F.Lubbock,H.Garnett,W.F.Middleton,E.H.Wynne,  
R.E.Moore,J.G.Chambers,H.L.Wood,R.H.Blake-Humfrey.

Cambridge:Rawlinson,H.Collings,R.D.Cleasby,Hervey,F.Langham,R.S.Scholfield,Brandreth,Whitting,  
Morton,D.Young,Wilson.

N.B. Hon.C.G.Lyttleton,.Follett,and Norman were unable to play for Eton."

TUES DEC 6<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1 MR C.WILSON'S FOURTEEN (Harrow) 1 (At Vincent Square)(2-4.30pm)

Bell's Life 18/12/59 P.6/Westminster School Football Ledger:

Westminster School:H.M.Marshall(Capt.),J.C.Hawkshaw, W.S.Wright,A.C.Onslow,J.H.Forster,  
A.H.Harrison,W.H.Oliver,H.E.Bull,B.N.Thoms,J.O.Williams,H.Salwey,G.M.Osborn,C.M.Barker,  
E.M.Tomlinson.

+C.Wilson's Fourteen:C.F.Wilson(Capt.)\*,J.A.Cruikshank,\*A.W.T.Daniel,\*T.W.C.Master,  
R.W.Elphinstone,Hon G.T.Kenyon,J.T.Russell,\*G.R.Davies,A.J.M'Neile,C.V.Mackenzie,J.B.Cookson,  
Lord C.Hamilton,F.W.Stow,A.Hudson.

+ "a team of old and present Harrovians":\*SB:more than seven were from the Harrow Eleven

N.B Hawkshaw's Side 7 Mr Marshall' Side 6 (with teams) in BL 11/12/59 P.6.(3<sup>RD</sup> Match 2 of which ended in a tie).

THURS DEC 8<sup>TH</sup> :

WINCHESTER Six and Six Match:

COMMONERS 19 COLLEGERS 18

Bell's Life 11/12/59 P.6:

BL:"This annual game between Commoners and College was played in College Meads on Thursday,Dec 8 and those who expected that Commoners would at length score a victory were not disappointed.It was,however,too close to be pleasant for those concerned,though a most exciting scene for the lookers-on.Commoners lead off with the first goal,and except for a moment,kept a slight lead throughout the game,which at length terminated in their favour by 19 to 18."

Commoners:Wesley(1),Berger(6),Humphrey(5),Wilde(4),Crooke(2),Shum(1).

College:Wither(3),Wigram(3),Haygarth(3),Manning(4),Adams(3),Stewart(2).

SHROVE TUESDAY FOOTBALL:ASHBOURNE:

Derby Mercury 22/2/60 P.5:"As we noticed last week there was great manifestation of discontent against the notice from the Bench of Magistrates prohibiting the old custom of football playing on

Shrove Tuesday and Ash Wednesday in Ashbourne Market-place. During the last week the discontent has by no means lessened, but rather increased, as it was heard that the police were preparing active measures to enforce the orders of the Bench.

The ball, as usual, was thrown up about two o'clock, the windows of the shops having been closed to avoid accident. Some rumours were afloat that no one would dare to throw up the ball, but these proved vain, as with the usual daring of an English crowd, the people refused to abandon their sport for words alone, so disobeyed the notice. By one o'clock the crowd began to assemble with the usual shouting, whistling, and cries, and by two the square was full with men and boys. Soon the mill hands from Mayfield began to pour in, and their advent was hailed as the sure augury of sport. The threat of taking down the names of those who kicked the ball delayed the throwing up for a few minutes, but at the stroke of two a cheer announced that the ball had appeared. The police attempted to seize it, but the passage from hand to hand prevented this, and at last, amidst a deafening hurrah, the ball flew into the air. It was kicked and kicked repeatedly amid cheers, and was gradually rolled by the crowd down the hill. The police appeared totally intimidated by the crowd, and it is said that if there had been fifty of them it would have been the same. Five or six hundred persons were assembled, but a quarter of an hour after the first toss up, the Market-place hardly contained five, all having followed the ball down the hill to the outskirts of the town. We are glad that no violent measures were resorted to."

See further the Report in DM 29/2/60 re Ash Wednesday game and comment on this whole episode in Ashbourne Royal Shrovetide Football, The Official History, by Lindsay Porter P.15-16

Reports of other Shrove Tuesday games:

Alnwick :Morpeth Herald 25/2/60

Atherstone: Coventry Herald 24/2/60 P.5/Birmingham Daily Post 22/2/60 P.4

Kingston:Surrey Comet 25/2/60 P.4

Nuneaton:Coventry Standard 25/2/60 P.3

Sedgfield:Durham County Advertiser 24/2/60 P.8

WED FEB 22<sup>ND</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE 1 DINGLEY DELL 2

Bell's Life 26/2/60 P.7:

BL:"On Wednesday Feb 22, a match was played between Dingley Dell and Charterhouse, which terminated in favour of the former by two goals to one. The match was well played on both sides, and so well contested that, although the game lasted two hours, only three goals were won."

Charterhouse School:"The School played its usual eleven." (No names traced)

Dingley Dell:G.J.Blore,R.Cayley,H.T.E(a)rle,Birley,W.K.Fenton,F.Fitzroy,+A.Stranger,  
G.Sills,Warry,Wilson,and an emergency. +Obviously a pseudonym

SAT MAR 17<sup>TH</sup> :

Football at the ROYAL MILITARY COLLEGE,SANDHURST:

Bell's Life 25/3/60 P.7:

ENGLISH 2 SCOTCH AND IRISH 0

BL: "On Saturday week, being St Patrick's Day, the annual match between the English on the one side, and the Scotch and Irish on the other took place. The English, though rather superior in numbers, had to fight uphill, and at first they were kept near their own goal, but after about an hour's struggle, in which many a gallant rush and good drop was achieved, Mr Lewis, on the part of the English, succeeded in kicking a goal. The goals being changed, and the English now playing downhill, it was not long before another goal was obtained by Mr Partridge, in spite of the gallant and repeated efforts of the Scotch and Irish to prevent it. On the English side we particularly noticed Messrs Partidge, Nield, Lewin, Warren, Cary, and Fitzherbert, while on the other side, Messrs Robinson, Creagh, Campbell, &c, were very conspicuous. With the usual cheers for each party, and for the saint himself, the game terminated."

1860-61:

ETON Field Eleven for 1860 as per The Eton Field Game by John J. Pawson, Page 83:

H.B. Rhodes, E.C. Follett (Keepers), E.W. Chapman, H. Garnett, S.C. Smith, R.H. Blake-Humfrey, R.A.H. Mitchell, J.G. Chambers, J.R. Selwyn, Hon T. De Grey, O. Mordaunt, S.F. Cleasby (12<sup>th</sup> man)

Westminster School Eleven for 1860: W.S. Wright, A.C. Onslow, A.H. Harrison, J.H. Forster, G. Gumbleton, B.N. Thoms, J.O. Williams, C.J.H. Chepmell, C.M. Barker, J.M. Yates, G.H. Pember.

SAT SEPT 1 :

NEW SWINDON Football Club Match : White v Red

Bell's Life 9/9/60 P.3:

BL: "At a quarter to three the sides began to assemble on the field, and at three, having tossed for the kick off it was won by White, Mr Weston taking the first kick at 3:10, when play commenced. The White followed the ball up well, but the Red succeeded in gaining the first point, viz, a kick at goal, made by a run in. The play then continued, the sides keeping pretty well open till they were brought together more closely in a scrimmage, made by Weston, who held the ball, and nearly succeeded in making off with it. The day being very warm, the game was broken up three times for refreshments. Time was called at half-past six, when the game stood nine points to White and eight to Red, White consequently winning the match by one point. No goal was kicked during the play."

White: S. Weston one kick at goal, W. Hampton two ditto, C. Buckland two ditto, J. Harding one ditto, C. Peebles one ditto, G. Schott two ditto.

Red: J. Hill two kicks at goal, G. Shail three ditto, J. Taylor one ditto, F.J. Thresher one ditto, G. Schott one rouge.



Bell's Life 4/11/60 P.7:

BL: "The second match came off on October 6, the weather having prevented the match on Sept 29. The play of Messrs Shail and Taylor was very good, each kicking a goal, and securing the match for their side by so doing. The following is the score: -White: Dacey three kicks at goal, Shail one rouge, Peebles one rouge. Red: Shail one goal, Taylor one goal, Shail one kick at goal, Taylor one kick at goal, Kimber two kicks at goal, T. Drysdale one kick at goal."

ETON COLLEGE MATCHES v F. Whitting's Eleven

Bell's Life 21/10/60 P.7:

Wall Game : Fri Oct 5 : College 1 Shy F. Whitting's Eleven 1 Shy

N.B. "Another shy was claimed by Mr Whitting's Eleven, but was disallowed, on account of the umpires not seeing it "

College: E. E. Witt, P. V. Smith, Frere, Daman, A. C. Talbot, C. J. Bulteel, R. Durnford, G. H. D. Wilson, H. N. Churton, J. S. Holden, A. C. Custance.

F. Whitting's Eleven: G. Pickering, H. Brandreth, J. Lamprey, R. K. Wilson, A. S. Young, A. C. James, F. Whitting, E. C. Austen-Leigh, A. H. A. Morton, T. J. P. Carter, F. C. Hodgson.

Field Game : Sat Oct 6 : College 1 rouge F. Whitting's Eleven 2 goals and 4 rouges

N.B. It appears that College played essentially their Wall team again as the Field Eleven is completely different: see below. Initials have been taken from players in the St Andrew's Day Match : see below.

College: E. E. Witt, C. J. Bulteel, H. N. Churton, R. Durnford, A. C. Custance, J. S. Holden, Daman, A. C. Talbot, Moore, G. H. D. Wilson, Freeth.

F. Whitting's Eleven: F. Whitting, H. Brandreth, E. C. Austen-Leigh, A. Austen-Leigh, R. K. Wilson, E. M. Young, A. S. W. Young, A. C. James, A. H. A. Morton, T. J. P. Carter, G. Pickering.

SAT OCT 13<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 3 (E. C. Glyn 2, R. Walker) C. BARCLAY'S ELEVEN 2 (R. Lang, J. G. Craig)

Bell's Life 21/10/60 P.7:

Harrow School: H. R. Alexander, E. C. Glyn, W. W. Kettlewell, W. H. Langton, H. J. Medlycott, C. F. Reid, M. W. Ridley, E. Ridley, R. Walker, D. Walker, H. L. Williams.

C. Barclay's Eleven: C. Barclay, E. E. Bowen, J. G. Craig, J. A. Cruikshank, A. W. T. Daniel, R. Dundas, T. A. Henry, R. Lang, J. B. Prior, H. W. Steel, F. E. Williams.

FRI OCT 19<sup>TH</sup> :

COLLEGE 0 A. MORTON'S ELEVEN 1 Shy (At the Wall, Eton)

Bell's Life 28/10/60 P.6:

College: E.E. Witt, P.V. Smith, J.S. Holden, Daman, B.S. Young, C.J. Bulteel, A.C. Talbot, F. Hollingworth, R. Durnford, H.N. Churton, A.C. Custance. (Initials added from Wall team)

A. Morton's Eleven: S. Evans, J. Lamprey, Frere, H. Brandreth, E.M. Young, P.G. Pickering, F. Whitting, J. Shephard, W.H. Stone, A.H.A. Morton, H. Vidal.

TUES NOV 6<sup>TH</sup> (instead of Mon Nov 5<sup>th</sup> the usual date):

WINCHESTER MATCH :

TWENTY-TWO OF COLLEGE 7 TWENTY-TWO OF COMMONERS 7

Field 10/11/60 P.394/Bell's Life 11/11/60 P.7 (Not on line) (2 Reports with slightly different scorers) :

F."The annual game of Twenty-two, between College and Commoners, was played on Tuesday, Nov 6<sup>th</sup>, and after a remarkably even and well-contested game, ended in a tie. The "Ups" on both sides exhibited some very plucky play, and although in a game in which everyone played so well, it were almost invidious to mention names, we cannot help especially praising the play of Messrs Collins and Marshall on the side of the Commoners who particularly distinguished themselves."

College: Haygarth(3), Stewart, Pound, Streatfield(1), White(1), Michell, sen., Foster, Crompton, Michell, jun, Bache, Robinson, Kelly, Bramston, Vaux, Young, Horner, Haygarth, jun, Forster (2), Teesdale, jun, Duthy, Tyssen, Wigram.

Commoners: Crooke(1), Pyke, sen., Marshall(2), Skelton, Collins(1), Sladen, Hitchcock(1), Worthy(1), Pyke, jun(1), Johnson, Parker, Darnell, Owen, Woods, Prickard, Deane, Benson, Maurice, Kendall, Marshall, jun, Price, Bissell.

WED NOV 7<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER Match : The SIXTH 2 (H.B. Harrison, A.C. Onslow) The SCHOOL 1 (G.H. Pember) (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 25/11/60 P.6:

Sixth: H.B. Harrison, W.A. Hetherington, W.S. Wright, A. Maude, A.C. Onslow, A.H. Harrison, J.H. Forster, J.L. Swale, A.J. Mackey, S.B.H. Chamberlayne, G.T.M. O'Brien.

School: B. Thoms, J.O. Williams, G.M. Osborn, C.M. Barker, G.H. Pember, C.J.H. Chepmell, J.M. Yates, A. Walker, A.R. Tomlinson, C. Bull, H. Lockwood.

SAT NOV 10<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 2 (R. Walker, H.J. Medlycott) OXFORD HARROVIANS 3 (H. Arkwright, J.B. Martin 2) (At Harrow)

Bell's Life 18/11/60 P.3:

Harrow School: R.D. Walker, H. Williams, H.R. Alexander, E.C. Glyn, H.J. Medlycott, M.W. Ridley, B. Kettlewell, E. Ridley, W.H. Langton, R. Dundas, J.D. Walker, M. Williams, J. Hall.

Oxford: Hon G. Kenyon, J. D. Burnett, T. W. Master, J. B. Martin, C. F. Wilson, A. Entwizel, R. D. Elphinstone, H. Arkwright, S. Medlicott, W. J. Medlicott, A. Mackenzie, G. H. Hodgson, C. Watson.

SAT NOV 24<sup>th</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 0 TRINITY COLLEGE 1 (H. Y. Thompson) (At Harrow)

Bell's Life 2/12/60 P.3:

Harrow School: R. D. Wilson, H. W. Williams, E. C. Glyn, W. H. Langton, R. Dundas, E. Ridley, W. Kettlewell, C. H. Hall, A. Clutterbuck, A. Christie, E. A. Bigg, C. F. Reid, A. W. Gillespie, F. D. Walker, J. D. Crosbie, J. C. Craig, L. Hope-Edwardes, A. G. Meek.

Trinity College: A. W. T. Daniel, H. Hardcastle, Hon H. Strutt, H. Y. Thompson, D. Jones, R. Sainsbury, W. E. Currey, J. Graves, S. L. F. Hope-Edwardes, A. J. Macneile, R. W. Monro, P. M. Thornton, E. E. Bowen, C. Barclay, J. Cruikshank, J. Prior, T. Hoare, F. W. Stow.

RADLEY 1 WYKEHAMISTS OF OXFORD 0 (At Radley) (Radley Rules with a Radley Ball)

Bell's Life 9/12/60 P.6:

Radley : C. A. P. Talbot, A. J. Richards, G. J. Thornhill, E. A. Gillett, H. Crichton, E. N. Phillips, E. Worsley, S. E. Illingworth, M. Brown, G. Kneller, A. Lockyer, R. Thynne, E. B. Brackenbury, C. Percival, R. Feilden.

Wykehamists: F. Wickham, A. Harrison, R. E. Wrench, C. Burney, C. Martin, T. P. Garnier, H. B. George, T. H. Coppleston, T. S. Phillpotts, E. H. Aubyn, H. A. Strong, R. Biggweather, E. H. Whitaker, W. A. Fearon, E. Humphrey, H. Wigram.

WED NOV 28<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 5 + DINGLEY DELL 0 (At Westminster) + "Templars"

Bell's Life 9/12/60 P.6/(Not in Westminster School Football Ledger: have given copy):

BL: "On Wednesday, Nov 28, G. Sills, Esq, brought down an eleven of Dingley Dell. The game was a pleasant one, though the Westminsters were a little too strong for their opponents. Towards the close of the match the Dingley Dells were deprived of the services of two of their players."

Westminster School: W. S. Wright, A. C. Onslow, A. H. Harrison, J. H. Forster, B. Thoms, J. O. Williams, G. H. Pember, C. M. Barker, C. J. H. Chepmell, J. M. Yates, C. Bull.

Dingley Dell: G. Sills, Rev T. G. Bonney, W. K. Fenton, H. L. Williams, F. J. Quick, L. Pugh Evans, A. Balfour, W. Seymour, Birley, S. H. Reynolds, (E. J.) Forster.

N.B 3 internal WESTMINSTER Matches appear in Bell's Life in November 1860, but are not on line at BM Library as follows:

N in their names 0 No N in their names 1 (A. J. Mackey) (At Vincent Square) (0-0 on Tues 9<sup>th</sup>, continued on Wed 17<sup>th</sup> 0-1) (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 4/11/60 P.7:

N in their names:A.C.Onslow,A.H.Harrison,G.Gumbleton,A.R.Tomlinson,G.M.Osborn,H.B.Harrison,  
W.A.Hetherington,N.Monck,T.Gardner,S.B.H.Chamberlayne,G.T.M.O'Brien,A.P.Dawson,W.W.C.Lane,  
F.Yonge.

No N's:W.S.Wright,J.H.Forster,B.N.Thoms,J.O.Williams,C.M.Barker,A.Walker,H.Bonner-Maurice,  
C.J.H.Chepmell,A.J.Mackey,J.M.Yates,G.Pember,W.B.Besly,H.Lockwood,C.Bull.

Bell's Life 11/11/60 P.7:

North 1 South 0 (Wed Oct 24<sup>th</sup>)(Initials added from above)

North:W.S.Wright,J.Forster,G.M.Osborn,G.Gumbleton,Williams,H.B.Harrison,A.Walker,  
H.Bonner-Maurice, G.T.M.O'Brien,J.M.Yates,(A.R.)Tomlinson,H.Lockwood.

South:A.C.Onslow,A.Harrison,B.Thoms,C.M.Barker,G.Pember,W.A.Hetherington,A.Maude,  
A.J.Mackey, C.J.H.Chepmell,Russell,C.Bull,W.W.C.Lane.

Bell's Life 11/11/60 P.7:

The Seven 3 The Sixteen 2 (Wed Oct 31<sup>st</sup>)(At Fields)(Initials added from above)

Seven:A.C.Onslow,A.H.Harrison,J.H.Forster,B.N.Thoms,C.M.Barker,G.H.Pember,W.S.Wright.

Sixteen:G.M.Osborne,H.Harrison,W.A.Hetherington,A.J.Mackey,A.Walker,H.Bonner-Maurice,  
A.P.Dawson, S.B.H.Chamberlayne,G.T.M.O'Brien, C.J.H.Chepmell,J.M.Yates,Russell,  
(A.R.)Tomlinson,T.Gardner,H.Lockwood,C.Bull.

FRI NOV 30<sup>TH</sup> :

ETON WALL GAME :ST ANDREW'S DAY:

COLLEGERS 0 OPPIDANS 2 shies

Upon St Andrew's Day 1841-1901 P.20/Bell's Life 9/12/60 P.6:

USAD:"The second bully Oppidans got a run down to within a yard of Colleger calx,and in a short time got two shies,when Collegers had a kick off.And though it was very near College calx several times, they(the Oppidans) could not succeed in getting any more shies.The second half Collegers,though having the disadvantage of kicking from College,displayed the greatest pluck,and had infinitely the best of it;the College bully,though tremendously overweighted,stood well against their opponents and several times brought through the ball,and finally had the satisfaction of leaving off in Oppidan calx.Had there been five minutes more play,it is the opinion of many the victory of '53 would have been renewed."(College Football Book)

Collegers:E.E.Witt(Capt.),J.S.Holden,P.V.Smith(Walls),F.Hollingworth,G.H.D.Wilson(Seconds),  
C.J.Bulsteel,R.Durnford,W.Austen-Leigh,(Outsides),H.N.Churton,B.S.Young,A.C.Custance(Behinds).

Oppidans:R.H.Blake-Humfrey,R.A.H.Mitchell,R.E.L.Burton(Walls),E.W.Chapman(Capt.),  
R.A.Kinglake(Seconds), H.B.Rhodes,H.Garnett,S.C.Smith(Outsides), E.C.Follett,J.R.Selwyn,  
J.G.Chambers(Behinds).

SAT DEC 1<sup>ST</sup> :

BRIGHTON COLLEGE 1 (H.L.Davis) LANCING COLLEGE 0

Bell's Life 9/12/60 P.6:

Brighton College:R.S.Blaine,H.L.Davis,M.Dodd,M.G.Fox,D.W.Langton,T.M.M'Cormick,H.Master ,  
A.L.Melville,A.E.Pitman,C.E.Thornton,H.E.Wilmot,G.H.Wright.

Lancing College:F.K.Hilton,H.Woods,J.A.Wix,P.Johnson,H.Snowden,G.Everard,C.Papineau,R.Farrant,  
C.A.Watts,G.Jackson,F.H.Sloccock,W.Burt.

WED DEC 5<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 2(A.C.Onslow,J.H.Forster) MR MARSHALL'S ELEVEN (Trinity  
College,Cambridge) 0 (At Vincent Square)(N.B.WSFL called it Walker's team)

Bell's Life 16/12/60 P.8/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL:"Mr Marshall brought down an eleven of Trin. Coll. Cambridge,to play against Westminster,on  
Wednesday Dec. 5.The ground was rather slippery and unsuited for great pace,in consequence of  
the rain which had fallen for two or three days previous;but a good game ensued,which terminated  
at dusk in favour of Westminster by 2 games to 0

Westminster School:W.S.Wright,A.C.Onslow,A.H.Harrison,J.H.Forster,B.N.Thoms,J.O.Williams,  
G.M.Osborn,G.H.Pember,C.M.Barker,C.J.H.Chepmell,(C.Bull:Yates emergency)

Mr Marshall's:+H.M.Marshall,+J.Lowther,J.C.Hawkshaw,+W.Henty,+A.Walker,Wood,Glennie,Baker,  
Gurdon,Croft,Grove.+O.W's

TUES DEC 11<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1(Not given) MR WILLIAMS' HARROVIANS 0

Bell's Life 16/12/60 P.8/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL:"In spite of the heavy rains of last week the ground was tolerably dry,and was not so slippery as  
had been anticipated.After a well-contested battle,Westminster came off victorious by 1 game to 0."

Westminster School:W.S.Wright,A.C.Onslow,A.H.Harrison,H.M.Marshall,J.C.Hawkshaw,  
J.H.Forster,B.N.Thoms,J.O.Williams,G.M.Osborn,G.H.Pember,C.M.Barker,C.J.H.Chepmell.

Mr Williams' Twelve:H.W.Williams,E.C.Glyn,C.Cater,Palmer,H.J.Medlicott,R.Dundas,W.H.Langton,  
C.H.Hall,A.G.Meek,A.Clutterbuck,L.Hope-Edwardes,Russell.

MON DEC 17<sup>TH</sup> :

SHEFFIELD 1 goal and 10 rouges 58<sup>TH</sup> REGIMENT 1 goal and 5 rouges(Barrack Ground,Hillsborough)

Bell's Life 23/12/60 P.6/Sheffield Independent 29/12/60 P.8:

BL: "This match, which had been delayed for some time, owing to the unfavourable state of the weather, was played on Monday last on the barrack ground at Hillsboro'. Considerable interest was caused by the fact that the regiment has amongst its officers several gentlemen who were formerly noted players at the public schools, and it was thought that our townsmen had at length met with their match. The game was throughout conducted in a thoroughly good-tempered and friendly manner, and the pluck and stamina exhibited on both sides was undaunted. For some time the garrison had a slight advantage, but after an exciting struggle of more than two hours, the civilians secured a hard won victory....."

WED FEB 27<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 DINGLEY DELL 2 (Return)

Bell's Life 3/3/61 P.7

BL: "On Wednesday, Feb 27, a return match was played between Dingley Dell and the Charterhouse, which ended in favour of the former by two goals to none. Dingley Dell was represented by:

Dingley Dell: G. Sills, H. T. Erle, W. K. Fenton, L. Pugh Evans, E. H. Allen, F. J. Quick, R. Cayley, S. Vigor, Bisley, W. Seymour, A. Stranger (Pseudonym as before?)

Charterhouse: BL: "The School were disappointed of two of their best players."

SAT MAR 9<sup>TH</sup> :

BRIGHTON COLLEGE 4 goals and 3 rouges LANCING COLLEGE 0 (At Brighton)

Bell's Life 17/3/61 P.7:

BL: "For Lancing Messrs Farrant, Hilton, Papineau, and Woods distinguished themselves by their excellent play. For Brighton Messrs Blaine, Ross (two goals and one rouge), Wilmot, Wright (two goals and one rouge), Moilliet, and Batemen did good service. It is but fair to state that this match was played according to the rules of the Brighton College game, which may partly account for the number of goals obtained by Brighton, as in all previous matches both sides have been guided by the Lancing College rules."

SHEFFIELD FOOTBALL:

WED JAN 2<sup>ND</sup>:

SHEFFIELD CLUB 2 HALLAM AND STUMPERLOW 0

Sheffield Independent 5/1/61 P.8:

SI: "An exciting match between these two clubs was played on the ground of the latter on Wednesday. Notwithstanding the severe weather, the players mustered in good numbers, and the game was contested with great pluck and spirit. Eventually the Sheffield Club came off victorious, having obtained two goals, their opponents not having scored."

SAT MAR 17<sup>TH</sup> :

HALLAM AND STUMPERLOW 3 SHEFFIELD CLUB 0

Sheffield Independent 23/3/61 P.6:

SI: "On Saturday, a football match was played at East Bank, between 15 of the Sheffield Football Club, and 18 of Stumperlow and Hallam. The goals, three, were all obtained by the Hallam men."

1861-62:

NO FIELD FOR 1861 ON LINE YET

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL for 1861/62: B.N. Thoms, G. Gumbleton, C.M. Barker, G.M. Osborn, A.R. Tomlinson, G.T.M. O'Brien, C.J.H. Chepmell, J.M. Yates, C. Bull, G.H. Pember, W.B. Besly, A. Walker.

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL First XI for 1861-62 from CHARTERHOUSE Football History was: G.J. Cookson (Capt.), B.F. Hartshorne, J. Lant, K.A. Muir Mackenzie, J.T. Hodgson, + F.W.H. Somerset, C.J. Hawkins, Hon F.S. O'Grady, M.J. Muir Mackenzie, E.P. Eardley-Wilmot, C.E. Boyle.

+ F.W.H. Somerset (Fitzroy William Henry Somerset) as per History but always listed as F.R. Somerset or F. Somerset

ETON Field Eleven for 1861 as per The Field Game by John Pawson P.83 :

J.R. Selwyn, S.F. Cleasby, (Keepers), A. Lubbock, J.R. Kinglake, R.W.W. Follett, W.T. Trench, L.W. Dent, H.W. Hoare, J. Schneider, C.B. Lawes, G.H. Tuck, A. Rickards (12<sup>th</sup> Man).

FRI SEPT 27<sup>TH</sup> :

ETON COLLEGE 1 goal and 3 rouges HOUSEHOLD BRIGADE 1 rouge

Bell's Life 13/10/61 P.6:

Eton: J.R. Selwyn, S.F. Cleasby (Keepers), A. Lubbock, J.R. Kinglake, R.W.W. Follett, W.T. Trench, L.W. Dent, J. Schneider, C.B. Lawes, G.H. Tuck, (H.P.) Senhouse.

Household Brigade: Capt Jarrett, Col Bathurst, Smith, Ricardo, Rowley, Trefusie, Coventry, Lubbock, A. Rickards (emergency 12<sup>th</sup> member of the Field XI), Hon W. Home.

Field 4/1/62 P.12 has a letter explaining the Rules of the ETON FIELD GAME, with an accompanying plan.

SAT OCT 12<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 2 (C.A. Cater, R. Ridley) E.E. BOWEN'S FOURTEEN 2 (R. Lang, J. Prior)

Bells' Life 20/10/61 P.6:

BL: "On Saturday, the 12<sup>th</sup> inst, a match was played at Harrow, between the School and E.E. Bowen's Fourteen, which ended in a tie, both teams having obtained two bases. These were kicked for the School by Catoer (1) and Ridley (1), for their opponets by R. Lang (1) and J. Prior (1). On the side of the

School Moncreiff and Glyn were never away from the ball, while for their opponents, R. Lang, H. Williams and E. E. Bowen played especially well. The match was played in a strong wind."

Harrow School: R. Ridley, R. Dundas (R. Crompton), J. D. Walker, W. H. Langton, E. C. Glyn, R. C. Moncreiff, F. Williams, C. H. Hall, L. Hope-Edwardes, G. M. Allfrey, C. A. Cater, C. Hall, E. Swainson, W. Hamilton.

E. E. Bowen's Fourteen: E. E. Bowen, R. Lang, J. T. Prior, J. Heathfield, H. L. Williams, H. R. Alexander, E. Craigie, H. W. Steel, J. H. Gibson-Craig, H. W. Wheeler, J. Holmes, R. Fisher, H. Harrison, W. J. Bull.

SAT OCT 19<sup>TH</sup> :

ETON COLLEGE 1 goal and 1 rouge MR FOLLETT'S ELEVEN 0 (At Eton)

Bell's Life 10/11/61 P.3:

BL: "Neither side obtained anything until the last five minutes, when the School got a rouge and threw in a goal."

Eton: J. R. Selwyn, S. F. Cleasby, A. Lubbock, R. W. W. Follett, J. R. Kinglake, J. Schneider, W. T. Trench, H. W. Hoare, H. P. Senhouse, L. W. Dent, G. H. Tuck.

Mr Follett's Eleven: Follett, Brandreth, Barmester, Horner, Hornby, Mitchell, Balls, Pickering, S. C. Smith, Rhodes, A. Rickards (Eton Emergency).

WED OCT 23<sup>RD</sup> :

WESTMINSTER Match:

First Seven 1 (J. O. Williams) Next Sixteen 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 3/11/61 P.7:

Seven: B. N. Thoms, G. M. Osborn, C. M. Barker, J. O. Williams, G. Gumbleton, C. J. H. Chepmell, G. H. Pember.

Sixteen: A. J. Mackey, J. L. Swale, S. B. H. Chamberlayne, A. P. Dawson, A. Walker, A. R. Tomlinson, C. Bale?? , A. H. Winter, J. M. Yates, W. W. C. Lane, H. N. Monck, A. J. Fludyer, M. O. Sim, B. Preston, F. L. Harrison, J. T. Hunt.

N.B. On Wed Oct 30<sup>th</sup> return match 0-0. For the Seven Chepmell was unable to play, Bale taking his place. For the Sixteen Mackey and Monck were succeeded by Besly and Borradaile.

SAT OCT 26<sup>TH</sup> :

BRIGHTON COLLEGE 5 goals and 6 rouges BRIGHTON SCHOOLS 0

Bell's Life 1/12/61 P.5:

Brighton College: A. Bateman, R. Blaine, G. Fox, J. Margary, J. M' Cormick, T. Moilliet, E. Pitman, E. Ray, A. Ross, C. Thornton, G. Thornton, G. Wright.

Brighton Schools: Not listed.

THURS OCT 31<sup>ST</sup> :



ETON COLLEGE 2 goals and 4 rouges GUARDS ELEVEN 0 (In the Field,Eton)

Bell's Life 10/11/61 P.3:

Eton College:J.R.Selwyn,S.F.Cleasby,A.Lubbock,R.W.W.Follett,L.W.Dent,J.R.Kinglake,J.Schneider,  
H.W.Hoare,H.P.Senhouse,A.Rickards,W.T.Trench.

Officers:Trefucis,Craven,Jarrett,Wynne,Johnstone,Coventry,Ricardo,Tennant,Bredon,  
Knight(emergency)

SAT NOV 2<sup>ND</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 3 (E.C.Glynn 2,V.Williams) OXFORD HARROVIANS 2 (R.Walker 2)(At Harrow)

Bell's Life 10/11/61 P.3:

Harrow School:B.Ridley,R.Dundas(R.Bushell),I.D.Walker,E.C.Glyn,W.H.Langton,R.C.Moncrieff,  
V.Williams,L.Hope-Edwardes,G.M.Allfrey,C.H.Hall,J.B.Cookson,C.A.Cater,R.Clutterbuck,H.Porter.

Oxford:Hon G.T.Kenyon,T.Master,J.D.Burnett,M.W.Ridley,R.D.Walker,B.L.Mackenzie,C.F.Wilson,  
C.Watson,E.A.Bigg,C.F.Reid,S.Parr,G.Murray,R.Bagwell,G.Fillingham.

WED NOV 6<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 DINGLEY DELL 1

Bell's Life 10/11/61 P.3:

BL:"On Wednesday,Nov 6<sup>th</sup>,a match was played between Dingley Dell and Charterhouse,which  
terminated in favour of the former by one goal to none.The Eleven of Dingley Dell consisted of:

Dingley Dell:W.K.Fenton,R.Cayley,G.Sills,W.W.Karslake,W.H.Woodbridge,L.Fitz-Wygram,J.Fisher,  
E.H.Allen,F.J.Quick,and 2 emergencies.

Charterhouse School:BL:"The Carthusians played their usual eleven."(See above)

THURS NOV 7<sup>TH</sup> :

WINCHESTER COLLEGE MATCH

Twenty-Two of Commoners 13 Twenty-Two of College 2 (In College Meads)

Bell's Life 17/11/61 P.8/FIND FIELD REPORT :

Commoners:Stewart(5),White(2),Sladen(1),Hitchcock(Capt.),Johnson,Skelton,Worthy(1),Pyke(1)  
Hunt,Still,Stuart,Morgan,Bissell,sen,Eden,Price,Scurfield,Deane(1),Evans,Marshall,Bullock,  
Teesdale,sen (2),Birley,sen.

College:Streatfield(Capt.)(1),Foster(1),Michell,Cripps,Deedes(secretary),Horner,Young,Forster,  
Kelly,Robinson,Wigrain,Wilmot,Teesdale,jun,Kensington,Wilkinson,Duthy,Bowen,Walker,  
Haygarth,Shadwell,Jacob,Bissell,jun.

WESTMINSTER Match:

School 3 Sixth Form 2 (At in the "Green")

Bell's Life 17/11/61 P.8:

School: B.N.Thoms, C.M.Barker, A.Walker, G.M.Osborn, A.R.Tomlinson, J.O.Williams, J.M.Yates, W.W.C.Lane, H.N.Monck, C.Bull, B.Preston.

Sixth Form; A.J.Mackey, J.L.Swale, J.P.Cockerell, S.B.H.Chamberlayne, G.Gumbleton, H.B.Maurice, A.P.Dawson, G.T.M.O'Brien, A.Stewart, G.H.Pember, C.J.H.Chepmell.

N.B. Also Wed Nov 6<sup>th</sup> :Cricketers 0 Aquatics 1 (G.T.O'Brien)(At Vincent Square)(BL 17/11/61 P.7 with teams)

FRI NOV 8<sup>TH</sup>

SHREWSBURY MATCH

School 2 (Jervis, Struth) Sixth Form 0

Bell's Life 17/11/61 P.8:

School: Struth, Bennett, Vaughan, Swainson, A.Kennedy, Jervis, Holyoake, H.Taylor, Barker, Cropper, Craig.

Sixth: Hall, Watling, Smith, Dodd, Johnson, Prothero, G.R.Kennedy, Banning, Gunton, Stevens, Eyton.

WED NOV 13<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 +TRINITY COLLEGE.CAMBRIDGE 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 17/11/61 P.8/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL: "Mr A.Walker, of Trinity College kindly brought down an eleven of Cantabs to Vincent-square + "They were, with three exceptions, "Old Westminsters." "It rained incessantly all day.."

Westminster School: B.N.Thoms, G.M.Osborn, A.Walker, C.M.Barker, G.Gumbleton, A.R.Tomlinson, G.T.M.O'Brien, J.O.Williams, C.J.H.Chepmell, C.Bull, G.H.Pember.

Trinity College: A.Walker, J.Lowther, S.Thompson, W.S.Wright, H.Wynne, A.H.Harrison, F.L.Forbes, +E.M.Tomlinson, P.R.Worsley, R.M.Bonnor, B.Preston. +Missing in WSFL

THURS NOV 14<sup>TH</sup> :

ETON COLLEGE 1 goal OXFORD ETONIANS 3 rouges (In the Field, Eton)

Bell's Life 24/11/61 P.3:

Eton College: S.F.Cleasby, A.Lubbock, J.R.Kinglake, W.T.Trench, L.W.Dent, J.Schneider, H.P.Senhouse, A.Rickards, Knight, (E.W.) Tritton, E.A.Whittuck.

Oxford :Leny, Rhodes, Follett, Davies, Round, Mitchell, Smith, Mordaunt, Hornby, Chute, Gosling.

SAT NOV 16<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1 (Mackenzie) DINGLEY DELL 1 (Rutter)

Bell's Life 24/11/61 P.3:

BL: "On Saturday, the 16<sup>th</sup> November, a return match was played between Dingley Dell and Charterhouse, which was so well contested that for an hour no goal was got on either side. In the next quarter of an hour, however, each side won a goal, and the game resulted in a tie."

Charterhouse School: G. Alcock, Butter, G. J. Cookson, F. K. Girdlestone, B. F. Hartshorne, J. T. Hodgson, J. Lant, Muir Mackenzie, Maples, Seymour, Yorke. (Only 4 members of the Eleven)

Dingley Dell: W. K. Fenton, G. Sills, R. Cayley, E. H. Allen, F. J. Quick, A. P. Barlow, W. H. Woodbridge, H. C. Marindin, A. Rutter, Gordon, H. A. Hills.

BOUNDING BRICKS 3 FOREST SCHOOL, Walthamstow 0

Sporting Life 20/11/61 P.4:

SL: "On Saturday last, the 16<sup>th</sup>, the "Bounding Bricks", under the able generalship of A. Walker, Esq., contended against a picked eleven of Walthamstow, when, notwithstanding the determined and plucky play of the School, the "Bricks" duly sustained their well-earned reputation, by obtaining three games to their opponents' 0."

"Another match will be played (on the Common) in a month's time when the same teams will contend. The B.B.'s were hospitably entertained by the authorities of the School, and all enjoyed the afternoon's amusement."

Forest School: F. C. Adams, J. Adams, John Davidson, G. H. Garraway, H. C. Carver, F. C. Crowther, S. S. Underhay, R. F. Grantham, G. A. Brown, W. J. Thompson, B. F. Stowe, C. W. Carver.

Bounding Bricks: A. Walker, C. M. Barker, J. Doog (the Edomite), Smith O'Brien, S. Long, Hon P. Barnes, the Sandbach Monkey, John Wealy, Patrick O'Toole, xxx Mackers, Robert Pudsey, B. Norris.

ETON COLLEGE v MR BRANDRETH'S ELEVEN (Old Etonians) (In the Field, Eton) (No score recorded)

Bell's Life 24/11/61 P.3:

Eton College: S. F. Cleasby, A. Lubbock, J. R. Kinglake, H. W. Hoare, J. Schneider, (H. P.) Senhouse, A. Rickards, E. W. Tritton, Knight, E. A. Whittuck, Hon N. G. Littelton.

Mr Brandreth's Eleven: H. Brandreth, Rev H. Snow, R. Wharton, R. D. Cleasby, Rev D. Young, Wodehouse, E. C. Follett, Rouse, A. Follett, Blofeld, R. Whitting.

HARROW SCHOOL 1 (F. Williams) CAMBRIDGE HARROVIANS 1 (H. Y. Thompson) (At Harrow)

Bell's Life 24/11/61 P.3:

BL: "On Nov 16<sup>th</sup> a match was played at Harrow with eighteen old Harrovians from Cambridge brought down by H. Y. Thompson, Esq. The result of the play was a tie, each side obtaining one base.

The play of the School was very good, and the team against which they played was a very strong one. It is, however, fair to state that the Cambridge players were disappointed by two of their most trusty helpers, who failed to put in an appearance. The base for the old Harrovians was obtained by H.Y. Thompson, and that for the School by Williams. For the former the play of Messrs Bowen, Lang, Daniel, and others was good; and for the School Williams distinguished himself especially."

Harrow School: E. Ridley, W. Langton, R. Moncrieff, F. Williams, L. Hope-Edwardes, C. H. Hall, C. A. Cater, G. M. Allfrey, T. B. Cookson, R. Crompton, R. Bushell, C. Leslie, C. Hall, W. Hamilton, R. Porter, W. Maitland, H. Phipps, C. Phipps.

Cambridge: H. Y. Thompson, E. E. Bowen, R. Lang, T. Prior, W. Currey, Hon H. Strutt, H. Hardcastle, T. Graves, L. Jones, T. Warburton, T. A. Cruikshank, T. Prior, A. W. Daniel, H. Medlycott, J. T. Russell, Hon E. Kenyon, H. W. Steel.

WED NOV 20<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1 (C.M.Barker) H.T.STEWARD'S ELEVEN 0 (Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 24/11/61 P.3/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL: "Messrs H.T. Steward and E.O. Berens, Old Westminsters, kindly brought down an eleven to Vincent Square." "Mr O'Brien was unable to play in consequence of an accident. Barker got the game."

Westminster School: B. N. Thoms, C. M. Barker, G. M. Osborn, A. R. Tomlinson, G. Gumbleton, J. O. Williams, C. J. H. Chepmell, G. H. Pember, A. Walker, C. Bull, J. M. Yates.

H.T. Steward's Eleven: ++E.O. Berens, ++J. Harding, ++H.A. Hunt, J. P. Llewelyn, Capt. W. Nolan, ++F. Steward, ++H.T. Steward, R. Taylor, +B. Preston, +H.J. Hunt, +R.S. Gard.

+Present Westminsters ++Old Westminsters

SAT NOV 23<sup>RD</sup> :

BRIGHTON COLLEGE 1 LANCING COLLEGE 0 (At Lancing)

Bell's Life 8/12/61 P.6:

Brighton College: M. Fox, J. Hilbers, J. M' Cormick, H. Margary, J. Margary, T. Moilliett, E. Pitman, A. Ray, A. Ross, C. Thornton, G. Thornton, G. Wright.

Lancing College: Not available

MON NOV 25<sup>TH</sup> :

OXFORD ETONIANS 3 rouges CAMBRIDGE ETONIANS 0 (In the Field, Eton)

Bell's Life 8/12/61 P.6:

Oxford: Hon A. Legge, W. M. Leny, W. H. Gladstone, H. B. Rhodes, B. M. Davies, T. Turner, E. C. Follett, S. C. Smith, H. Gosling, D. W. Chute, J. Round.

Cambridge:H.Collings,R.Schofield,R.Peel,R.H.Blake-Humfrey,E.H.Wynne,H.Brandreth,  
E.W.Chapman,S.Stone,B.Herne,H.Wilson,S.Stone.(ECC 1/12/64 Brandreth letter records Acland for a  
2<sup>nd</sup> Stone)

WED NOV 27<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1(Not listed) DINGLEY DELL 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 1/12/61 P.5/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL:"On Wednesday,Nov 27,a match was played between Dingley Dell and Westminster School,which  
ended,after a very severe contest,in favour of the latter by one goal to none.At the end of the  
game,the Pickwickians found that,owing to the unexplained and unexpected absence of Mr  
Winkle,they had inadvertently played only ten men..."

Westminster School:B.N.Thoms,G.M.Osborn,G.Gumbleton,C.M.Barker,A.R.Tomlinson,  
G.T.M.O'Brien,C.J.H.Chepmell,C.Bull.J.M.Yates,J.O.Williams,G.H.Pember.

Dingley Dell:W.K.Fenton,G.Sills,L.Fitz-Wygram,A.Rutter,H.A.Hills,F.Fearon,E.H.Allen,F.J.Quick,  
W.H.Woodbridge,J.Fisher.

N.B. Letter on the RULES OF FOOTBALL,signed "D.D.":obviously Dingley Dell ,in Bell's Life 8/12/61  
P.6:

"First ,then,football is essentially a game for the feet,hands,therefore ought to be used no more than  
is strictly necessary.

2.The game is of itself dangerous enough,and all such practices as tripping up,pushing with the  
hands,"hacking",and wild and indiscriminate kicking ,ought to be carefully avoided.

3.When a ball is kicked out of bounds it ought to be returned ,so as to alter the state of the game as  
little as possible.It ought,therefore,to be kicked back from the point at which it left the ground,and  
in a direction perpendicular to that side of the ground.

4.All sneaking and standing off one's side ought to be strictly prohibited.

I think,sir,that the above fundamental principles are quite sufficient to base a proper set of rules  
upon,for it follows from No 1 that the ball must never be stopped by the hand when it can be  
stopped in any other way;that the ball must never be picked up,carried,or guided by the hand;and  
that when the ball is so high that it cannot be stopped in any other way,it may be stopped by one  
hand or two,but ought to be dropped at once on the ground.Moreover,the goal must be kicked  
under ,and not over ,the string,as there would be otherwise no chance of kicking a goal at all.Nos 2  
and 3 speak for themselves.No 4 may be enforced by requiring a certain number of players of the  
opposite side to be between a kicker and the goal which he is endeavouring to reach,or by not  
allowing a man to kick a ball which has last been kicked by one of his own side,unless either he was  
standing behind the kicker at the time the kick was made,or some one of the opposite side first  
touches the ball.Football is becoming so popular in England,and is so thoroughly manly,and,  
therefore,English,that every facility,and every encouragement ought to be given to the practice of  
the game;and I think that the movement ought to be taken up by the public schools,for they are the

nurseries of the game, and in fact, the only places, excepting the Universities where the game is regularly and systematically played. I have no doubt that any set of rules agreed upon by the public schools would be at once adopted by all clubs, and it would be easy for the captains of the elevens to communicate with each other and make the necessary arrangements." D.D.

N.B Bell's Life 15/12/61 P.1(Supplement) 2 further letters on the Rules of football.

N.B. There is extensive correspondence on the Rules of Football in the Field, during the first 3 months of 1862: see Field Editions 4/1/62 P.12; 11/1/62 P.35; 18/1/62 P.47; 25/1/62 P.74; 22/2/62 P.163; 15/3/62 P.219; 29/3/62 P.278.

SAT NOV 30<sup>TH</sup> :

ETON ST ANDREW'S DAY Match :

COLLEGERS 0 OPPIDANS 0

Upon St Andrews Day 1841-1901 P.21/Bell's Life 15/12/61 Supplement :

USAD: "The Oppidans won the toss, and succeeded in getting the ball in calx one minute before goals were changed, but failing in getting a shy, and when time was called the ball was again kicked into the Collegers' calx; the Collegers were the favourites. Selwyn and Rickards played very well for the Oppidans, Smith for Collegers." (Eton Register for 1861)

Collegers: J.S. Holden, P.V. Smith, W.D. Bodkin (Walls), F. Hollingworth, A.C. Talbot (Seconds), E.E. Witt (Capt.), C.J. Bulteel, R. Freeth (Outsides), B.S. Young, C.R. Moore, + W. More-Molyneux (Behinds)

+ Played instead of W.D. Rawlins

Oppidans: R.A. Kinglake (Capt.), W.T. Trench, + G.A. Crowder (Walls), A. Lubbock, E.A. Whittuck (Seconds), S.F. Cleasby, R.W.W. Follett, Hon. N.G. Littelton (Outsides), J.R. Selwyn, A. Rickards, L.W. Dent (Behinds).

+ Played instead of J.H. Schneider.

WED DEC 4<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1 (A.R. Tomlinson) OLD WESTMINSTERS 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 5/1/62 P.3/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL: "On Wednesday, the 4<sup>th</sup> of December, the "Old Westminster", under the captaincy of E.O. Berens, Esq., played against the Present Westminsters, at Vincent-square. The day was very propitious, the ground in good condition, the Old Westminster team very strong, and a well-contested match the result. In the first 15 minutes Westminster obtained a game, well got by Tomlinson. The elevens, therefore changed goals, and the Old-uns, favoured by the wind, seemed determined to do likewise but not so, for Westminster; after very nearly obtaining another game (against the wind), defended their goals with great determination, and when darkness came on, the Present had licked the Past by 1 to 0. For the Present we may single out Thoms and Osborne as playing remarkably well, and for the Old, Messrs Berens, Harding, and Proctor (emergency) distinguished themselves."

Westminster School: B.N.Thoms, G.Gumbleton, C.M.Barker, G.M.Osborn, A.R.Tomlinson, G.T.M.O'Brien, J.O.Williams, C.J.H.Chepmell, C.Bull, G.H.Pember, J.M.Yates, W.B.Besly, G.Gard, A.Hunt.

Old Westminsters: E.O.Berens (Capt.), J.Harding, R.A.Eden, S.Eden, F.Steward, +J.P.Llewelyn, H.A.Hunt, G.Upperton, (J.M.Dowdeswell), +J.Proctor, J.Alington, M.Dowdeswell, (J.Smith, J.Robinson) (Not listed in SB) (H.J?.Steward, +W.Watkins listed in WSB) +Not O.W's (Emergencies)

IMPORTANT NOTE IN WSFL: "The goals were on this occasion for the first time 7ft 6 ins high and 16ft wide while the playing ground was 150 yards long by 100 yards wide."

THURS DEC 5<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER Match:

Eleven 1 (C.Bull) Twenty-two 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 8/12/61 P.6:

Eleven: B.N.Thoms, G.Gumbleton, J.M.Yates, G.H.Pember, G.M.Osborn, C.J.H.Chepmell, A.R.Tomlinson, C.Bull, A.Walker, B.Preston, W.B.Besly.

Twenty-Two; Cockerell, Chamberlayne, Mackey, Winter, jun., Stewart, Swale, Trevor, Lane, Mackey, jun., Nichols, Repton, Dawson, Heath, Sim, Hunt, E.J.Chepmell, Williams, Michel, Henderson, Harding (O.W.), Harrison, Gard.

SAT DEC 7<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 DINGLEY DELL 0

N.B This game is not recorded in Charterhouse Football History.

Bell's Life 15/12/61 P.5:

BL: "After a spirited and well-contested game for an hour and a half, "Time" was called without either side having won a goal. The play on both sides throughout the game was good. Three of the Charterhouse Eleven were unavoidably absent, and their places were filled by substitutes, who played well."

Charterhouse School: Butter, G.Brodie, G.Alcock, B.F.Hartshorne, J.T.Hodgson, J.L.M.Seymour, J.Lant, E.P.Eardley-Wilmot, Best, (C.J.)Hawkins, Hon F.S.O'Grady.

Dingley Dell: G.Sills, W.K.Fenton, F.J., R.Cayley, Woodbridge, A.Rutter, E.H.Allen, H.A.Hills, Stock, (Drummond-)Smith, (F.E.)Prothero.

TUES DEC 10<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1 (C.Bull) MR LANGTON'S HARROVIANS 1 (W.H.Langton) (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 15/12/61 P.5/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL: "On Tuesday last, Dec 10, Mr W.H.Langton brought down 13 Harrovians to try their strength against Westminster. The Harrovians having won the toss commenced the game with the wind

behind them,at half-past two,and 50 minutes elapsed with varying success,when Mr Langton kicked a game in a brilliant manner.Ends were now changed,the wind telling in favour of Westminster who seemed determined to regain their loss,and after 10 minutes sharp play Mr Bull,amid great applause,very cleverly gained a game,which made the score level.Several tremendous “rushes” were made on the part of Harrow to get another game,but without effect,and at four o’clock,when time was called,the score remained unaltered.The two sides were very evenly matched.Messrs Langton, Moncrieff,Williams,Hall,Medlycott,and Cookson distinguished themselves amongst the visitors,both for their play,and more especially for their panache? ,while the play on the part of Westminster was spirited and well sustained throughout.”

Westminster School:B.N.Thoms,C.M.Barker,G.Gumbleton,G.M.Osborn,C.Bull,A.R.Tomlinson, G.H.Pember,G.T.M.O’Brien,J.M.Yates,C.J.H.Chepmell,W.B.Besly,B.Preston,A.Walker.

Harrovians:E.Ridley,W.H.Langton,E.C.Glyn,R.C.Moncrieff,F.V.Williams,C.H.Hall,H.J.Medlycott, L.Hope-Edwardes,W.M.Allfrey,C.A.Cater,J.B.Cookson,A.Clutterbuck,C.Hall.

FRI DEC 13<sup>TH</sup> :

ETON COLLEGE 2 WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell’s Life 22/12/61 P.6/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL:”According to agreement,on Friday last,Dec 13,F.S.Cleasby Esq. brought an eleven of Etonians to Vincent-square.The day fortunately proved fine,and a considerable number of spectators came to witness the match.The commenced at 2.30 pm,and ended at 3.45,the Etonians managing during that time to get two games to their opponent’s none.During the whole time the superior skill and pace of the Etonians were universally admired,while the Westminsters played in a plucky way,it being evident from the first that they were overmatched.For Eton the fine running of Messrs Lawes and Dent,and the steady play of Follett,deserve especial praise;while Messrs Cleasby and Lubbock exhibited great skill and knowledge of the game.For Westminster,Osborn,Besly,and Barker did their best to win an uphill match.”

“During the whole time the superior skill and pace of the Etonians were universally admired,while Westminster played in a plucky way,it being evident from the first that they were overmatched.”

Eton:J.R.Selwyn,S.F.Cleasby,C.B.Lawes,R.W.W.Follett,W.T.Trench,J.Schneider,Dent,H.P.Senhouse, A.Rickards,Knight,E.W.Tritton,A.Lubbock.

Westminster:B.N.Thoms,G.Gumbleton,C.M.Barker,G.M.Osborn,A.R.Tomlinson,G.T.M.O’Brien, C.J.H.Chepmell,J.M.Yates,C.Bull, G.H.Pember,W.B.Besly,A.Walker.

WED JAN 29<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 2 (B.N.Thoms,C.M.Barker) DINGLEY DELL 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell’s Life 2/2/62 P.7/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL:“One of the best contested games of the season took place last Wednesday,Jan 29,between the Dingley Dell Club and Westminster School.The previous match had resulted in favour of



Westminster, and the Templars on this occasion brought down a very strong team, hoping to regain their lost laurels. The afternoon luckily turned out fine, and G. Sills, Esq. (the captain) having won the toss for the club, started the ball with the wind in their favour. At half past four Thoms kicked a goal splendidly for the School, and the Elevens changed goals; at ten minutes to five Barker obtained another, and at five o'clock, the time fixed for stopping, Dingley Dell, notwithstanding the plucky play of some of their men, had not succeeded in getting a game, Westminster therefore winning the return game by 2 to love..”

Westminster School: B.N. Thoms, G. Gumbleton, G. Osborn, C.M. Barker, G.T.M. O’Brien, G.H. Pember, J.M. Yates, C. Bull, C.J.H., W.B. Besly, B. Preston, (Unreadable Name in WSFL).

Dingley Dell: Geo. Sills, W.K. Fenton, +F. Earle, R. Cayley, E.H. Allen, F.J. Quick, H.A. Hills, F. Fearon, J. Deverell, L. Pugh Evans, Drummond-Smith, C.A. Dawson. +H.T. Erle?

WED FEB 5<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 E.O. BERENS’ ELEVEN 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell’s Life 9/2/62 P.7/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL: “On Wednesday, Feb 5, E.O. Berens and H.T. Steward Esqrs once more kindly brought down their team to Vincent-square, desirous, if possible, of regaining those honours so successfully gained from them on two former occasions last year. The weather luckily proved unusually fine, and the sun shone brightly for the greater part of the afternoon. Fortune, however, shined on neither party and the end of the game left both sides as it found them “love all”. The strangers, favoured by a strong wind, made some fine efforts to effect a breach in their adversaries goals, but without success, while the School was alike unable to make way against their opponents and the breeze. For Mr Berens’s side, Messrs Harding, Eden, and Park played in a most praiseworthy manner. For Westminster, O’Brien, Thoms, Osborn, and Pember distinguished themselves.” “For Westminster J.O. Williams was unable to play, through illness; his place was filled by B. Preston.”

Westminster School: B.N. Thoms, G. Gumbleton, G.M. Osborn, C.M. Barker, G.T. O’Brien, C.J.H. Chepmell, C. Bull, G.H. Pember, J.M. Yates, W.B. Besly, B. Preston.

E.O. Berens’ Side: E.O. Berens, H.T. Steward, C.S. Upperton, F. Steward, H. Eden, J. Harding, A.A. Park, H.T. Hunt, C. Browne, M. Thoms, M.O. Sim.

DINGLEY DELL 3 (H.A. Hills, Stock, A. Rutter) CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1 (C.J. Hawkins)

N.B. Not in Charterhouse Football History.

N.B. Dingley Dell referred to as “the Templars” in the BL Report.

Bell’s Life 9/2/62 Supplement P.1:

BL: “On Wednesday, the 5<sup>th</sup> inst, a match was played between Dingley Dell and Charterhouse, which ended in favour of the former by three goals to one, The goals for Dingley Dell were kicked by Hills, Stock, and Rutter, and Hawkins kicked the one for Charterhouse. The Eleven of the Templars were:”

Dingley Dell:W.K.Fenton,E.H.Allen,L.Pugh Evans,R.Cayley,A.J.Wilkinson,A.Rutter,(E.W.)Stock,  
Jemmett,F.J.Quick,H.A.Hills.

Charterhouse School:G.Alcock,G.Brodie,Cookson,C.J.Hawkins,B.F.Hartshorne,  
J.T.Hodgson,Mackenzie,Hon F.S.O'Grady,Seymour,J.Lant,Hall.

WED FEB 12<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1 (C.Bull) DINGLEY DELL 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 16/2/62 P.7/Is this game in School Ledger?:

BL:"This,the closing match of the season,came off on Wednesday,Feb 12,at +Vincent Square,and was not an inappropriate finish to a successful season,as the School came off victors by "one to love".The Templars,having won the toss,started the ball,and after three-quarters of an hour's hard play,C.Bull kicked a game for Westminster.In spite of the change the Templars were unable to regain their loss,though we have seldom seen them play with greater pluck,or in better style.The School was unfortunately deprived of the services of( B.N.)Thoms,their captain,through indisposition.The return of Williams,however,was of great service.Amongst the general good play of the Dingley Dell we should single out Messrs Sills,Deverell,Allen,and Hills for especial praise;while for Westminster, Pember,O'Brien,and Williams showed more than ordinary good play.Thus ,out of ten matches (including Harrow and Eton)played since October,the School has won six,lost one,and tied three ,finishing the season with the above-described victory."

+Played in Fields rather than in Green in this period

Westminster School :G.Gumbleton,G.M.Osborn,C.M.Barker,G.T.M.O'Brien,G.H.Pember,  
J.M.Yates,J.O.Williams,C.Bull,C.J.H.Chepmell,W.B.Besly,B.Preston.

Dingley Dell:G.Sills,W.K.Fenton,R.Cayley,E.H.Allen,L.Pugh Evans,C.A.Dawson,  
W.H.Deverell,F.J.Quick,H.A.Hills,D.Smith,A.J.Wilkinson.

N.B.Thurs Feb 20<sup>th</sup> Westminster Match: Town Boys 0 Queen's Scholars 0 (Bell's Life 23/2/62  
P.3(including teams)"Queen's Scholars having seven out of the Football 11,Town Boys having only 2."

N.B Tues Mar 4<sup>th</sup> Westminster Match :Rev B.F.James 1(H.Repton) Rev J.Marshall's 0 (At Vincent Square)

SAT FEB 15<sup>TH</sup> :

DINGLEY DELL 0 SURBITON 0 (At Surbiton Cricket Ground)(10 a side)

Field 22/2/62 P.163/Bell's Life 23/2/62 P.3:

F:"The play of all was exceedingly good;and on the side of the Dingley Dells ,that of Messrs Wilkinson,Rutter,and Follett was first-rate.On the Surbiton side,the play of Messrs Holdsworth, A.Mowbray,C.Mowbray,and Bell was worthy of mention.

The game was played according to Dingley Dell Rules, which are very suitable for a match of the kind- where there are representatives of many of the largest schools playing –for they are at the same time complete and simple, comprising the principal rules, and omitting all peculiarities of the different systems.” (see further the D.D. Letter to Bell’s Life above)

BL: “On Saturday, February 15<sup>th</sup>, a match was played on the Surbiton Cricket ground, between ten gentlemen of the Dingley Dell Club and ten gentlemen of Surbiton, which ended in a drawn game, no goal having been kicked and no advantage gained by either party.” (BL similar 2<sup>nd</sup> paragraph to F 1<sup>st</sup> paragraph)

Dingley Dell: G. Sills (Capt.), A. J. Wilkinson, A. Rutter, D. Smith, L. Pugh Evans, G. Follett, F. E. Prothero, E. H. Allen, W. K. Fenton, Cottam.

Surbiton: G. Bennett, W. S. Wilson, A. Wilson, G. Holdsworth, A. C. Vesey, A. Mowbray, C. Mowbray, T. Bell, E. Lipscomb, F. J. Beckford..

TUES FEB 18<sup>TH</sup> :

DINGLEY DELL 1 (H.A. Hills) WAR OFFICE 0 (At Beaufort House)

Bell’s Life 23/2/62 P.3:

BL: “On Tuesday, Feb 18 a match was played at Beaufort House, between Dingley Dell and the War Office, which ended in favour of the former by one goal to none. The goal was kicked by H.A. Hills, who, as well as L.P. Evans and E.H. Allen, played remarkably well throughout the game for D.D.”

SAT FEB 22<sup>ND</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 2 (F. Ridley, E. Williams) DINGLEY DELL 0 (At Harrow) (Harrow Rules)

Bell’s Life 9/3/62 Supplement P.1:

BL: “On Saturday, Feb 22, a match was played at Harrow, between The School and Twelve of Dingley Dell, who for the first part of the game played at a disadvantage, from an insufficient knowledge of the rules of the Harrow game. This, however, proved but a very slight drawback to a very interesting match, with which both sides were well satisfied. The School won by two bases to none. These were kicked by Ridley(1) and Williams(1).”

Harrow School: E. Ridley, R. Dundas, T. D. Walker, L. Hope-Edwardes, G. H. Hall, E. Williams, C. A. Cater, R. Moncrieff, W. M. Alfrey, R. Crompton, H. Porter, W. Grimston.

Dingley Dell: G. Sills, W. K. Fenton, W. H. Deverell, E. H. Allen, F. Fearon, Drummond-Smith, W. Latham, R. Cayley, A. J. Wilkinson, A. Rutter, L. Pugh Evans, H. A. Hills.

SHREWSBURY SCHOOLS 1 (Prothero) SHROPSHIRE 0 (Draw as best of 5 goals)

Bell’s Life 2/3/62 Supplement P.1:

“We hope that the game will be played out on an early day.”

Shrewsbury Schools:Banning,Smith,Dodd,Johnson,Prothero,Kennedy,sen,Barker,Shaw,Stevens, Bennett,Swainson,Jervis,Struth;goalkeepers,Craig and Pery.

Shropshire:Capt Hope-Edwardes,Rev L.Corbett,Rev G.W.Fisher,Rev D.Carr,D.Collins, Capt W.Salt, G.Salt,Rev Gibson,Capt Hornby,Rev A.Rocke,Rev R.Benson,H.Burton,Collins;goalkeepers,Buckley-Williams and Pery.

N.B Bell's Life 23/3/62 : "The above match was played out on Saturday week, on a field kindly lent for the purposes by W.B.Lloyd, Esq. Notwithstanding a bitterly cold east wind a large number of spectators were present during the game. The sides were nearly the same as on the two former occasions." "The game, which was very well contested on both sides, remains as yet undecided on time being called."

Shrewsbury Schools:Banning,Smith,Murray,Dodd,Johnson,Prothero,Kennedy,sen,Barker, Bennett,Swainson,Jervis,Struth;goalkeepers,Knowles.sen, and Craig .

Shropshire:Capt.Hope-Edwardes,Rev L.Corbett,G.Salt,Capt Hornby,D.Collins,C.Collins,Rev G.W.Fisher,Capt Butler,F.Pelham,E.Calvert,St Hope-Edwardes,Rev Carr;goalkeepers,Buckley-Williams and Pery.

WED FEB 26<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1 (C.J.Hawkins) ELIZABETHAN CLUB 0 (At Charterhouse)

N.B Majority of Elizabethan Club players were members of the Westminster School team.

Bell's Life 2/3/62 P.6:

BL: "The game, which lasted an hour and a quarter, was well contested, and honours were pretty equally divided between the two elevens. +On the former occasion on which the Elizabethans contested against Charterhouse they were successful, and therefore a great amount of interest was centred in this match. The Elizabethan Club passed the ball under the ribbon once, but in consequence of some objection being raised, as to the ball being kicked under, the game was not counted. Shortly before stopping Hawkins obtained a game cleverly for Charterhouse, for which he deserves much praise."

+Not traced. Neither match in Charterhouse Football History.

Charterhouse School:G.Alcock,G.Brodie,G.Hall,B.F.Hartshorne,C.J.Hawkins,T.Hodgson,J.Lant, K.Mackenzie,Hon F.S.O'Grady,J.Seymour,F.Somerset.

Elizabethans:B.N.Thoms,C.M.Barker,C.J.H.Chepmell,W.B.Besly,J.M.Yates,G.Gumbleton, A.J.Mackey,S.P.Cockerell,N.Bosanquet,A.Stewart,S.B.H.Chamberlayne.

SAT MAR 1<sup>ST</sup> :

DINGLEY DELL 0 SURBITON 0 (Return)

Field 15/3/62 P.319/Bell's Life 9/3/62 Supplement P.1:

BL: "This was the last match of the season for the Dellers, who have altogether played 12 matches, of which they have lost 4, won 3, and 5 have been drawn. Of the four matches which were lost, three were against Westminster School and the other against Harrow School."

F: "On this occasion the determination with which both sides entered the field was quickly shown by the vigour and steadiness with which the game began. The Dellers had the advantage of the wind for the first half of the time, but were unable to get a goal, although some very determined attempts were made, their opponents playing with great steadiness and courage. Just at the time for changing goals, one of the Dellers got so severely spilt, that he was hors de combat; but another player appeared for Surbiton, which admitted of the sides being equalised, by Mr Bircham (who had been playing magnificently for Surbiton at "short behind") going to the assistance of the Dellers; and the game was renewed, after changing goals, with more vigour than ever. And now Surbiton, having the wind in their favour, appeared to be having the best of it, although they could not obtain a goal.

About ten minutes, however, after changing goals, one of the Surbiton players, Mr Cardale, was thrown in a charge, and dislocated his elbow, which untoward event brought to an abrupt conclusion one of the most hotly-contested and beautifully-played matches ever witnessed. Where all played well it would be invidious to select any for special mention, but the play of Mr Wilkinson for the Dellers, and of the Messrs Mowbray and Mr Bell for Surbiton, ought not to remain unnoticed.

It is to be regretted that the Surbiton men did not earlier in the year bring out their powers, as the commencement of the rowing season prevents their fulfilling this year the expectations which their play on this occasion raised. Of the Dellers it may be said that they are without dispute the best club of the season, apart from the public schools. The rules which they have adopted are exceedingly simple, and yet bring out all the excellencies of the game. Cool kicking is discouraged; the chances of accident are minimised, and there is opportunity given for the display of science and generalship. In one respect alone do their laws appear capable of improvement. There is too much opportunity for sneaking given by their law about cornering, although their play is too manly to take advantage of it; yet a less thoroughly organised eleven might do. It would be a favour to the lovers of football if they would publish a copy of their rules, since they seem to be admirably adapted to form the basis of a general code. Why should not the Dingley Dell Club do for football what the M.C.C. has done for cricket?" (See further D.D. Letter above)

Dingley Dell: G. Sills (Capt.), A. J. Wilkinson, G. Follett, A. Follett, E. H. Allen, W. K. Fenton, F. E. Prothero, Cayley & c. (F)

Surbiton: A. Mowbray, C. Mowbray, A. C. Vesey, T. Bircham, E. Lipscomb, W. S. Wilson, F. Beckford, G. Cardale, A. Wilson, Wharton, T. Bell. (F)

WED MAR 5<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1 BARTHOLEMEW'S 1

Bell's Life 16/3/62 P.5:

N.B. Not in Charterhouse Football History

BL: "This well-contested game was played out on Wednesday March 5<sup>th</sup>, and lasted an hour and a half, and ended in each side gaining a goal."

Charterhouse School : G. Alcock, N. Best, C. Boyle, G. Brodie, G. Hall, C. J. Hawkins, T. Hodgson, J. Lant, Hon F. O'Grady, J. Seymour, F. Somerset.

Bartholemew's: W. F. Thrapp, B. J. Vernon, E. Bostock, W. Balls, E. Eldin, R. S. Stone, C. S. Jefferson, H. Maturin, E. Gabb, G. J. Shore, L. J. Currie.

WED MAR 12<sup>TH</sup> :

TRADESMEN 4 VOLUNTEERS OF CONGLETON 0

Sporting Life 13/3/62 P.4:

SL: "This match was resumed on the 12<sup>th</sup> instant, at Somerford Park, between thirty volunteers and an equal number of tradesmen, which terminated in favour of the tradesmen, by winning four successive games. The volunteers were commanded by Sir C. W. Shakerley, Bart, and the tradesman by Mr T. Johnson, jun."

SAT MAR 15<sup>TH</sup> :

FOREST CLUB 1 CRYSTAL PALACE CLUB 0 (At Leytonstone)

Bell's Life 23/3/62 P.8:

BL: "This match came off on Saturday, the 15<sup>th</sup> inst, on the ground of the former club, at Leytonstone, Essex. Play began at about half-past two and ended at five pm. The result was a victory for the Forest Club, who obtained one goal, their opponents having got none. The play on both sides was acknowledged to be very good, and that the game was hardly fought out is shown by the fact that the only goal won was obtained after an hour and a half's play."

Forest Club: J. F. Alcock, C. W. Alcock, H. Bigland, C. Bigland, C. Jackson, G. W. Mackenzie, J. Morgan, J. Pardoe, jun, J. Robertson, C. Tebbut, A. Tebbut, M. Savill, J. E. White, F. Woodward, + A. W. Mackenzie

+ Added as result of letter in Bell's Life 30/3/62 P.7

Crystal Palace Club: Allport, Bell, Cutbill, P. Cutbill, Day, Head, Jackson, R. Lloyd, Lloyd, Lloyd, Medwin, Phelps, Sharland, . Turner, Unwick. (CHECK INITIALS?)

BRIGHTON COLLEGE 2 (Ross, 2 ) LANCING COLLEGE 0 (At Brighton College)

Bell's Life 30/3/62 P.7:

Brighton College: Bourdillon, Fox, Hilbers, J. Margary, Pitman, Ray, Ross, Spragge, C. C. Thornton, G. R. Thornton, Ward, Wright.

Lancing College: Baker, Bower, Burt, Beresford, Farrant, S. K. Hilton, W. Hilton, Knapp, Ramsbotham, Slocock, Snowden, Woodward.

SAT APRIL 5<sup>TH</sup> :

FOREST CLUB 4 (J.Pardoe 3,C.Bigland) CRYSTAL PALACE 0 (At Crystal Palace Ground)

Bell's Life 13/4/62 Supplement P.1:

BL:"The return match between these two clubs came off on Saturday week,on the ground of the latter at the Palace.The weather,which had been fine for the previous two or three days,was again wet,and the ground was not in first rate condition.Despite drawbacks,however,play commenced at three o'clock and continued till five.The result was another victory for the Forest Club,for at the conclusion of the game they had obtained four goals,their adversaries none.Three of these were kicked by Mr Pardoe,and the other by Mr C.Bigland.The play on both sides was good,but it was evident that the Forest Club were decidedly superior to their opponents,who admitted that they(the Forest Club) had it all their own way."

Forest Club:J.F.Alcock,C.W.Alcock,H.Bigland,C.Bigland,A.J.Burness,F.W.Connelly,C.D.Jackson, D.J.Morgan, J.Pardoe,J.Robertson, W.J.B.Standidge,C.Tebbut, A.Tebbut, F.W.Woodward, A.W.Mackenzie.

Crystal Palace Club:W.Allport,F.Bevington,W.Cutbill,E.Cutbill,F.Day,T.Jackson ,T.Lloyd, H.Lloyd,H.Lloyd,jun,W.Noakes,Sharland,J.Turner,T.Unwick,H.Wood,A.Wood.

SHEFFIELD MATCHES:

THURS OCT 3<sup>RD</sup> :

HALLAM Football Club:

Sheffield Independent 5/10/61:"This club commenced the season on Thursday,on their excellent ground,at Sandygate.Twelve members contended on each side.Mr Shaw was the Captain of the victorious side,and his judicious goalkeeping contributed very materially to the success of his side,who won three goals to nothing.The play was good ,the members evidently being more conversant with the various"dodges"of the game than last season.They are sanguine they will be able to hold their own against other local clubs,without receiving the odds they needed last year."

YORK CLUB:

N.B Committee Rooms at York Hotel,Broomhill.(SI 5/11/61 P.1 Advert)

Sheffield Independent 4/10/61 P.3 : "The close of the cricketing season has occasioned the formation of a football club,which already numbers 50 members.Next season,we have no doubt,will witness further triumphs by the members of the York Club."

York Athletic Sports and Football Club played their opening match on 7<sup>th</sup> November at the Endcliffe Cricket Ground at 2pm(SI 7/11/61 P.3)

"The gentlemen players of the Sheffield Football Club will take part in the game."(SI 5/11/61 P.1)

Practice days are Wednesdays and Saturdays at Endcliffe Crescent at 2pm(SI 19/11/61 P.1)

SAT NOV 23<sup>RD</sup> :

SHEFFIELD CLUB (12 men) v NORTON (18 men) (At East Bank) (SI 23/11/61 P.1)

THURS NOV 28<sup>TH</sup> :

Fourth West York Artillery Volunteers v First West York Engineers Volunteers (At Hyde Park)(SI 26/11/61 P.1)(AH records a win for the Engineers)

WED DEC 4<sup>TH</sup> :

SHEFFIELD CLUB (3 men) 0 NORTON CLUB (6 men) 4 goals (At Sheffield)

SI 5/12/61 P.3:"Yesterday,a match was played on the Sheffield ground between three of the most celebrated players of the Sheffield Football Club,and six of the Norton Club.After two hours of exciting play the Norton players proved the victors.Goals as follows:-Norton ,4;Sheffield,0."

SAT DEC 21<sup>ST</sup> :

SHEFFIELD Football Club:

SI 21/12/61 P.1:"There will be a match this afternoon between the Match Players and the Remainder of the Club.Kick off at 2.30 pm.The Club plays Pitsmoor on Thursday next ,at Two o'Clock,on the Pitsmoor Ground,and Hallam on Saturday the 28<sup>th</sup> instant,at Hyde Park at One o'clock.NATH CRESWICK,Hon Sec."

SAT DEC 28<sup>TH</sup> :

HALLAM CLUB 2(Captain Vickers,Another) SHEFFIELD CLUB 1(T.Moore) (At Hyde Park,Sheffield)

Nottinghamshire Guardian 31/12/61 P.8:

NG:"The Sheffield Football Club arranged a match with the Hallam Club ,the proceedings of which was to benefit that admirable institutionthe Sheffield public Hospital and Dispensary.The game which was played by fourteen on each side,took place at Hyde Park on Saturday.The game was throughout played spiritedly,and many were the noble exploits,skilful dodges,long drops,and beautiful runs obtained.The ball was kicked off by the captain of the Hallam team at 1.45pm.An hour and a quarter's extraordinary heavy and very fierce play ensued before a score was made.Ultimately the Sheffield gentlemen,by the assistance of T.Moore,scored a goal,although the ball was not kicked through.The mettle of the Hallam party was up at fever hight,and notwithstanding that some were rashly inclined there was some excellent play shown.At the expiration of another half hour,Captain Vickers managed to kick the ball through the goal,which placed the game equal.Befoer the termination of the succeeding half hour's play,the Hallam fourteen scored another goal,and won the match.The spectators numbers between 600 and 700,and from their loud and frequent cheering,evidently enjoyed the sport.Many casualties,however,occurred,and for the safety of the players,it would indeed be much betterif a gear deal of the tripping up,"hocking",pushing with the hands,and loud indiscriminate kicking, were avoided.he receipts amounted to about £15,which sum will be handed over to the public Hospital and Dispensary."

Hallam:J.C.Shaw,captain of the field,F.Vickers,J.Snape,G.H.Waterfall,Wm. Waterfall,F.Warburton,B.Elliott,Alfred Waterfall,Geo. Elliott,A.Hobson,A.W.Pearson,J.W.Pye Smith,H.Moore,Captain Vickers.



Sheffield: Captain W. Creswick, Artillery Volunteers, captain of the field, Captain W. Prest, Hallamshire Volunteers, W. Baker, J. Appleton, H. Chambers, J. Dixon, Robert Favell, W. Turton, J. Wild, A.+, T. Gould, T. Moore, M. Hall, David Sellers.

SI 30/12/61 P.3: "Sheffield and Hallam Football Clubs.-The interesting match between these clubs, played at Hyde Park, on Saturday, was won by the Hallam players."

MON JAN 6<sup>TH</sup> :

Pitsmoor Club v York Club (On Endcliffe Ground) (At 2pm)(SI 6/1/62 P.1)

SAT JAN 11<sup>TH</sup> :

SHEFFIELD CLUB (4 men ) 5 goals NORTON CLUB (6 men) 0

SI 14/1/62 P.5: "On Saturday last ,a spirited contest took place between four picked players of the Sheffield Club against six of the Norton Club. The kick off was at half-past two ,in the grounds of F.W. Bagshawe, Esq. After two hours' play the result was 5 goals won by the Sheffield men; Norton, 0."

MON JAN 13<sup>TH</sup> :

4<sup>TH</sup> West York Artillery Volunteers(11 men) 3 goals v 1<sup>ST</sup> West York Artillery Volunteers(8 men) 3 goals (At York Cricket Ground, Endcliffe)(SI 13/1/62 P.1)

SI 18/1/62 P.10: "The kick off was at two o'clock, play continued until a quarter to five o'clock. The Engineers won the first two goals, after which the the Artillery men had two successes. The fifth was won by the Engineers, and the sixth by their antagonists. The bell announced the conclusion of play at this time, and the match was declared to be a tie."

SAT JAN 25<sup>TH</sup> :

HALLAM CLUB (14 players) 2 goals PITSMOOR CLUB (14 players) 0 (Return)(At Pitsmoor)(SI 28/1/62 P.5/SI 1/2/62 P.10)

MON JAN 27<sup>TH</sup> :

Sheffield Club (4 men) 3 goals Norton Club (6 men) 2 goals(Return)

SI 28/1/62 P.5/SI 1/2/62 P.10: "The return match between four of the Sheffield and six of the Norton took place on the ground at East Bank, on Monday. Sheffield won 3 goals against two of their opponents, although the Norton side claimed a third which was not allowed by the rules of the game."

THURS JAN 30<sup>TH</sup> :

SHEFFIELD Football Club:

"The annual meeting of this club was held at the Falcon Inn, Flat Street, last evening. Several alterations of old rules were made, and new rules were adopted with a view of enlivening and increasing the interest of the game."(SI 31/1/62 P.3)

SAT FEB 1<sup>ST</sup> :

HALLAM Football Club:

"A very exciting game was played last Saturday afternoon, in front of Stumperlow Hall, between 14 gentlemen and 14 players of the above club. It was evident from the first that the players had no chance whatever against their more active opponents. After two hours and a half of first-rate play the gentlemen obtained three goals ; players, 0." (SI 4/2/62 P.5/SI 8/2/62 P.10)

SAT MAR 1<sup>ST</sup> :

Sheffield Club Practice Match "between Match Players and the Remainder of the Club. As many of the Members as can attend are earnestly requested to do so." (SI 28/2/62 P.1/SI 1/3/62 P.1)

SHROVE TUES MAR 4<sup>TH</sup> :

HALLAM Football Club 2 rouges Sheffield Football Club 0 (At Newhall) (Return) (Profits divided between the Volunteer Corps of the Town)

SI 5/3/62 P.3: "Notwithstanding the coldness of the weather there was a considerable attendance of spectators. The Hallam players won the toss, and took advantage of the wind, which, during a greater part of the play, was strongly in their favour. This put the Sheffield players on their mettle, and although they were not able to win, they were so far successful that they succeeded in preventing their opponents from making a single goal. After very severe play, extending over three hours, the match was won by Hallam by two rouges to nothing. Though the contest was unusually keen, the players on both sides exhibited excellent temper." (SI 5/3/62 P.3/SI 8/3/62 P.10)

SAT MAR 29<sup>TH</sup> :

NORTON v HALLAM (Return) (At Oaks Park, Norton) ("threw the kindness of F.W. Bagshawe (SI 29/3/62 P.1)

SI 2/4/62 P.3: "A match was arranged for eighteen of Hallam to play twelve of Norton. Owing to a misunderstanding only seven of the Hallam men were on the ground, and they, with three Pitsmoor players, commenced the game, well knowing from the commencement they had no chance against eighteen. The match was more than usually rough, owing to the state of the ground and the Norton Club, winning the toss, took advantage of the down-hill game, which told greatly in favour, as well as their weight and superior numbers, against the few that represented Hallam." (Letter to SI from a player)

1862-63 :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL Eleven for 1862/63: J.O. Williams, C.J.H. Chepmell, G.T.M. O'Brien, J.M. Yates, W.B. Besly, G.H. Pember, W.W.C. Lane, M.O. Sim, +C. Bull, B. Preston, F. Giles, G. Dowdeswell, A. Dowdeswell.

+C.E. Bull is first time in WSFL not C. Bull: probably C.J.S. Bull who left School in Dec 1862 (as probably are all C. Bull listings)

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL First Eleven Colours 1862-63 (Charterhouse Football History P.200):

G.J.Cookson(Capt.),B.F.Hartshorne,J.Lant,K.A.Muir Mackenzie,J.T.Hodgson,Hon. F.S.O'Grady,  
M.J.Muir Mackenzie,C.E.Boyle,L.Ogden,C.A.Sumner,E.L.Pearson.

ETON College Field Eleven for 1862 :The Field Game by John J.Pawson P.83:

R.W.W.Follett,A.Rickards(Keepers),A.Lubbock,Hon N.G.Littelton,R.S.Bridges,E.W.Tritton,  
Hon F.Pelham,Earl of Jersey,E.A.Whittuck,W.R.Griffiths,J.P.Hadow,H.D.Forsyth.

SAT OCT 11<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 4(W.E.Grimston,R.C.Moncrieff,F.H.Cheetham,H.Leslie) J.PRIOR'S ELEVEN 0 (At Harrow)

Bell's Life 26/10/62 P.6:

BL:"On Saturday Oct 11,J.Prior,Esq.,brought together an Eleven to play the School.The match terminated in favour of the latter by four bases to nothing.Mr Bowen did wonders for his side,W.H.Phipps and Burnett played well for Harrow.The bases were obtained by Grimston, Moncrieff,Cheetham,and Leslie."

Harrow School:J.D.Walker,R.C.Moncrieff,W.M.Alfrey,E.W.Burnett,H.G.Phipps,W.Phipps,  
W.E.Grimston,C.Swainson,H.Leslie,W.Mirehouse,F.H.Cheetham.

J.Prior's Eleven:J.Prior,E.E.Bowen,W.J.Hope-Edwardes,E.C.Glyn,G.K.Webster,J.Cruikshank,  
H.Y.Thompson,R.Crompton,J.T.Lang, A.K.Finlay,J.Birley.

MON OCT 13<sup>TH</sup> :

ETON COLLEGE 2 rouges OLD ETONIANS 1 goal (In the Field,Eton)

Bell's Life 19/10/62 P.6:

Eton College:R.W.W.Follett,A.Rickards,A.Lubbock,Hon N.G.Littelton,Hon F.Pelham,  
Earl of Jersey,A.Whittuck,W.R.Griffiths,R.S.Bridges,H.B.Sutherland,A.W.Jervis.

Old Etonians:Rev G.R.Dupuis,L.W.Dent,E.C.Follett,W.T.Trench,J.Schneider,J.R.Selwyn,J.Kinglake,  
H.P.Senhouse,F.Wilson,H.Brandreth,J.H.Dyke.

MON OCT 27<sup>TH</sup>:

WINCHESTER Match :

First Eight 5 Next Fourteen 4 :

Eight:J.N.Pyke(2),J.Still,C.J.Eden(1),J.J.Morgan,T.A aock,W.G.Marshall,H.J.Bissill(1),A.B.Deane(1).

Fourteen:T.P.Price,R.G.Scurfield,H.Evans,R.K.Birley(1),W.B.Banting(1),W.J.Benson(1),W.Lindsay,  
W.P.Thornton,H.Yeatman,W.H.Pearson(1),R.A.Harden,J.Wigram,A.W.Rooke,J.L.Birley.

TUES OCT 28<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER Match:

Rev.J.Marshall's House 3(E.Wylde,C.Bickmore,S.Vidal) Junior Queen's Scholars 1(H.Walker) (At Vincent Square) (Bell's Life 2/11/62 P.7:with teams)

WED OCT 29<sup>TH</sup>

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 DINGLEY DELL 2 (Mowbray,2)(1<sup>st</sup> match of the season for both teams)

Bell's Life 2/11/62 P.7:

BL:"The Charterhouse Eleven played their first match on Wednesday,Oct 29,against the Dingley Dell Club,who also opened their season upon that day.The game commenced at 2.45pm,and continued to be well contested on both sides until 4.16,when the result which had been obtained was two goals in favour of Dingley Dell,both of which were the goals kicked by Mr Mowbray,whose playing throughout,as well as in these two individual instances,was worthy of great praise.The Dingley Dell had a great loss in Mr Sills,who,we are sorry to learn has been incapacitated from playing in consequence of a severe accident;his place,was,however,ably represented by Mr Evans (the Captain),whose kicks during the match were occasionally magnificent.The playing of Mr Hills on the Dingley Dell side was also very good.On the part of the Charterhouse Eleven,considering that Mr J Muir Mackenzie upon this occasion made his debut,it would not be invidious to mention his playing throughout did him much credit,and we hope was only an earnest of equally good performances for the future.The long kicks of G.J.Cookson(the captain) and B.F.Hartshorne were very fine,and their able coadjutors,K.Muir Mackenzie and J.T.Hodgson,following a different course of action,were upon two or three occasions scarcely prevented from arriving at a successful termination of a steady course."

Charterhouse School:G.J.Cookson(Capt.),B.F.Hartshorne,J.Lant,K.A.Muir Mackenzie,J.T.Hodgson,F.R.Somerset,Hon F.S.O'Grady,M.J.Muir Mackenzie,E.P.Eardley-Wilmot,C.E.Boyle,F.K.W.Girdlestone.

Dingley Dell:H.A.Hills,W.H.Woodbridge,R.Cayley,W.K.Fenton,E.W.Stock,C.A.Dawson,J.Fisher,L.P.Evans,Drummond-Smith,Evans,Mowbray.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1(J.O.Williams) E.O.BERENS' SIDE 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 23/11/62 P.7/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL:"On Wednesday,Oct 29,Mr E.O.Berens kindly brought down an eleven to play against the School,when,after an hour's hard play,J.O.Williams very cleverly kicked a game for the School.Ends were now changed,and though Mr Harding (for the Visitors)tried,if possible,with more than his usual determination,"Time" was called before the Visitors could regain their lost laurels."

Westminster School:J.O.Williams,C.J.H.Chepmell,J.M.Yates,G.T.M.O'Brien,C.Bull,W.B.Besly,G.H.Pember,W.W.C.Lane,B.Preston,W.Giles,T.Vidal.

E.O.Berens' Side:+E.O.Berens,+H.Steward,+B.N.Thoms,+J.Harding,+W.Williams,+A.Severn,H.Chapman, ++J.Chapman,++M.Thoms,++J.Dowdeswell,++J.Tayloe.+O.W's ++Emergencies

WED NOV 5<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 2 (R.B.Yorke,J.T.Hodgson/E.P.Eardley-Wilmot:see below) GRAND  
AMALGAMATED MEDIOCRITIES 3(W.F.Knapp,H.C.Malkin,O.W.Fuller) (In the Cloisters,Charterhouse)

Bell's Life 23/11/62 P.7:

BL:“Although all idea of playing had been given up,several substantial representatives of the side to which they belong made their appearance at 2.40pm,and were shortly followed by reinforcements. Considering the very unadvantageous state of Under Green for the purposes for which it was intended(due to the incessant rain),it was decided to play in Cloisters.Upon that account the Charterhouse side had at first some advantage,although there were five Old Carthusians playing for the Grand Amalgamated Mediocrities,to whom the many misteries of “Middle Briars”-the windows-the bars-the rough projecting stones in the wall,which at times have a singularly unpleasant effect upon the inexperienced players,were perfectly intelligible.Suffice it,however,to say that playing began at 3.12 p.m.,and within the first five minutes a game was cleverly won by R.B.Yorke for Charterhouse in a manner very laudable upon his part.This was followed in about 20 minutes afterwards by another of a similar character,the credit of which was to be attributed jointly to J.T.Hodgson and E.P.Eardley-Wilmot.After a lapse of about a quarter of an hour a game was got in favour of the G.A.M. by W.F.Knapp,which was soon succeeded by another won by H.C.Malkin,to both of whom in former years the scene of action had not been unknown.At this time the darkness, which was considerably augmented by the inopportune arrival of a London fog,made the playing a matter of much difficulty,which was finally cleared up at 4.15 p.m. by the termination of the fifth game,when the G.A.M. were for the third time victorious;but,on account of the almost universal obscurity,it was hard to ascertain whether or not O.W.Fuller had done the good service for his side.The Charterhouse Eleven were unfortunately deprived of the valuable and energetic services of K.Mackenzie,F.R.Somerset,and C.J.Hawkins,but in mentioning the fact we are not actuated by motives of wishing to cast any reflection whatsoever upon the manner in which their substitutes supplied their places.The great disideratum on the School side was weight,G.J.Cookson and J.Lant alone being up to what might have been the average of each of the opposite side.Without saying anything to the disparagement of others,we may especially mention the playing of Mr Malkin,who supplied the knowledge which he has so long had and so judiciously excercised to the several incidents of this well-contested game.”

Charterhouse School:G.J.Cookson,B.F.Hartshorne,J.Lant,J.T.Hodgson,Hon F.S.O'Grady,  
M.I.Muir Mackenzie,C.E.Boyle,E.P.Eardley-Wilmot,R.B.Yorke,F.K.W.Girdlestone,C.Goldney.

Grand Amalgamated Mediocrities:H.C.Malkin,G.Cardale,J.W.Irvine,C.Mowbray,A.Mowbray,A.Wilson,  
W.F.Knapp,O.W.Fuller,Witham,Holland,Evans.

THURS NOV 6<sup>TH</sup> :

ETON COLLEGE 1 rouge OXFORD OLD ETONIANS 1 rouge (In the Field,Eton)

Bell's Life 23/11/62 P.7:

Eton College :R.Follett,A.Lubbock,E.W.Tritton,W.S.Prideaux,E.A.Whittuck,W.R.Griffiths,  
R.S.Bridge,Earl of Jersey,S.Fremantle,A.Pochin,H.Hadow.

Oxford Etonians:E.C.Follett,W.M.Leney,H.Gosling,O.Mordaunt,J.Horner,W.H.Hoare,S.C.Smith,  
F.E.Hopwood,P.Hulton,J.Round.

SAT NOV 8<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 3 (H.Elliott,J.Francklin,C.F.Buller) OXFORD HARROVIANS 0

Bell's Life 16/11/62 Supplement P.2:

BL:"The annual match between Harrow School and an old Harrovian team from Oxford was played on Saturday,Nov 8.The former were deprived of the services of Walker,Moncrieff,Phipps,and Mirehouse,but their +substitutes proved very effective,and the general good play of the Schoolgained a victory by three bases to none,got by Elliott,Francklin,and Buller." +scoring all 3 goals!

Harrow School:J.D.Walker(C.F.Buller),R.C.Moncrieff(H.Elliott),W.M.Allfrey,W.T.Phipps,  
H.J.Phipps(W.Kennedy),E.W.Burnett,W.E.Grimston,C.L.Hornby,W.Mirehouse(J.Francklin),H.Leslie,  
E.G.Swainson,F.H.Cheetham,J.Birley,A.K.Finlay,Lord G.Hamilton,W.O.Hewlett,W.A.Hamilton.

Oxford Harrovians:R.D.Walker,T.W.Master,E.E.Bowen,C.H.Hall,E.C.Glyn,A.Clutterbuck,  
E.A.Bigg,R.Bagwell,G.K.Webster,J.B.Martin,C.F.Wilson,W.Hope-Edwardes,C.F.Reid,  
E.H.Selfe,G.B.Eyre,C.Leslie,Lord Ormonde.

TUES NOV 11<sup>TH</sup> :

WINCHESTER College Game:

Field 15/11/62 P.451/Bell's Life 16/11/62 P.7:

College Twenty-Two 4 College Twenty-Two 11 (H.T. 1-6)

F:"This game was played on Tuesday,the 11<sup>th</sup>,having been +postponed from the previous Thursday.The day was all that could be desired.The first two goals for Commoners were kicked by Marshall and Pyke(Capt.);Foster,then,by means of a capital "flyer",gained the first goal for College,and the game stood at the half hour-Commoners 6,College 1.College now had the wind in their favour,but could not succeed in heading their opponents,whose weight told against the College throughout.The game ended in-Commoners 11, College 4.The kicking of Foster and Mitchell was very good on the side of the College,and it was lucky for the winning side that they succeeded in keeping so well up with the ball.The up-play of Cripps,Deedes,and Horner was also very conspicuous. On the winning side the kicking of Marshall was frequently applauded,and was well seconded by the up-play of Still,Eden,Morgan,Bullock,&. We were sorry to see so few Old Wykehamists present, especially from Oxford." +on account of the weather

College:Foster,2,Michell,Cripps,Deedes,Horner,Wilmot,Robinson,Kensington,Bowen,King,Haygarth,  
Walker,sen,Wilkinson,Shadwell,Tuck,Allen,1,Walker,jun,Teesdale,Adams,1,Nutt,Godby,Genn.

Commoners:J.N.Pyke,2,J.Still,C.J.Eden,J.J.Morgan,T.L.Bullock,4,W.G.Marshall,1,J.H.Bissell,1,  
H.B.Deane,T.P.Price,R.G.Scurfield,H.Evans,W.J.Benson,+(R.K.)Birley,W.P.Thornton,  
W.B.Banting,W.Lindsay,H.Yeatman,1,+Wesley,2,J.Wigram,W.H.Pearson,R.A.Harden,A.W.Rooke.

N.B+ J.L.Birley listed instead of Wesley for the First 8 v Next Fourteen Match:initials from that match

WED NOV 12<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1(J.T.Hodgson) DINGLEY DELL 2(H.A.Hills,W.K.Fenton) (Return) (At Under Green)

Bell's Life 23/11/62 P.7:

BL:"The Dingley Dell Club played their return match with the Charterhouse Eleven, on Wednesday, Nov 12, upon which occasion they got two games, whilst one was obtained in favour of the School. By 2.45pm, when playing began, Under Green, having previously been under the action of a severe frost, had been resolved by the sun into such a slippery state as materially tended to contribute to all the disagreeable episodes usually attending a game contested under such unfavourable circumstances. Notwithstanding the opposition which had been meditated by the adverse condition of the atmosphere, there ensued a remarkably good game. It would be needless to mention the several events in order, so we will, therefore, confine ourselves to the task of passing an eulogy upon those players whose exploits during the course of the afternoon rendered them more particularly egregious. Mr Hills, on the side of Dingley Dell, ever since he has played at Charterhouse, has on each occasion proved a more formidable opponent than he previously was, and in no lesser degree upon the present occasion did he preserve the reputation which has so justly attached to his name by winning a game for his side in a most praiseworthy manner. His efforts were excellently seconded by G. Follett, whom we hope to be able to notice again; R. Cayley, to whom the remarks upon Mr Hills will equally apply; and W. K. Fenton, who won the other game for Dingley Dell. For Charterhouse, B. F. Hartshorne, and J. T. Hodgson played well, nor were the services of F. R. Somerset and F. S. O'Grady less to be appreciated; the two former, together with C. J. Hawkins, were instrumental in the success which the School achieved, J. T. Hodgson giving the finishing kick towards obtaining the goal. G. Brodie was kind enough to play for Charterhouse in the place of K. Mackenzie, and his assistance deserves a well-merited recognition."

Charterhouse School: G. Brodie, G. J. Cookson, B. F. Hartshorne, J. Lant, J. T. Hodgson, C. J. Hawkins, F. R. Somerset, Hon F. S. O'Grady, M. J. Muir Mackenzie, E. P. Eardley-Wilmot, C. E. Boyle.

Dingley Dell: W. K. Fenton, R. Cayley, C. A. Dawson, A. Rutter, R. D. Cleasby, E. H. Allen, H. A. Hills, F. Fearon, H. C. Marindin, T. H. Earle, F. E. Prothero, G. Follett.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 TRINITY COLLEGE, CAMBRIDGE 0

Bell's Life 30/11/62 Supplement P.2 /Bell's Life 7/12/62 P.7/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL:"Mr Marshall having kindly brought down an eleven from Trinity College, Cambridge,, on Wednesday, Nov 12, fine game was played for an hour and a half, with no result on either side."

Westminster School: C. J. H. Chepmell, G. T. M. O'Brien, J. M. Yates, W. B. Besly, G. H. Pember, W. W. C. Lane, C. Bull, F. Giles, (W.) Whittaker, B. Preston, M. O. Sim.

Trinity College: H. M. Marshall, A. Wright, A. H. Harrison, P. R. Worsley, G. M. Osborn, A. C. Onslow, A. Walker, H. C. Russell, E. H. Wynne, W. Trench, R. Peel. (First 8 are O.W.'s)

SAT NOV 15<sup>TH</sup> :

KINGSTON 1(A.H.Mowbray) DINGLEY DELL 0 (Field owned by R.Cobb,Surbiton Lodge)

Bell's Life 23 /11/62 P.7:

BL:"This match was played at Surbiton,on Saturday,Nov 15,and was contested with great spirit.Kingston was victorious by one goal,kicked by A.H.Mowbray,whose play throughout the game was excellent.On the side of D.D. the ubiquitous energy and never-failing skill of Cleasby were of inestimable service.Both clubs are indebted to the hospitality of R.Cobb,Esq,who not only lent his field to play in,but kindly recruited the somewhat exhausted strength of the players,when the game was over,with a liberal and timely supply of refreshments of the right sort."

Kingston:T.Bell,C.C.Mowbray,A.H.Mowbray,W.Holberton,C.A.Dunn,A.Vesey,E.Bayliss,  
R.Wharton,G.T.Holdsworth.

Dingley Dell:L.P.Evans,E.H.Allen,R.D.Cleasby,W.K.Fenton,R.Cayley,C.A.Dawson,H.C.Marindin,  
A.Rutter,Drummond Smith.

ELIZABETHAN CLUB 2 OLD CHARLTON 2 (At Old Charlton Ground)

Bell's Life 23/11/62 P.7:

BL:"On Saturday,Nov 15,an eleven of the E.C. met a team of Old Charlton on the ground of the latter.Although the weather was unfavourable and the ground heavy,play was kept up with unflagging zeal,and each party at its close had obtained two games,and,notwithstanding a compromise,some inconvenience was felt throughout the match,in consequence of the difference in the rules of the respective clubs.Barker,Besly,and Pember did good service for the E.C.;and for Charlton,Saville,Verner,Jocelyn,and Invererity distinguished themselves."

Elizabethan Club:G.H.Pember,W.B.Besly,C.M.Barker,A.Winter,A.Stewart,R.Egerton,W.Phillimore,  
A.Downie,A.Mackey,H.Trevor,E?.Dowdeswell.

Old Charlton:Verner,Saville,Jocelyn,Dunn,Parnell,Invararity,Girandot,Dashwood,  
Cresswell,Vanneck,Brander,Davernet.

WED NOV 19<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1(Not recorded) DINGLEY DELL 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 23/11/62 P.7/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL:"This match was played at Vincent-square on Wednesday,Nov 19,and after a well-contested game was decided in favour of Westminster by one goal to none.The play of Messrs Evans and Fenton for Dingley Dell,and Messrs Yates and O'Brien for Westminster was very spirited and kept up well throughout."

Westminster School:J.O.Williams,E.J.Chepmell,G.T.M.O'Brien,J.M.Yates,C.Bull,G.H.Pember,  
W.B.Besly,W.W.C.Lane,M.O.Sim,F.Giles,B.Preston.

Dingley Dell:L.P.Evans,G.H.Allen,W.K.Fenton,R.D.Cleasby,R.Cayley,T.H.Earle,G.Follett,W.Latham,  
A.Rutter,A.H.Hills,E.J.Foster.



CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 GRAND AMALGAMATED MEDIOCRITIES (Mr Cardale's Eleven) 0  
(Return)(At Under Green,Charterhouse)

Bell's Life 30/11/62 Supplement P.2:

BL:"Mr Malkin,as well as Mr Cardale,in no way detracted from the prestige which is so justly associated with their names;nor should we wish to pass over in silence the playing of Mr Evans or of Mr A.Mowbray,together with his brother,whilst at the same time we must regret that the individual exertions of these latter two gentlemen should have met with such an untoward termination as a sprained ankle in the one case,and grievous bodily injuries in the other.For Charterhose the captain, G.J.Cookson,was up to his usual standard of excellence,and upon one occasion was by very little prevented from getting a game by O.W.Fuller when the ball was within a yard from the goal;it was also a remarkable coincidence that an exactly similar case occurred for the other side,when O.W.Fuller's praiseworthy attempt was in a similar manner frustrated by J.T.Hodgson.J.Lant's exertion had the effect of producing a more manifest result than when he does not call his ample resources into requisition.C.E.Boyle's playing was also above the average and deserves its due shares of our encomiums.By 4.15pm,which had been settled as the hour for leaving off playing,we were sorry to perceive that in reality "the shades of night were falling fast",and that fact,therefore, afforded an undeniable cause for concluding a good game,which had been attended with no specific result.The new rules which the eleven had lately drawn up were now used for the second time,and appeared to be well adapted for all the purposes which they are intended to secure.,although once or twice,difficulties,not,however,insuperable,arose from ignorance of the clauses therein contained."

Charterhouse School:G.J.Cookson,B.F.Hartshorne,J.Lant,K.Muir Mackenzie,J.T.Hodgson,C.J.Hawkins, F.R.Somerset,Hon F.O'Grady,M.J.Muir Mackenzie,E.P.Eardley-Wilmot,C.E.Boyle.

Mr Cardale's Eleven(G.A.M.):G.Cardale,H.C.Malkin,A.Mowbray,C.Mowbray,A.Wilson,O.W.Fuller, W.G.H.Shaw,F.Wyatt,W.F.Knapp,F.P.Evans,Witham.

THURS NOV 20<sup>TH</sup>

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 2(J.M.Yates,+Another) OLD WESTMINSTERS 0 (At Vincent Square)

+CHECK WSFL

Bell's Life 23/11/62 P.7/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL:"The game commenced at three o'clock,and though for some time the "Ancients" succeeded in keeping the ball pretty well in their adversaries' goal,they could not succeed in obtaining the wished-for game,though several very good attempts were made by Hunt,Thoms,Barker,and Monck.After about three-quarters of an hour the condition and practice of the School began to tell,and a game was successfully kicked for the present Westminsters by Yates.A great many tremendous rushes were made by the "old-uns" to retrieve their loss,but without success,,for the School succeeded in kicking another game just before 4.30."

Westminster School:C.J.H.Chepmell,J.M.Yates,W.B.Besly,G.T.M.O'Brien,G.H.Pember, W.W.C.Lane,F.Giles,B.Preston,M.O.Sim,F.Whittaker(emergency),J.Tayloe(emergency).

Old Westminster: B.N. Thoms, H. Steward, H.A. Hunt, E.O. Berens, C. Barker, H. Monck, + M. Thoms, + A. Major, + J. Severn, G. Dowdeswell, + J. Bird. + Emergencies.

SAT NOV 22<sup>ND</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 2 (W.E. Grimston, Another) CAMBRIDGE HARROVIANS 1 (Not recorded) (At Harrow)

Bell's Life 30/11/62 Supplement P.2:

BL: "A very well-contested match was played at Harrow, on Saturday, Nov 22, between the School and a Cambridge team brought down by J.A. Cruikshank, Esq. Cambridge won the toss for choice of bases, and kicked the first base. The School, however, soon made a tie, and five minutes before the end Grimston made a good catch just in front of base, which gave the victory to the School by 2 bases to 1."

Harrow School: I.D. Walker, R.C. Moncrieff, W.M. Alfrey, W.T. Phipps (E. Elliot), H.G. Phipps, E.W. Burnett, W.E. Grimston, C.L. Hornby, W.E. Mirehouse, F.H. Cheetham, E.G. Swainson, H. Leslie, A.K. Finlay, W.O. Hewlett, C.F. Buller, Lord G. Hamilton.

Cambridge: J.A. Cruikshank, A.W. Daniel, E.E. Bowen, H.L. Williams, H.J. Medlycott, G.K. Webster, J. Prior, C.H. Hall, C.D. Alexander, V.K. Armitage, W. Hope-Edwardes, L. Hope-Edwardes, C.H. Talbot, R. Crompton, J. Lang, J. Terry.

LANCING COLLEGE 2 rouges BRIGHTON COLLEGE 0 (At Lancing)

Bell's Life 30/11/62 Supplement P.2:

Lancing: Snowden, Slocock, Hilton, Beresford, Knapp, Wise, Brown, Harper, Smith, White, Farmer, Baker.

Brighton: Lucas, Carpenter, Carr, Margary, Sinnoc(?), Thomas, Warwick, Griffith, Gray, Hilbus(?), Rigden, Master.

WED NOV 26<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1 (F.R. Somerset) G.H. SHAW'S ELEVEN 0 (At Under Green, Charterhouse)

Bell's Life 7/12/62 P.7:

BL: "This discrepancy in point of numbers between the two sides was obviated at about ten minutes to three, when the delinquent made his appearance and No 12 took his departure; but by that time a game had been won in favour of Charterhouse, being the result of a long kick by F.R. Somerset, which arrived at the unwary goal-keeper at a time when he must either have been in an unfortunate state of mental aberration, or else enraptured in contemplation of some imaginary phenomenon of nature unconnected with the game;..... The more egregious on the side of Charterhouse upon this occasion were F.R. Somerset, whose playing calls for special commendation, and F.S. O'Grady, who, if possible, eclipsed his former well-known brilliances. J. Lant did much good service, and a most suitable substitute was found in the person of R.B. Yorke, whose playing in every particular gave him the greatest credit." + "the temporary absence of one of the School side and the addition of a twelfth man to the forces of the adversary"

Charterhouse:G.J.Cookson,B.F.Hartshorne,J.Lant,J.T.Hodgson,F.R.Somerset,C.J.Hawkins,  
Hon F.S.O'Grady,M.J.Muir Mackenzie,E.P.Eardley-Wilmot,C.E.Boyle,R.B.Yorke.

G.H.Shaw's Eleven:G.H.Shaw,G.Cardale,H.Maturin,R.S.Stone,W.F.Knapp,F.Wyatt,T.F.Raven,  
G.H.Orton,J.Jacques,J.A.Bloxham,C.Duncomb.

SAT NOV 29th :

FOREST SCHOOL,WALTHAMSTOW 3(F.Crowther,W.Gardner,G.Garraway) ELIZABETHAN CLUB 0 (At  
Forest School Ground)

Bell's Life 7/12/62 P.7:

BL:"It was contested well throughout,but at its close ,despite the gallant efforts made by the  
E.C.,fortune was declared against them,and the School was victorious by three games.Adams played  
exceedingly well,and Crowther,Gardner,and Garroway obtained their games in a masterly manner  
for their side;while Thoms,Lane,and Trevor did good service for the Club.The latter was,  
unfortunately,deprived of the effective services of one of its most members,and,consequently,had  
to play with only 10 men."

Forest School:J.Adams,G.Garraway,F.Crowther,B.Stow,R.Grantham,G.Browne,C.Carver,  
J.Ellis,W.Gardner,A.Turner,A.Cressy.

Elizabethan Club:B.N.Thoms,W.W.C.Lane,M.O.Sim,W.Phillimore,A.Stewart,  
H.Trevor,R.Egerton,A.Downie, A.Winter,S.Williams(10 men).

BARNES 2 (Hives,Gregory)RICHMOND 0 (Best of 3 goals)(At Barn Elms Park,Thames,nr Putney)

Bell's Life 7/12/62 Supplement P.1/Field 6/12/62 P.522/Sporting Life 3/12/62 P.4(Same Reports):

F:"On Saturday,the 29<sup>th</sup> ult.,an interesting game was contested between the above-named clubs at  
Barn Elms Park,a pretty suitable spot on the Thames,near Putney,and in the presence of a large  
number of spectators,including many of the fair sex.The challenge emanated from the Richmond  
club,the Barnes Club only having been in existence a short time,but already numbering a great many  
members,and consequently powerful,the result was a complete victory over the Richmond team  
whose members principally belong to a military college.The game being the first two goals in three ,  
each goal was gained in about twenty minutes;the first,from an excellent kick from the hand of Mr  
Hives;the second by a running kick from Mr Gregory of Barnes –notwithstanding the spirited and  
plucky play of the Richmond Club.The return match will be played on Richmond Green on Saturday  
Dec 13 inst.,when we anticipate a treat from the excellent play of both sides."

ETON WALL GAME : Upon St Andrews Day 1841-1901 P.22

Collegers 0 Oppidans 13 Shies

Collegers:W.D.Bodkin,R.H.Lewis, E.J.G.Dupuis(Walls),A.C.Talbot,H.J.Parsons(Seconds), R.Freeth,  
C.J.Bulteel(Capt.), J.Cole(Outsides),+ W.More-Molyneux,C.R.Moore, W.D.Rawlins(Behinds). +Played  
instead of R.G.Marsden

Oppidans:E.A.Whittuck,W.S.Prideaux,W.R.Griffiths(Walls),A.Lubbock(Capt.),A.Pochin(Seconds),  
R.W.W.Follett,E.W.Tritton,A.Pope(Outsides),Hon. N.G.Littleton,A.Rickards,R.S.Bridges(Behinds)

N.B. Not A.W.W.Follett as per Pawson Book

“Contrary to what was generally expected,Oppidans proved altogether superior.The loss of Marsden undoubtedly was a great one,but Collegers were entirely defeated in calx,none of their eleven standing any chance against Lubbock,who played splendidly.The play out of calx was very fair.”

TUES DEC 2<sup>ND</sup> :

\*CAMBRIDGE ETONIANS 0 CAMBRIDGE HARROVIANS 0 (At Trinity Cricket Ground)

Bell's Life 21/12/62 P.7:

Etonians:Peel,Scholfield,E.W.Chapman,Gurdon,Wynne,Chambers,Dodington,(S.F.)Cleasby,  
Hon N.G.Littelton,Trench,Selwyn.

Harrovians:Cruikshank,Prior,Daniel,Hon H.Strutt,Williams,Medlycott, C.D.Alexander,  
Currey,Warner,Hardcastle,Crompton.

Umpires:Messrs Herne and Thornton.Referee:Rev.R.Burn.

\*N.B Special rules(set out at below) were drawn up by a committee for this game (these are set out in the Harrow Tyro 1/11/63 P.53 in a letter addressed to the Editor “as the question of universal Football Rules is now under discussion”:see below ).The correspondent reports:“These rules were observed without any difficulty;no dispute took place;the only unsatisfactory result of the game was that(owing,I think,to the insufficient width of the bases) it ended in a tie,no bases being obtained by either side.I enclose the rules:they may seem over-particular,but it was necessary to provide for the possibility of dispute.”J.A.C.

\*Rules drawn up for a Match at Football,to be played between Etonian and Harrovian Resident Members of the University:

1.That there be eleven a-side;also that a Captain and Umpire be chosen on each side;the Captain to manage his side,and all appeals to the Umpire to be made through the Captain only.The Captains and Umpires shall appoint a neutral person as referee,whose decision upon appeal from the Umpires in every case shall be final.

2.The choice of Bases or Goals and kick off shall be determined by tossing;the Captains shall also toss for choice of ball;provided that if two matches are played,the side losing the toss in the first match, shall play with their own ball in the second match.

3.The Bases shall be twelve feet between the poles,the poles themselves not exceeding twenty feet in height,and being joined at the top by a string.

The length of the ground shall be one hundred and fifty yards,and the breadth one hundred yards.

4. The Games shall last for an hour and a quarter;at the expiration of half the time the Umpires shall call “change”;and the sides shall change their Bases.

5.The Ball shall be kicked off from the middle of the ground, half-way between the two Bases, at the beginning and change of the Game, and after a Base is obtained by either side; the "kick off" being always in the same direction.

6.All charging is fair; but holding, pushing with the hands, tripping up, shinning, and back-shinning are forbidden. No nails are allowed in boots unless even with the sole.

7.If the Ball shall go beyond the prescribed limits of the Game, whether behind the line of Bases, or at the side, it shall be out of play, and must be kicked straight in again to the Game. No player shall intentionally kick the ball behind the line of his own base.

8.The Ball when in play may be stopped by any part of the body, but may not be held or hit by the hands, arms, or shoulders.

9.A Base is obtained when the Ball being in play shall pass between the base-poles.

10.When there are three or less than three of the opposite side between any player and his opponents' base, and the Ball is kicked to him from the direction of his own base, he shall be considered sneaking or behind, and is out of play, until another has touched the ball."

WED DEC 3<sup>RD</sup> :

OXFORD HARROVIANS 3 (J.B.Martin 2, C.F.Wilson) CAMBRIDGE HARROVIANS 0 (First Match)(Christ Church New Cricket Ground)

"The contents of the ground marked out was about 120 yards square"(Info in all papers)

Oxford Chronicle and Reading Gazette 6/12/62 P.7/Oxford University and City Herald 6/12/62 P.9/  
Cambridge Chronicle 13/12/62 P.5/Bell's Life 7/12/62 P.7/Sporting Life 6/12/62 P.4:

Oxford:C.H.Hall(Exeter), R.D.Walker(Brasenose), J.B.Martin(Exeter), C.F.Reid(Christ Church),  
R.Bagwell(Christ Church), C.F.Wilson(University), J.Thompson(University), E.C.Glyn(University),  
C.E.Leslie(Christ Church), W.Jenkins(University), E.A.Bigg(Pembroke).

Cambridge(all of Trinity):H.J.Medlycott, J.A.Cruikshank, J.Prior, A.W.Daniel, Hon. F.Kenyon,  
W.H.Christie, G.T.Warner, V.R.Armitage, H.Hardcastle, P.M.Thornton(per H.J.Wheeler), L.Edwardes(per  
G.B.Eyre)

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 G.H.SHAW'S ELEVEN 0 (Return)(At Under Green, Charterhouse)

Bell's Life 14/12/62 P.6:

BL:"The Charterhouse Eleven finished their season, as far as "foreign" matches are concerned, on Wednesday, Dec 3, "...Mr Malkin played for Charterhouse as a substitute""The Eleven, unfortunately, will hereafter be deprived of the much esteemed services of F.R.Somerset, C.J.Hawkins, and E.P.Eardley-Wilmot..."

Charterhouse School:G.J.Cookson, B.F.Hartshorne, J.Lant, J.T.Hodgson, F.R.Somerset, C.J.S.Hawkins,  
Hon. F.S.O'Grady, M.J.Muir Mackenzie, C.E.Boyle, E.L.Pearson, H.C.Malkin(Substitute).

G.H.Shaw's Eleven:G.H.Shaw,G.Cardale,W.F.Knapp,G.H.P.Evans,H.Maturin,R.S.Stone,I.F.Raven,  
B.J.Vernon,F.Wyatt,J.A.Bloxam,C.B.D.Duncombe.

TUES DEC 9<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 0 WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 21/12/62 P.7:CHECK WSFL

BL:"This match was played at Vincent Square on Tuesday,Dec 9<sup>th</sup>,and,as was the case last year,the time was up before either side was victorious.The play of Messrs Moncrieff,and Buller for Harrow, and Messrs Yates and Sim for Westminster,was very good."

FRI DEC 12<sup>TH</sup> :

ETON COLLEGE 0 WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 21/12/62 P.7/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL:"This match was played on Friday,Dec 12,at Vincent-square,but the game was brought to a conclusion by an accident before a goal had been obtained by either party."

Eton:R.W.W.Follett,Hon N.G.Littellton,G.S.Bridges,G.H.Tritton,Hon H.Pelham,Earl of Jersey,  
R.Griffiths,J.Forsyth,S.T.Fremantle,J.Frederick,H.P.Hadow.

Westminster:J.O.Williams,C.J.H.Chepmell,J.M.Yates,G.T.M.O'Brien,C.Bull,G.H.Pember,W.B.Besly,  
F.Giles,W.W.C.Lane,W.Whittaker,M.O.Sim.

SAT DEC 13<sup>TH</sup> :

BARNES 1 (Gregory) RICHMOND 0 (Return)(Richmond Green)("Draw" because best of 3 goals)

Sporting Life 20/12/62 P.4/Bell's Life 21/12/62 P.7:

SL:"...at length,about fifteen yards directly in front of the Richmond base,made his mark,and by a drop kick won the first goal in twenty minutes.Ends were changed...

BL:"...the Barnes gentlemen obtaining one goal almost immediately after the game commenced,by a kick from Mr Gregory,that gentleman catching the ball close in front of the Richmond goal.After which the play continued for upwards of one hour and a half without either side being able to obtain the slightest advantage.Although the day was far from favourable there were several hundreds of people on the ground,who took a lively interest in the game.For Richmond Messrs Marryat(Captain),\*Hodgson,Anderson,A.T.Danvers,and Roland Danvers played,as also did Messrs Morley(Captain),Gregory,and Hives for Barnes."\*SL has Hudson

SL:"The gentlemen of the respective clubs afterwards dined at the Talbot Hotel."

SAT DEC 20<sup>TH</sup> (3<sup>rd</sup> game between these clubs)

BARNES 0 RICHMOND 2

Sporting Life 24/12/62 P.3 :

SL: "On Saturday last these clubs met at Barnes Elm Park to play a friendly match, and, as the codes of rules adopted by the two sides differed considerably, some mutual concessions had to be made in order to "put them together". It is much to be regretted that no recognised or universal laws for the regulation of the exciting and healthful game of "football" exist, nor can it be surprising that disputes or misunderstandings should occasionally arise during the progress of the game. A strong nor'wester was blowing hard and piercingly cold, which probably deterred many from patronising the sport, but there was a tolerable sprinkling of lookers-on, and amongst them a large instalment of ladies. The Barnes Club is of recent institution, and had previously played two games; the first on this same spot three weeks ago, with the Richmond Club, which they defeated, winning two goals out of three. On the 12<sup>th</sup> inst the return match was played at Richmond, and terminated in a draw; Barnes having got the first goal in twenty minutes, but after one hour and a quarter's struggle without any decisive issue, darkness necessitated the cessation of hostilities. The Blackheath Club mustered a very powerful and organised team of fifteen, under the captaincy of Mr Burnett, and the Barnes party played very weak, Messrs Hives, Hornidge, and Greenhill, three of their best men, being absent, and their goalkeeper's locomotion being in some measure impeded by a hurt received during the last match. The Blackheath men won the toss, and had first kick, and in about five minutes obtained a goal. The goals were then changed, and an exciting struggle took place for the mastery, but the almost constant proximity of the ball to the Barnes' boundary told very plainly that they were considerably over-matched. The good play of Captain Morley (who appeared "ubiquitous"), as also that of Messrs Gregory, Willis, and Roberts, notwithstanding. At length, by a very fine kick, the ball was "landed" far home in the adversaries' territory by the Blackheath party, making their second goal. In the next and last bout one or two dangerous melees took place, when Captain Morley had a narrow escape of being "garotted", but his strong arm, and the close proximity of his knuckles to the cranium of some of his assailants, who were out of play, besides infringing LAW VII, obtained his release, and the game proceeded with the utmost good humour; but as the terms of victory were the most goals between a quarter-past three and half-past four, it was evident Barnes had no chance, and twilight soon put an end to the proceedings, Blackheath having given Barnes its first "flogging." The return match will be played on an early day at Blackheath. A select party dined afterwards at Hest Wilcox's, the White Hart, Barnes."

TUES JAN 27<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 CRUSADERS 1 (M.Thoms) (At Under Green, Charterhouse) (First Foreign Match after Christmas)

N.B. Charterhouse Football History has Jan 28<sup>th</sup>.

Bell's Life 1/2/63 P.6:

BL: "About a quarter-past, K.A. Mackenzie kicked the ball in such a manner that under ordinary circumstances a game would have been allowed for Charterhouse, but some unfortunate accident had happened to the pegs which tightened the cord, so that it was hanging slack, and deviating considerably from the straight line, and would not admit the ball under the required limits. In a short time the Crusaders were more successful, and a kick from M.Thoms, near the adversaries' base, had the effect of rendering his side victorious. The game thus concluded at 4 p.m." (Having commenced at 2 pm)

Charterhouse School:G.J.Cookson,J.Lant,K.A.Muir Mackenzie,J.T.Hodgson,Hon F.S.O'Grady,  
M.J.Muir Mackenzie,C.E.Boyle,E.L.Pearson,A.C.Seymour,H.H.Cameron,W.W.Cooper.

Crusaders:H.T.Steward,M.Thoms,R.D.Cleasby,B.N.Thoms,J.Harding,E.O.Berens,H.A.Hunt,H.C.Malkin,  
M.Nepean,and +G.S.Davies and +L.Ogden +Emergencies .

SAT JAN 31<sup>ST</sup> :

FOREST SCHOOL,WALTHAMSTOW 1 (Adams) ELIZABETHAN CLUB 0

Bell's Life 15/2/63 P.6:

BL:"After about an hour a goal was cleverly kicked for the School by Adams,and the Club,though  
often nearly,never quite succeed in getting it back.Adams' play is deserving of all praise,and Yates  
and Chepmell for the Club did wonders."

Forest School:Adams,Garraway,Carver,Mackerell,Ellis,Gardner,Turner,Charrington,  
Edmunds,Cutbill,Chilcott.

Elizabethans:B.N.Thoms,C.J.H.Chepmell,J.M.Yates,W.W.C.Lane,A.Stewart,H.Trevor,E.J.Chepmell,  
W.B.Besly,E.Dowdeswell,R.Egerton,H.Walker(emergency).

WED FEB 4<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1 (J.M.Yates) CRUSADERS 2 (B.N.Thoms,H.C.Malkin) (At Vincent Square)  
(First Foreign Match after Christmas)

Bell's Life 8/2/63 P.7/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL:"On Wednesday,Feb 4 Westminster played their first match after Christmas against the  
Crusaders..."The game resulted in a victory for the Crusaders,who obtained two goals to their  
adversaries' one.The goals were kicked by B.Thoms and H.Malkin on behalf of the visitors,and that  
for Westminster by J.M.Yates.C.J.H.Chepmell,J.M.Yates,and G.Dowdeswell played well for  
Westminster,as also did H.Malkin,J.Harding,R.Cleasy,and E.O.Berens for the Crusaders."

Westminster School:C.J.H.Chepmell,J.M.Yates,W.B.Besly,G.H.Pember,W.W.C.Lane,M.O.Sim,F.Giles,  
B.Preston,F.A.Whitaker,G.Dowdeswell,A.Dowdeswell.

Crusaders:E.O.Berens,R.D.Cleasby,J.Harding,H.A.Hunt,H.C.Malkin,J.Monroe,H.Lipscombe,  
H.Steward,M.Thoms,B.Thoms,J.Wharton.

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1 (Hon F.S.O'Grady) DINGLEY DELL 0

Bell's Life 15/2/63 P.6:

BL:"On Feb 4 a match was played between Charterhouse and Dingley Dell,which ended in favour of  
the former by one goal to none.The goal for Charterhouse was kicked by O'Grady who played  
remarkably well."

Charterhouse School:B.F.Hartshorne,J.Lant,K.A.Muir Mackenzie,M.J.Muir Mackenzie,J.T.Hodgson,  
Hon F.S.O'Grady,C.E.Boyle,E.L.Pearson,L.Ogden,C.A.Sumner,G.E.Smythe.



Dingley Dell:W.K.Fenton,R.Cayley,(T.H.)Earle,F.Fearon,A.Rutter,(E.J.)Fo(r)ster, (J.)Fisher,  
(H.C.)Marindin,and 3 emergencies.

WED FEB 11<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 DINGLEY DELL 0 (Return)(At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 22/2/63 P.7/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL:"This return match was played at Vincent-square,on Wednesday,Feb 11,and although the efforts on both sides were considerable,no game was scored after an hour and a half of hard play.For Westminster,Yates,O'Brien,G and A Dowdeswell played very well."

Westminster School:C.J.H.Chepmell,J.M.Yates,G.T.M.O'Brien,W.B.Besly,G.H.Pember,  
W.W.C.Lane,M.O.Sim,J.E.Tayloe,B.Preston,F.Giles,A.Dowdeswell,G.Dowdeswell,F.A.Whittaker.

Dingley Dell:R.Cayley,(W.K.)Fenton,R.D.Cleasby,H.A.Hills,F.Fearon,A.Rutter,D.Smith,E.H.Allen,  
G.Follett,F.Earle,J.Fisher,C.A.Dawson,A.J.Wilkinson,W.H.Deverell.

TUES FEB 17<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 2 (J.M.Yates,A.Dowdeswell) CRUSADERS 1(A.Park:assisted by H.C.Malkin)  
(Return)(At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 22/2/63 P.7/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL:"The Crusaders visited Vincent-square to play their return match on Shrove Tuesday,Feb 17, reversing the verdict which had been given against them on the 4<sup>th</sup> inst by obtaining two goals to their adversaries' one.The case is to come on again for trial on the 4<sup>th</sup> March.The goals were kicked for Westminster by J.Yates and A.Dowdeswell,and that for the Crusaders by A.Park,assisted by H.Malkin."

Westminster School:C.J.H.Chepmell,W.B.Besly,J.M.Yates,G.H.Pember,W.W.C.Lane,M.O.Sim,F.Giles,  
G.Dowdeswell,A.Dowdeswell,C.Taylor,R.Harley,J.E.Tayloe.

Crusaders:E.O.Berens,R.D.Cleasby,J.Harding,H.C.Malkin,H.N.Monck,A.Park,H.Steward,M.Thoms,  
B.N.Thoms,C.Wharton,F.Wharton.

WED FEB 18<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 4 (J.Lant,J.T.Hodgson,B.F.Hartshorne,Hon F.S.O'Grady)  
+H.H.GILBERT'S ELEVEN 1 (H.C.Malkin) (In Cloisters,Charterhouse)

+Old Carthusians

N.B. Charterhouse Football History has the date as Feb 8<sup>th</sup>

Bell's Life 22/2/63 P.7:

BL:"On Wednesday,Feb 18,the Charterhouse Eleven played a match in Cloisters,against some old Carthusians,who were brought by H.H.Gilbert;but in consequence of the non-appearance of some of

those who were expected, it was necessary to supply three substitutes, and after the lapse of rather more than an hour, Charterhouse had succeeded in winning four games, whilst one had been obtained by the Old Carthusians. The first game for Charterhouse was got by J. Lant, the second by J. T. Hodgson, the next (for the Old Carthusians) by H. C. Malkin, the third (for Charterhouse) by B. F. Hartshorne, and the fourth by F. S. O'Grady."

Charterhouse School: G. J. Cookson, B. F. Hartshorne, J. Lant, K. A. Muir Mackenzie, J. T. Hodgson, Hon F. S. O'Grady, M. J. Muir Mackenzie, C. E. Boyle, F. K. W. Girdlestone, E. L. Pearson, G. E. Smythe.

H. H. Gilbert's Eleven: H. H. Gilbert, H. C. Malkin, J. W. Irvine, G. Brodie, G. B. B. Hobart, W. R. Seymour, S. Smith, G. S. Davies, A. C. Seymour, C. A. Sumner. (3 substitutes)

SAT FEB 21<sup>ST</sup> :

CRUSADERS 2 (C. Wharton, H. C. Malkin) N. N. 0 (At Oaklands House, Kilburn, residence of D. Nicoll)

Bell's Life 1/3/63 P.7:

BL: "The visitors losing the toss had to play "up the hill", and it was not until after an hour's severe play, that Wharton, ably assisted by Cleasby, obtained the wished for goal. Ends were changed, and though Piggott, W. Baker, and Renshaw, ably assisted by their captain, A. Pember, did their best to regain their fallen laurels, they were unsuccessful, and Malkin for the Crusaders, very cleverly kicked another goal." "+G. H. Pember was compelled to leave off early in the game, in consequence of a slight accident."

Crusaders: R. D. Cleasby, F. Giles, J. Harding, H. Malkin, H. Meuch, H. Hunt, F. Steward, H. Steward, M. Thoms, B. Thoms, C. Wharton, A. Severn.

N. N.: A. Pember, D. Nicholl, G. H. Pember, H. Baker, W. F. Baker, F. Bedwell, A. Renshaw, D. Piggott, E. Maynard, W. Wawn, A. Daly, A. Morten, J. Baker.

FOREST CLUB 1 (C. W. Alcock) BARNES 0 (At Barnes) (No lineups)

Bell's Life 1/3/63 P.7/Sporting Life 25/2/63 P.4/Field 28/2/63 P.193 (Last 2 reports are the same)

BL: "Play commenced at half-past three, and was carried on well till five o'clock, when Mr C. Alcock, of the F. F. C., kicked the first goal. One of the F. F. C. was, at this period of the game obliged to leave, but the game was continued, the Barnes having 12 men to the others 11. Play was continued till time was called-half past five-no further goals being obtained. The game was well played, and the two sides fiercely contended for the victory, which was, as above shown, won by the F. F. C."

F/SL: "A match between these two clubs (twelve on each side) was played on Saturday. The ground is an excellent one, consisting of a large field with a noble avenue of trees running through it, which afforded a pleasant promenade for the spectators, of whom there was a goodly muster, including many of the fair sex, who added not a little to the attractions of the sport. The weather, too, was eminently calculated to develop good play-cool, and with very little wind. The play on each side was so admirable that both deserved to win, but fortune favoured the Forest club, who, after an hour and a half's most spirited play, won a goal. The ball had for some time shown an anxiety to claim acquaintance with the Forest goal, when suddenly it was run down to the Barnes' goal, and a

scrummage took place, in which the ball was kicked into the air and dropped on the goal post, and, although touched by the goal keeper, slipped in. They then changed goals, and the game was hotly contested, with constantly-changing possibilities of success until the time appointed for cessation (5.30) when the belligerents reluctantly drew off their forces, without either having made another goal. The play lasted altogether two hours and a half."

WED FEB 25<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 DINGLEY DELL 0 (Return)

Bell's Life 1/3/63 P.7:

BL: "Dingley Dell played a return match with Charterhouse on Wednesday, Feb 25, when, after an hour and a quarter's work, the result was a tie. The game was energetically kept up throughout, and owing to the favourable condition of the ground, as well as of the weather, was pretty closely contested all the time. Upon two or three occasions Charterhouse very nearly succeeded in winning a game, through the instrumentality of J. Lant and K. Muir Mackenzie, and Dingley Dell were once scarcely prevented from doing so where several of their side were within close proximity to their adversary's base, with the ball for some time. For Dingley Dell, Cleasby's playing was very good indeed; and L. Ogden's performances on behalf of Charterhouse deserve much praise."

Charterhouse School: G.J. Cookson, B.F. Hartshorne, J. Lant, K.A. Muir Mackenzie, J.T. Hodgson, Hon F.S. O'Grady, M.J. Muir Mackenzie, E.L. Pearson, A.C. Seymour, H.H. Cameron, L. Ogden, C.A. Sumner.

Dingley Dell: Seymour, (H.E.) Prothero, R.D. Cleasby, (T.H.) Earle, A.J. Wilkinson, E.H. Allen, Evans, (Drummond-) Smith, Dawson, W.K. Fenton, A. Rutter.

N.N. 's 2 (D. Piggott, Arthur Pember) ELIZABETHANS 0 (Oaklands Hall, Kilburn, the residence of Donald Nichol)

Bell's Life 8/3/63 P.7:

BL: "A match was played on Wednesday, Feb 25, at Oaklands Hall, the residence of Donald Nicoll, Esq, between 12 of the Elizabethans and 12 of the N.N. Club. After some good play on both sides, a rush of the N.N.'s, headed by Piggott, Phillips, and Kneller was successful, the goal being won by a fine drop kick from Mr Piggott. Notwithstanding the exertions of Mr G.H. Pember, the captain of the Elizabethans, a second goal was won for the N.N.'s by Mr Arthur Pember, their captain. No other goal was scored before time was called. The play of Mr Giles, on behalf of the Elizabethans, was universally admired."

N.N.'s : W.A. Annesley, Bedwell, W.F. Baker, E. Kneller, E. Lawson, F. Maynard, E.C. Morley, D. Nicholl, Arthur Pember (Capt.), F. Phillips, D. Piggott, W. Wawn.

Elizabethans: W.B. Besly, B.N. Thoms, G.H. Pember, W.W.C. Lane, M.O. Sim, A. Stewart, H.E. Trevor, A.J. Mackey, F. Giles, A.H. Winter, J.L. Swale, F.P. Tomlinson.

WESTMINSTER Match:

Queen's Scholars 3 Town Boys 0

Queen's Scholars:C.J.H.Chepmell,J.M.Yates,W.B.Besly,G.H.Pember,W.W.C.Lane,M.O.Sim,H.E.Trevor,  
J.M.Mackey,J.E.Tayloe,R.Circuitt,J.P.Nichols.

Town Boys:B.Preston,F.Giles,L.Vidal,J.Chapman,A.Dowdeswell,G.Dowdeswell,R.Wylde, R.Harley,  
W.Whittaker,J.Lucas,W.Beveill.

WED MAR 4<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 CRUSADERS 1 (R.D.Cleasby) (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 8/3/63 P.7/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL:"The +final match for the season between Westminster and the Crusaders came off at Vincent Square on Wednesday, March 4. The game commenced at three o'clock, the Crusaders, "as usual", losing the toss; but it ended, however, in their favour, Cleasby obtaining a goal after an hour's severe work; and though Yates did his best, ably assisted by Preston, Giles, and A. Dowdeswell, to retrieve their loss, time was up before they were enabled to do so. The manner in which Whittaker stopped several very good attempts for games is worthy of special mention. Cleasby, Harding, Berens, and Malkin, as usual, did great service to their side." +3<sup>rd</sup> match with Crusaders this season.

Westminster School:C.J.H.Chepmell,J.M.Yates,W.B.Besly,B.Preston,F.Giles,F.Whittaker,G.H.Pember,  
M.O.Sim,A.Dowdeswell,G.Dowdeswell,J.E.Tayloe,J.R.Dasent.

Crusaders:E.O.Berens,R.D.Cleasby,S.Freeman,J.Harding,H.A.Hunt,H.C.Malkin,Monroe,A.Severn,  
H.T.Steward,M.Thoms,B.N.Thoms,C.Wharton.

SAT MAR 14<sup>TH</sup> :

FOREST SCHOOL, WALTHAMSTOW 1 (W.Gardner) THE VISITORS 2 (G.Dowdeswell,J.M.Yates) (At Forest School)

Bell's Life 22/3/63 P.6:

BL:"On Saturday, March 14, an eleven went down to Walthamstow to play against the Forest School, and after an hour and three quarters' hard play declared itself for the visitors by two games (obtained by G. Dowdeswell and Yates) to one (obtained by Gardner). Giles, Thoms, and Berens played well for the visitors, as did Adams and Gardner for the School."

Forest School:T.Adams,G.H.Garraway,C.Carver,A.Mackerell,J.Ellis,W.Gardner,A.Creasy,  
A.Turner,N.Charrington,A.Cutbill,J.Littlewood.

Visitors:B.Thoms,E.O.Berens,F.Giles,J.M.Yates,A.Dowdeswell,G.Dowdeswell,T.Vidal,  
H.Walker,J.P.Nicholls,T.Whittaker.

FOREST CLUB 1 (C.W.Alcock) BARNES 0 (Return) (At F.F.C.Ground,Leytonstone,Essex)

Bell's Life 22/3/63 P.6:

BL:"The return match between these two clubs came off on Saturday, March 14, on the ground of the former, at Leytonstone, Essex, and resulted in a second victory for the Forest Club. Play commenced at

half past three, and was continued till five. During this time only one goal was obtained, that being kicked by Mr C. Alcock, of the F.F.C. It would be invidious to mention the names of players, as all did their best, but we cannot abstain from saying that the play of Mr Morley, of the Barnes Club, and Mr C. Alcock, of the Forest Club, elicited great applause from the spectators, of whom there were a large number present. The weather was fine, and the ground in good condition, and the only thing regretted was the game was not longer."

WED MAR 18<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 H.C. MALKIN'S ELEVEN 0 (At Charterhouse)

Bell's Life 22/3/63 P.6:

BL: "The Charterhouse Eleven played their last football match of the season upon Wednesday, March 18, upon which occasion they were opposed to a very formidable team, which had been brought by H.C. Malkin, and which had a great preponderance in weight. The game began at 2.55 pm, and was kept up until 4.50, when everyone had apparently had quite sufficient exercise, as the energies of both sides had never slackened during the whole of the time, although every effort had been made in vain. During the last half hour many attempts were made to win the game on both sides, but the result, after all, was a tie."

Charterhouse School: G.J. Cookson, B.F. Hartshorne, K.A. Muir Mackenzie, J.T. Hodgson,,  
Hon F.S. O'Grady, M.J. Muir Mackenzie, C.E. Boyle, L. Ogden, C.A. Sumner, E.L. Pearson, H.H. Cameron.

H.C. Malkin's Eleven: H.C. Malkin, R.W. Munro, M.A. Thoms, B.N. Thoms, F. Giles, J.M. Yates, R.D. Cleasby,  
W.B. Besly, G.A. Dowdeswell, A. Severn, E.O. Berens.

SAT MAR 21<sup>ST</sup> :

FOREST CLUB 2 (C.W. Alcock 2) CRYSTAL PALACE 1 (Return) (At Forest Club Grounds)

Bell's Life 29/3/63 P.6:

BL: "The return match between these two clubs came off on Saturday, March 21, on the grounds of the Forest Club. Play commenced at half-past three. The first goal was obtained by the Crystal Palace Club, at about five o'clock. The Forest Club were now getting warm into play, and succeeded during the remaining half hour - it having been arranged that time should be called at half-past five - in obtaining two goals, both of which were kicked by Mr C. Alcock. The final rush of this gentleman for the last goal was really magnificent, and won great applause. The Forest Club closes for the season on Saturday, the 4<sup>th</sup> inst. It has been very successful during the present season, having suffered no defeat in any of its matches."

SAT MAR 28<sup>TH</sup> :

N.N.'s 2 (G.H. Pember, W.F. Baker) BARNES 0 (At Barnes)

Bell's Life 12/4/63 P.7:

BL: "On Saturday, [March } 28<sup>th</sup>, a match was played at Barnes, between the Barnes and N.N. Clubs. The game commenced with great spirit, but the N.N.'s succeeded in keeping the ball close to

their adversaries' goal till Mr G.H.Pember made a splendid kick home,which however was technically objected to by the Barnes men,but about ten minutes after Mr Pember won a goal with an equally fine kick.In the second goal Mr G.H.Pember and Mr Gills ran the ball through,backed up by the three Bakers,Mr W.F.Baker winning the goal.No other goal was scored,leaving the N.N.'s winners of both this season's matches,they having won four goals from the Barnes men on January 25."

N.B. Only record found of the result of the first N.N. 4 Barnes 0 match,but Jan 25 is the wrong date.

N.N.'s :A.Pember,J.Baker,H.Baker,W.F.Baker,F.Bedwell,Doe,Gills,Groome,Lawson,Marryatt,Morton,G.H.Pember,Piggott,Renshaw,Wawn.

Barnes:Morley,Baines,Collinge,Courteny,Elton,Gregory,Hall,Hay,Hewitt,Hives,Hudson,Innes,Roberts,Sheppard,Willis.

SAT APR 11<sup>TH</sup> :

N.N.'s 3 (A.Pember,G.H.Pember,E.C.Morley) CRYSTAL PALACE 0 (At Kilburn)

Bell's Life 19/4/63 P.6:

BL:"The N.N.'s soon succeeded in running the ball up to their adversaries' goal,where the Palace men made tremendous exertions,but Mr Pember,the captain of the N.N.'s,succeeded in kicking a goal. After a change of goals,Mr G.H.Pember,Mr Groom,Mr Piggott,and Mr Scott made a capital rush, which was successful,Mr G.H.Pember winning the goal.In the third game,Mr Morley,backed up by the Bakers,led the way,and after a hard fight succeeded in winning a third goal for the N.N.'s in a manner that elicited a round of cheers."

N.N.'s :A.Pember(Capt.),E.C.Morley,F.Groom,D.Piggott,G.Lawson,A.Daly,A.Baker,J.Baker,H.W.Baker,W.F.Baker,G.H.Pember,F.Giles,A.Morten,C.Scott.

Crystal Palace:T.Lloyd(Capt.),G.Dry,H.Cutbill,G.Cutbill,A.G.Barber,J.Turner,F.Allport,H.Head,W.Allport,D.Allport,F.Collins,G.Grose,W.Farquhar,T.Paine.

SHEFFIELD MATCHES:

SAT OCT 18<sup>TH</sup> P.1 Adverts:

Sheffield Club:"Members are respectfully informed that there will be a match today-Old against New Members.New Members consist of those who have joined the Club since Nov 15,1859.Old Members,red,New Members,blue.W.Chesterman,Hon Sec."

Pitsmoor Club:Opening match between Gentlemen and Players.J.H.Littlewoon,Hon Sec.

SAT OCT 25<sup>TH</sup> :

Sheffield (2<sup>nd</sup> Eleven) 1 goal and 1 rouge Hallam (2<sup>nd</sup> Eleven) 1 goal (SI 25/10/62 P.1)("For the convenience of Members and Friends an Omnibus will leave the Angel Yard at 1.30.")

SI 27/10/62 P.3/1/11/62 P.10:"This match was played at Sandygate on Saturday,and neither party having a complete second eleven,it was agreed that each side should complete their numbers with

first eleven players. Sheffield won a well-contested match by one goal and one rouge, against one goal."

SAT NOV 1<sup>ST</sup> :

Pitsmoor( 14 men) 1 Sheffield(14 men) 0

SI 8/11/62 P.10:"The play was very severe, and equally well contested on both sides for the first hour, after which no goal having been got, the parties changed ends, and in ten minutes the Pitsmoor players won a goal. This was the only goal gained during the afternoon's play, and reflects much credit on the Pitsmoor players, who are a younger club than their opponents. The Sheffield Club played a strong team, including Major Creswick, Messrs Shaw, Wightman, F. Vickers, David Cellars, and others equally celebrated."

SAT NOV 8<sup>TH</sup>

Norton (15 men) 1 goal Pitsmoor 1 rouge (15 men)(Norton Park)(SI 11/11/62 P.5)

"After an hour's very spirited play, without score on either side, the goals were changed, when, the Nortonians, with renewed activity, succeeded in gaining a goal. This rather dazzled their opponents, who only scored one rouge against Norton."

SAT NOV 15<sup>TH</sup> :

Sheffield(11 men) 1 goal York (14 men) 2 rouges(At Endcliffe Ground)(SI 17/11/62 P.3)

MON NOV 17<sup>TH</sup> :

Mackenzie Club 1 goal and 1 rouge Cemetery Road Church Football Club 1 goal(Mackenzie Ground)(SI 18/11/62 P.5)

SAT NOV 22<sup>ND</sup>:

Pitsmoor Junior Club 1 Norfolk 0 (At Pitsmoor)(SI 24/11/62 P.3)

Pitsmoor(11 men) 4 goals and 2 rouges York (11 men)0 (SI 24/11/62 P.3)

Sheffield 4 rouges Norton 0 (At Eastbank)

SI 24/11/62 P.3:"Last year Sheffield played twelve against eighteen of Norton, but the latter considering themselves much improved, proposed to play even numbers, and although not successful, proved themselves no mean match for their opponents. The play was undoubtedly in favour of Sheffield, but they not only had a good but a willing team, and it is much to the credit of Norton that Sheffield did not succeed in obtaining a goal."

SAT NOV 29<sup>TH</sup> :

York 0 Collegiate School 0 (Endcliffe Cricket Ground)(SI 2/12/62 P.8)

SAT DEC 6<sup>TH</sup> :

Sheffield Club Match (At East Bank) :First 12 (Red ) v The Rest(blue)(SI 6/12/62 P.1)

SAT DEC 13<sup>TH</sup> :

Pitsmoor v Hallam (SI 13/12/62 P.1)

SAT DEC 20<sup>th</sup>

Sheffield Club:First 13 v The Club(At East Bank)(SI 20/12/62 P.8)

SAT DEC 22<sup>ND</sup> :

Mackenzie 1 goal and 1 rouge Milton 1 goal (At Cremorne Gardens)(SI 29/12/62 P.3)

Pitsmoor 1 goal and 2 rouges Sheffield 1 goal and 1 rouge (At Pitsmoor)(SI 29/12/62 P.3)

FRI DEC 26<sup>TH</sup> :

Pitsmoor 1 goal and 2 rouges Norton 1 rouge(At Pitsmoor)(SI 27/12/62 P.8)

SAT DEC 27<sup>TH</sup> :

Milton 1 goal Mackenzie 1 goal and 1 rouge (At Cremorne Gardens)(SI 29/12/62 P.3)

Pitsmoor 1 goal and 2 rouges Sheffield Club 1 goal and 1 rouge(2<sup>ND</sup> Elevens)(At Pitsmoor)(SI 29/12/62 P.3)

MON DEC 29<sup>TH</sup> :

Sheffield 0 Hallam 0 (Bramall Lane,Cricket Ground)(SI 13/12/62 P.1:“for the benefit of the Lancashire Relief Fund.”)

SI 30/12/62 P.5:“The Hallam party having won the toss,played with the wind in their favour,but at “half time” having failed to score,ends were changed.After a rest of fifteen minutes play was resumed.The general expectation seemed to be that Sheffield,with the wind now in their favour, would soon get a goal.The Hallam men,however,played with great determination,and successfully defended their goal.They appeared to have many partisans present,and when they succeeded in “downing” a man,their ardent friends were more noisily jubilant.At one time it appeared that the match would be turned into a general fight.Major Creswick(Sheffield) had got the ball away,and was struggling against great odds-Mr Shaw and Mr Waterfall(Hallam).Major Creswick was held by Waterfall,and in the struggle Waterfall was accidentally hit by the Major.All parties agreed that the hit was accidental.Waterfall,however,ran at the Major in a most irritable manner,and struck at him several times.He also threw off his waistcoat and began to “show fight” in earnest.Major Creswick, who preserved his temper admirably,did not return a single blow.They were surrounded by partisans,and for a few minutes there was every appearance of a general fight amongst players and spectators.The advice of older and cooler heads at length prevailed,the field was cleared,and play again resumed.At three o’clock the play terminated in a “draw”,there being neither a goal nor a rouge scored by either party.”

N.B Various letters of claim and counterclaim as to who provoked who appeared in the SI for the next week.



WED DEC 31<sup>ST</sup> ;

Pitsmoor v Mackenzie (At Pitsmoor)(SI 24/12/62 P.1)

SAT JAN 3<sup>RD</sup> :

Pitsmoor 2 York Club 0 (Endcliffe Ground,Broomhill?)(SI 10/1/63 P.10)

SAT JAN 10<sup>TH</sup> :

Workmen of Messrs W & H.Hutchinson,Norfolk Street 1 goal and 1 rouge Workmen of Messrs Round & Sons,Tudor Works 0 (At Norfolk Park)(SI 17/1/63 P.10)

SAT JAN 17<sup>TH</sup> :

York Club 3 rouges Howard Hill Club 1 goal (At Endcliffe Cricket Ground)

SI 24/1/63 P.10:As this is the first match played by the Howard Hill Club it augers well for the future seasons of this young and promissing club."

MON JAN 19<sup>TH</sup> :

Twelve of Messrs W & H.Hutchinson Norfolk Street 2 rouges Twelve of Milton Club 0 (At Cremorne Gardens)(SI 20/1/63 P.5)

TUES JAN 20<sup>TH</sup> :

Pitsmoor 1 goal and 1 rouge Mackenzie 0(Return) (SI 21/1/63 P.3)

SAT JAN 24<sup>TH</sup> :

Norton Club 2 goals and 2 rouges York Club 0 (At Norton Park)(Return)

SI 27/1/63 P.5:"After two hours' good play on both sides,the game was 2 goals and 2 rouges for Norton,against York nothing.It is but fair to say the York team only mustered nine men all the time,and at the commencement the Norton party were the same,but afterwards strengthened to twelve,the challenged number."

SAT JAN 31<sup>ST</sup> :

Sheffield Club 1 Pitsmoor 2 (At East Bank)(SI 31/1/63 P.8)

SI 3/2/63 P.5:"Pitsmoor won the toss,and very soon gained a goal,and lost one almost as soon to their opponents.Both parties being again equal,some careful and exciting play succeeded,neither party making much head against the other for nearly an hour,when Pitsmoor were fortunate in securing a goal,thereby putting the Sheffield players on their mettle,but they did not succeed in rubbing it off before time was called.The Sheffield gentlemen have had therefore to succumb to their junior competitors in both the games this season."

Norfolk(12 men) 2 goals and 1 rouge Mackenzie (12 men) 1 rouge (At Norfolk Park)

SI 3/2/63 P.5:"The game was well contested,particularly during the first hour.During the second hour the Norfolk team showed their opponents they could finish the game as they commenced with spirit.The game finally terminated with an easy victory for them by obtaining two goals and one rouge against Mackenzie one rouge."

SAT FEB 7<sup>TH</sup> :

Sheffield Club (11 men) 2 goals and 1 rouge York Club (14 men) 1 goal and 2 rouges."(At East Bank)

SI 9/2/63 P.3:"This match was played on Saturday,on the ground of the former at East Bank, and,after a very close and exciting match,ended in another victory for Sheffield,who scored two goals and one rouge to their opponents' one goal and two rouges."

Howard Hill 2 goals Norfolk 1 rouge(At Howard Hill)(SI 9/2/63 P.3)

Pitsmoor 1 Exchange 0(2<sup>ND</sup> 14's) (At Hyde Park)(SI 9/2/63 P.3)

Christ Church Heeley beat Heeley Village(SI 9/2/63 P.3)(At Christ Church Ground)

SAT FEB 14<sup>TH</sup> :

Pitsmoor Club 2 goals and 2 rouges Hallam 1 rouge(At Pitsmoor)

SI 16/2/63 P.3:"The Pitsmoor gentlemen had their laurels to regain in this match(their opponents having beaten them before)and they succeeded in doing so scoring two goals and two rouges against the Hallam players one rouge."

Tudor Club 2 goals and 2 rouges St Stephen's Club 0 (At Norfolk Park)(SI 16/2/63 P.3)

Exchange Club 2 goals and 2 rouges Norfolk 2 goals (At Mr Dawson's Field,Cricket Road)(SI 17/2/63 P.5)

MON FEB 16<sup>TH</sup> :

Sheffield Club AGM(SI 21/2/63 P.10)(At Black Swan Hotel)(Appointed a Committee for the Athletic Sports)

Pitsmoor Club Meeting :At New Inn,Verdon Street,with Mr John Frith in the chair:it was resolved to hold future meetings at Mr Henry Steel's,"The Merry Heart",New Brunswick Street.(SI 18/2/63 P.3)

Hanover Club 2 rouges St George's Club 1 rouge (SI 19/2/63 P.3)(No date)

SHROVE TUESDAY FEB 17<sup>TH</sup> :

Hemsworth Club v Christ Church,Heeley Club (At Hemsworth)(Christ Church won)(SI 21/2/63 P.8)

SAT FEB 21<sup>ST</sup> :

Pitsmoor 1 goal and 1 rouge Sheffield 0(2<sup>nd</sup> 14's)(At East Bank)

SI 24/2/63 P.8:"The second fourteen of the Pitsmoor Club have therefore followed the example of their seniors,and have succeeded in beating their opponents in both games this season."

SAT FEB 28<sup>TH</sup> :

Norton 0 Sheffield 2 goals and 5 rouges(12 a side)(At Norton Park)(Return)

SI 2/3/63 P.3:“The return match between the above clubs was played on Saturday last in Norton Park,when,after two hours’ play the Sheffield Club again proved themselves too much for their opponents,scoring two goals and five rouges to nothing.After the match,the players and their friends sat down to dinner at the Bagshawe Arms,where a pleasant evening was spent.”

Norfolk 3 Christ Church,Heeley 0 (At Norfolk Park)(14 a side)

SI 3/3/63 P.5:“After playing one hour and a half the Heeley Club withdrew from the contest and their opponents were declared the victors by three goals to Heeley nothing.The Norfolk gave Heeley another challenge,offering to play three against six,which was accepted,and after half an hour’s well contested play,the Norfolk team again proved victorious.obtainng one goal and one rouge to Heeley one goal.”

SAT MAR 7<sup>TH</sup> :

Norfolk 1 Howard Hill 1 (At Norfolk Park)(2 hours)(SI 9/3/63 P.2)

Closing match at Pitsmoor:First Fourteen v The Rest.

SI 9/3/63 P.2:“This club played their closing match of the season on Saturday last.Sides were chosen on the field by Messrs Stones and Cadman,and after some good play,Mr Stone’s side were victorious,making one goal and one rouge against one rouge.The members of this club have been very successful this season,having played thirteen matches against the best clubs of the town,and defeating all of them in one game,and some both in the first matches and the return,so that considering this is but their second season,the club has every reason to congratulate on the position it holds amongst those who admire the healthy and vigorous game of football.The annual sports will finish the season,and will take place shortly.”

SAT MAR 14<sup>TH</sup> :

Sheffield Club Match:Eleven Old Collegians v Other Members of the Club (SI 14/3/63 P.1)

1863/64:

WESTMINSTER School Eleven for 1863/64:W.W.C.Lane,M.O.Sim,B.Preston,F.Giles,A.Dowdeswell, G.Dowdeswell, F.L.Harrison, J.P.Nichols,R.Harley.

ETON Field Eleven 1863 from The Field Game by John J.Pawson P.84:

H.D.Forsyth,E.S.Hope(Keepers),Hon N.G.Lyttelton,W.S.Prideaux,C.E.Cuthell, A.V.Pryor, Q.Hogg, T.A.Hamond, E.Lubbock,W.W.Phipps,S.C.Corkran.

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL Eleven for 1863/64:K.A.Muir-Mackenzie(Capt),J.T.Hodgson, Hon.F.S.O’Grady,M.Muir-Mackenzie,L.Ogden,E.L.Pearson,H.H.Cameron,G.E.Smythe, L.H.Stevenson,G.S.Davies, A.C.Seymour.

TUES SEPT 29<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL Match (At Vincent Square)

First Seven 0 Next Sixteen 1 (J.R.Taylor)

Bell's Life 10/10/63 P.7:

BL:"The game was obstinately contested throughout, but eventually superior numbers prevailed, and a goal was obtained for the Sixteen by Taylor. The Seven were deprived of the valuable services of Preston, but his place was filled by Vidal, who, together with Giles, Sim, and Nichols, played well."

First Seven: W.W.C. Lane, M.O. Sim, F. Giles, F. Whittaker, A. Dowdeswell, G. Dowdeswell, E.S. Vidal.

Next Sixteen: H.E. Trevor, A.J. Mackey, F.P. Tomlinson, F.L. Harrison, J.P. Nichols, H. Walker, J.R. Taylor, J. Circuitt, E. Jermyn, G. Heath, R. Harley, F. Hunt, C. Short, S.H. West, W.E. Wylde, G.W. Chapman.

THURS OCT 1<sup>ST</sup> : SHREWSBURY SCHOOL Match : Schools v County (14 a side):

Bell's Life 24/10/63 P.6:

BL:"This match was played on 1<sup>st</sup> of Oct, and after two hours' hard play, was decided in favour of the County by three goals to none. For the School side Hall and Greenhalgh played well, and were ably backed up by the rest, but the long kicks of W. Hope-Edwards, and the superior weight and strength of the County side (many of whom were old Salopians) were too much for their younger opponents, who only hope to retrieve their laurels on some future occasion."

SAT OCT 3<sup>RD</sup> :

ETON COLLEGE 1 rouge MR FOLLETT'S ELEVEN (Old Etonians) 0 (At Eton)

Eton College Chronicle 15/10/63 P.39/Bell's Life 17/10/63 P.6:

Eton: Hon. N.G. Lyttelton (Flying Man), H.D. Forsyth, E.S. Hope (Comers), W.S. Prideaux (Short Behind), C.E. Cuthell (Post), T. Hammond, S.C. Corkran (S. Posts), A.V. Pryor, W. Turner (Back Ups), Q. Hogg (Long Behind), E. Lubbock (Goal)

Mr Follett's Eleven (Old Etonians): E.C. Follett (Flying Man), R.W.W. Follett, G. Follett (Comers), Rev. G. Dupuis (Short Behind), H. Bradreth (Post), Earl of Jersey, W.R. Griffiths (S. Posts), F. Whitting, E.F. Dyke, G. Hadow (Back Ups), J. Hadow (Long Behind), Hadow, Whitting.

WED OCT 7<sup>TH</sup> :

CRUSADERS 0 WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 10/10/63 P.7/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL:"The Crusaders played their opening match this season against Westminster on the 7<sup>th</sup> instant at Vincent-square, and though several of their knights did not enter "the lists", partly owing to some having "listed in the blues", and to others being absent without leave, and not leaving their absent addresses behind them....still the black and red showed well" to "the fore" and "four" came well to

the show. Eight knights in person and the others by proxy or substitute (or substituted by proxy) succeeded in "holding their own", and making their adversaries "holding their hold" of the goal for some time." "The Crusaders derived great comfort (whether spiritual or otherwise, I leave to the imagination) from the presence of the archbishop (their chaplain), who, however, did not so much as might have been reasonably expected from "his grace" except by gracing the lunch with his presence, and presenting his "grace" before lunch."

Crusaders: E.O. Berens, H. Malkin, M. Thoms, F. Steward, R.D. Cleasby, H.T. Steward, R. Wharton, G. Bennett, H.A. Hunt, A. Severn (the chaplain), G. Upperton.

Westminster School: W.W.C. Lane, M.O. Sim, B. Preston, F. Giles, F. Whittaker, A. Dowdeswell, G. Dowdeswell, F.L. Harrison, J.P. Nichols, E.S. Vidal, R. Harley, J.E. Tayloe (Not listed in WSFL).

SAT OCT 10<sup>TH</sup> :

FOREST SCHOOL 1 (J. Adams) ELIZABETHANS 1 (E.S. Vidal) (At Walthamstow)

Bell's Life 17/10/63 P.6:

BL: "This match was played at Walthamstow on Saturday, Oct 10. The game was evenly contested throughout, and when time was called each side was found to obtain one goal, leaving it to be settled another time as to who shall claim the victory. The exhibition of the School eleven was uncommonly good, but we must particularly notice the fine kicking of Adams (who obtained the goal) and the general kicking of Garraway. For the Elizabethans the goal was kicked by Vidal, who, together with Steward and Hunt, rendered good service."

Forest School: J. Adams, G.H. Garraway, C. Carver, G.H. Edmunds, J. Ellis, W.B. Gardiner, A.L. Cutbil, A.F. Turner, J.J. Littlewood, C.E. Openshaw, C.T. Bogue. (W.R. Gardiner?)

Elizabethans: H. Steward, H.A. Hunt, C.M. Barker, A. Severn, M.O. Sim, W.W.C. Lane, H. Walker, J.P. Nichols, E. Jermyn, G. Heath, E.S. Vidal (emergency)

HARROW SCHOOL 1 (Hon. J.C. Amherst) 1 E.E. BOWEN'S FOURTEEN 1 (R.D. Elphinstone) (At Harrow)

Harrow Tyro 1/11/63 P.58/Bell's Life 24/10/63 P.6:

BL: "This match was played at Harrow Oct 10, when the School contested against a strong team consisting mainly of old Harrovians. The result was a tie, one base being obtained by each side, that for the School by Hon J. Amherst, and for their opponents by Elphinstone."

Harrow School: H.G. Phipps, W.T. Phipps (Both in last year's Eleven), C.F. Buller, M.H. Stow, R.N. Russell, T.E. Peel, (Last 4 added to School Eleven after match), F.W. Smith, R. Atkinson, H. Richardson, Hon. J.C. Amherst, R.L. Yorke, W.F. Houldsworth, J. Mowatt, C.H. Currey. (Same players in BL/Tyro but initials added from Tyro)

E.E. Bowen's Fourteen: E.E. Bowen, E. Barlow, E.W. Burnett, W.C. Cowan, A. Crompton, G.E.H. Elliott, R.D. Elphinstone, G.C. Glyn, W.F. Hills, W.O. Howlett, J.T. Prior, R. Upcher, T.D. Walker, R.D. Walker. (Same players in BL/Tyro except missing W.O. Hewlett and have added Tyro initials)

ETON COLLEGE FIELD MATCHES AT ETON: Bell's Life 24/10/63 P.6 (Corrected by ECC):

Sat Oct 10<sup>th</sup> :Eton 2 rouges Household Brigade 0

Eton College Chronicle 15/10/63 P.39:

Eton:H.D.Forsyth,E.S.Hope,A.V.Pryor,W.S.Prideaux,Q.Hogg,C.E.Cuthell,T.Hammond,  
S.C.Cockran,E.Lubbock,A.Turner,Phipps,mi.(Hon N.G.Lyttelton was unable to play)

Household Brigade:Capt.Jarrett,Col. Bathurst,Capt. Hon W.Trefusis,Capt. Carew,Capt. A.Pennant,  
Capt. Hayter,Capt.Clive,J.A.Garrett,Capt.Lord Hinchinbroke,Hon.R.Dawson,R.W.Follett(emergency  
for Capt.Williams)

Mon Oct 12<sup>th</sup> :Eton 2 rouges Mr Follett's Eleven 1 goal(out of a rouge)(Return)

Eton College Chronicle 15/10/63 P.39:

Eton:Hon.N.G.Lyttelton,H.D.Forsyth,E.S.Hope,W.S.Prideaux,Q.Hogg,C.E.Cuthell,S.C.Corkran,  
T.Hammond,A.V.Pryor,Phipps,E.Lubbock.

Mr Follett's Eleven:E.W.Tritton,G.Follett,E.C.Follett,Rev.G.R.Dupuis,A.Rickards,Earl of Jersey,  
H.Brandreth,R.H.Balls,E.F.Dyke,R.W.W.Follett,+C.Legard(emergency) +Not F?

Wed Oct 14<sup>th</sup> :Eton College 2 goals and 3 rouges Mr Senhouse's Eleven( Old Etonians) 1 goal

Eton College Chronicle 29/10/63 P.43:

Eton:E.S.Hope,Hon N.G.Lyttelton,A.V.Pryor,W.S.Prideaux, Q.Hogg,C.E.Cuthell,  
T.Hammond,A.Turner,S.C.Corkran,Phipps mi.,E.Lubbock.

Old Etonians:J.Chambers,H.P.Senhouse,E.C.Austen-Leigh,Rev.G.E.Dupuis,J.R.Selwyn,  
H.Brandreth,F.Whitting,E.P.Rouse,R.H.Balls,Rev H.Snow,Mangles.

SAT OCT 17<sup>TH</sup>

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 4 (H.C.Malkin 2,C.E.Boyle,J.T.Hodgson) and "one rouge"  
TUNBRIDGE WELLS 0(At Charterhouse)

Bell's Life 31/10/63 P.10:

BL:"This match was played at Charterhouse on Saturday Oct 17,and after the lapse of an hour and a half,resulted in Charterhouse winning five games against none in favour of their adversaries.The Tunbridge Wells club laboured under some disadvantage from playing according to the Charterhouse rules,although mutual temporary alterations had been made.They were also minus their eleventh man.But the main reason of their defeat is to be attributed to the fact that they were unaccustomed to "dribbling" and indulged in too many long kicks.As this was the first match of the season,the playing of the Charterhouse Eleven all round did them much credit,and they dribbled and kept together throughout the whole game.It would be invidious to single out any particular one as worthy of special praise,since all were very energetic and much improved.If their playing upon October 17 may be taken as a criterion of what they will always do,they may look forward to an unusually successful season.The games were won by H.C.Malkin(2),C.E.Boyle,J.T.Hodgson,and one rouge."

Charterhouse School: B.F. Hartshorne, H.C. Malkin, K.A. Muir-Mackenzie, J.T. Hodgson, Hon. F.S. O'Grady, M.J. Muir Mackenzie, C.E. Boyle, L. Ogden, E.L. Pearson, H.H. Cameron, G.E. Smythe.

Tunbridge Wells: Hathorne, Saumarez, Fitz-George, Montgomery, Ridgway, Hammond, Tuck, May, Goldsmid, Wickham.

MON OCT 26<sup>TH</sup> UPPINGHAM SCHOOL MATCH; Country v Town . "This was a splendid game and exceedingly well contested. Town won by three goals, but they more than doubled the Country in numbers. C.E. Green, A. Knowles, F. Dawkes, and S. Starey played well for the country, while J. Sandilands, F. Rowe, and B. Childs "did their do" for the other side. N.B. The country were composed of the three houses which are situated at the extreme ends of the town." (Bell's Life 31/10/63 P.10)

WINCHESTER COLLEGE MATCH: Six v Next Sixteen: "This return match was played in Meads on Saturday, Oct 26, the Six winning easily by 11 goals. (Bell's Life 31/10/63 P.10)

The Six: Michell 8, Cripps 1, Deedes 1, Wilmot, Bowen 1, King 3. 14 goals

The Sixteen: Walker, sen, Haggash, Godby 2, Adams 1, Walker, jun, Biscill, Awdry, Tuck, Howard, Nutt, Stirling, Williams, Phillips, sen, Mozley, Phillips, jun, Forster. 3 goals

SAT OCT 24<sup>TH</sup> :

N.N.'s 0 VISITORS 1 (F. Giles) (At Kilburn)

Bell's Life 31/10/63 P.10:

BL: "On Saturday Oct 24 the N.N.'s played a match against eleven Visitors. The game commenced at half- past three, and was well-contested throughout. The Visitors had the best of it for the first three-quarters of an hour, during which time Giles, after several fine but unsuccessful attempts, succeeded by a masterpiece of play in taking the ball past the whole of his opponents and kicking a goal; and though for the rest of the game Piggott, Rebshaw, Wawn, and H. Baker, for the N.N.'s, ably assisted by A. Pember, their captain, made some tremendous rushes, they were unable to get the ball past their adversaries' goalkeeper, and so the game ended in a victory for the Visitors by one goal."

N.N.'s: A. Pember, G.H. Pember, D. Piggott, G. Lawson, H. Gray, G. Wawn, A. Renshaw, H. Baker, A. Morten, F. Phillips, E.C. Morley.

Visitors: H.C. Malkin, R. Monro, T. Morton, K.A. Muir-Mackenzie, F. Giles, J. Nicholls, F. Steward, H. Steward, J. Tomlinson, M. Thoms, R. Wharton.

WED OCT 28<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 2 ( J.T. Hodgson, M.J. Muir-Mackenzie) ST BARTHOLEMEW'S 0

Bell's Life 7/11/63 P.7:

BL: "This match was played at Charterhouse on October 28, from 2.30pm until four o'clock, and resulted in two games in favour of Charterhouse. The ground was very wet and slippery, many spills being thereby occasioned. The first game was won by K.A. Muir-Mackenzie and J.T. Hodgson, and the

second very shortly afterwards by M.J.Muir-Mackenzie, and was the conclusion of the finest piece of "dribbling" we ever remember having witnessed."

Charterhouse School: B.F.Hartshorne, K.A.Muir-Mackenzie, J.T.Hodgson, F.S.O'Grady,  
M.J.Muir-Mackenzie, C.E.Boyle, L.Ogden, E.L.Pearson, H.H.Cameron, G.E.Smythe, L.H.Stevenson.

St Bartholomew's: W.F.Knapp, E.J.Bostock, A.S.Bostock, H.Maturin, G.P.H.Evans, T.F.Evans,  
T.F.Raven, H.Square, W.Balls, R.H.Kinsey, L.R.Wynter.

ETON COLLEGE 2 rouges AN OXFORD ELEVEN 1 rouge

Eton College Chronicle 12/11/63 P.47/Bell's Life 7/11/63 P.7:

Eton: H.D.Forsyth, W.S.Prideaux, C.E.Cuthell, Q.Hogg, T.Hamond, A.V.Pryor, S.C.Corkran,  
W.W.Phipps, E.Lubbock, B.Trench, C.Legard. (E.S.Hope and Hon N.G.Lyttelton were unable to play)

Oxford Eleven: M.S.F.Knight, E.C.Follett, R.W.W.Follett, R.W.Tritton, R.S.Bridges, E.A.Whittuck,  
W.M.Hoare, T.Horner, J.P.Hadow, J.Lees, C.E.Knight (emergency).

THURS OCT 29<sup>TH</sup> :

CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY : (Parker's Piece, Cambridge University)  
Harrow Men of the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Years 3 bases (Lang, Cruikshank, Christie)  
Harrow Men of the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Years 1 base (Hudson)

Field 7/11/63 P.452:

3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> : Williams, Cruikshank, Daniel, Medlycott, Christie, Armitage, Alexander, Hon. A.Strutt,  
Russell, Bosanquet, Hudson.

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> : Crompton, Hope-Edwardes, Moncrieff, J.Lang, Swainson, Porter, Cheetham, Dewhurst,  
Tottenham, Jones, Lawrence.

SAT OCT 31<sup>ST</sup> :

N.B."RULES OF FOOTBALL" published in Field 31/10/63 P.1

BARNES MATCH: Barnes Club 2 (Drake, Hewitt) Rev Inchbold/Rev Baty Eleven 1 (Hives)

Field 7/11/63 P.452:

F: "A very spirited and interesting game took place at Barnes, on Saturday last, between eleven members of the club and eleven gentlemen studying with the Rev Mr Inchbold and the Rev Mr Baty at Barnes. The game was fought with great skill and judgment on both sides, but victory fell to the lot of the Club eleven, they being the stronger and heavier team. The following is the result of the play. The Club two goals, one by Mr Drake and one by Mr Hewitt. The Students one goal, by Mr Hives."

WED NOV 4<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 2 (L.H.Stevenson, B.F.Hartshorne) DINGLEY DELL 0 (At Charterhouse)

Bell's Life 7/11/63 P.7/Field 7/11/63 P.452:



BL: "On Nov 4 Charterhouse played their first match of the season against Dingley Dell, when the result was two games in favour of Charterhouse, which was unfortunately deprived of the services of K.A. Muir-Mackenzie and M.I. Muir-Mackenzie. Dingley Dell were also disappointed by some of their men. The playing of R.D. Cleasby was very good indeed. The first game was won by L.H. Stevenson, after the ball had been brought up in front of the adversary's "base", the second was kicked by B.F. Hartshorne."

Charterhouse School: B.F. Hartshorne, J.T. Hodgson, Hon F.S. O'Grady, C.E. Boyle, L. Ogden, E.L. Pearson, H.H. Cameron, G.E. Smythe, L.H. Stevenson, L.R. Wynter, G.S. Davies.

Dingley Dell: R.D. Cleasby, G. Sills, W.K. Fenton, F.H. Earle, W.L. Williams, W.H. Birley, G.E. Prothero, H.C. Malkin, A.C. Seymour, W.H. Gordon, J.L. Wharton.

THURS NOV 5<sup>TH</sup> : WINCHESTER COLLEGE FOOTBALL

Twenty Two of Commoners 8 Twenty Two of College 4

Field 14/11/63 P.487/Bell's Life 14/11/63 P.3:

F: "This annual match was played on the usual day, Nov 5, and ended in a victory for Commoners by eight goals to four. The two captains, Messrs Pyke and Michell, having tossed for the choice of goals, the latter who had won it, elected to kick against the wind for the first half-hour. Soon after the "preliminary hot", the Commoners began to draw ahead, and at "time to change", had scored six goals to their opponents one. After the goals had been changed, College, now having the wind in their favour, slightly gained on their adversaries, but were unable to reach their score. The kicking of Messrs Pyke and Harden for the Commoners was good as was the "up play" of Messrs Eden, Bullock, Jacobson, Banting, and Rhodes. This was well opposed by the splendid "up play" of Messrs Cripps, Deedes, Horner, and Wilmot on the College side, and it was very important for the winning side that the wind diverted so many of Mr Michell's long kicks. There was a good muster of Old Wykehamists on the ground, and no doubt several others were prevented by the uncertain state of the weather."

Commoners: J.N. Pyke 4, C.J. Eden, J.J. Morgan, (Howell), J.L. Bullock 3, H.B. Deane (Drewitt), W.H.A. Jacobson, H.W. Yeatman, R.A. Harden, A.W. Rooke, W. Lindsay, W.B. Banting, W.K. Wesley, C.H. Bowly, C.B. Dimond, J.L. Birley, H. Rhodes, J.M. Evetts, W.R. Greene 1, J.Y.A. Morshead, J.F. Jowitt, W.R.M. Lyte, W.S. Baldock.

College: R.B. Michell 2, H.L. Cripps 1, A. Deedes, H.B. Horner, D. Wilmot, F.R.S. Bowen, A.T. King, F. Haygarth, G.D. Walker, C.V. Godby 1, L.L. Shadwell, J.C. Adams, P.C. Walker, A.K. Bissill, C. Awdry, J.J. Tuck, A.W. Howard, A.F. Stirling, P.J. Williams, G. Nutt, C.B. Phillips, F.W. Mozley.

SAT NOV 7<sup>TH</sup> :

FOREST (LEYTONSTONE) F.C. 3 (Pardoe, Morgan, Jackson) RICHMOND 0 (Richmond Green)

Bell's Life 14/11/63 P.3:

BL: "These clubs met on Saturday last, Nov 7, and, despite the bad weather, nine assembled on each side. The match was played on Richmond Green, and resulted in an easy victory for the F.F.C., who obtained three goals their adversaries getting none. Messrs Pardoe, Morgan, and Jackson were the

players who showed their skill and prowess in kicking these goals, and the others worked well and assisted in the triumph. Mr Hodgson, on the part of Richmond, struggled most valiantly to stem the tide, but without the success his efforts deserved.” (No teams)

WED NOV 11<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1 (A. Dowdeswell) MR CLEASBY’S ELEVEN 0 (Old Etonians) (At Vincent Square)

Bell’s Life 14/11/63 P.3:

BL: “On Wednesday Nov 11, Mr Cleasby brought down an eleven, composed of old Etonians, to Vincent-square. At first the play was rather sharp, and after about twenty minutes a goal was obtained for Westminster by A. Dowdeswell. The goals were then changed, but when time was called neither side had altered their score, so the Westminsters were declared the victors by 1 goal to nothing. Mr Cleasby, as usual, was very active in the field, whilst for Westminster both the Dowdeswells exerted themselves to the utmost.”

Westminster School: W. W. C. Lane, M. O. Sim, B. Preston, F. Giles, F. Whittaker, A. Dowdeswell, G. Dowdeswell, F. L. Harrison, J. P. Nichols, E. S. Vidal, R. Harley.

Mr Cleasby’s Eleven: R. D. Cleasby, R. L. Lloyd, J. C. Blofeld, R. Wharton, J. L. Wharton, J. A. C. Tabor, L. Harper, J. G. Watkins, H. A. Hills, W. Bacon, + E. W. Wylde. + Emergency: Westminster School).

THURS NOV 12<sup>TH</sup> :

OXFORD UNIVERSITY Wykehamists Match: Non-New College 6 New College 3

Bell’s Life 14/11/63 P.3:

Non-New College: Copleston, Haygarth, Jacobson, Lipscomb, Manning, Pode, Pound, Streatfield, Thresher, White, Wrench.

New College: Faber, Wickham, George, Pilkington, Martin, Thresher, Wordsworth, Bramston, Moore, Worthy, Wigram, Kensington, Allen.

HARROW SCHOOL 2 (Hon. J. C. Amherst 2) OXFORD ELEVEN 0

Harrow Tyro 1/12/63 P.94/Bell’s Life 14/11/63 P.3:

BL: “This match was played on Thursday, Nov 12, when the School won by two bases, obtained by +Atkinson and the Hon J. Amherst. The School lost the services of Phipps sen for a short time, owing to a slight accident. It is needless to mention the play of anyone in particular where all played so well. We were very sorry to see that the 7<sup>th</sup> Rule was frequently wilfully broken, but hope in future matches that this will not be the case.” +Tyro has Hon J. Amherst 2.

Harrow School: H. G. Phipps, jun, W. T. Phipps, sen, Phipps, jun, C. F. Buller, M. H. Stow, R. N. Russell, T. T. Peel, Hon J. C. Amherst, R. Atkinson, G. G. Kennedy, H. Richardson, max., R. L. Yorke, A. S. L. Montgomery, sen. (Added from Tyro )

Oxford Eleven: E.C. Glyn, R.D. Walker, C.F. Reid, W.F. Maitland, J.B. Cookson, E.H. Selfe, J.E. Mylne, J.B. Martin, E.E. Bowen, J.D. Walker, C.H. Hall.

SAT NOV 14<sup>TH</sup> :

FOREST CLUB 5 (C.W. Alcock 2, Pardoe, Morgan, Adams) BARNES 0 (At Barnes)

Bell's Life 21/11/63 P.9/Field 21/11/63 P.499:

BL: "This game was played on Saturday Nov 14, on the ground of the latter. The two elevens commenced the match at about three, and before the time for concluding (five p.m.) no less than 5 goals had been kicked. These were all obtained by the F.F.C. who thus proved themselves to be the victors. The players who distinguished themselves in getting the goals were Messrs C.W. Alcock two, and Pardoe, Morgan, and Adams, one each. A large number of spectators were present." (No teams)

BLACKHEATH 2 (Moore, Hunter) CIVIL SERVICE 0

Bell's Life 21/11/63 P.9/Field 21/11/63 P.499:

BL: "In this match, which came off on Nov 14, the Blackheathians were victorious, their score being two goals; the first of these was obtained by Mr Moore, after the ball had been taken up by Mr Clarke in a masterly style; the second was kicked by Mr Hunter. The play of Mr Bell, for the Civil Service, was a worthy example, coming as it did, from the captain to his team." (No teams)

TUES NOV 17<sup>TH</sup> :

ETON COLLEGE 5 rouges + DINGLEY DELL CLUB 0

Eton College Chronicle 26/11/63 No 13/Bell's Life 21/11/63 P.3:

ECC: "Mr R.D. Cleasby brought down an eleven of +this club (chiefly composed of members of the bar) to play the School, on Tues, Nov 17<sup>th</sup>. The match was well contested during the first half hour, but after that the superior condition of the School began to tell, and Eton won easily by 5 rouges to nothing. The Eton Eleven same as last match, excepting C. Legard and R. Thompson, for Prideaux and Phipps, who were unable to play."

BL: "On Tuesday, Nov 17, R.D. Cleasby brought down an eleven from London to play the School. The match was well contested for the first half hour, but, after that, the superior training of the school began to tell, and Eton won easily by five rouges to nothing. W.S. Prideaux and Phipps were unable to play for the school."

Eton: E.S. Hope, H.D. Forsyth, Hon. N.G. Lyttelton, C. Legard, Q. Hogg, E. Lubbock, C.E. Cuthell, T. Hamond, A.V. Pryor, S.C. Corkran, R. Thompson.

Dingley Dell: R.D. Cleasby, Wharton, Blofield, Tabor, Lloyd, Wharton, Waud, Harper, Secker, Rev. G.R. Dupuis (Emergency).

WED NOV 18<sup>TH</sup> :

## CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 2 (B.F.Hartshorne,O.G.) CIVIL SERVICE 0 (At Charterhouse)

N.B. Charterhouse Football History has this game on Nov 11<sup>th</sup> and has Charterhouse School 2 (F.S.O'Grady 2 ) Crusaders 0 on Nov 18<sup>th</sup> (Not traced this game yet)

Bell's Life 21/11/63 P.3:

BL:"This match was played at Charterhouse on Nov 18,from 3:00 p.m. to 4:30,and its result was two games in favour of Charterhouse.The ground was in good condition and the weather most favourable,the game therefore being well and energetically contested the whole time.Considering the short time that the Civil Service Football Club has been formed their captain brought down a very good team,and although some of them played at a certain disadvantage from following the Charterhouse rules,to which they were not accustomed,they kept up a tolerably equal match throughout.The Charterhouse Eleven were very sorry to lose the valuable assistance of L.Ogden,who was compelled to leave in consequence of an accident,but his substitute(T.P.Abraham)supplied the vacancy in a most efficient manner.The others played well together,but were not on the whole so good as usual.Those who chiefly distinguished themselves for the Civil Service by doing the most work were H.C.Malkin,G.B.Voules,C.G.Howell,and G.C.Waudby.For Charterhouse,C.E.Boyle played well,and was several times within a very little of winning a game.The first goal for Charterhouse was kicked by B.F.Hartshorne,and the second by one of the Civil Service side,although the chief credit of that success was due to F.S.O'Grady and H.H.Cameron."

Charterhouse School:B.F.Hartshorne,K.A.Muir-Mackenzie,J.T.Hodgson,Hon.F.S.O'Grady,  
M.J.Muir-Mackenzie,C.E.Boyle,H.H.Cameron,G.E.Smythe,L.H.Stevenson,A.C.Seymour,T.P.Abraham.

Civil Service:G.B.Voules,H.C.Malkin,P.Q.Bunbury,O.W.Fuller,G.Kirkpatrick,G.C.Waudby,  
G.H.Middleton,C.G.Howell,G.Vaux,C.Chambers,W.Aymand.

## WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1 (W.W.C.Lane) A.WALKER'S CAMBRIDGE ELEVEN 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 21/11/63 P.3/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL:"On Wednesday,Nov 18,Mr A.Walker brought an eleven from Cambridge to Vincent-square.The Westminsters having won the toss,put their opponents against the wind and after about 20 minutes' play a goal was obtained for them by Lane.The goals were then changed,but when "Time" was called,as neither side had made any alteration in their score,Westminster was declared to have won the match by one goal to nothing.The play of Medlycott ,for Cambridge,desrves special notice."

Westminster School:W.W.C.Lane,M.O.Sim,B.Preston,F.Giles,F.Whittaker,A.Dowdeswell,  
G.Dowdeswell, J.P.Nichols,F.L.Harrison,E.S.Vidal,R.Harley.

Cambridge Eleven:+A.Walker,+J.M.Yates,+L.J.M.De Michelle,J.T.Russell,F.Allsopp,  
P.Medlycott,A.Newman,C.Gulston,E.Swainson,T.Clutton,H.Walker(emergency:Westminster).  
+O.W.'s

## CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY RULES :

Field 21/11/63 P.499:

F: "It having been thought desirable to establish a general game for the University of Cambridge, the accompanying Rules have been drawn up for that purpose:

Committee: Rev. R. Burn (Shrewsbury), chairman; R. H. Blake Humphrey, Eton; W. R. Collyer, Rugby; W. P. Crawley, Marlborough; M. T. Martin, Rugby; J. T. Prior, Harrow; W. T. Trench, Eton; H. L. Williams, Harrow; W. S. Wright, Westminster.

#### RULES:

1. The length of the ground should not be more than 150 yards, and the breadth not more than 100 yards. The ground shall be marked out by posts, and two posts shall be placed on each side line, and at distances of 25 yards from each goal-line.

2. The goals shall consist of two upright poles at a distance of 15 feet from each other.

3. The choice of goals and kick-off shall be determined by tossing, and the ball shall be kicked off from the middle of the ground.

4. In a match when half the time agreed upon has elapsed, the sides shall change goals when the ball is next out of play. After a change or a goal obtained, the kick-off shall be from the middle of the ground in the same direction as before. The time during which the match shall last, and the numbers on each side, are to be settled by the heads of the sides.

+5. When a player has kicked the ball, anyone of the same side who is nearer the opponent's goal-line is out of play, and may not touch the ball himself, nor in any way whatsoever prevent any other player from doing so.

6. When the ball goes out of the ground by passing the side lines, it is out of play, and shall be kicked straight into the ground again from the point where it is first stopped.

7. When a player has kicked the ball beyond the opponent's goal-line, whoever first touches the ball when it is first on the ground with his hand, may have a free kick, bringing the ball 25 yards straight out from the goal-line.

8. No player may touch the ball beyond his opponent's goal-line who is behind it when the ball is kicked there.

9. If the ball is touched down behind the goal-line and beyond the line of the side posts, the free kick shall be from the 25 yards post.

10. When a player has a free kick, no one of his own side may be between him and his opponent's goal-line, and no one of the opposite side may stand within ten yards of him.

11. A free kick may be taken in any manner the player may choose.

12. A goal is obtained when the ball goes out of the ground by passing between the poles, or in such a manner that it would have passed between them had they been of sufficient height.

13. The ball when in play may be stopped by any part of the body, but may not be held or hit by the hands, arms, or shoulders.

14. All charging is fair; but holding, pushing with the hands, tripping up, and shinning are forbidden."

(We have much pleasure in publishing these rules, framed by Cambridge men, from Rugby, Harrow, Eton, Shrewsbury, Marlborough, and Westminster. The first match to be played by them was fixed for yesterday (Friday) afternoon. Our football readers who study them closely will observe that they have many excellent features. An amalgamation of laws has not been attempted, but the rules have been framed upon the general principles of the game. Probably after practice they will be revised. + Rule 5 tells us when a participator in the game is out of play, but not what makes him in play again. We have from the first felt and stated that the Universities offered the greatest of all facilities for establishing the game on a national basis. We trust that Cambridge will be successful in its laudable attempt. -Ed"

Field 28/11/63 P.523: "With regard to Rule 5, concerning which we stated last week that it declared when a player was out of play, but did not say when he was in play again, the following explanation from a member of the University satisfactorily answers the objection:

"With regard to a criticism on Rule 5 which appeared in last week's Field, I think you will admit this explanation: -A player becomes in play when the state of things which has put him out of play no longer exists. Now what has put him out of play is this; a player on his own side, nearer his own goal-line, has kicked the ball; well, then, when a player on the other side, but not nearer his own goal-line, has kicked it, by the terms of the rule he is not out of play, and consequently in play, so the rule says all that is necessary."

ETON FIELD MATCHES : Bell's Life 21/11/63 P.3/:

Fri Nov 6<sup>th</sup> : Eton Society ("Pop") 2 rouges Eton College ("No Pop") 0

Eton College Chronicle 12/11/63 P.47:

Society: H.D. Forsyth, E.S. Hope, Hon. N.G. Lyttelton, W.S. Prideaux, E. Lubbock, W.W. Phipps, S.C. Corkran, W.W. Wood, E.R. Chute, J. Jackson, Hon. A. Birtie.

School: C.E. Cuthell, A.V. Pryor, T. Hamond, A. Turner, C. Legard, R. Thompson (m.a.), W. Kenyon-Slaney, H.E. Smith, H.S. Phipps (min), C.S. Newton, T. Sargent.

Sat Nov 14<sup>th</sup> : ETON COLLEGE 1 goal and 1 rouge OXFORD (OLD ETONIANS) 1 rouge

Eton College Chronicle 26/11/63 P.50:

Eton: E.S. Hope (Flying Man), H.D. Forsyth, Hon. N.G. Lyttelton (Corners), W.S. Prideaux, Q. Hogg, E. Lubbock (Behinds), C.E. Cuthell (Post), T. Hammond, A.V. Pryor, W.W. Phipps, S.C. Corkran (The Bully).

Oxford (Old Etonians): E.C. Follett (Flying Man), Le Marchant, T. Round (Corners), E.W. Tritton, Hon F. Butler (Behinds), R.H. Balls (Post), O. Mordaunt, R.W. Follett, W. Pickering, Holden (The Bully), F.M. Jervoise.

Tues Nov 17<sup>th</sup> : ETON COLLEGE 5 rouges R.D. CLEASBY'S ELEVEN 0

Eton: H.D. Forsyth, E.S. Hope, Hon. N.G. Lyttelton, C.E. Cuthell, Q. Hogg, T. Hamond, A.V. Pryor, S.C. Corkran, E. Lubbock, C. Legard, R. Thompson.

R.D.Cleasby's Eleven: R.D.Cleasby, Wharton, Blofield, Tabor, Lloyd, Wharton, Rev. G.R. Dupuis, Wand, Harper, Secker.

SAT NOV 21<sup>ST</sup> :

CAMBRIDGE HARROVIANS \*3 (J.H.Hudson, J.T.Prior, E.E.Bowen) HARROW SCHOOL 1 (H.G.Phipps, jun)

\*Tyro has Williams, Hudson, Bowen as scorers (does not list Prior: see below)

Bell's Life 28/11/63 P.6/Field 28/11/63 P.523:

BL/F: "The Cantabs winning the toss, gained the advantage of the hill and wind, and Mr Hudson almost directly obtained a base for them. Mr Phipps, however, soon succeeded in placing the School on a par with their opponents, the time so occupied so far being only seven minutes. The next base was won by Mr Prior for Cambridge, and after some hard play Mr Bowen got a third by a clever run up against wind and hill."

F: "Neither Cambridge nor Harrow were, we believe, fully represented on this occasion, and the School further laboured under the disadvantage of losing Mr Stow's services at an early period of the game."

Cambridge Harrovians: H.L.Williams, A.Crompton, E.E.Bowen, J.A.Cruikshank, J.T.Prior, J.H.Hudson, J.Lock, H.Y.Medlycott, J.N.Russell, W.H.Christie, V.K.Armitage, L.H.Hope-Edwardes, J.D.Dewhurst, E.G.Swainson, Cheetham, J.D.Walker (emergency). (Tyro is missing Prior and Cruikshank)

Harrow School: H.G.Phipps, jun, C.B.Buller, M.H.Stow, R.N.Russell, H.M.Richardson, G.G.Kennedy, R.A.Atkinson, A.T.Yorke, W.F.Houldsworth, Mowatt, Montgomery, Hon.J.C.Amherst (Thornton), J.T.Peel (Boyson), W.T.Phipps, sen (Hunt), Currey, Robinson. (Tyro has the 3 names in brackets and BL has the players in brackets as playing: correct) (Tyro does not list Mowatt)

FOREST CLUB 5 (J.F.Alcock 2, C.W.Alcock, C.Tebbut, A.Tebbut) RICHMOND 0 (At Leytonstone)

Bell's Life 28/11/63 P.6-7/Field 28/11/63 P.523:

BL: "The return match between these two clubs came off on Saturday Nov 21, on the ground of the Forest players at Leytonstone, and it being the first match this season that the F.F.C. had played upon their own ground, attracted a large number of spectators. Play began at half past two with 10 in each side, and at four o'clock the number of goals obtained by the Forest being 5 and the Richmond none, they broke off. These were kicked by Messrs J.F.Alcock (2), C.W.Alcock, and C. and A.Tebbut. A scratch game brought the afternoon to a pleasant conclusion."

F: "At four o'clock, on the conclusion of the match, a very pleasant scratch game was played."

BUNGAY 1 BECCLES 1 (At Beccles)

Bell's Life 28/11/63 P.7:

Bungay: R.D.Alexander, W.B.Bealey, H.J.Hartcup, J.Holmes, J.Holmstead, E.R.Childs, C.E.Child, J.B.Burton, Rev R.Marshall, M.Sellon, C.Read.

Beccles:W.C.Payne,Rev Dulley,J.R.Crowfoot,A.Arthur,J.E.Phillips,E.C.Phillips,D.A.Hartley,A.Stanley,  
R.Flower,E.Gilbert,G.Edwards.,

WED NOV 25<sup>TH</sup> :

DINGLEY DELL 3(H.C.Malkin,G.A.Paley,H.A.Hills) CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 (Return)

Bell's Life 28/11/63 P.6:

BL:"On Wednesday Nov 25 a return match was played between Dingley Dell and Charterhouse,when the Dellers avenged their former defeat by getting three goals to none.The goals were kicked by Malkin,Paley,and Hills."

Charterhouse School:B.F.Hartshorne,J.T.Hodgson,Hon. F.S.O'Grady,M.Mackenzie,C.E.Boyle,  
E.L.Pearson,H.H.Cameron,G.E.Smythe,L.H.Stevenson,A.C.Seymour,T.P.Abraham.

Dingley Dell:R.D.Cleasby,G.Sills,W.K.Fenton,H.C.Malkin,H.A.Hills,F.Fearon,H.T.Earle,G.A.Paley,  
W.H.Birley,W.L.Williams,Forster,E.H.Allen.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL Match :The Eleven 3 The Twenty Two 0.

Bells' Life 28/11/63 P.6:

BL:"This match was begun at Vincent Square on Saturday Nov 19,and was continued on Wednesday Nov 25,in consequence of the Civil Service Club not being able to keep their engagement to play against the School.On both days fortune favoured the Eleven,though,of course,their great superiority in numbers made the Twenty Two rather formidable opponents.On the second day the Twenty Two had the assistance of O.W.Fuller,of the Civil Service Club.For the Eleven all seemed to do their best,while E.Walker and Tomlinson on the other side were especially deserving of praise."

The Eleven:W.W.C.Lane,M.O.Sim,B.Preston,F.Giles,A.Dowdeswell,G.Dowdeswell,F.Whittaker,  
F.L.Harrison,J.P.Nichols,E.S.Vidal,R.Harley.

The Twenty Two:F.P.Tomlinson,E.J.Chepmell,H.Walker,G.Heath,J.Tayloe,A.Edward,J.Chapman,  
F.Chapman,S.Bird,C.Short,G.Chapman,E.Wylde,J.Circuitt,G.Griffith,S.West,C.E.Oldman,C.E.Bickmore,  
F.Hunt,A.Darley,G.Pownall,E.Bovill,F.Lucas.

SAT NOV 28<sup>TH</sup> :

FOREST CLUB 4 (J.F.Alcock 2,Cotton,Absolom) N.N.(KILBURN) 0 (At Leytonstone)

Bell's Life 5/12/63 P.3:

BL:"A game was played between these two clubs on Saturday,Nov 28,at Leytonstone.Shortly after two the two sides tossed up for choice of goals.The game was a very interesting one,and resulted in a victory for the Foreest,who obtained four goals,their adversaries gaining a "blank".Messrs J.F.Alcock(2),Cotton,and Absolom got the goals for the F.C. and Mr Giles of the N.N. did good service for his side.Thirteen on a side played,although it had been arranged that fifteen should be the number.A large number of spectators were on the ground,and showed by their applause a keen appreciation of the play."(No teams)



BECCLES GRAMMAR SCHOOL 1(Payne) BUNGAY 1 (Hartcup) (Beccles Common)(see above for 1<sup>st</sup> match)

Bell's Life 5/12/63 P.3:

BL:"The Bungay eleven comprised several public school men..."

LINCOLN Match :Juniors 1 (Mantle) Seniors 0 (2<sup>nd</sup> Match :1<sup>st</sup> won by Seniors)

Juniors:W.H.Lowe,E.A.Chambers,R.Curtis,C.Scorer,B.Mantle,W.Moffatt,E.Bromhead,  
J.R.Ealand,F.Larken,G.H.Shipley(Goalkeeper)

Seniors:D.J.Garnham,H.Chambers,F.Thropp,J.Mawer,T.Hiley,T.Lowe,W.Watkins,W.Batty,A.Harrison,  
W.Dawber(Goalkeeper)

N.B At a meeting at the Monson's Arms Inn on Mon Nov 30<sup>th</sup> the Lincoln Club discussed the association rules,"which as a whole met with the approbation of members,the only resolution that was carried being with respect to rule 2,and was as follows:"That the game should be commenced by throwing the ball up in the centre of the ground by the side winning the toss,neither side approaching within 10 yards of the ball until thrown up."(BL 5/12/63 P.3)

CAMBRIDGE HARROVIANS 1 OXFORD HARROVIANS 0 (At Parker's Piece,Cambridge University)

Field 5/12/63 P.548/Bell's Life 5/12/63 Supplement)

N.B.No Cambridge Chronicle and Journal for 1863 on line.

F:"The annual match between the Harrow members of Oxford and Cambridge was played on Parker's Piece,at Cambridge,on Saturday,Nov. 28,and resulted in favour of Cambridge by one base to none;the base was obtained by Mr Cruikshank."

Cambridge:H.L.Williams,A.Crompton,J.A.Cruikshank,J.T.Prior,A.W.Daniel,W.H.Christie,J.Lock,  
H.Y.Medlycott,E.G.Swainson(all Trinity College),P.Thornton(Jesus College),H.Cheetham(Trinity Hall)

Oxford:C.H.Hall(Exeter College),E.C.Glyn(University Cllege),C.F.Reid(Christ Church College),  
R.D.Walker(Brasenose College),W.F.Maitland(Christ Church College),H.K.Leslie(Christ Church College),W.R.Edmeades(Trinity College),T.Hinks(Balliol College),E.H.Selfe(Christ Church College),  
J.B.Martin(Exeter College),J.E.Mylne(Corpus Christi College).

N.B. Mr Dewhurst played for Mr Medlycott who was disabled in the course of the game,and Mr Russell for Mr Leslie who did not appear."

MON NOV 30<sup>TH</sup> ST ANDREW'S DAY AT ETON:

WALL GAME: Collegers 0 Oppidans 0

Upon St Andrew's Day 1841-1901 P.23:

USAD:"The Oppidans had 7 bullies in calx,but could not score.Of 35 bullies,33 ended in favour of the Oppidans and 2 in favour of the Collegers.Carter was obliged to retire at half time,and Wood,K.S.

took his place.R.G.Marsden played exceedingly well,'getting in' as second almost every time,and successfully stopping shies in calx."

Collegers:W.J.Frere,R.H.Lewis,R.C.B.Willis,(Walls),E.Wilkinson,R.G.Marsden(Capt.)(Seconds),W.Wace ,W.Durnford,L.W.Carter(Outsides),W.D.Rawlins,A.J.Pound,R.M.Tabor(Behinds),J.B.Wood(12<sup>th</sup> Man)

Oppidans:W.S.Prideaux,T.H.Phipps,T.Hamond(Walls),S.C.Corkran,C.E.Cuthell(Seconds), Hon N.G.Lyttelton(Capt.), A.V.Pryor,E.S.Hope(Outsides), H.D.Forsyth,E.Lubbock ,Q.Hogg(Behinds), W.W.Wood(12<sup>th</sup> Man)

(See also Field 5/12/63 P.548)

FIELD GAME :OXFORD 1 rouge CAMBRIDGE 0

"Victory was with Oxford,but only by one rouge."

Eton College Chroniacle 10/12/63 P.54/Field 5/12/63 P.548/Oxford University & City Herald 5/12/63 P.9:

F:"The most exciting portion of the contest was at the "bullies", before the ball was started,when the twenty-two were seen in one mass,writhing,crawling,and executing all sorts of contortions to get the ball away towards their opponents' goal."

Oxford:J.Round(Capt.),O.Mordaunt,Gosling,S.C.Smith,P.G.Pickering,C.Gladstone,M.Knight, R.S.Bridges, R.W.Follett,E.C.Follett,E.W.Tritton.

Cambridge:R.H.Blake-Humfrey(Capt.),W.T.Trench,L.W.Dent,J.R.Selwyn,R.A.Kinglake,E.W.Chapman, A.Pope,H.Schneider,B.Hearne,Hon F.Pelham,H.Dodington.

TUES DEC 1<sup>ST</sup> :

Annual field game at Eton:: CAMBRIDGE 1 goal(out of a rouge) and 2 rouges ETON COLLEGE 1 rouge

Eton College Chronicle 10/12/63 P.54/Bell's Life 5/12/63 Supplement:

Cambridge:R.H.Blake-Humfrey,W.T.Trench,E.W.Chapman,L.W.Dent,Rev G.R.Dupuis, H.Brandreth,H.B.Hearne,H.Dodington,Hon F.Pelham,A.Pope,G.Murray.

Eton:H.D.Forsyth,Hon N.G.Lyttelton,W.S.Prideaux,C.E.Cuthell,Q.Hogg,S.C.Corkran,T.Hamond, E.Lubbock,A.V.Pryor,W.W.Phipps(mi),H.Phipps(min).(E.Hope was unable to play for the School)

WED DEC 2<sup>ND</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 2 (E.S.Vidal,G.Dowdeswell) CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 (At Vincent Square)

N.B. Recorded as Dec 3<sup>rd</sup> in Charterhouse Football History as date wrong in Captain's Book.

Bell's Lfe 5/12/63 P.3/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL:"The weather was most unpropitious for football,as the rain came down fast during the first half hour rendering the ground extremely slippery and heavy,and the wind blew with tremendous force across the ground.However,all turned out,and Westminster having lost the toss had a little the worst

of the wind, but after about twenty minutes a goal was obtained for them by Vidal. The goals were then changed, but though the Carthusians then played with much pluck and judgment another goal was shortly after got for Westminster by G. Dowdeswell....”

WSFL: “This match was played at Fields on Wednesday Dec 2<sup>nd</sup> I know that it would not be approved of by some who are too apt to give their opinion without properly considering the matter, in consequence of the row which took place between Charterhouse and Westminster some years ago; but I did not see why we should continue a quarrel which happened long before our time, and there were other reasons which rendered it almost impossible to refuse to play had I been so inclined: the Public Schools Club have this year proposed a meeting of all the captains of the 6 Public Schools which are admitted to their Club, viz: Charterhouse, Eton, Harrow, Rugby, Westminster, and Winchester, and on that account I could not refuse to play, and afterwards meet their captain to help make one set of Rules for all Schools and moreover they were extremely civil and seemingly most anxious to clear up any unpleasantaries between the Schools.

We had been told that we should find them a very equal match for us but we made up our minds that we would thrash them if possible. When the day came everything seemed dead against us, as the ground which had hitherto been pretty dry was in such a state that it was absolutely impossible to run at any pace (a state of things which I believe they are accustomed to on their ground) and moreover it took away the advantage which superiority in weight would have given us as it was quite chance whether we could stand up to anyone of any size or weight however small, and in addition to this we lost the toss, and consequently had both wind and rain fully in our faces. All those disadvantages however only tended to make our men determined to play hard and after 20 minutes we had the great satisfaction of seeing the ball sail through their goals by the agency of Vidal. This of course not only put us at the top, but put them against the wind, and soon after G. Dowdewell put another goal for Westminster; we nearly got other games 2 or 3 times after this but never quite succeeded so when time was called the game stood at 2 to 0. There was a fair collection of Charterhousians as well as Westminsterers in spite of the miserable weather and the match was most interesting throughout.”

Westminster School: W.W.C. Lane, M.O. Sim, B. Preston, F. Giles, G. Dowdeswell, A. Dowdeswell, F. Whittaker, F.L. Harrison, J.P. Nichols, E.S. Vidal, R. Harley.

Charterhouse School: B.F. Hartshorne, K.A. Muir-Mackenzie, J.F. Hodgson, Hon. F.S. O’Grady, M. Muir-Mackenzie, C.E. Boyle, R.L. Pearson, H.H. Cameron, G.E. Smythe, C.H. Stevenson, A.C. Seymour.

SAT DEC 5<sup>TH</sup> :

FOREST SCHOOL 1 (W.B. Gardner) VISITORS 1 (J.M. Yates) (At Walthamstow)

Bell’s Life 19/12/63 P.7:

BL: “On Saturday, Dec 5, an eleven went to play at Walthamstow, against the Forest School, and after two hours’ hard play the match resulted in a tie, both sides getting a game—that for the visitors by Yates, and for the School by Gardner. For the Visitors Harrison did good service, as did Gardner for the School.”

Forest School:G.H.Garraway,C.W.Carver,G.H.Edmunds,W.B.Gardner,A.L.Cutbill,C.E.Openshaw,  
J.Ellis,A.F.Turner,C.T.Bogue,J.J.Littlewood,J.Chilcot.

Visitors:A.Walker,F.Giles,J.M.Yates,F.L.Harrison,M.A.D.Severn,J.P.Nichols,C.Giles,  
G.Dowdeswell,A.Dowdeswell,F.Vidal,J.Lockwood.

HARROW SCHOOL 1 (W.T.Phipps) MR A.K.FINLAY'S ELEVEN 1 (A.K.Finlay) (At Harrow)

Field 12/12/63 P.582/Bell's Life 19/12/63 P.7:

F:"This match was played at Harrow,on Saturday,Dec 5.The School won the toss,and commenced kicking down-hill and,after about half an hour's hard play,succeeded in obtaining a base.Their opponents,however,were not long in placing themselves on an equality,in which position the game continued,ending in a tie.The base for Harrow was obtained by W.T.Phipps,and that for their opponents by A.K.Finlay."

Harrow School:H.G.Phipps,W.T.Phipps,Buller,Russell,Peel,Kennedy,Richardson,Atkinson,  
Yorke,Mowatt,Montgomery,Goldney,Boyson,Robinson.

Mr A.K.Finlay's Eleven:A.K.Finlay,C.H.Hall,I.D.Walker,E.E.Bowen,K.E.Digby,E.W.Burnett,  
C.C.Finlay,Hope Edwardes,W.O.Hewlett,F.H.Cheetham,H.Leslie,A.P.Dodington,C.Porter,F.Green

TUES DEC 8<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1 (F.Giles)HARROW SCHOOL 1 (E.E.Bowen)(At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 12/12/63 P.3/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL:"On Tuesday,Dec 8,the great public school match,which may now be considered an annual affair,was played at Vincent-square,in the presence of a goodly number of Harrovians and Westminster,Old and Present.Shortly before three o'clock thirteen representatives of Harrow, though not all present members of the School,arrived on the ground,where they were met by the same number of Present Westminsters.No time was lost,and in a few minutes after their arrival the game commenced.Westminster having won the toss,played with the wind,and in about twenty minutes obtained the first goal,Mr Giles having by a fine piece of play carried the ball almost the whole length of the ground,and succeeded in forcing it through the ranks of his adversaries.During this time,however,Harrow had by steady and determined efforts more than once taken the ball to their enemies' goal,whence it was as often returned by excellent long kicks on the part of Mr Harrison,who played back for Westminster.Ends were then changed,and the wind now favouring Harrow,Mr Bowen,who had played well throughout,kicked a good goal for that school.Ends were then again changed,and the game was continued with spirit,little advantage gained by either side, until time was called at a quarter past four,leaving the score one all.This is the sixth match that has been played between the two schools,with the following results:-Harrow 1,Westminster 1,and four with no decisive result."

Westminster School:W.W.C.Lane,M.O.Sim,B.Preston,F.Giles,A.Dowdeswell,G.Dowdeswell,  
F.Whittaker,F.L.Harrison,J.P.Nichols,E.S.Vidal,R.Harley,J.P.Tomlinson,E.W.Wylde.

Harrow School:H.G.Phipps,J.D.Walker,C.T.Buller,E.W.Burnett,W.E.Grimston,J.M.Richardson,  
R.Atkinson,W.Richardson,G.G.Kennedy,C.H.Hall,M.Villiers,+E.E.Bowen,J.M.Russell.(BL:"not all  
present members of the school")(SB:"best of the present eleven plus two or three Old Harrovians  
and +one master").

FRI DEC 11<sup>TH</sup> :

ETON COLLEGE 2(W.Phipps,T.A.Hamond) WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 26/12/63 P.6/Eton College Chronicle 28/1/64 P.59/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL:"The annual match between Eton and Westminster was played was played at Vincent-square,on  
Friday,Dec 11.Westminster was unfortunately deprived of the services of Mr Lane,the captain of the  
Eleven,owing to a sprained wrist.It was clear from the commencement that Eton had the advantage  
in point of weight and age,but,notwithstanding,it was an excellent game,and there was a good  
display of skill and pluck on both sides.The most noticeable points in the Eton game were their pace  
and the manner in which they played up to one another;while the Westminsters did not seem quite  
fresh to their workWhen "Time" was called after an hour's hard play,Eton had won by 2 goals,which  
were cleverly obtained by Phipps and Hammond.,who,together with Forsyth,Lyttleton,and Hogg,  
played remarkably well throughout the game;while Whittaker,Giles,and Wylde rendered good  
service for Westminster.It is to be hoped that next year more football matches will be played  
between public schools,since,at present,Westminster is the only school that plays against other  
public schools."

Eton College:H.D.Forsyth,E.S.Hope,Hon N.G.Lyttelton,C.E.Cuthell,A.V.Pryor,Q.Hogg,  
T.A.Hamond,W.W.Phipps,E.Lubbock,C.Legard,S.Corkran.

Westminster School:M.O.Sim,B.Preston,F.Giles,A.Dowdeswell,G.Dowdeswell,F.Whittaker,  
F.L.Harrison,J.P.Nichols,E.S.Vidal,R.Harley,E.W.Wylde.

SAT DEC 12<sup>TH</sup> :

FOREST CLUB 1 BARNES 0 (At Leytonstone)

Bell's Life 19/12/63 P.7/Field 19/12/63 P.603(Very similar reports):

BL:"Fifteen on a side were to have played,but owing to accidental circumstances the Barnes collected  
only thirteen,while twelve met for the Forest.Play commenced at about a quarter to three,the Forest  
Club winning the toss for goals.The game was a very spirited one,and after about an hour's hard play  
the Forest Club obtained a goal.This was the only one got during the game,and thus victory rested  
with the Forest Football Club.The Barnes men played a good game,and strove hard to obtain a goal,  
but without success.There was some talk about the rules on one or two occasions,and we regret to  
say some little temper displayed.This shows the good of the new rules drawn up by the Football  
Association,for when they have come into universal use,games can be played without dispute.We  
have much pleasure in stating that the Forest Club have resolved" That the rules of the Football  
Association be the rules of this club,and be used on all occasions with the exception of such matches  
as are already arranged."

MON DEC 14<sup>TH</sup> :

WINCHESTER Match:

Present Present 12 Old 9

Present: Bullock(2), F. Haygarth(1), Horner(1), Michell(2), Pyke(5), Wilmot(1).

Old: Bramston, Foster(2), J. W. Haygarth(5), H. Stewart(2), Streatfield, Wigram.

WED DEC 16<sup>TH</sup> :

FIFTEEN PAST BRIGHTONIANS 0 FIFTEEN PRESENT BRIGHTONIANS 1 (see below) (At Brighton College)

Field 19/12/63 P.603/Bell's Life 19/12/63 P.7:

BL: "The game was well contested, no advantage on either side being gained in the first hour, but soon afterwards the ball was touched down behind the Old Boys' goal by Dunnage. A rouge ensued, which, after some most determined play, resulted in a goal for the Present, notwithstanding the superior weight of their opponents."

Past: J. M. Elliott, G. E. Gardiner, J. L. Margary, M. S. Fox, C. C. Thornton, G. Hilbers, H. Moore, R. Ramsden, A. C. Ross-Carne, G. Ward, W. Rigden, G. Carr, S. H. Gardner, H. Martin.

Present: H. Cotterill, W. Griffith, C. H. Griffith, G. G. Barber, A. R. Margary, W. Blunt, A. Gray, G. C. Barnes, A. C. A. Hall, A. R. Dunnage, W. Cooper, R. G. Crozier, E. A. Ridgway, F. B. Soden, F. Lowe.

SAT DEC 19<sup>TH</sup> :

BARNES 0 RICHMOND 0 (FIRST FA RULES GAME) (No lineups)

Sporting Life 26/12/63 P.4/Field 26/12/63 P.619:

SL/F: "The first match played by the rules of the Football Association took place on Saturday on the Barnes Ground, between the above-named clubs, fifteen a side. Richmond won the toss for choice of goals, and Barnes kicked off. Very little difficulty was experienced on either side in playing the new rules, and the game was characterised by great good temper, the rules being so simple and easy of observance that it is difficult for disputes to arise. Notwithstanding Barnes succeeded in obtaining six "tries at goal", they failed to obtain one, and after playing one hour and a half, the game was drawn. Although the Richmond had the ball more frequently near their goal, we cannot congratulate Barnes on their play. If it had been after Christmas, we might have accounted for their slowness and want of condition."

SL: "We are gratified to be able to announce that a game of football will be played by the members of the Association, on Saturday afternoon, on January 2, in Battersea Park, to test the working of the rules which have been lately drawn up, with a view to render this healthful winter game more popular and practical by getting rid of the dangerous practices which exist at some of the public schools, and by a few clubs which appear to wish to make themselves notorious by retaining them. The meet is fixed for two o'clock, and we understand the members intend to dine together after the game, but the exact locality is not yet fixed. Should the weather prove fine, a very large company will doubtless be present."

Sporting Life 30/12/63 P.3: "Members from the various clubs forming the Association will meet at Battersea Park, on Saturday, January 2, at two o'clock, to play a game according to the new rules. Arrangements have been made with Mr Mellish, of the Albert Tavern, which adjoins the park, for the accomodation of gentlemen requiring rooms to wash, dress, &c. The Association will dine at the Grosvenor Hotel, at six o'clock."

FOREST CLUB 4 (C.Absolom 2, C.Adams, C.W.Alcock) MR THOMPSON'S ELEVEN 0 (At Walthamstow)

Bell's Life 26/12/63 P6/Field 26/12/63 P.619:

F: "Eleven members of the Forest Club met Thompson's Eleven on Saturday last, at Leytonstone for a friendly game. The afternoon was very fine, and the game one of the most spirited and exciting of the season. At the conclusion of the match the Forest club had obtained four goals, and their adversaries none. The victory thus remained with the Forest club, on whose part Messrs C.Absolom, C.Adams, and C.Alcock obtained goals, Mr Absolom, whose play was greatly admired, getting two. Where all did their best it would be invidious to mention names; but the spectators, of whom there were a great array, justly acknowledged it to be the finest match they had seen for a long time. This is the sixth match played by the Forest Club in six weeks, all of which have been won, and it is a remarkable fact that in these matches the Forest Club have obtained twenty-two goals and their various opponents not one."

Forest Club: J.F.Alcock (Capt.), C.W.Alcock, F.C.Adams, C.Absolom, H.Head, C.D.Jackson, H.S.Jackson, J.Pardoe, B.D.Tabor, C.M.Tebbut, A.M.Tebbut.

Thompson's Eleven: F.W.Greaves (Capt.), F.C.Back, E.W.Burnett, L.O.Desborough, A.K.Finlay, C.C.Finlay, E.G.Greenhill, F.Lucas, A.Thompson, W.J.Thompson, C.Wright.

MON DEC 21<sup>st</sup> and TUES DEC 22<sup>ND</sup> "

Field 28/11/63 P.523: "On Dec 21 and 22 these two schools will play matches on the ground at Vincent-square, Westminster. The first game will be a six a-side match, to be played by Winchester rules; another will be an eleven a-side game, and will be played by the Eton rules."

Bell's Life 12/12/63 P.3: "We are authorised to state that the matches between Eton and Winchester, which were appointed for Dec 21 and 22, will not be played this year."

SAT JAN 2<sup>ND</sup>: FIRST OFFICIALLY ARRANGED ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL MATCH:

PRESIDENT'S SIDE 2 (C.W.Alcock 2) SECRETARY'S SIDE 0

Sporting Life 6/1/64 P.4/Bell's Life 16/1/64 P.3/Field (9/1/64 Edition missing from KR Volume)

N.B Bells's Life give wrong date of Sat Jan 9<sup>th</sup> for this match, probably because they are reporting it a week late.

SL: "The gentlemen who have spent so much time in arranging a new code of laws for the regulation of the game of football had the gratification of seeing them put to a practical and highly-satisfactory test on Saturday last, when the members of the association mustered in good round numbers at Battersea Park, and played a friendly game, there being fourteen on each side. A large muster of

spectators, attracted by the fine bracing weather, and the novelty of the proceedings, attended, and, in common with those who took an active part in the game, expressed their entire satisfaction at the working of the new laws. The sides were chosen by the Messrs Alcock, and were distinguishable as the President's and Secretary's, and included the following....." (see below for ordered lineup from Bell's Life).

"The game commenced shortly after half past two, and some very spirited play ensued, which only concluded when twilight was far advanced, and resulted in the President's side obtaining two goals. It would be invidious to mention the names of any of the players as having distinguished themselves where all were active. Suffice it to say, that the afternoon was very pleasantly spent, and so was the evening, by a portion of the members and their friends, who retired to the Grosvenor Hotel, Pimlico, where a capital dinner and some excellent wines were (discussed) to the satisfaction of all concerned. "

BL: "Mr Chambers, the able representative of the Sheffield Football Club, gave a capital taste of his quality. The president's side, after some spirited play, obtained two goals, the final kick in each instance being obtained by Mr C.W. Alcock.

"In the evening the members of the association dined together at the Grosvenor Hotel, Pimlico, under the presidency of Mr A. Pember. "Success to football, irrespective of class or creed", was heartily drunk, and a most agreeable evening passed."

President's Side: A. Pember, C.W. Alcock, H.W. Chambers, A.M. Tebbut, Gray, Drew, Graham, Cutbill, Morton, J. Turner, Morris, Renshaw, Leuchars, Scott.

Secretary's Side: E.C. Morley, J.F. Alcock, C.M. Tebbut, A. Lloyd, C. Hewett, G.T. Wawn, J.P. Phillips, Innes, McCalmont, Needham, H. Baker, A. Baker, Hughes, Jackson.

N.B. Bell's Life 23/1/64 P.6 reproduces a letter dated Jan 13<sup>th</sup> from "An Old Boy" commenting upon the fact that no public schools were attending F.A. Meetings : "Although these nurseries of the game were specially requested to co-operate with the association, it seemed as if it had been determined that they should not be represented, for the meetings, instead of being held in the vacation, were fixed for a time when it was impossible for them to attend, and their absence was the cause of that of many suburban clubs, which consist of public school men. Hence arose the scanty list of members, which was reduced to the present number on the withdrawal of six clubs, all of whom would have had to sacrifice the Rugby game to one which had no claim to its preference" (these included the 3 Blackheath Clubs and other clubs associated with the Blackheath game)

N.B. "The clubs which now form the association are-Barnes, Kilburn, Crystal Palace, War Office, Forest, Forest School, Sheffield, Uppingham and Royal Engineers(Chatham)." The three latter were not present at one of the meetings.

MON JAN 4<sup>TH</sup> :

C.C.C. 2 (Blunt, A. Turner) SCRATCH ELEVEN 1 (Bovill)(Clapham Common)

Bell's Life 9/1/64 P.5:



BL: "This match was played on Clapham Common, on Monday, Jan 4, and resulted in favour of the C.C.C. by 2 goals to 1. The play on both sides was very good. Messrs F. Soden, A. Turner, and Henry Dealtry distinguishing themselves on behalf of the C.C.C., while Messrs Nepean, Fraser, and J. Tayloe did good service for the "Scratch". The C.C.C. were unfortunately deprived of the services of two of their best men at an early period of the game, otherwise their victory might have been more decisive than it proved to be. The goals were obtained for the C.C.C. by Messrs Blunt and A. Turner, and for the "Scratch" by Mr Bovill."

C.C.C. : Barnes, Barber, Blunt, Ker, Hall, Walters, Henry Dealtry, Hugh Dealtry, A. Turner, F. Soden, H. Soden (P. Turner played for Barnes who was hurt)

Scratch Eleven: Damson, Nepean, Bovill, Powell, Roxby, J. Tayloe, E. Tayloe, C. Tayloe, Fraser, Cur, Harper.

SAT JAN 9<sup>TH</sup>:

Sporting Life 9/1/63 P.3: "Operations have been suspended until the breakup of the frost, the majority of football players being skaters, and "naturally desirous of improving the occasion" to disport themselves on the ice so long as it lasts, and those who are not have a wholesome dread of broken bones and contusions."

SAT JAN 16<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 1 (Richardson) A. CROMPTON'S ELEVEN 0 (At Harrow)

Tyro 1/3/64 P.154/Bell's Life 23/1/64 P.6:

BL: "This match was played at Harrow, Jan 16, when the School won by one base, obtained by Richardson."

Harrow School: Phipps, jun, Phipps, sen, Buller, Russell, Peel, Hon J. Amherst, Richardson, Atkinson, Yorke, Houldsworth, Montgomery.

A. Crompton's Eleven: A. Crompton, E. E. Bowen, E. W. Burnett, A. F. Giles, W. H. Christie, H. B. Jones, G. G. Kennedy, J. Greaves, A. K. Finlay, G. E. H. Elliott, F. Mowatt. (Tyro has no James or Finlay and has Green for Greaves and Hewlett for Mowatt: have followed BL and BL initials added)

C.C.C. 2 (Stainforth, J. Tayloe) MONTAGUE CLUB 0 (At Clapham Common)

Bell's Life 23/1/64 P.6:

BL: "During the early part of the game the weight of the Montagues told its tale, but the pluck and science of the C.C.C. soon carried all before it, although their opponents made a most obstinate resistance. The goals were gained for the C.C.C. by Messrs Stainforth (Kensington Phil) and J. Tayloe (Johannes)..."

C.C.C. : Lee, Stainforth, Dasent, Harper, A. Turner, P. Turner, J. Tayloe, E. Tayloe, J. Ker, R. Ker, A. Dealtry, Spitta.

Montague: Russell, Cory, Wheeler, Handsley, Weeks, Edwards, Davidson, Earnshaw, Tapir, Steele, Box, Cox.

SAT JAN 23<sup>RD</sup> :

FOREST CLUB 2 (C.Absolom,C.M.Tebbut) 15 OF KING'S COLLEGE 0 (At Leytonstone)

Bell's Life Supplement 20/2/64 P.3 : (Summary of F.F.C. three matches in four weeks extending their unbeaten record:see reports below)

BL:"The first of these matches was played on Saturday,Jan 23,on the club ground at Leytonstone, against 15 of King's College,and resuled in an easy victory for the Forest ,who obtained two goals to their adversaries' none .These were got by Messrs Absolom and C.Tebbutt.This being the first match since Christmas,a large number of spectators assembled,and warmly congratulated the members of the F.F.C. on keeping their fame untarnished."

N.B.Rob Cavallini has the Forest Team.Where did he get the names from and is the King's College team available?However,the names are exactly the same as for the Harrow game,so maybe he thought that the BL lineup was for both games.

Forest Club:J.F.Alcock,C.W.Alcock,F.C.Adams,C.Absolom,E.W.Burnett,R.Cotton,A.K.Finlay,  
T.W.Greaves,D.Gillispie,C.M.Tebbut,A.M.Tebbut.

King's College:Ask Rob Cavallini.

C.C.C. 0 MONTAGUE CLUB 0 (Return)(On Clapham Common:15 a side)

Bell's Life 30/1/64 P.6/Field 30/1/64 P.78:

BL:"The Montague had greatly improved their team,while the C.C.C. were proportionately weak."

F:"These clubs met on Clapham-common,last Saturday,the 23<sup>rd</sup> :fifteen played on each side.The game was spiritedly and well contested for an hour and a half,when it ended without either side obtaining a goal.On the part of Montagu,Messrs Cory,Edwards,Hansley,and Wheeler deserve being noticed for their excellent play; and on the part of C.C.C. Messrs Stainforth,J.Tayloe,and A. and P.Turner."(No teams)

C.C.C. :Stainforth,Hugh Dealtry,Henry Dealtry,A.Dealtry,A.Turner,P.Turner,K.Soden,H.Soden,  
J.Ker,R.Ker,J.Tayloe,E.Tayloe,Spitta,G.Bidder,Frere.

Montague Club:Russell,Cory,Wheeler,Hansley,Postlethwaite,Lambridge,Hayes,Earnshaw,Francis,  
Brown,White,Steele,Edwards,Brouse,Haslam,Sanders.

ELEVEN OF BARNES 2 (Drake,Hay) MR GREAVES' ELEVEN 1 (Greaves) (At Barnes)

Field 30/1/64 P.78:

F:"This match was played on the Barnes Ground on Saturday,the 23<sup>rd</sup> inst ,and proved a very spirited and interesting contest.It was agreed that play should commence at three o'clock,and cease at a quarter before five,the party who obtained the greatest number of goals in that time being the winner.The weather was all that could be wished for football,the ground was in capital order,and the field was graced by many of the fair sex.The game commenced with ten men on the side of Barnes and eleven on the side of Mr Greaves. The latter won the toss.After playing nearly an hour,Mr

Greaves, who is a fine dashing player, succeeded in getting the ball behind the back players of the Barnes team, and, in spite of the efforts of the opponents, made the first goal. After a few minutes' rest the game was resumed. Barnes having been reinforced by another man, there was some capital play now, Mr Hay being much applauded on the part of Barnes for his neatness and quickness. The whole of Mr Greaves's team ran like deer, and as they never flinched, some heavy and severe collisions took place, in the midst of which Drake managed to kick a goal for Barnes. There only remained a quarter of an hour to decide with which side victory was to rest, so both parties were eager for the fray, and the game was recommenced without delay. The ball having been drawn up to Mr Greaves's goal, a good deal of scrummaging and charging took place; ultimately Hay, on the part of Barnes, touched down the ball behind the adversary's goal, being by the new rules entitled to a free kick from fifteen yards outside the goal line, and punted the ball very neatly between the posts. Time being called, Barnes were left the winners by one goal. The Association rules were played."

TUES JAN 26<sup>TH</sup> :

ETON COLLEGE 2 goals and 1 rouge MR BRANDRETH'S ELEVEN 0 (In South Meadow)

Eton College Chronicle 26/1/64 P..59:

Eton: W.S. Prideaux, H.D. Forsyth, E.S. Hope, Hon. N.G. Lyttelton, A.V. Pryor, T. Hamond, E. Lubbock, W.W. Phipps, C. Legard, B.B. Trench, T.H. Phipps.

Brandreth's Eleven: H. Brandreth, A. Austen-Leigh, Rev. H. Snow, Rev. D. Yonge, F. Whitting, E.P. Rouse, Wilson, Booth, H.M. Thompson, W.W. Wood, R.F. Thompson.

WED JAN 27<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1 (E.L. Pearson) DINGLEY DELL 0 (At Charterhouse)

Bell's Life 13/2/64 P.7/Field 6/2/64 P.102:

BL: "A capital game was played for about an hour and a half, the School winning one goal, which was kicked by E.L. Pearson after some good play. The D.D. did their best to turn the fortune of the day, but without success, in spite of the energy and skill of R.D. Cleasby (Capt.), and his brother (F.R. Cleasby). G. Smythe particularly distinguished himself on the Charterhouse side, and was well backed up by the rest of the eleven."

Charterhouse: K.A. Muir Mackenzie, J. Hodgson, Hon F.O'Grady, M.J. Muir Mackenzie, L. Ogden, E.L. Pearson, H.H. Cameron, G.E. Smythe, L. Stevenson, G.S. Davies, A.C. Seymour. (F only)

Dingley Dell: Not given: try Charterhouse Captain's Book

SAT JAN 30<sup>TH</sup> :

N.N. 3 (W. Baker 2, A. de Pothonier) BARNES 0 (At Kilburn)

Bell's Life 6/2/64 P.3/Sporting Life 3/2/64 P.4/Field 6/2/64 P.102 (Similar report in all 3 papers):

F: "A match was played on Saturday, January 30, at Kilburn, between the Barnes and N.N. Clubs. Barnes won the choice of goals, the No Names having to play up the hill against the wind, with the

sun in their eyes. The game began with spirit, both sides making great efforts to win a goal. After nearly an hour's hard fighting the N.N. succeeded in running the ball through their adversaries' goal. Notwithstanding the (praiseworthy) exertions of Mr Morley, captain of the Barnes, the N.N.'s (soon) ran in a second goal. We are inclined to think that a little more alacrity on the part of the Barnes' goalkeepers might have made this chance less certain. In the third game the Barnes' men made a desperate rush, which, however, proved unsuccessful, the N.N.'s taking the ball from them and quickly running it home, thus winning the match by 3 goals to nil; W. Baker scoring 2, A. de Pothonier 1. Mr Morley, Mr Hay, and Mr Elton played well for Barnes. Mr Giles, Messrs Baker, Mr Mitchell, and Mr Lendrum, among the other N.N.'s were warmly applauded, Mr Giles especially for his dribbling."

N.N. : Pember (Capt.), Giles, H. Baker, J. Baker, W. Baker, A. Baker, Renshaw, Daly, Morten, Wawn, A. de Pothonier, Mitchell, Collins, Morton, Lendrum.

Barnes: Morley (Capt.), Hay, Elton, Willis, M' Calmont, Graham, Waller, Roberts, Leuchars, Bloxam, Mossendew, Capt. Beresford, Innes, Moore, Shepperd.

WED FEB 3<sup>RD</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 3 (F.S. O'Grady, G.S. Davies, "bully") CIVIL SERVICE 2 (Voules, Another )

Bell's Life 13/2/64 P.7 / Field 6/2/64 P.102:

BL: "The Civil Service, consisting of ten men and a \*substitute, played a capital match with the Charterhouse resulting in three games for the School against two for the club. The game was spirited throughout, G.B. Voules (capt.), H.C. Malkin, and E. Gibson (substitute) played very well for the C.S., and J.T. Hodgson, F.S. O'Grady, and G.S. Davies did most of the work for the School, the latter two getting a game a piece in capital style. In the course of the afternoon a most exciting bully took place in front of the C.S. goal; one of their number fell over the ball, and after a long and fierce fight, both man and ball were forced over the line of the goal post, until more than half the ball had passed. The School then claimed the game." \* F states 3 emergencies but only name E. Gibson.

F: "...at length, by a fine piece of play, G. Davies kicked the conquering goal."

No teams: Check Charterhouse Captain's Book

SAT FEB 6<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 0 FOREST CLUB 0 (At Harrow)

Field 13/2/64 P.109 / Bell's Life 20/2/64 P.3 / Tyro 1/3/64 P.154 (has Forest initials and Harrow team: not in the 2 papers, but Wanderers History has initials of Forest Club):

BL: "The second match came off on Saturday, Feb 6, at Harrow, and was against Harrow School. It had been agreed that play should commence about two and continue till a quarter to four, 11 being on each side. Owing to some slight misunderstanding as to the time, it was half-past two before the two sides got into working order, but when they did set to work, spirited indeed was the way in which it was kept up. Many of the F.F.C., expecting to see some good play, came down to see it, and they were gratified to their utmost, for a more interesting and exciting game we have seldom witnessed. We wish we could say the ground was in as fine a condition as it might have been, but to speak the strict

truth it could hardly have been worse, and the large amount of mud that attached itself to the boots of the players seriously impeded their speed. We doubt if even the great Deerfoot could have gone at anything like his usual pace upon it. Despite drawbacks, however—despite strange rules, bad and new ground, a well practiced and skillful team, the F.F.C., remembered that their co-members “expected every man would do his duty”, and fought a good game, for when time was called neither side had got a goal, and so the game was a drawn one. Both sides played beautifully, and we must be allowed to mention Mr C. Alcock of the Forest, and Mr Phipps of the School, as especially worthy of mention.”

F: “The ground, we regret to say, was far from being in a first-rate condition; in fact it seemed more like playing in a ploughed field than anything else, the amount of mud that attached itself to the boots of the players at every step they took, greatly impeding their progressive powers.”

Forest Club: C. Absolom, F. C. Adams, C. W. Alcock, J. F. Alcock (Capt.), E. W. Burnett, R. Cotton, A. K. Finlay, D. Gillespie, T. W. Greaves, A. M. Tebbut, C. M. Tebbut. (HT/F/BL)

Harrow School: H. G. Phipps, W. T. Phipps, C. F. Buller, R. N. Russell, T. E. Peel, H. Richardson, R. L. Yorke, W. F. Houldsworth, Montgomery, Goldney, Robinson. (HT: not known if A. S. L. Montgomery, sen, or if jun: both played for the Next 20 v First Twelve)

THURS FEB 11<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1 (A. Dowdeswell) DINGLEY DELL 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 13/2/64 P.7/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL: “This match was played at Vincent-square, on Thursday, Feb 11, when G. Sills, Esq. kindly brought down an eleven against Westminster. The game was obstinately contested, but after some time a goal was obtained by A. Dowdeswell for the School. The ends were then changed, but when time was called neither side having altered their score, Westminster won the match by one goal to nothing. During the game an unfortunate accident occurred by R. Lloyd, Esq. being knocked down, and putting his arm out of joint, but his place was filled up, and the game was proceeded without interruption. Giles and A. and G. Dowdeswell for Westminster, and R. D. Cleasby and R. Wharton for Dingley Dell, were particularly conspicuous for their good play.””

Westminster School : W. W. C. Lane, M. O. Sim, B. Preston, F. Giles, F. Whittaker, A. Dowdeswell, G. Dowdeswell, F. L. Harrison, J. P. Nichols, E. S. Vidal, E. W. Wylde.

Dingley Dell: R. D. Cleasby, G. Sills, W. K. Fenton, E. H. Allen, J. L. Wharton, G. A. Paley, R. Foster, F. Fearon, R. L. Lloyd, R. Wharton, H. T. Earle.

SAT FEB 13<sup>TH</sup> :

FOREST CLUB 2 (C. W. Alcock, Pardoe) MR THOMPSON'S ELEVEN 2 (A. Thompson, Greaves) (At Leytonstone)

Bell's Life 20/2/64 P.3/Field 20/2/64 P.127:

F: "The return match between these two clubs came off on Saturday last, and resulted in a tie, both sides obtaining two goals. The early part of the afternoon was very wet, and most of the players got a soaking before they began; but in spite of this they set to work in right good earnest. After about an hour and a half's hard play time was called and the game finished with the unsatisfactory conclusion of a draw. Messrs C. Alcock and Pardoe for the Forest, and Thompson and Greaves for their adversaries, kicked the goals. Messrs Greaves and Burnett did good service for Thompson's, and Messrs J. Alcock and Pardoe for the Forest. We may congratulate Thompson's Eleven on being the only club who have obtained any goals against the Forest this season, and we think it says a good deal for their play."

Forest Club : J. F. Alcock (Capt.), C. W. Alcock, Absolom, Cotton, Cutbill, Edwards, Gardener, Jackson, Pardoe, A. Tebbut, C. Tebbut. (F has Edmonds for Edwards)

Thompson's Eleven: Greaves, Burnett, Finlay, A. Thompson, Harper, F. Lucas, Reeves, R. Y. Head, Melhurst, C. Wright, F. Wright.

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 N.N.'s KILBURN 0 (At Charterhouse)

Bell's Life 20/2/64 P.3/Field 20/2/64 P.126/Sporting Life 20/2/64 P.4 (No teams in SL):

BL: "The weather was gloomy and the ground wet and slippery, making it very difficult to dribble. The game was played for about an hour and a quarter without any goal being obtained by either side. F. Giles and A. G. Renshaw played well throughout, and M Muir Mackenzie displayed great science in the noble game on the other side. E. S. Gibson played for the first time with the School eleven, and showed a plucky spirit and a thorough knowledge of the game, promising to become a useful man. K. Muir Mackenzie was unable to play for his side."

SL: "The Charterhouse played without their captain, K. Mackenzie, but his place was very efficiently filled by J. T. Hodgson."

Charterhouse School: J. T. Hodgson, Hon F. S. O'Grady, M. J. Muir Mackenzie, L. Ogden, E. Pearson, H. H. Cameron, G. Smythe, G. S. Davies, A. C. Seymour, E. S. Gibson, C. P. Scott, T. Abraham.

N.N.'s: A. Pember (Capt.), H. Baker, W. F. Baker, A. G. Renshaw, A. R. Daly, F. Giles, A. Morten, F. Mitchell, W. H. Lendrum, F. Phillips, E. T. Wawn, L. F. Brown (substitute). (F has E. J. Wawn)

FIFTEEN OF BARNES v FIFTEEN OF RICHMOND: Not traced.

WED FEB 17<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1 (A. Dowdeswell) CRUSADERS 1 (R. D. Cleasby)

Bell's Life 27/2/64 P.7 (Report used by Westminster School Football Ledger):

BL: "The Crusaders played a visit to the Westminster ground at Vincent-square on Wednesday, Feb 17, when, in spite of the weather, a capital game was played, resulting in a tie. The toss was won by the School, which gave them the advantage of some wind at their backs, but it was not till after more than an hour's hard work, in which there were several rallies in front of their own as well as their adversaries' goal, that a game was very cleverly got for them by A. Dowdeswell. On changing ends, the

Crusaders in general, and Mr Cleasby, in particular, showed no intention whatever of accepting a defeat, and the latter gentleman very soon succeeded in taking the ball through in splendid style, and getting a game, which as the rain was now falling fast and time nearly up it was agreed should be the last. There was some excellent play on the part of Messrs Giles, Lane, and Harrison for Westminster, as also on that of Mr Wylde, who kindly filled up a gap in the ranks of the Crusaders."

Westminster School: W.W.C. Lane, M.O. Sim, B. Preston, F. Giles, A. Dowdeswell, G. Dowdeswell, F. Whittaker, F.L. Harrison, J.P. Nichols, E.S. Vidal, R. Harley.

Crusaders: E.O. Berens, R.D. Cleasby, H.C. Malkin, R.W. Monro, T. Morton, Paley, A. Severn, M.A. Thoms, J.L. Wharton, R. Wharton, E.W. Wylde (Emergency: Westminster).

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1 (M. Muir Mackenzie) ST BARTHOLOMEW HOSPITAL 0 (At Charterhouse)

Bells' Life 20/2/64 P.3/Field 20/2/64 P.127:

BL: "After about twenty minutes a game was got by the School, M. Muir Mackenzie giving the winning kick. The weather now began to get very bad, and after five and twenty minutes' more play put a stop to the match, which remained unaltered. At the time when the game was won Charterhouse were playing 10 men against 11 opponents, in consequence of the accident which forced G. Smythe to leave the field."

No lineups: check Charterhouse Captain's Book.

LOUTH CLUB: The third annual meeting on the 17<sup>th</sup> : ".....the new code of the Cambridge University committee was adopted verbatim, with the two following exceptions: In Rule 4, expungement of the sentence referring to numbers of sides. In Rule 13, alteration of the word hit to thrown." (Field 27/2/64 P.150 see also Bell's Life 27/2/64 P.7)

SAT FEB 20<sup>TH</sup> :

BARNES 0 MR BURNETT'S ELEVEN 3 (E.W. Burnett, F. Giles, Desborough,)

Bell's Life 5/3/64 P.6 :

BL: "It was agreed beforehand to play for an hour and a quarter, but at the end of an hour's play, and "disputing" the game was brought to a sudden close by the Barnes Club refusing to play any longer "because the victorious side gave in to a disputed point". The play of the Scratch Eleven was very good, but Mr Giles particularly distinguished himself. The bases were obtained by Messrs Burnett, Giles, and Desborough."

Mr Burnett's Team: E.W. Burnett, F. Giles, C.W. Alcock, + F.C. Alcock, Greaves, Harper, Mowatt, Reaves, F. Mayer, Desborough, Wright. (+ J.F. Alcock?)

Barnes: Not recorded

WED FEB 24<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 5 (J.T. Hodgson 2 on the Green, "squashes" 2, F.S.O. Grady in Cloisters)  
OLD CARTHUSIANS 0 (At Charterhouse: 1<sup>st</sup> half on the Green, 2<sup>nd</sup> half in Cloisters) (H.T. 2-0)

N.B Charterhouse Football History does not give the Green scorer

Field 27/2/64 P.150/Bell's Life 5/3/64 P.6:

F."This, the great match of the season at Charterhouse, was played on Wednesday, Feb 24<sup>th</sup>. The game was begun on the Green, although the ground was very heavy from the thaw which had taken place. After about half an hour's play, the Present Carthusians had won two games, both kicked by J.T. Hodgson. After this, both sides adjourned to the Cloisters, where the game was concluded. The Old were much heavier than the Young Carthusians, and therefore stood a much better chance of winning back their two games than before. However, the Young Carthusians, by playing well together, and by their knowledge of the intricacies of the cloister game, made up for their want of weight. In a short time after the match had been resumed in the cloisters, a game was won by the Young, after a good fight at the goals. This was followed by another game won by the whole side. (BL states "two were the result of squashes"). After this the two sides played for a long time without either getting a game, till five minutes before the time fixed for the end of the match, the Hon F.O'Grady "dribbled" the ball the whole way up the cloisters, and won another game for the Young Carthusians."

Charterhouse School: K.A. Muir Mackenzie, J.T. Hodgson, M.J. Muir Mackenzie, L. Ogden, E. Pearson, H.H. Cameron, G.E. Smythe, G.S. Davies, A.C. Seymour, Hon F.S.O'Grady, J.M. Byng.

Old Carthusians: B.F. Hartshorne, H.C. Malkin, E.P. Eardley-Wilmot, J. Lant, W. Seymour, R.B. Yorke, G. Brodie, J.L. Seymour, W. Maples, C.A. Sumner, C.P. Scott (substitute).

HARROW SCHOOL 2 (T. Aspinall, S. Thurlowe) KENSINGTON 0 (At Harrow)

Bell's Life 5/3/64 P.6:

BL: "The weather being frosty, hail and snow falling, during this match, which was played on Wednesday, Feb 24, no great game was expected. The School gained the toss, and chose the uphill base, giving their adversaries uphill with the snow in their faces. After twenty minutes' hard play P. Aspinall obtained a splendid base. The School then changed over, but in spite of their disadvantages again secured a base - this was kicked by Thurlowe. The club then declined further play, and the two parties proceeded up to the Head Master's, where a cold collation awaited them."

Harrow School: J. Jones, F.E. Alcock, G. Thomson, W. Pelham, Hon. D. Stewart, T.D. Walker, E.W. Trower, T. Sheppard, G.H. Banbury, T. Aspinall, E.F. Wilson, S. Thurlowe.

Kensington: B.A. Tottenham, C. Stone, Hon Stancomb, Lord Casliss, G.E. Alsopp, W. Corrie, B.R. Ainslie, R.S. Atherstone, A. Robertson, D. Teape, R.A. Rosh, B. Campbell

THURS FEB 25<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 1 (Robinson) T.W. GREAVES' ELEVEN 0 (At Harrow)

Tyro 1/3/64 P.154/Bell's Life 27/2/64 P.7:

BL: "This match was played at Harrow on Thursday, Feb 25, and although frost and snow had made the ground hardly fit to be played on, resulted in a capital game. The School were victorious by one base (obtained by Robinson) to none."



Harrow School: Phipps,jun,Phipps,sen,Buller,Russell,Peel,Hon J.Amherst,Richardson,  
Yorke,Houldsworth,Montgomery,Robinson.(HT/BL)

T.W.Greaves's Eleven:T.W.Greaves,E.W.Burnett,A.K.Finlay,J.F.Alcock,E.E.Bowen,  
Rev.C.L.Sanderson,C.W.Alcock,C.M.Tebbut,A.Thompson,C.Absolom,Boyson.

N.B. Tyro has many errors in the Greaves Team and gives it as J.W.Greaves Team:CHECK THIS

SAT FEB 27<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 2 (K.A.Muir Mackenzie,J.T.Hodgson) H.C.MALKIN'S TEAM 2 (R.D.Cleasby 2)

N.B. Charterhose Football History wrongly has the score as 2-0 to Charterhouse.

Field 5/3/64 P.156/Bell's Life 5/3/64 P.6:

BL:"A spirited game was played at the Charterhouse between these sides.on Saturday,Feb 27,,and ended in a tie,each side winning two goals.The first goal was kicked in a very short time by R.D.Cleasby,who continued throughout the match to play with the greatest skill and effect,and succeeded in getting a second goal later in the afternoon.The two goals for Charterhouse were kicked by K.A.Muir Mackenzie and J.T.Hodgson respectively.The match was contested so keenly,that by mutual consent,an extra quarter of an hour was added after the time for leaving off,in order that there might be a deciding goal.But neither party had further success.C.P.Scott and W.H.Gordon took the places of F.S.O'Grady and Mr +(M.J.)Muir Mackenzie on the Charterhouse side;the rest of the eleven played as usual."

Charterhouse School:K.A.Muir Mackenzie,(Capt.)J.T.Hodgson,L.Ogden,H.H.Cameron,G.E.Smythe,  
G.S.Davies,A.C.Seymour,E.C.S.Gibson,C.P.Scott,W.H.Gordon,J.M.Byng.

H.C.Malkin's Team:H.C.Malkin,A.E.Bateman,R.D.Cleasby,G.Dowdeswell,A.Dowdeswell,C.Howell,  
+Sir A(lexander)Muir Mackenzie,M.O.Sim,G.B.Voules,L.F.Brown(substitute),A.Middleton(substitute)

+Brother of K.A. and M.J.

FOREST CLUB 0 N.N. 0 (At Kilburn)

Field 5/3/64 P.156:

F:"The return match between the Forest and N.N. clubs was played on Saturday last,at Kilburn,but notwithstanding the great exertions made by both sides,no goal was scored."

Forest Club:A.W.Mackenzie(Capt.),J.F.Alcock,C.W.Alcock,Edmunds,Pardoe,Absolom,  
Morley,Jackson,Head,A.Tebbut,C.Tebbut.

N.N. :A.Pember(Capt.),A.Baker,H.Baker,F.Phillips,D.Piggott,G.Lawson,A.Renshaw,  
F.Morton,F.Mitchell,A.de Pothonier,A.Daly.

BARNES 2 (Sharland,\*Drake) CRYSTAL PALACE 1(Mossenden) (Fifteen a side) (At Barnes:ground described as totally level) \*Drake touched down,so presumably a goal was then scored from a place kick at goal.

Bell's Life 5/3/64 P.6/Field 5/3/64 P.156-7(Same reports)/Sporting Life 9/3/64 P.4(Similar but shorter report):

BL/F: "This match was played on Saturday, Feb 27, on the Barnes ground, fifteen on a side. Crystal Palace had the kick-off. The game was very evenly contested for some time, the forward players on each side keeping the ball constantly on the ground and in the centre, Hay and Waller on behalf of Barnes, and Desborough, Sharland, and Cutbill for the Crystal Palace, making some very good play for their respective sides. When, after a while the ball came a little out of the ruck, O'Leary, who was playing back for Barnes, made a fine long kick at the Crystal Palace goal, but their Captain (Turner), whose goalkeeping was admirable throughout the game, by leaping in the air made a catch above his head, in doing which he fell on the goal post, knocking it down, while he managed very dexterously to roll with the ball on the outside. The Crystal Palace were indebted to Mr Turner for services of this character several times during the game. The Barnes men in endeavouring to press their advantage to a successful issue, had left their back-ground insufficiently guarded, and a long kick from the Crystal Palace captain having put most of them offside, Desborough and Sharland ran the ball with great speed behind the Barnes goal, and the latter gentleman touching it down made the first goal for the Crystal Palace. Barnes now kicked off, and the game became hotter than ever. The ball having for a while hung about the Crystal Palace goal, Drake made a catch, and taking a place kick in a slanting direction, drove the ball over the heads of the adversaries between the Crystal Palace goal posts. Each side had now got one goal, and the time limited for play fast drawing to a close, each side did their best to gain the third goal. The ball, however, showed a preference for the Crystal Palace end of the ground, and after some good play, Greenhill for Barnes kicked the ball through the goal posts, but an objection having been raised that one of the Barnes men had just before touched the ball when he was offside, it was allowed, and the ball was again kicked off from the Palace goal line, and in about five minutes Rossenden for Barnes, succeeded in putting the ball into the adversaries' goal. The game having lasted one hour and three-quarters stood thus: -Crystal Palace, 1 goal; Barnes, 2 goals."

MR BURNETT'S ELEVEN 1 RICHMOND CLUB 0 (At Richmond)

N.B. This game is listed here because Mr Burnett's Eleven played dribbling code matches (see v Barnes 7 days' before)

Bell's Life 5/3/64 P.6:

"...after a very pleasant and hard-fought game, resulted in favour of Mr Burnett's Eleven by one base to none. The base was beautifully obtained by Mr Francis who astonished everyone by the wonderful way in which he dribbled the ball."

Mr Burnett's Eleven: E.W. Burnett, Francis, Finlay, Greaves, E.S. Vidal, Harper, Reaves, Lee, Wright.

Richmond Club: Hodgson, Hawes, M'Allum, Morres, Van Courtland, Maw, Knox, Tocque, Stainforth.

TUES MAR 1<sup>ST</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 2 (F. Giles 2) CIVIL SERVICE 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 5/3/64 P.6/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL: "This match, which was played at Vincent-square, on Tuesday, March 1, resulted in favour of Westminster by two goals to nothing. Play commenced at 3.15, and after a few minutes Giles, by a splendid piece of play, succeeded in taking the ball through the whole number of his adversaries and obtaining the first goal. Ends were then changed, but although the Civil Service played hard, they could not prevent Giles from repeating his former performance after some little time, and when time was called the score of each side remained unchanged. For Westminster Giles played splendidly, and Harrison also made some excellent long kicks, while for the Civil Service, Malkin, Piggott, and Howell were particularly conspicuous for their good play."

Westminster School: W.W.C. Lane, M.O. Sim, B. Preston, F. Giles, A. Dowdeswell, G. Dowdeswell, F. Whittaker, F.L. Harrison, J.P. Nichols, E.S. Vidal, R. Harley, E.W. Wylde.

Civil Service: H.C. Malkin, C.G. Howell, A.E. Bateman, J.L. Pattison, A.W.P. Thompson, F.P. Phillips, H. Lawson, J. Kirkpatrick, R.A. Arundell, J. Brand, T.J.C. Chambers, J.T. Pigott.

MR TAGG'S ELEVEN 1 MR TUFNALL'S ELEVEN 0 (At Peckham Rye)

Bell's Life 5/3/64 P.4: "A match was played at Peckham Rye on Tuesday, Mar 1, between the elevens of Messrs Tagg and Tufnall."

Mr Tagg's side: C. Smith, W. Seabrook, Turner, R. Bingham, L. Bennett, C. Chapman, B. Campbell, O.W. Search, T. Tilling, H.C. Edmunds.

Mr P. Tufnall's Side: R. Pocock, A. Garnis, W. Godfrey, A.K. Booker, W. Planet, George Woodward, H. Chiverton, B. Rose, G. Glover, P. Tomlins.

BL: "After two hours' hard play Mr Tagg's side obtained a goal."

WED MAR 2<sup>ND</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 CRUSADERS 0

N.B Charterhouse History reverses the dates of this game and the next game v F. Giles' Eleven.

Field 5/3/64 P.156/Bell's Life 5/3/64 P.6:

F: "This match was played on the Charterhouse-ground, on Wednesday, March 2, and resulted in a "tie", there being no goal got on either side. The ground was very heavy from the late rains, but notwithstanding this the game was one of the best contested ever fought within the Charterhouse walls. Sometimes the Crusaders took the ball so close to the opposite goal that a goal seemed inevitable, but for the vigilance and pluck of the school goal-keepers; and on the other very often the Charterhouse side, by playing well together, forced the Crusaders to rally round their goal. The wonderful "dribbling" of F. Giles and R. Cleasby was the cause of most of the narrow escapes of the School; and for Charterhouse, K. Mackenzie displayed great pluck and science in the game. The School Eleven played capitally together, and, as a body, deserve great praise for their play."

Charterhouse School: K.A. Muir Mackenzie, J.T. Hodgson, M.J. Muir Mackenzie, L. Ogden, E. Pearson, H.H. Cameron, G.E. Smythe, G.S. Davies, A.C. Seymour, E.C.S. Gibson, C.P. Scott.

Crusaders: E.O. Berens, J.M. Byng, R.D. Cleasby, F. Giles, F.L. Harrison, G. Lawson, H.C. Malkin, R.W. Munro, R.S. Scholfield, A. Severn, M. Thoms.

SAT MAR 5<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 MR F.GILES' ELEVEN 0 (At Charterhouse)

N.B .Charterhouse Football History reverses the dates of this game and the game v Crusaders on Wed Mar 2<sup>nd</sup> .

Bells Life 12/3/64 P.6/Field 12/3/64 P.174:

BL: "The game was contested with great energy for nearly an hour and a half with no result, which was not the fault of either side, as both did their utmost, and tried every means to get a goal. F. Giles played beautifully, and formed in himself a barrier on the way to his base, which could not be passed by any of his opponents. The School played well together, but were weakened by the loss of F.S. O'Grady" (He seems to have missed several games in this period)

Charterhouse School: K.A. Muir Mackenzie, J. Hodgson, M.J. Muir Mackenzie, L. Ogden, E. Pearson, H.H. Cameron, G.E. Smythe, G.S. Davies, A.C. Seymour, E. Gibson, C.P. Scott.

F. Giles's Eleven: F. Giles, E.W. Burnett, G. Dowdeswell, A. Dowdeswell, F.L. Harrison, H. Giles, A. Findlay, E.S. Vidal, H. Walker, J.M. Byng (substitute), K. Middleton (substitute) (BL has R. Giles for H. Giles)

BARNES 1 (Innes) N.N.'s, KILBURN 1 (Baker) (At Barnes)

Bell's Life 12/3/64 P.6/Field 12/3/64 P.174:

F: "This match came off on Sturday, the 5<sup>th</sup> inst. at Barnes. It had been arranged to play fifteen on a side, but the N.N.'s numbered only twelve; the Barnes team was consequently reduced to that number. Barnes won the toss, and the N.N.'s kicked off. It was a calm day with no wind. A capital game ensued, which was played with great pluck and judgment on both sides. Barnes nearly made a goal after playing a quarter of an hour, but the ball struck the goal post; at the end of three-quarters of an hour Innes kicked a goal for Barnes. After twenty minutes' more play Baker cleverly worked the ball down, and made a goal for Kilburn. A third game was commenced, but "Time" was called before either party could gain another goal-the result being 1 goal for each side."

MON MAR 7<sup>TH</sup> :

MR STEWART'S ELEVEN 1 (L. Benson) Mr Linfoot's Eleven 0 (At Tulse-hill)

Bell's Life 12/3/64 P.6:

"This base was very cleverly obtained by Mr L. Benson, who quite astonished everyone by the wonderful way in which he "dribbled" the ball."

Stewart's Eleven: Stewart, Stretch, Benson, Smith, Montgomery, Earle, H. Terry, A. Terry, S. Hichens, Oldham, B. Hichens.

Linfoot's Eleven: Linfoot, Koch, Direy, Nugent, Carver, Voigt, Greenfield, Cheverton, Roby, Woodward, P. Tufnell.

SAT MAR 12<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 N.N.'s, KILBURN 1 (A. De Pothonier) (Return) (At Charterhouse)

Field 19/3/64 P.194:

F: "The return match was played on Saturday, the 12<sup>th</sup> inst, at Charterhouse. After an hour's hard fighting, and some good play on both sides, the N.N.'s made a rush through the Carthusians, and ran the ball up to their adversaries' goal, A. De Pothonier kicking it home. No other goal was scored before time was called, the N.N.'s thus winning their match by 1 goal to 0. K. Muir Mackenzie, G. Smith, and Hon. F. S. O'Grady, for Charterhouse, W. H. Lendrum, A. de Pothonier, and C. W. Alcock, for the N.N.'s, played exceedingly well."

Charterhouse: K. A. Muir Mackenzie (Capt.), G. T. Hodgson, Hon F. S. O'Grady, L. Ogden, E. Pearson, H. H. Cameron, G. E. Smythe, G. S. Davies, A. C. Seymour, C. S. Gibson, C. P. Scott. (Names corrected)

N.N.'s : A. Pember (Capt.), H. Baker, F. Phillips, C. W. Alcock, T. Morton, A. De Pothonier, W. F. Baker, W. H. Lendrum, A. Morten, A. G. Renshaw, A. Baker.

ELEVEN OF BARNES v MR GLEAVES' ELEVEN (At Barnes) not traced (See Fixtures Field 12/3/64 P.174)

WED MAR 16<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 CRUSADERS 0 (Return) (At Charterhouse)

Field 19/3/64 P.194:

F: "The Crusaders won the toss, and thus at the first had some advantage, and kept the ball for some time at the Charterhouse goal; but in a little time the tables turned, and the Carthusians, playing up in a mass, forced the ball to the Crusaders goal, and very nearly drove it through. The ground, for nearly the first time this year, was not in the least degree sloppy, which was of some advantage to the Charterhouse Eleven, who being very light, are apt to get done up on heavy ground. On the whole the two elevens were as even as they could possibly be, the Crusaders being rather the fastest, which was made up, however, by the excellent way the Charterhouse played together. The Crusaders owed much to the good play of F. Giles and of G. and A. Dowdeswell, whose exertions were sometimes very nearly crowned with success. The Carthusians played so well together that it is hard to single out any player as being more deserving of praise than the rest, but if it must be done, the player who was most prominent was L. Ogden, who played up for the first time since his accident, and showed that he had lost none of his science and pluck."

Charterhouse School: "The Charterhouse Eleven were "minus" G. Davies, who was unavoidably absent, but otherwise the same as usual:

Crusaders: E. O. Berens, R. Cleasby, G. Dowdeswell, A. Dowdeswell, F. Giles, H. Harrison, H. C. Malkin, S. Fraser, G. Lawson, J. Byng (substitute), L. Brown (substitute).

THURS MAR 17<sup>TH</sup> :

Field 26/3/64 P.227/Bell's Life 26/3/64 P.8(Same report):

BUNGAY 1 (James Smith) NORWICH GRAMMAR SCHOOL 0 (At Bungay Common)

SAT MAR 19<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 4 (Hodgson 2,Mackenzie,a "rush") CIVIL SERVICE 0

N.B. Recorded in Charterhouse Football History but not traced in papers:Check Captain,'s Book

BLACKHEATH SCHOOL 4 FOREST SCHOOL 0

Field 26/3/64 P.227:

F:"On Saturday last a large number of people assembled on Blackheath to witness the last football match of the season,in which the Blackheath School would take a part.Unluckily the two clubs were not well matched,as Forest School were unaccustomed to the running game,which Blackheath always play.Consequently Blackheath had it all their own way,and easily won by four goals.No doubt, had the rules been different,the issue of the game would not have been the same.The highest praise is due to the Forest School,who,although,unaccustomed to the running game,struggled manfully, and did all in their power to alter the result of the match."

FRI MAR 25<sup>TH</sup> :

SHREWSBURY SCHOOLS 3 (A.Kennedy,Stevens,Jervis) SHROPSHIRE 0 (13 a side)

Bell's Life 9/4/64 P.7/Field 9/4/64 P.255:

F:'The gentlemen could not bring a very strong train into the field,and moreover lost the toss for sides.The School Thirteen had the wind in their favour,and a goal was soon dropped for them by A.Kennedy.After some hard fighting against the wind,a second goal was kicked for the Schools by Stevens;and soon after changing sides a third by Jervis."

F:"This is the seventh time this match has been played,the first being in 1861.Neither side has the advantage,six goals having been kicked by each."

Schools:R.Stevens,R.Eyton,M.J.Riley,W.J.Jervis,A.Kennedy,R.Tomlins,E.Moore,J.W.Draper,J.Greenhalgh,W.Bourke,C.Rowe,W.Craig,Emerson.(BL has E.J.Rowe)

Shropshire:Rev.G.Fisher,Rev.H.M.Luckock,Rev. E.Ash,W.J.Hope-Edwardes,L.Hope-Edwardes, H.Hope-Edwardes,Phillips,G.Salt,F.Pelham,H.Kennedy,W.Kennedy,Phillips,and Boyd(given by the schools)

SAT MAR 26<sup>TH</sup> :FIFTEEN OF BARNES v FIFTEEN OF CRYSTAL PALACE (At Barnes) not traced (See Fixtures Field 12/3/64 P.174)

SAT APRIL 2<sup>ND</sup> :

WANDERERS 1 (A.M.Tebbut) N.N. 0 (At Kilburn)

Bell's Life 9/4/64 P.7:

BL: "Responding as they always do with alacrity and cheerfulness to an invitation received at the eleventh hour, the Wanderers prepared their "costumes de (foot)bal" on Saturday, April 2, and according to their usual wandering individual style of travelling, started off by different routes to arrive at their destination, the Victoria Tavern, Kilburn, as may be expected, at widely different hours. Some, evidently relying on the old proverb that "hansom is that hansom does", chartered the fashionable two-wheeler, and were quickly landed at the "house of call", while others, eager to take advantage of the opportunities for speedy(?) transit afforded them by the North London Railway, safely accomplished the distance (six miles) in the incredibly short space of 1h 10min. The roving band was at last, however, satisfactorily collected together, and soon made its appearance on the field of battle, where it was very graciously received by a sharp, cutting wind, which was blowing straight down from the upper to the lower goal. By a happy acquaintance with the chief points of tossing, as exemplified through the medium of a shilling piece, the choice of goal was won by the rovers, who, unwilling as they always are to turn their backs on friend or foe, selected the upper goal, with the wind and sun (two valuable auxiliaries as it proved) behind them. For an hour, in spite of the heaviness of the ground, the game raged furiously, only one goal (kicked for the Wanderers by A.M. Tebbut) being obtained by either side."

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock (Capt.), C. Absolom, C. Bigland, F. Desborough, G.H. Edmunds, T. Greaves, J. Hillhouse, A.M. Tebbut, C.M. Tebbut, A. Thompson.

N.N.'s : A. Pember (Capt.), G. Baker, H. Baker, W. Baker, F. Giles, W.H. Lendrum, G. Michel, C. Morton, A. De Pothonier, A.G. Renshaw.

#### SHEFFIELD ASSOCIATION :

Mackenzie Club Meeting reported that 12 out of 14 matches in 1862/63 Season had been won (SI 2/10/63 P.2)

Pitsmoor Opening match to be on Sat Oct 3<sup>rd</sup> (SI 1/10/63 P.1)

Sheffield Club Opening match to be on Sat Oct 17<sup>th</sup> at East Bank (SI 16/10/63 P.1)

Pitsmoor, Fir Vale, and York F.C. Practice Matches Sat Oct 24<sup>th</sup> (SI 24/10/63 P.1)

Broomhall Opening match Sat Oct 31<sup>st</sup> (SI 31/10/63 P.1) and Practice Match Mon Nov 16<sup>th</sup> (SI 14/11/63 P.1)

Sheffield F.C. First Eleven v the Field on Sat 21<sup>st</sup> November (SI 21/11/63 P.8)

Pitsmoor v Norton Sat Nov 21<sup>st</sup> (SI 21/11/63 P.1)

Heeley Christ Church F.C. Practice Match Sat Nov 21<sup>st</sup> (SI 21/11/63 P.1)

#### SAT NOV 21<sup>ST</sup> :

Pitsmoor 3 rouges Norton 0 (At Pitsmoor (First Match of the season)) (SI 24/11/63 P.8)

#### TUES NOV 24<sup>TH</sup> :

Broomhall 1 rouge Heeley Christ Church 0 (14 a side)(At Broomhall)(Broomhall first match)(SI 25/11/63 P.3)

WED NOV 25<sup>TH</sup> :

Mackenzie 1 rouge Pitsmoor 0 (1<sup>st</sup> 14)(Pitsmoor 2 men short)9At East Bank)(SI 26/11/63 P.3)

Howard Hill 0 Norfolk 2 rouges (At Howard Hill) (SI 26/11/63 P.3)

Fir Vale 1 rouge Milton 0 (14 a side)(At Osgarthorpe)(SI 28/11/63 P.8)

SAT DEC 5<sup>TH</sup> :

Sheffield Club :Eleven v the Field (SI 5/12/63 P.8)

SAT DEC 12<sup>TH</sup> :

Norton 2 goals 1 rouge Sheffield 0(At Norton Park)(SI 15/12/63 P.8)(Sheffield had 7 and Norton 9 men)

SAT DEC 26<sup>TH</sup> :Howard Hill v Mackenzie (At Howard Hill)(SI 26/12/63 P.8)

MON DEC 28<sup>TH</sup> :Pitsmoor v Sheffield "Draw"(SI 2/1/64 P.10)

TUES DEC 29<sup>TH</sup> :

Mackenzie 1 (12 men)goal 2 rouges Heeley(14 men) 1 goal (At East Bank)(SI 2/1/64 P.10)

Mackenzie 1 goal Milton 0 (At East Bank)(SI 2/1/64 P.10)(2<sup>ND</sup> Game that day??)("Mackenzie again came off victorious")

WED DEC 30<sup>TH</sup> :

Fir Vale 1 goal Heeley 0 (1<sup>st</sup> 14's)(At Osgathorpe)(SI 2/1/64 P.10)

FRI JAN 1<sup>ST</sup> :Pitsmoor 1 Hallam 0 (At Sandygate)(SI 2/1/64 P.8)

SAT JAN 2<sup>ND</sup>

Sheffield Club (11 men) 0 Mackenzie Club (16 men) 1 rouge (SI 4/1/64 P.3)

Pitsmoor 1 goal Norfolk 0 (At Pitsmoor)(SI 9/1/64 P.10)

SAT JAN 6<sup>TH</sup>

Fir Vale 1 goal Mackenzie 1 rouge (14 a side)(At Osgathorpe Ground,Pitsmoor)(SI 8/1/64 P.3)

SAT JAN 23<sup>RD</sup>

Norfolk (2<sup>nd</sup> 12) 4 goals 5 rouges Broomhall (1<sup>st</sup> 14 ) 0 (SI 26/1/64 P.8)

MON JAN 25<sup>TH</sup> :

Fir Vale 1 Milton 0 (At Heeley)(SI 30/1/64/P.10)



SAT FEB 6<sup>TH</sup> Fir Vale v Hallam (Fir Vale Ground,Pitsmoor)(SI 6/2/64 P.8)

TUES FEB 9<sup>TH</sup> :

Heeley Christ Church 1 Collegiate 0 (Groung lent to Collegiate) (Return)(SI 13/2/64 P.6)

Norton (11) 0 Mackenzie (16) 3 goals 3 rouges (At Norton) (SI 13/2/64 P.8)

Fir Vale & Pitsmoor Practice Match (Fir Vale) (SI 9/2/64 P.8)

SAT FEB 13<sup>TH</sup> :

Mackenzie 1 Heeley Christ Church 0 (At Heeley)(SI 16/2/64 P.8)

SAT FEB 20<sup>TH</sup> : Norton 0 Pitsmoor 2 goals 1 rouge (At Norton) (Return)(SI 23/2/64 P.8)

SAT FEB 27<sup>TH</sup> :

Sheffield v Pitsmoor (East Bank)(SI 27/2/64 P.8)

Mackenzie v Fir Vale (East Bank)(SI 27/2/64 P.8)

N.B. Both matches at 2.30

SAT MAR 5<sup>TH</sup> :

Sheffield (11) 0 Mackenzie (16) 1 rouge (Return)(At East End)(SI 8/3/64 P.8)

Norfolk 0 Pitsmoor 0(Return)(14 a side) (Norfolk Park)(SI 8/3/64 P.8)

SAT MAR 26<sup>TH</sup> :

Sheffield 0 Pitsmoor 1 rouge (East Bank) (SI 29/3/64 P.8)

FOOTBALL RULES:

N.B.In the Field in November and December 1863 John Cartwright published a series of 9 articles(plus a postscript) on the different Football Rules,including the summary below,at the end of the 6<sup>th</sup> article:

SUMMARY OF THE VARIOUS FOOTBALL RULES (Field 28/11/63 P.523) by John D.Cartwright

“The following collated summary of the rules will present to the reader at a glance the laws of the principal games,and the differences existing between them.It will also enable him to see at once how far the Cambridge University rules,published last week,accord with those of any particular game,and to ascertain what are the new features introduced.We make use,for brevity sake,of the terms adopted on the grounds referred to,all of which have been described and explained in the preceding chapters.We have not included the dimensions of the grounds or the width of the goals. They vary in every case.Most of them have been inserted in the descriptions of the respective games.

Commencement of the game-Rugby,Cambridge,Shrewsbury,Charterhouse,and Harrow ,kick off from the middle.Eton begins with a “bully”,and Winchester with a “hot”,both in the centre of the ground.

Catching-Harrow,Rugby,Winchester,Shrewsbury,and Charterhouse sanction catching.Eton does not.Cambridge says “the ball may not be held or hit by the hands”.Catching is not under any circumstances allowed.

Privileges obtained by a catch-At Harrow and Shrewsbury a “free kick”,with a run of three yards is allowed by the catcher.Charterhouse has no rule on the subject,except that the ball may not be knocked out of a player’s hand when caught.Rugby allows the catcher to run with the ball,if he can,into “touch”,and there “touch it down”.After which he,or one of his side may take a “punt “ toward goal.The catcher may make a mark with his heel upon the spot where the ball is caught,beyond which the opposite players may not go until a “drop kick” or “place kick”,as may be determined,has been taken.At Winchester a catch from an opponent’s kick entitles the player to run with the ball and dodge the players as long as they follow him.When they stop he must do so,and take a free kick at three yards.This he may take at any time after a catch;but he is liable to be pulled down and have the ball taken from him.

Handling the ball-Harrow and Shrewsbury,except in the case of a catch,do not allow the ball to be touched by the hand or arm below the elbow.Eton and Charterhouse sanction the use of hands to stop the ball.Winchester allows it to be carried under certain conditions.At Rugby it may be held,carried,and taken up,when bounding,under special circumstances.Cambridge says “the ball,when in play,may be stopped by any part of the body.”

Running in-This is peculiar to Rugby and Winchester.

Holding-Holding is not allowed at Eton,Harrow,Shrewsbury,or Charterhouse.At Winchester,only when a player has the ball in his hands.At Rugby,in a “maul” any player may be held;out of a maul,only the one who is carrying the ball.At Cambridge holding is forbidden.

Tripping-Tripping is not allowed at Harrow,Eton,or Charterhouse.Winchester,Rugby,and Eton have no rule on the subject.The two first adopt it in play.The Cambridge rules forbid it.

Hacking and Shinning-Rugby,Shrewsbury,and Eton allow these.Harrow,Winchester,Cambridge,and Charterhouse do not allow either.

Charging-Charging enters into all the games.

Out of bounds-At Harrow,when the ball passes beyond the sidelines,it is kicked straight in again.At Eton a “bully” is formed where it is kicked or thrown into the ground again.At Winchester a “hot” is formed.At Rugby,it must be thrown in,or any player may take it if he can.At Charterhouse,it is thrown or kicked straight in along the ground.At Shrewsbury,if kicked against the limits of the field in a line with the goal,the opposite side has a fair kick.At Cambridge it is kicked straight in again.

Behind or on the goal line or bases-At Rugby the ground beyond the goal sticks is called “touch in goal”.The player who “touches the ball down” beyond the line is entitled to a “punt”,or it may be taken out and a “try at goal” made.At Eton a player may not kick the ball behind his own goal;if the opposing player kicking it beyond has been “bullied”,and it is first touched by one of his side,he

obtains a "rouge". If otherwise the defending side have an uninterrupted kick from the goal line. At Harrow it is always kicked straight in. At Winchester the whole breadth is goal. If it has been unfairly kicked there it is kicked straight in again along the ground by a player on the side whose goal it passed. At Charterhouse it is always so kicked. At Cambridge, the player who first touches it may bring it 25 yards straight out from the goal line and have a free kick. If it is beyond the goal line, and the side line too, then the kick is made from the 25 yards post.

A goal-At Rugby the ball has to be kicked over the cross-bar ten feet from the ground. Two goals kicked by one side decide a match. At Eton and Harrow, through or above the space marked by the two goal sticks. At Eton the side obtaining the most rouges wins the game if no goals, or an equal number of goals are made. At Winchester the ball has to pass the goal line at any part. At Charterhouse it has to be kicked between the goal-posts and under a chord. If either side kick or hit the ball through their own goal, their adversaries count the game. At Cambridge the ball must be clearly between the goal sticks, but it may be any height directly over the space marked out. At Shrewsbury it may be also higher than the poles.

Management of the game-At Winchester and Eton two umpires are appointed and stationed at the respective goals. At Rugby heads of sides, or deputies appointed by them, act as arbiters. At Charterhouse a disputed point is left for discussion at the end of the game. After a goal at Rugby, or a base at Harrow, the sides change over. At Eton and Winchester, sides are changed at half time. At Harrow the ball is always kicked from the same end, so that each side kicks it alternately, changing over after every base. The umpires at Harrow follow the game, and can thus give a ready and accurate decision in case of any dispute. When a ball is caught in front of goal, the umpire goes behind the catcher in order to see whether the ball is quite clear of the posts. If exactly over either of them it does not count. The heads of sides settle the details of the Cambridge game. At Shrewsbury the best of three games decides a match. The plan most generally adopted is that of fixing the time when play shall commence and cease, and victory remains with those who succeed in obtaining most goals." JOHN D. CARTWRIGHT

1864/65:

SAT SEPT 24<sup>TH</sup>:

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL for 1864/65: B. Preston, F. L. Harrison, F. Giles, J. P. Nichols, R. W. D. Harley, +S. F. Lucas, J. E. Tayloe, F. Pownall, J. Lucas, C. Short, H. Walker, J. R. Dasent, W. Darley, W. J. Dixon.

+N.B. In this season S. F. Lucas is listed in lineups as F. Lucas (see further N.B. for 1865/66)

ETON Field Eleven for 1864 (From The Field Game by John J. Pawson P.84):

W. S. Prideaux, W. W. Phipps (Keepers), E. Lubbock, T. H. Phipps, S. V. Gibbs, W. Kenyon-Slaney, H. S. Seymour, T. A. B. Sargent, C. S. Newton, J. H. Mossop, H. V. Russell.

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL Eleven for 1864/65: Hon. F. S. O'Grady (Capt.), M. Muir-Mackenzie, L. Ogden, H. H. Cameron, G. E. Smythe, A. C. Seymour, E. C. S. Gibson, C. P. Scott, O. S. Walford, W. W. Cooper.

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL Match : The Eleven 0 The School 0

Bell's Life 8/10/64 P.6/Field 8/10/64 P.257:

BL/F: "On Saturday, Sept. 24<sup>th</sup>, the football season commenced at Charterhouse with the game Eleven v School. The School had the valuable assistance of K. Mackenzie, and the Eleven were deprived of one of their number. This made the sides so equal that although the struggle was kept up with undiminished vigour on both sides, no game was scored to either. The hard work of the School was done principally by K. Mackenzie and H. M. Mackenzie: for the (Eleven) A. Seymour played well, though in vain. The Eleven played remarkably well together, which enabled them to make head against the superiority in numbers which was opposed to them."

The Eleven: F. S. O'Grady, L. Ogden, H. Cameron, G. Smythe, L. Stevenson, G. Davies, A. Seymour, E. C. S. Gibson

The School: Not listed.

WED OCT 5<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 4 (F. S. O'Grady, M. Mackenzie, A. Seymour, L. Ogden)  
K. MACKENZIE'S ELEVEN 0

N.B. Charterhouse Football History has on 12/10/64

Bell's Life 8/10/64 P.6:

BL: "On Wednesday, Oct 5, the first match of the season was played against an eleven, or rather a team, brought by K. Mackenzie, Esq. The result of the contest, which lasted an hour and a quarter, was favourable for the school. For the first twenty minutes the advantage seemed to be with the older players, but at length the School went up in a body and drove the ball through the posts, the winning kick being given most appropriately by the captain, F. O'Grady. This success was followed up by two more games, won very quickly by M. Mackenzie and A. Seymour. The adverse side now made a very good stand, and the game was for the next three quarters' of an hour admirably contested. At length, however, just as the time for finishing the match was drawing near, L. Ogden ran the ball up the whole length of the ground, and won a fourth game for Charterhouse."

Charterhouse School: F. S. O'Grady, M. Mackenzie, L. Ogden, H. Cameron, G. Smythe, A. Seymour, E. Gibson, C. Scott, J. M. Byng.

Mackenzie' Team: K. Mackenzie, F. G. Inge, C. Waudby, J. Pattisson, + G. B. Voules, + C. Howell, + C. A. Sumner, O. S. Walford, W. Cooper. (+ Did not play and were represented by Substitutes)

SHREWSBURY SCHOOL Match : The School 1 (W. Craig) Gentlemen of the County 0

Field 15/10/64 P.273/Bell's Life 15/10/64 P.7:

F: "The Schools won the toss, and, perhaps helped by the wind, soon kicked a goal. The game was well played afterwards, but no more goals were kicked, though each side, and especially the County, often nearly succeeded."

The Schools: R. Stevens, W. J. Jervis, R. Eyton, M. Riley, W. Craig, J. Greenhalgh, R. H. Tomlins, C. Rowe, J. J. Emerson, W. Bourke, J. Phillips, J. Boyd; goalkeepers, Gilkes and Steadman.

County: Rev. G. Fisher, Rev. A. T. Pelham, Rev. L. Corbett, Rev. J. Chapman, Rev. W. Warren, Rev. Little, W. Hope Edwardes, G. Preston, H. Burton, L. Burton, T. Gleadowe, F. Knowles; goalkeepers, Thorne and Husey.

HARROW FOUNDER'S DAY :

HARROW SCHOOL 0 E.E. BOWEN'S TWELVE 0 (At Harrow)

Harrow Tyro 1/11/64 P.54: "No base was obtained by either side."

Harrow School: R. N. Russell, J. T. Peel, Hon J. Amherst (3 Surviving members of the School Team), Boyson, H. H. Montgomery, W. G. Robinson, R. G. Chambers (Put into the Eleven after this match), R. M. Thornton, J. Michell, C. L. Arkwright, D. L. Fleet, J. M. Richardson.

N.B Tyro 1/10/64 P.24 : "Richardson, max, Stow : These two members, being unable to play, give up their shirts, and resign their right of Captaincy in favour of Russell."

E. E. Bowen's: E. E. Bowen, J. D. Walker, E. W. Burnett, H. G. Phipps, A. Crompton, C. F. Reid, W. O. Hewlett, C. G. Glyn, W. A. B. Hamilton, J. T. Prior, E. Elliot, J. A. Cruikshank.

ETON COLLEGE FIELD GAMES : Bell's Life 22/10/64 P.6:

"On Oct 1 Mr Rickards brought down an eleven to play the School in the field but were easily defeated by two goals and one rouge to nothing."

Eton: W. S. Prideaux, W. W. Phipps, E. Lubbock, T. H. Phipps, W. Kenyon-Slaney, T. A. B. Sargeant, E. A. Hall, H. S. Seymour, S. V. Gibbs, A. F. Kinnaird, J. H. Mossop.

Mr Rickard's Team: A. Rickards, W. R. Griffiths, Hon. N. Lyttelton, J. Jackson, C. Legard, R. H. Stevens, R. Thompson, Sir A. Lambe, R. Spearman, D. Barry.

"A match was played Oct 7 between the Eton Society v The School, and resulted in an easy victory for the Society by 1 goal and 3 rouges to nothing."

The Society: W. S. Prideaux, W. W. Phipps, E. Lubbock, T. H. Phipps, T. A. B. Sargent, H. V. Russell, H. S. Newton, W. Kenyon-Slaney, A. F. Walter, G. Walpole, J. H. Mossop.

The School: S. V. Gibbs, E. A. Hall, H. S. Seymour, H. E. Smith, E. L. Corrie, A. F. Kinnaird, R. Thompson, T. Royds, E. A. Owen, D. Barry, A. Gibbs.

On Oct 12 Mr R. W. W. Follett brought down a very strong team to play the School, and succeeded in winning by a rouge. The School had a little the best of it all the time, but were unable to get anything.

Eton: W. S. Prideaux, W. W. Phipps, E. Lubbock, T. H. Phipps, W. K. Slaney, T. A. B. Sargent, E. A. Hall, S. V. Gibbs, H. V. Russell, H. S. Seymour, J. H. Mossop.

Mr Follett's: E. C. Follett, A. Lubbock, F. Lubbock, E. W. Triton, Lord Jersey, L. W. Dent, Q. Hogg, A. Richards, C. Legard, Lord Marchant.

"On Oct 15 the School played a most admirably-contested match with an Eleven brought down by Mr Senhouse, and at the finish proved the winners by one goal and 1 rouge to 1 rouge."

Eton:W.S.Prideaux,W.W.Phipps,E.Lubbock,T.H.Phipps,W.Kenyon-Slaney,S.V.Gibbs,T.A.B.Sargent,  
H.V.Russell,H.S.Seymour,J.Rigden,J.H.Mossop.

Mr Senhouse's Eleven:H.P.Senhouse,W.Selwyn,R.A.Kinglake,E.C.Follett,A.Rickards,  
C.Legard,Lord Jersey,R.Durnford,E.P.Rouse,F.Drummond,E.A.Hall(Emergency).(ECC has  
T.Drummond)

N.B Have added some extra initials in above match lineups.

SAT OCT 15<sup>TH</sup> :LINCOLN CLUB AGM.

WED OCT 19<sup>TH</sup> :

CIVIL SERVICE 1 (J.Kirkpatrick) CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 (At Charterhouse)

Field 29/10/64 P.315/Bell's Life 5/11/64 P.10/Sporting Gazette 29/10/64:

F/SG:"This match was played on the School Ground on Wednesday 19th inst.,and after a good game resulted in favour of the Civil Service,Mr Kirkpatrick very cleverly kicking the only goal.The Civil Service played well individually,but as an eleven their performance,owing to want of practice,was not so good as may be expected,each member doing as seemed to him good in his own eyes,quite irrespective of his friends.The School on the other hand played splendidly together,and did all they could to make up for the superior weight and pace of their adversaries,Messrs O'Grady and Gibson particularly distinguishing themselves."

Civil Service:J.B.Buller,J.Kirkpatrick,H.C.Malkin,S.Lawson,J.L.Pattisson,F.Phillips,J.Peake,T.D.Piggott,  
G.B.Voules,G.Wawn,C.G.Waudby.

Charterhouse School:F.S.O'Grady,M.Mackenzie,L.Ogden,H.Cameron,G.Smythe,G.Davies,A.Seymour,  
E.C.S.Gibson,C.Scott,J.M.Byng,O.S.Walford.

BARNES CLUB:Sporting Life 26/10/64 P.4"The Barnes Club commenced play three weeks ago.Last Saturday a match was played between the officers of the club,and four others,making up an eleven,against nineteen of the club.It was a capital game,and the officers eleven were defeated, having lost two goals.Next Saturday(October 29)the captain's eleven will play all comers,members of the club."

Sporting Life 5/11/64 P.4:"The captain's eleven last Saturday undertook to play all comers(members of the club).Three of the eleven were,however,defaulters.The all comers mustered nineteen,but were defeated by two goals to 0.The return match will be played this day(Saturday).

SAT OCT 22<sup>ND</sup> :

HIGHGATE SCHOOL 1 KING'S COLLEGE,LONDON 2 (At Highgate School Ground)

Bell's Life 5/11/64 P.6(No teams):"This annual match was played at the Highgate School Ground,on Saturday,Oct 22,and resulted in two goals for King's College,one for Highgate School."

FRI OCT 28<sup>TH</sup> :

Adjourned AGM of FA(Bell's Life 5/11/64 P.10)

SAT OCT 29<sup>TH</sup> :

ETON COLLEGE 3 rouges CAMBRIDGE ELEVEN 0(At Eton)

Eton College Chronicle 10/11/64 P.118:

Eton College:W.S.Prideaux,W.W.Phipps,E.Lubbock,T.H.Phipps,W.Kenyon-Slaney,T.Sargent,  
H.S.Seymour,E.Hall,J.Rigden,S.V.Gibbs,J.H.Mossop.

Cambridge Eleven:H.M.Thompson,Hon.F.Pelham,R.Peel,H.Romilly,F.Wood,Lord E.Fitz,  
C.E.Cuthell,R.Yates,D.D.Rawlins,Q.Hogg.

HIGHGATE SCHOOL 3 MERCHANT TAYLORS' SCHOOL 0 (At Highgate School Grounds)

Bell's Life 5/11/64 P.6(No teams)

TUES NOV 1<sup>ST</sup> :

CIVIL SERVICE 1 (F.Phillips) WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 (At Vincent Square)

Sporting Gazette 5/11/64/Bell's Life 5/11/64 P.6/Westminster School Book :

BL:"This match was played at Vincent-square,on Tuesday,Nov 1,and resulted in favour of the Civil Service,who obtained one game,which was kicked by F.Phillips,who was well backed up by Malkin, Voules,and Pattisson;and for the School,Giles,as usual,played admirably."

Civil Service:A.E.Bateman,G.Freeth,C.G.Howell,J.Kirkpatrick,H.C.Malkin,J.L.Pattisson,  
F.Phillips,T.D.Piggott,C.G.Pym,G.B.Voules,G.Wawn.(BL has some different initials)

Westminster School:B.Preston,J.P.Nichols,F.Giles,R.Harley,F.Lucas,J.Lucas,J.E.Tayloe,F.Pownall,  
G.W.Chapman,W.T.Dixon,C.H.Gordon-Short.

ETON COLLEGE 3 rouges OXFORD 0 (Field Game)

Reading Mercury 19/11/64 P.5/Eton College Chronicle 10/11/64 P.118:

Eton College:W.S.Prideaux,W.W.Phipps,E.Lubbock,T.H.Phipps,W.Kenyon-Slaney,  
H.S.Seymour,E.Hall,J.Rigden,R.Thompson,T.Sargent,R.Ferguson.

Oxford Eleven:E.W.Tritton,O.Mordaunt,H.P.Senhouse,M.Knight,J.Frederick,C.E.Boyle,Lord Eldon,  
E.S.Hope,J.B.Walter,A.V.Pryor,Lord Downe.

WED NOV 2<sup>ND</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 3 (L.Ogden,Hon. F.O'Grady,M.Mackenzie) MR MALKIN'S SIDE 1  
(F.G.Inge)(At Charterhouse)

Field 5/11/64 P.331/Bell's Life 5/11/64 P.6:

F: "On Wednesday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>, Mr Malkin brought a formidable team to play against the School. The former possessed the advantage in weight, but the latter played best together, and were, perhaps, rather the quickest. The result of the match was a victory for Charterhouse by three games to one. The games for Charterhouse were gained successively by the first three of the eleven; and the game for Mr Malkin's side was ably won by Mr Inge."

Charterhouse: Hon. F. O'Grady, M. Mackenzie, L. Ogden, H. Cameron, G. Smythe, G. Davies, A. Seymour, E. C. S. Gibson, C. Scott, J. M. Byng, O. S. Walford.

Mr Malkin's: H. C. Malkin, R. D. Cleasby, F. G. Inge, C. Howell, C. Short, C. Lucas, J. Tayloe, C. G. Waudby, F. Giles, R. B. Yorke.

SAT NOV 5<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS 1 (A. M. Tebbut) ALDERSHOT OFFICERS 0 (At A Lines), Royal Engineers' South Camp (near the Farnborough Road), Aldershot: "on the cricket ground at the bottom of A Lines, South Camp": A & SMG)

Bell's Life 12/11/64 P.6/Aldershot & Sandhurst Military Gazette 12/11/64 P.3/Field 12/11/64 P.348/Teesdale Mercury 23/11/64 P.5:

BL: "On Sat Nov 5<sup>th</sup>, the "Wanderers" commenced their course of annual rambles, and played their first match this season at Aldershot against twelve officers, Aldershot Camp. At twelve o'clock, the army having lost the toss, kicked off, and the game was kept up with great energy till two o'clock (the hour agreed upon to leave off) without a goal being obtained by either side. By mutual consent, however, it was agreed to continue to play until 2.30 pm, shortly before which time a splendid kick from A. M. Tebbut, Esq. secured the only goal, and victory for the wandering band. H. Green Esq, and W. Cutbill, Esq, by their forward play were of great service to the "Wanderers", while the indiscriminately impartial kicking of Saint Patrick and the O'Don't-know-who (emergencies) caused great amusement on the side of the army, the forward play of Col. Clifford, V.C., and the goalkeeping of Messrs Campbell and Parr deserve especial mention."

Wanderers: C. W. Alcock (Capt.) W. F. Baker, W. Cutbill, J. Elliott, F. Green, H. Green, H. Head, C. M. Tebbut, A. M. Tebbut, A. Thompson, (A & SMG: A. Baker, R. Edmunds, but "Saint Patrick", and the "O. Don't-know-who" stated to be Emergencies in the other papers)

Aldershot Officers: Ensign Braddon (75<sup>th</sup> Regmt), Lieut Campbell (Royal Artillery), Lieut-Colonel Clifford, V.C., Staff Cornet Farquhar (Scots Greys), Captain Le Mesurier (14<sup>th</sup> Regmt), Ensign Malet (39<sup>th</sup> Regmt), Capt Marindin (Royal Engineers), Lieut and Adjutant Moseley (60<sup>th</sup> Rifles), Lieut O'Brien (60<sup>th</sup> Rifles), Ensign Parr (75<sup>th</sup> Regmt), Lieut W. Chudleigh Wilmer (85<sup>th</sup> Regmt), Ensign C. Powys-Keck (60<sup>th</sup> Rifles).

WINCHESTER Twenty-Two Match: Commoners 10 College 4 (HT 1-1)

Field 19/11/64 P.354:

Commoners W. H. A. Jacobson, 1, J. L. Birley, 2, C. B. Dimond, W. Lindsay, 2, W. B. Banting, 1, S. K. Douglas, 1, J. F. Jowitt, J. B. Pope, J. M. Evetts, 1, J. D. Nairne, L. S. Howell, H. Rhodes, J. V. A. Morshead, F. G. D. Drewitt, 1, G. Hall, T. Latham, 1, E. Armitage, A. B. Simeon, J. P. Tatham, C. Marriott, J. H. Howard, G. Fort.



College: F.R.S. Bowen, 2, F. Haygarth, A.K. Bissill, J.C. Adams, P.C. Walker, J.J. Tuck, G.H. Cremer, A.W.H. Howard, C. Awdry, 1, T.B. Hughes, C.B. Phillips, F.B. Harvey, W.C. Phillips, A.F.G. Stirling, 1, F.H. Champneys, P.J. Williams, A.F. Forster, F.B. Dyson, W.A. Heygate, E.A. Bonner-Maurice, G.A. Steuart, J.C. Moberly.

WED NOV 9<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 3 (F.Giles 2, J.E. Tayloe) CRUSADERS 2 (R. Wharton, B.N. Thoms) (At Vincent Square)

Sporting Gazette 19/11/64/Bell's Life 12/11/64 P.6/Westminster School Book (BL Report):

SG: "During the first three-quarters of an hour the School had the decided advantage, and three goals were quickly obtained; two by Giles, who by some magnificent play succeeded in taking the ball past all his opponents, and one by Tayloe. Towards the close, however, the superior weight of the Crusaders began to tell on the School, and they succeeded in kicking two goals before time was called; B.N. Thoms kicking one, and R. Wharton the other."

Westminster School: B. Preston, F.L. Harrison, J.P. Nichols, H. Walker, R. Harley, J. Lucas, F. Lucas, J.E. Tayloe, F. Giles, F. Pownall, C. Short, G.W. Chapman, W.J. Dixon.

Crusaders: E.O. Berens, R.D. Cleasby, H.C. Malkin, R. Munro, A. Severn, B.N. Thoms, M.A. Thoms, R. Wharton, J.A. Cruikshank, H.S. Fraser, F.G. Inge, Bagot.

THURS NOV 10<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL Match: The Eleven 3 (F.Giles 2, J.E. Tayloe) The Twenty-Two 0

Bell's Life 26/11/64 P.9:

Eleven: B. Preston, F.H. Harrison, J.P. Nichols, F. Giles, R. Harley, J.E. Tayloe, G.W. Chapman, C. Short, F. Pownall, F. Lucas, J. Lucas.

Twenty-Two: T.R. Dasent, G. Heath, G. Circuitt, H. Walker, A.H. Mure, C. Bickmore, S. West, E. Bray, E. Giles, E. Oliver, H.R. Dupré, W. Darley, C. Randolph, A. Lee, W.R. Darcy, H. Curteis, T. Circuitt, W. Lefroy, W. Freeman, C.F. Maud, W.C. Davies, T.T. Niell.

SAT NOV 12<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS 2 (F.Green, W. Thompson) CIVIL SERVICE 0 (At Battersea Park)

Field 19/11/64 P.354/Bell's Life 19/11/64 P.10:

F/BL: "On Saturday last, the 12<sup>th</sup> inst, the Wanderers played their second match this season against the Civil Service, in Battersea Park. The game was commenced at 3.10, and continued till 4.15, at which early hour the park gates were closed, during which short space of time two goals were cleverly kicked for the Wanderers by Messrs F. Green and W. Thompson; and, as their opponents obtained none, the Rovers were again victorious, in spite of the disadvantages under which they laboured, in playing rules in which they were only slightly acquainted. For the Wanderers H.G. Phipps played well; for the Civil Service, Messrs Peake and Kirkpatrick."

Wanderers:C.W.Alcock(Capt.),C.Absolom,A.Baker,W.F.Baker,E.W.Burnett,F.Green,J.Green,  
G.Head,H.Head,H.G.Phipps,A.Thompson,W.Thompson.(F has Geo. Burnett)(BL has Y.Green for  
J.Green)

Civil Service:Not traced

OXFORD HARROVIANS 1 (A.Clutterbuck) CAMBRIDGE HARROVIANS 0 (At the old Christ Church  
Ground)

Sporting Gazette 19/11/64/Bell's Life 19/11/64 P.10:

N.B.Reports plus lineups in identical form to each other for this and the above Wanderers v Civil  
Service Match are in Teesdale Mercury 23/11/64 P.5/Northampton Mercury 19/11/64 P.3/Kentish  
Chronicle 19/11/64 P.4/Brecon & South Wales General Advertiser 19/11/64 P.5/Lake's Falmouth  
Packet & Cornwall Advertiser 19/11/64 P.4(!)

SG:"For upwards of an hour the match was undecided,notwithstanding the unavoidable absence of  
one of the Cambridge players(Mr L.Hope-Edwardes) till a base was obtained for Oxford by Mr  
Clutterbuck,and as Cambridge failed to obtain any base before time was called,the match resulted in  
favour of Oxford."

Oxford:R.D.Walker,Cecil Reid,A.Clutterbuck,E.C.Glyn,W.F.Maitland,W.T.Phipps,H.K.Leslie,J.E.Mylne,  
W.F.Higgins,W.Warden,A.Montgomery.

Cambridge:J.T.Prior,J.N.Russell,E.Porter,A.Crompton,R.C.Moncrieff,C.H.Long,F.H.Cheetham,  
E.G.Swainsong,G.Yorke,G.G.Kennedy.

MON NOV 14<sup>TH</sup> :

NORFOLK 0 MACKENZIE 0 (At Sheffield)(Sporting Gazette 19/11/64)

TUES NOV 15<sup>TH</sup> :

ETON WALL Match:

Mr Lubbock's Eleven:Humphrey,Grant,Walpole,Sargent,Rigden,Gibbs,Newton,Hall,Lubbock,  
Mossop,Owen.(11 shies)

Mr Gibbs's Eleven:Tinne,Belgrave,Norman,Hamilton,Ponsonby,ma,Seymour,  
Kinnaird(pro Phipps,mi),K.Slaney,Gibbs,Ferguson,Walter.(Nil)

WED NOV 16<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 4 (M.Mackenzie,G.Smythe,C.Scott,G.Davies) CIVIL SERVICE 0

Bell's Life 26/11/64 P.9:

BL:"This match was played on Wednesday,Nov 16,and resulted in a victory for Charterhouse by four  
games to none.The game was one-sided on the whole,though the C.S. made one or two fine rushes  
at the Charterhouse goals,but without success.Messrs Waudby and Voules played with great vigour  
and perseverance for the Civil Service,while C.Scott particularly distinguished himself for

Charterhouse. The games for Charterhouse were got by M. Mackenzie, G. Smythe, C. Scott, and G. Davies."

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 2 (B. Preston, F. Giles) OLD ETONIANS 1 (H. A. Hills)

Bell's Life 26/11/64 P.9/Westminster School Football :

BL: "This match was played on the 16<sup>th</sup>, at Vincent-square, and after a well-contested game, resulted in favour of the "young-uns", who obtained two games to their opponents' one. The goals for Westminster were kicked by B. Preston and F. Giles, who were well backed up by F. H. Harrison, R. Harley, C. Short, and F. Pownall, and that of the Etonians by H. H. Hills. For the latter Messrs Cleasby, Wharton, Scholfield, and Walker played in excellent form."

Westminster School: B. Preston, F. Harrison, J. P. Nichols, F. Giles, R. Harley, J. E. Tayloe, G. W. Chapman, C. Short, F. Pownall, F. Lucas, J. Lucas.

Old Etonians: R. D. Cleasby, S. F. Cleasby, E. H. Wynn Finch, T. B. Dyers, R. Wharton, W. B. Gurson, H. A. Hills, R. S. Scolfield, + J. R. Dasent, + H. Walker, + W. J. Dixon. + Westminster Substitutes

SAT NOV 19<sup>TH</sup> :

FOREST FOOTBALL CLUB 1 (C. W. Alcock) CRYSTAL PALACE CLUB 0 (At Penge)

Field 26/11/64 P.381/Bell's Life 26/11/64 P.9:

F/BL: "An exciting match took place last Saturday between these two clubs on the ground of the C. P. F. C. at Penge. Both sides fought hard for victory, but fortune favoured the Foresters for whom C. W. Alcock kicked the goal which won them the triumph of the day. For the Forest Club, R. Cotton and A. Thompson, by their forward play, and Messrs J. Elliott and C. M. Tebbut, by their fine kicking, as first and second goal, did great service to their side. For the Crystal Palace Club, H. Lloyd and J. Turner played well."

Forest Club: C. Absolom, C. W. Alcock, R. Cotton, J. Elliott, C. Hamilton, C. D. Jackson, A. M. Tebbut, C. M. Tebbut, A. M. Thompson.

Crystal Palace: D. Allport, W. Allport, F. Collins, A. Cutbill, W. Cutbill, F. Grose, H. Lloyd, J. Morris, J. Rhodes, J. Sharland, J. Turner. (BL has J. Grose and F. Morris)

MR WALKER'S ELEVEN 2 (F. Giles, F. Pownall) FOREST SCHOOL 1 (C. T. Bogue) (At Walthamstow)

Sporting Life 23/11/64 P.4:

Mr Walker's Eleven: H. Walker, B. N. Thoms, F. Giles, F. Pownall, F. L. Harrison, J. P. Nichols, R. W. Circuitt, J. Lucas, F. S. Lucas, J. R. Dasent, F. C. Oldman(?)

Forest School: J. Ellis, C. T. Bogue, H. G. Hodgson, J. Chilcote, B. W. Gardom, R. B. Baswell, W. H. Bradshaw, R. Cutbill, W. Glassford, J. Knowle, C. T. Rickards.

WED NOV 23<sup>RD</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 2(B.Preston,F.Giles) CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1 (M.M.Mackenzie)(At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 26/11/64 P.9/City Press 26/11/64 P.4/Sporting Gazette 31/12/64 /Westminster School Book: Try Times as in School scrapbook

BL:"On Wednesday,Nov 23,this match came off on the Westminster ground,Vincent-square,and was well-contested.Till latterly the Westminsters had proved too strong for their opponents.The goalkeeping of L.Ogden for the Carthusians was much admired,saving several games in a plucky manner.However,in spite of the good play of Hon. F.S.O'Grady,M.M.Mackenzie,and G.E.Smythe,the Westminsters proved victorious by obtaining two games to their opponents' one.The games for Westminster were kicked by B.Preston and F.Giles who were well supported by J.P.Nichols,R.Harley,C.Short,and F.Lucas.;and that of the Carthusians by M.Mackenzie."

Westminster School:B.Preston,F.L.Harrison,J.P.Nichols,F.Giles,R.Harley,J.E.Tayloe,G.W.Chapman,C.Short,F.Pownall,F.Lucas,J.Lucas.

Charterhouse School:Hon.F.S.O'Grady,M.M.Mackenzie,L.Ogden,H.H.Cameron,G.E.Smythe,G.S.Davies,A.C.Seymour,E.C.S.Gibson,C.P.Scott,J.M.Byng,O.S.Walford.

SAT NOV 26<sup>TH</sup> :

FOREST FOOTBALL CLUB 1 (R.Cotton) CIVIL SERVICE 0 (At Battersea Park)

Field 3/12/64 P.386/Bell's Life 3/12/64 P.3(No lineups):

F/BL:"Messrs Gibson and Malkin were conspicuous in their play,and rendered efficient aid to the Civil Service.Their efforts were,however,totally unable to resist the perpetual attacks of their adversaries,who,by the constant "backing up",and the excellent way in which they played together,all contributed to the victory they achieved."

Advert for match CONGLETON v MACCLESFIELD:

Bell's Life 26/11/64 P.5:

"Twenty-five of the licensed victualers of Congleton will play a match of football against 25 of the licensed victualers of Macclesfield,three games out of five,for 50 dinners and wine.The match can be made by applying to Mr Stubb,Lion and Bell,Congleton."

UPPINGHAM SCHOOL MATCH:First Fifteen 2 Bullies Next Thirty 1 Bully:

Field 3/12/64 P.386/Bell's Life 10/12/64 P.8:

F:"This,the first match in which the Fifteen have all played together,was contested on Saturday,Nov. 26<sup>th</sup>.The day was fine,but the ground exceedingly slippery from the recent rain.The Fifteen played very fairly upon the whole,and after a spirited game of nearly two hours,won by a bully."

Fifteen:C.Childs,R.L.Nettleship,S.W.Daukes,L.M.D'Orsay,W.Starey,C.B.Babington,G.Briggs,A.Williams,C.Ridley,J.H.Sandilands,S.P.Tourie,T.Hartley,E.Townley,H.Mitchell,T.B.Hussey.(BL has Balrington and Stavey)

BRIGHTON COLLEGE v LANCING COLLEGE "A Draw" (At Lancing)

Brighton College: H.B. Cotterill (Capt.), G.C. Barnes, G.G. Barber, H.W. Blunt, J.T. Cooper, A.R. Dunnage, C.H. Griffith, A. Gray, P. Heugh, W. Jenkins, F.S. Lowe, A.R. Margary.

Lancing College: W. Hilton (Capt.), R. Wir, E. Bown, R. Smith, T.S. Baker, A.F. Beaufort, H. May, G. Allen, R. Walker, A. Wheeler, J.D. Marsden, W.H. Smith.

FOREST SCHOOL 4 (H.G. Hodgson, W. Glassford, R.B. Boswell, B.W. Gardom)

SECOND ESSEX RIFLE CORPS 0 (At Walthamstow)

Sporting Life 30/11/64 P.3:

Forest School: T. Ellis (Capt.), C.T. Bogue, H.G. Hodgson, J. Chilcot, B.W. Gardom, R.B. Boswell, W.H. Bradshaw, R. Cutbill, W. Glassford, J. Knowle, C.T. Rickards.

Essex Rifle Corps : F. Walker, J. Hibbert, W. Nosey, J. Borwick, J. Reed, M. Hudson, H. Chidley, R.T. Wragg, T. Munn, L. Rolph, A. Titley.

WED NOV 30<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 2 (Muir Mackenzie, See below) OLD CARTHUSIANS 2 (F.G. Inge 2)

Bell's Life 10/12/64 P.8:

BL: "This match came off with great success on Wednesday, Nov 30. A fine day and both sides good and well matched, contributed to make the occasion as happy as could be desired, only both Old and Present joined in sincerely regretting the absence of the captain, F.S. O'Grady, through ill health. The game began at about half past two, and lasted with unabated spirit until a quarter past four. At first the Present seemed to have it all their own way, getting two games in succession; the first was gained by Muir Mackenzie, who represented the absent captain with great credit, the second was the result of a united effort of the whole side. The Old Carthusians now made a great improvement in their play and got two goals, both kicked by F.G. Inge. For the rest of the game the contest was very keen, each side being anxious to win the conquering goal, but no decisive result was obtained. The play of the Present Carthusians throughout was admirable, and among them especially to be mentioned were M. Muir Mackenzie and E.C. Gibson and L. Ogden in base. Had the captain been present there is little doubt but that the Oldsters would have been defeated. F.G. Inge and H.C. Malkin were in capital form and did most of the work for the Old Carthusians."

Charterhouse School: M.J. Muir Mackenzie, L. Ogden, H.H. Cameron, G.E. Smythe, A.C. Seymour, E.C.S. Gibson, C.P. Scott, J.M. Byng, O.S. Walford, J.B. Vaughan, G.S. Davis (Absent on account of ill health)

Old Carthusians: F.G. Inge, H.C. Malkin, B.F. Hartshorne, W. Seymour, E.W. Hawker, W. Maples, J.S. Tate, R.B. Yorke, W.C. Boreham, W.L. Boreham (for E.L. Pearson), K. Muir Mackenzie.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL Match: Queen's Scholars 1 (F.L. Harrison) Town Boys 0 (At Vincent Square)

Sporting Gazette / Bell's Life 3/12/64 P.3 :

Queen's Scholars:F.L.Harrison,J.P.Nichols,F.Giles,J.R.Dasent,H.Walker,G.W.Chapman,C.Short,  
W.J.Dixon,R.W.P.Circuitt,J.E.Tayloe,G.Heath.

Town Boys:B.Preston,R.Harley,F.Lucas,J.Lucas,F.Pownall,R.W.E.Eastwick,H.Curteis,W.R.D'Arcy,  
W.Darley,A.Lee,E.Oliver.

ETON FOOTBALL:ETON WALL GAME(St Andrew's Day):

Oppidans 2 Shies Collegers 0

Upon St Andrew's Day 1841-1901 P.24/BL 10/12/64 P.8/Sporting Gazette:

"W.W.Phipps was unable to play for the Oppidans.Both elevens played their best,and though the Collegers were overmatched they never lost heart,but played very pluckily throughout.For the Collegers,Lewis,Willis,Muirhead,and Radcliffe particularly distinguished themselves .For the Oppidans all played well."

Oppidans:W.S.Prideaux,S.Grant,E.L.Corrie(Walls),T.A.B.Sargent,E.W.Hamilton(Seconds),  
T.H.Phipps(mi.),C.S.Newton,W.Kenyon-Slaney(Outsides),E.Lubbock(Capt.),S.V.Gibbs,  
J.H.Mossop(Behinds), +W.W.Phipps(ma.)(12<sup>TH</sup> Man)+Did not play

Collegers:R.C.B.Willis,R.H.Lewis(Capt.),R.V.Somers-Smith(Walls),J.W.Foley,  
T.F.C.Huddleston(Seconds), W.Wace,W.Durnford,W.W.Radcliffe(Outsides),  
F.M.Muirhead,A.J.Pound,B.F.Lock(Behinds),J.B.Wood(12<sup>th</sup> man)

ETON FIELD GAME:

CAMBRIDGE 1 goal OXFORD 1 rouge

Oxford Times 3/12/64 P.3:

"Although the play of the Oxford Eleven was good,they had to succumb to the Cambridge men,who were declared the winners of the match by one goal;the Oxford Eleven,three of whose best men were away,making a rouge.The scene at the wall was photographed by Messrs Hill and Saunders of Eton."

Cambridge :W.T.French,Hon. F.G.Pelham,Hon.C.G.Lyttelton,J.R.Selwyn,S.F.Cleasby,  
W.R.Griffiths,R.H.Blake-Humfrey, R.Durnford,A.Pope,C.E.Cuthell,T.Hamond.

Oxford :E.Tritton(Capt.),A.Rickards,R.Entwistle,S.J.Fremantle,H.W.Hoare,J.J.Horner,  
P.J.Pickering,M.J.Knight,H.Gosling,J.Round,R.S.Bridges.

THURS DEC 1<sup>ST</sup> :

Field Game at Eton:

ETON COLLEGE 3 rouges CAMBRIDGE ELEVEN 0

Bell's Life 10/12/64 P.4/Eton College Chronicle 15/12/64 P.131:

BL(A Letter from a Cantab to BL):"After the match against Oxford,against Eton,on St Andrew's Day,the Cambridge Eleven expected an easy victory over the Eton Eleven the next day;but the School contrived in the first quarter of an hour to get a rouge,and two others immediately afterwards,which so inspirited the boys,that they proved themselves altogether too young for us ; nothing else was gained during the remainder of the hour,though Cambridge claimed at one time to have kicked a goal,and the School showed some exceedingly brilliant play particularly by Prideaux(at short behind),Slaney,and Newton.We were a little chafed at this rather unexpected defeat,but we soon dropped our individuality,and,as loyal Etonians,we congratulated the School on their very efficient eleven.The game would,however,be improved if the players would remember that the rules,such as "the ball shall not be caught",should be scrupulously observed,having been framed in the belief that the game is very much improved if both sides refrain from using their hands,for though the Eton game is,when properly played,football in perfection,it is very much spoilt if the keepers fail to exert their influence to prevent "crawling","kicking the ball out",and "using the hands".

ECC:"For the University the same eleven played as had beaten Oxford the day before with two exceptions.Mr H.Brandreth and Hon.N.Lyttelton played instead of Hon.C.G.Lyttelton and W.R.Griffiths.""W.W.Phipps,one of the "Keepers" ,was unable to play for Eton."

Eton College:W.S.Prideaux,S.V.Gibbs,E.Lubbock,J.H.Mossop,C.S.Newton,H.T.Phipps,J.Rigden,H.V.Russell, T.Sargent,H.Seymour,W.Kenyon-Slaney.

Cambridge:W.T.Trench,S.F.Cleasby,C.E.Cuthell,R.Durnford,H.Brandreth,T.Hamond, R.H.Blake-Humfrey,Hon.N.G.Lyttelton,Hon.F.G.Pelham,A.Pope,J.R.Selwyn.

SAT DEC 3<sup>RD</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 2 (B.Preston,J.E.Tayloe) MR THOMPSON'S ELEVEN 1 (A.Thompson) (In Fields)

N.B.Westminster School Book records 1(B.Preston) 0!

Field 10/12/64 P.403/Bell's Life 10/12/64 P.8/Westminster School Football Ledger:

F:"This match was played at Vincent-square,on Saturday,3<sup>rd</sup> inst.,and after an hour and a half's play,terminated in favour of Westminster ,who obtained two games to their opponents' one.The games for Westminster were kicked by B.Preston and J.E.Tayloe,and that of their opponents by A.Thompson.The goal-keeping of G.W.Chapman,on the part of Westminster,was much admired."

Westminster School:B.Preston,F.L.Harrison,J.P.Nichols,F.Giles,R.Harley,J.E.Tayloe,G.W.Chapman, C.Short,F.Pownall,+S.F.Lucas,J.Lucas.+S.F.Lucas

+Mr Thompson's Team:A.Thompson,W.J.Thompson,C.F.Buller,E.W.Burnett,H.G.Phipps, C.W.Alcock,L.Hogg,C.Wright,C.M.Tebbut,H.Trotter,++A.Kinnaird.(B.Trotter in WSFL)

+Old Harrovians(++except A.F.Kinnaird who was still at Eton?)

BARNES 0 CRYSTAL PALACE 1 touch down (At Barnes)

Bell's Life 10/12/64 P.8/Field 10/12/64 P.403/Sporting Life 10/12/64 P4(No lineups):

BL:"Barnes won the toss,and thereby had choice of goals,which proved a great advantage,as there was a strong wind blowing at the time.Crystal Palace kicked off,and after a few minutes succeeded in obtaining a touch down by the fine running of H.Lloyd;but fortune(or rather wind) favoured Barnes, as no goal was obtained.Notwithstanding the continued onslaughts of the C.P.C. they failed to obtain a greater advantage than worrying their opponents,when darkness put an end to the game,no goal having been obtained on either side.For the C.P.C. H.Lloyd,R.Abraham,and L.Irons played well;for the Barnes,Whitaker,and M.Roberts."

CIVIL SERVICE 0 NO NAMES 0 (At Kilburn)

Bell's Life 10/12/64 P.8(No Lineups):

BL:"This match was played at Kilburn on Saturday,Dec 3,and after a fine game resulted in a draw, neither side obtaining a goal.The N.N.(commonly supposed to represent the Know-Nothings) had the disadvantage as to ground,but showed throughout that at all events on the subject of Football their education had been by no means neglected.The play on both sides was unusually good,especially that of Messrs Waudby and Kneller for the Civil Service,and of Pember for the N.N."

LINCOLN Matches:

LINCOLN ROWING CLUB v LINCOLN REST OF CLUB (Practice Ground,Wragby Road)

Bell's Life 10/12/64 P.8/7/1/65 P.7/Lincolnshire Chronicle 10/12/64 P.5:

LC(First match:)"A match between the Rowing Club and the Non-Members was played on the practice ground, Wragby Road,on Saturday,Dec 3,and resulted in a draw,each side having obtained a goal.Considering the bad state of the ground,and the inclemency of the weather,the play was more spirited than might have been expected."

Sat Dec 3<sup>rd</sup>/Sat Dec 10<sup>th</sup> /Sat Dec 31<sup>st</sup>:

BL:"Several good matches have been played by this club during the present season,amongst which was one played on Saturday,Dec 3,when the players who are members of the Lincoln Rowing Club were pitted against the rest of the club.The game was very spirited and resulted in a draw,one goal being obtained by each side.The return match was played on the following Saturday,when the members of the L.R.C scored the only goal obtained.The conquering match between the same sides came off on Saturday,Dec 31,when the non-members of the L.R.C.being more in numbers than their opponents,had the best of the game throughout,and after some very severe play,obtained two goals through Mantel and Shipley.The sides were as follows:

Lincoln Rowing Club:C.Apthorp,T.Brogden,H.Chambers,W.Dawber,D.J.Garnham(Capt.),  
T.Hiley,W.Lowe, A.Marshall,E.A.Treb(m)ahc?

Members of the Lincoln Football Club(not being members of the L.R.C. :C.Bromhead,C.Beaumont  
W.Curtis,Dale,sen(Capt),Dale,jun,F.Dalton,J.Mawer,W.Moffatt,Mantle,G.Shipley,F.Thropp.

SHREWSBURY SCHOOL MATCH :Sixth 2 (Travers,R.Tomlins) The School 0:



Field 10/12/64 P.403/Bell's Life 10/12/64 P.8:

F:"This match was finished on Dec 6, having been played two days before. On the first day the School eleven won the toss, and wisely, perhaps, chose the hedge goal. On that day the Sixth had a decided advantage, keeping the ball generally well down by the School goal; no goals, however, were kicked by either side. On Dec 2 the game was renewed, and the sun shining in the faces of the School players, and a slight wind also blowing against them, the Sixth were able to kick a goal after some hard play. On changing sides, however, the School eleven had greatly the best of the game; but when time was up they had not succeeded in getting any goals. On the 6<sup>th</sup> the sun was as bright as before, but for some reason or other the School eleven was not so strong as it might have been, and the Sixth played even more successfully than might have been expected from the slight weakness of their antagonists. After about half an hour's play, the ball having been well up by the School goal most of the time, a second goal was kicked for the Sixth by Tomlins, and thus the match ended. The first goal was kicked by Travers."

Sixth: R.F. Stevens, Riley, R. Tomlins, Phillips, Hallam, Travers, F. Hall, Whitaker, Allen, Hughes, Gilkes.

School: Greenhalgh, Rowe, J.J. Emerson, Bourke, Harrison, E.B. Emerson, Boyd, Gale, Wagstaff, Powys, Gubbins.

WED DEC 7<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1 (R. Harley) + CAMBRIDGE ELEVEN 1 (J.M. Yates) (At Vincent Square)

Field 10/12/64 P.403/Bell's Life 10/12/64 P.8/Westminster School Football Ledger:

+WSFL: "most of whom were Old Westminsters": (see below)

WSFL: "before long Yates got a game for the Cantabs" (Not recorded in F/BL: see below)

F/BL: "On Wednesday Dec 7 an eleven was brought down by A.J. Mackay, +consisting chiefly of Old Westminsters. Some good play was shown on both sides, that of F. Giles and R. Harley for the Present Westminsters was very good; and that of J.M. Yates and Prior for Cambridge. Eventually one game was kicked by R. Harley for Westminster."

Westminster School: B. Preston, F.L. Harrison, J.P. Nichols, F. Giles, R. Harley, J.E. Tayloe, G.W. Chapman, C. Short, F. Pownall, S.F. Lucas, J. Lucas.

Cambridge Eleven: +A.J. Mackay, +J.M. Yates, Prior, E.F. Wood, T. Andrews, T. Tabor, +W.W.C. Lane, +M.O. Sim, +J.R. Dasent, ++H. Walker, ++W.J. Dixon. ++Present Westminsters

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 2 (Hon. F.S. O'Grady, M. Mackenzie) CRUSADERS 1 (H.C. Malkin) (At Charterhouse)

N.B. Charterhouse Football History has 2-0 on 6/12/64

Field 17/12/64 P.425/Bell's Life 17/12/64 P.8:

F: "On Wednesday, the 7<sup>th</sup> inst., the Crusaders made their appearance at the Charterhouse; but desertion had thinned their ranks, and they were forced to recruit on the spot, where they obtained some excellent and useful auxiliaries. The game was well-contested, the winning goal being cleverly got for Charterhouse in the last ten minutes of play."

BL: "This match was played at Charterhouse, on Wednesday, Dec 7. The Crusaders suffered from absenteeism, and were obliged to borrow substitutes from the ranks of the Carthusians who supplied them with a useful contingent of four men. The game was well contested, and eventually won by Charterhouse by two goals (well got by O'Grady and Mackenzie) against one, kicked for the Crusaders by Malkin."

Charterhouse School: Hon. F. S. O'Grady, M. Mackenzie, L. Ogden, H. Cameron, G. Smythe, A. Seymour, E. Gibson, C. Scott, O. S. Walford, W. Cooper, T. Bittleston.

Crusaders: E. O. Berens, R. Cruikshank, F. G. Inge, H. C. Malkin, A. Severn, M. A. Thoms, R. Wharton, + T. Stevens, + W. Boreham, + M. Slade, + J. Vaughan. + Emergencies.

COLCHESTER VOLUNTEER CORPS 2 (Private J. Williams, Private J. Carey) COLCHESTER GRAMMAR SCHOOL 3 (P. Wright, Mr Parker, 2)

Colchester : On Wednesday, Dec 7, a match was played between eleven of the Colchester Volunteer Corps and the first eleven of the Grammar School, on the ground of the Colchester School. The game was well contested, the School eleven winning three goals, kicked by P. Wright (captain) and Mr Parker (substitute for Constable) (2); and the Volunteers two goals, kicked by Private J. Williams and Private Carey (captain). A third goal was claimed for Private Williams, but was not allowed. A return match has been fixed for next term." (Bell's Life 17/12/64 P.8/Chelmsford Chronicle 16/12/64 P.6)

No Association type matches traced in Field Newspapers 24/12/64 – 14/1/65

SAT DEC 10<sup>TH</sup> :

CRYSTAL PALACE 0 NO NAMES 0 0 (At Kilburn)

Bell's Life 17/12/64 P.8:

BL: "This match was played at Kilburn, on Saturday, Dec 10, and, though warmly contested throughout, it resulted in a drawn game, neither side succeeding in obtaining a goal. Some of the N.N.'s did not put in an appearance, an incident which we trust may not occur again. W. Cutbill, E. Abraham, and Turner (whose long kicking was very good) played well for Crystal Palace; Tebbut, Baker, and Freeth for the N.N."

Crystal Palace : W. Cutbill, W. Allport, H. Lloyd, J. Groose, R. Abraham, E. Abraham, D. Allport, J. Harland, A. Cutbill, J. Cluff, F. Collins, L. Irons, J. Rhodes, F. Morris, J. Turner.

N.N. : H. Baker, J. Baker, W. Baker, A. Baker, T. Morton, P. Borrodaile, A. Tebbut, C. Tebbut, J. Nicholas, A. G. Renshaw, A. Freeth, A. Pember, C. Collins.

N.B. Up to the Field 26/11/64 Edition the fixtures had Forest F.C. v N.N.'s for Sat Dec 10<sup>th</sup>, but not thereafter, and the above game played Crystal Palace v N.N. seems to have been played instead.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 OLD HARROVIANS 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 24/12/64 P.6/(Not in WSFL):

BL:"On Saturday Dec 10,this,the last match for the school this year,was played at Vincent Square, and,after a hard half an hour's play,resulted in a tie.This made the eighth match the School played this year,of which six have been won,one lost-viz. v Civil Service,which it is but fair to say was the first time the eleven had played together-and one drawn.."

Westminster School:J.P.Nichols,F.Giles,R.W.D.Harley,J.E.Tayloe,G.W.Chapman,C.Short,F.Pownall, F.Lucas,J.Lucas,+J.R.Dasent,+W.Darley,+W.J.Dixon.+Substitutes.

Old Harrovians:E.W.Burnett,C.W.Alcock,E.E.Bowen,H.O.Hewlett,F.Green,H.G.Phipps, C.E.Baillie,T.T.Prior,A.Chitterback,F.Stock,T.Morley,F.Sparrow.

LINCOLN MATCH (Return) Lincoln Rowing Club 1 Lincoln Rest of Club 0(Bell's Life 7/1/65 P.7:see above)

Lincolnshire Chronicle 17/1/65 P.5:"The L.R.C.,who played eight to ten,came off victorious,they obtaining the only goal made."

TUES DEC 13<sup>TH</sup> :

An Eleven from HARROW SCHOOL 4(R.G.Chambers 2,H.Richardson,H.H.Mongomery) CIVIL SERVICE 0 (Battersea Park)

Bell's Life 7/1/65 P.7:

BL:"This match was played on the Civil Service ground,in Battersea Park,on Tuesday the 13<sup>th</sup> Dec.The Harrovians arrived with praiseworthy punctuality,but "the exigencies of the service",we suppose,are alone responsible for the non-appearance of several of the other eleven.Emergencies of a very high order were,however,forthcoming,and a very pleasant though rather one-sided game was the result,the school eleven winning four goals to their opponents' none.The Civil Service were under slight disadvantages in playing the Harrow game,but they fought pluckily to the last.Their emergencies-especially Mr Phipps-rendered them great assistance.The goals were kicked for Harrow by Messrs Chambers(2),Richardson,and Montgomery."

Harrow Eleven:H.Richardson,E.E.Bowen,W.O.Hewlett,C.F.Buller,H.H.Montgomery,W.G.Robinson, R.G.Chambers,Sir W.Ffolkes,S.R.Thompson,E.A.Jee,Hon.W.T.Kenyon.

Civil Service:J.Wearne,T.A.Chambers,J.W.Peake,A.E.Bateman,H.F.Buller,J.L.Pattisson, +H.G.Phipps,+R.C.Thornton,+F.Giles,+R.Harley.+Emergencies.

FRI DEC 16<sup>TH</sup>

CRUSADERS 1 CAMBRIDGE ELEVEN 1(At Civil Service Ground,Battersea Park)

Bell's Life 24/12/64 P.6(2 reports):

BL: "This match was played on Friday, Dec 16, and ended in a tie, each side getting one goal. Mr Yates, for the Crusaders, made at the very end of the game a most excellent attempt at goals; but general opinion was against its being allowed. The Cantabs were two men short..."

BL: "A match was played on Friday, Dec 16, on the Civil Service Ground in Battersea Park, between eleven present members of Cambridge University, and a mixed eleven of the old members of the two universities. The game commenced at a quarter to three and lasted one hour. In the first half the old members got a goal. The present Cambridge men got a goal in the next twenty minutes, and on time being called it terminated in a draw, although it was the impression of some of the spectators that the old members had got a second goal. Amongst those who distinguished themselves on the part of Cambridge were Messrs Crompton, Prior, Simms, Bowen, and Russell. On the side of the old members Messrs Monroe, H.A. Hills, Cruikshank, Yates, R.S. Scholfield, Malkin, and Tomms."

++Proves same game although many spelling errors

Crusaders: E.O. Berens, J.A. Cruikshank, H.C. Malkin, R.W. Munro, M.A. Thoms, J.M. Yates, H.A. Hill, R.S. Scholfield, K.M. Mackenzie, G. Dowdeswell.

Cambridge Eleven: A. Crompton, E.E. Bowen, J.T. Prior, J.H. Russell, H.W. Lawrence, G.G. Kennedy, J. Sim, F. Tupper, Mackenzie.

SAT DEC 24<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL Match:

Mr E. Giles Team 0 Mr J. Wearne's Team 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 31/12/64 P.7:

BL: '.... Between teams collected by Mr E. Giles and Mr J. Wearne."

Mr Giles: E.O. Berens, J.R. Dasent, F. Pownall, J. Lucas, F. Lucas, (E.M.) Thoms, H. Peake, Nepean, (Z.) Smith, (X.) Jones, E. Giles, F. Giles.

Mr Wearne: A. Pember, C.F. Buller, E.W. Burnett, Mackenzie, C.H. Short, J.W. Peake, E. Lucas, J. Kirkpatrick, E. Fairfield, Crampton, G.J. Circuit, J. Wearne.

MON DEC 26<sup>TH</sup> :

LINCOLN FOOTBALL CLUB 1 (A. Marshall) RIFLE CLUB 1 (W. Sinktaw)

Bell's Life 7/1/65 P.7: "On Monday, the 26<sup>th</sup> ult, a match was played between ten members of the Rifle Corps and ten members of the Football Club. The ground, by reason of the frost, was very hard, the play on that account not being so plucky as usual. However, a good game resulted and after an hour's play a goal was obtained for the Rifle Corps by W. Sinktaw, and subsequently A. Marshall, for the club, drove the ball between the opponent's goal, the match thus ending in a draw. The return match will be played this day."

SAT DEC 31<sup>ST</sup> :

C.C.C. 4 (T.Cuthel 4) BLACKHEATH 0(At Blackheath)

Bell's Life 7/1/65 P.7:

BL: "Cuthel at length got the ball between the goal posts. The contending parties then changed goals, and five minutes afterwards Cuthel gained another goal for the C.C.C. by a beautiful kick. After this the latter had the game all their own way, for they speedily obtained two more goals-both gained by Cuthel-one by a fine piece of dribbling, the other by a touch down, which he speedily converted into a goal, by a good place kick."

C.C.C. : T.Cuthell, F.Monro, E.Roxby, F.Soden, F.Clarke, W.Dunlop, A.Turner, J.Hoare, Horne, Buckland, P.Turner, E.Turner, H.Dealtry, J.Tayloe, C.Wright, H.Walford. (14 played)

N.B The BL Report criticised the behavior of the Blackheath spectators leading to lengthy correspondence (see BL 14/1/65 P.7/BL 21/1/65 P.9/BL 28/1/65 P.9/BL 4/2/65 P5). Blackheath claimed that because of the rain only 5 of their team were present and that 9 Emergencies were needed. C.C.C. claimed unfamiliarity with Blackheath Rules (which was a Rugby like code and allowed handling but their offside rule was not the same as the Rugby Rule).

LINCOLN Match (3<sup>rd</sup> Game):

Bell's Life 7/1/65 P.7 (See above)

MON JAN 2<sup>ND</sup> :

SHEFFIELD CLUB 1 (James Wild) NOTTINGHAMSHIRE CLUB 0 (Meadows Cricket Ground, Nottingham)

Bell's Life 7/1/65 P.7/Nottinghamshire Guardian 6/1/65 P.8/Sheffield Independent 3/1/65 P.8 and 4/1/65 P.4 and 7/1/65 P.10 (No lineups in SI):

BL: "The Nottingham Club has only recently been established, but, as will be seen from the above list of names, it numbers amongst its members several well-known cricket worthies of the county, and who, during the day, took a very active part in the game. Play commenced about two o'clock, when Notts, having won the toss, chose to kick from the eastward to the westward. The first hour's play was exceedingly spirited, and several fine kicks were made by Col Creswick and Mr Chesterton for Sheffield, and R.Daft and Mr Steegman for Nottingham. The Sheffield party, however, eventually took a lead, and through some scientific movements of Mr J.Wild, scored a goal amid great cheering. When play was suspended at four o'clock, it was agreed to draw the game they were then proceeding with. The return match, it is understood, will be played at Sheffield on Jan 30."

SI: "The players on both sides afterwards dined together at the George Hotel."

Sheffield Club: Colonel Creswick (Capt.), N.Creswick, A.Dixon, T.Denton, C.Shaw, J.C.Shaw, H.W.Chambers, W.Chesterman, C.Appleton, A.M.Wild, James Wild, F.Knowles, W.Turton, A.Weightman, R.Favell, H.Cadmann, G.Hawkesley, A.Earnshaw.

Nottinghamshire Club:J.Patterson(Capt.),T.Elliott,W.Elliott,R.Fountain,H.Moody,R.Daft,C.F.Daft,  
G.Parr,John Parr,H.Parr,J.W.Thackeray,J.B.Gibson,E.B.Steegman, A.Scrimshaw,W.Goddard,  
H.Simons,J.S.Wright,W.Wright.(Notts County History order but names the same as NG/BL)

WED JAN 4<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL Match:

Mr F.Giles' Team 0 Mr Ponsonby's Team 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 7/1/65 P.7:

BL:... between teams raised under the auspices of Mr G.Ponsonby and Mr F.Giles."

Mr Giles:J.Lucas,Lucas,F.Giles,Giles,F.Pownall,W.J.Dixon,G.J.Circuitt,E.O.Berens,E.Fairfield,  
Dasent,K.M.Mackenzie,M.M.Mackenzie.

Mr Ponsonby:Sir C.Lesley,J.W.Peake,J.Ponsonby,G.Ponsonby,F.Langley,G.A.Campbell,G.B.Voules,  
J.Kirkpatrick,Ferguson,Crampton,(A.Sombody),J.Wearne.

SAT JAN 7<sup>TH</sup> :

C.C.C. 0 (2 touch downs) CRYSTAL PALACE CLUB 0 (1 touch down) (At Penge)

Bell's Life 14/1/65 P.7:

BL:"On Jan 7 the C.C.C. went down to Penge with a rather weak team to contend with the Crystal Palace Club in a field behind the Crooked Billet.Play was commenced with praiseworthy punctuality on both sides at three o'clock,and the C.C.C. having lost the toss for choice of goals were forced to kick uphill;in addition to this they were at a disadvantage owing to their ignorance of their opponents' rules(those of the Football Association,and which,we think,would be none the worse for some alterations).The C.P.C. soon obtained a touch down,but the place kick was unsuccessful.The C.C.C. then pulled themselves together,and succeeded in obtaining two touch downs behind the goal of the C.P.C.,both well got by C.E.Cuthell,but they were at too great a distance from goal to allow the place kicks to come off.After this the game was most equally contested,though,owing to the superior weight of the C.P.C.,the ball was more frequently behind the goal of the C.C.C.The game ended in a draw at 4.30,neither side obtaining a goal.For the Crystal Palace R.Abraham and J.Turner did their side good service;while for the C.C.C. the brothers Cuthell and J.Tayloe were,as usual, conspicuous for their good play.We think that had there been less kicking and more dribbling on the part of the C.P.C. the game would have been greatly improved."

C.C.C. :T.Cuthell,C.Cuthell,E.Turner,E.Roxby,F.Soden,A.Turner,J.Tayloe,Eastwick,C.Wright,  
P.Turner,H.Dealtry,C.Franks,J.Ker.

Crystal Palace:Not listed

N.B. Wanderers v Forest Football Club (At Leytonstone) was a fixture in the Field on 10/12/64,and is listed in the fixtures in the Wanderers History by Rob Cavallini, but have found no trace of this game.

SAT JAN 14<sup>TH</sup> :

Bell's Life 21/1/65 P.9/Field 21/1/65 P.40:

C.C.C. 1 (C.Wright) MONTAGUE CLUB 0

Bell's Life 28/1/65 P.9:

BL: "Neither side played their full strength, and the Montague were deprived the services of three good men. Nevertheless some excellent play was shown on both sides, Edwards and Cony for the M.F.C. and F.Soden and J.Tayloe for the C.C.C. being especially worthy of mention; the latter finally came off victorious by one goal to none, got for them by C.Wright; they would probably have obtained more but for the wind, which was very high, and constantly blew the ball out of play."

C.C.C. : F.Soden, J.Tayloe, A.Turner, C.Franks, P.Turner, E.Roxby, C.Taylor, C.Wright, E.Tayloe and H.Spitta emergencies.

FOREST F.C. ("Wetter-uns") 2 (C.W.Alcock, C.M.Tebbut) HARROW HOMEBOARDERS 1 (S.Thornton)

Field 21/1/65 P.40/Bell's Life 21/1/65 P.9:

BL: "A match was played at Harrow on Jan 14, between Mr Bowen's homeboarders and the Forest Wetter-uns, which resulted in a victory for the Wettur-uns by two bases to one. In spite of the unceasing attacks of wind and rain play was kept up with good spirit for an hour and three quarters. The bases for Wetter-uns were kicked by C.W.Alcock and C.M.Tebbut. The only base for Homeboarders by S.Thornton."

N.B. The F Report is headed "Forest Football Club"

N.B. FOREST CLUB v CRYSTAL PALACE was in the fixtures in Field for Jan 21<sup>st</sup> and for Jan 28<sup>th</sup> and in the fixtures in Wanderers History for Jan 28<sup>th</sup>, but have found no trace of the game(s).

WED JAN 25<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 2 (M.J.Muir Mackenzie, R.Giles) MR K.A.MUIR MACKENZIE'S ELEVEN 2 (K.Muir Mackenzie 2) (At Charterhouse)

N.B Charterhouse Football History has Mackenzie 2 for Charterhouse

Bell's Life 28/1/65 P.9/Field 28/1/65 P.65:

BL: "On Wednesday Jan 25, football was re-commenced by a match between Mr K.Muir Mackenzie's Eleven and the School. A capital game ensued resulting in a tie, each party winning two games. The state of the ground was dreadful, from the thaw..."

F: Mr K.Mackenzie won a game for his side at the very beginning of the day, which was shortly followed by a game for Charterhouse by M.Mackenzie. A long interval of hard fighting ensued, and at last Mr R.Giles won a game for the "foreign" eleven by a fine kick. It seemed now as if Charterhouse was beaten; but just five minutes before the end of the match, M.Mackenzie kicked the ball through the posts, thus saving the honour of the School."

Charterhouse School: Hon. F. O'Grady, M. J. Muir-Mackenzie, L. Ogden, H. Cameron, G. Smythe, A. Seymour, E. J. C. Scott, O. Walford, W. Cooper, T. G. Bittleston.

Mr Mackenzie's Team: K. A. Muir-Mackenzie, F. G. Inge, J. Yates, R. Giles, F. Pownall, W. Atkinson, J. Wearne, (G. Voules and C. Waudby sent Substitutes) + J. Macan, + J. Vaughan. + Emergencies (F has B. Vaughan)

WED FEB 1<sup>ST</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1 (O. S. Walford) CIVIL SERVICE 0 (At Charterhouse)

Field 4/2/65 P.81/Bell's Life 11/3/65 P.9:

F: "This match was played on the Charterhouse Ground, Feb 1, and terminated in a victory for Charterhouse by one goal to none. The ground was unusually muddy and heavy, which made running no easy task. In spite of this the match was vigorously contested, and very equal throughout. The game for Charterhouse was won by the joint exertions of Cameron and Walford, the former making a beautiful "dribble" along the whole ground, and the latter giving the finishing kick. For the Civil Service G. Voules in the forward part of the game, and W. Atkinson, who kindly filled up the gap in the Civil Service ranks, showed to great advantage. For Charterhouse, L. Ogden and H. Cameron were "all there", and rendered the Civil Service goalkeeper's post no sinecure."

Civil Service: G. B. Voules, J. Kirkpatrick, A. Bateman, C. Howell, T. Smith, J. Wearne, J. Lucas, J. Finlayson, J. Meadows, W. Atkinson, J. Vaughan. (BL has J. Smith)

"The Charterhouse Eleven were as usual"

N.B. There are no reports in Field for 11/2/65 to 4/3/65 inclusive.

SAT FEB 4<sup>TH</sup> :

Bell's Life 18/2/65 P.7:

CIVIL SERVICE v N.N. "A match was played on Saturday, Feb 4, between the Civil Service and N.N. clubs, which resulted in favour of the N.N. Mr Malkin and Mr Lucas played well for the Civil Service, Mr Alcock, Mr Baker, and Mr Tebbut for the N.N."

N.N. : Morton, Nicholas, H. Baker, J. Baker, W. Baker, A. Baker, Alcock, C. Tebbut, A. Tebbut, Borrodaile.

Civil Service: Voules, Malkin, Thoms, Lucas, Wawn, Phillips, Freeth, Chambers, Patey, Wearne, Chermaide.

N.B. Forest Club v N.N. was scheduled for Sat Feb 4<sup>th</sup> at Leytonstone (see also Wanderers History) but have found no trace of it being played.

BARNES 0 CRYSTAL PALACE 0 (At Penge)

Sporting Life 8/2/65 P.4:

SL: "On Saturday last, the 4<sup>th</sup> inst. these clubs again met, represented by fifteen-a-side. A few weeks ago, they played a match at Barnes, when, after a hot contest of an hour and a half, neither succeeded in obtaining a goal. This match was played on the Crystal Palace ground at Penge. Play commenced at three o'clock, and lasted till a quarter to five, but, notwithstanding every effort by all engaged, as



before, no goal was taken. The ground was in a dreadful state, being almost under water, and the grotesque appearance presented by the players towards the end of the game, through constantly rolling in the mud may be more easily imagined than described; however, the game went off with the utmost good feeling, and another meeting was arranged, which is looked forward to by both clubs with great interest."

HARROW SCHOOL 0 MR C.F. REID'S TEAM 0 (At Harrow)

Bell's Life 11/2/65 P.6/Tyro 1/3/65 P.132:

BL: "On Saturday Feb 4, Mr C.F. Reid took down a team of old Harrovians to Harrow to play against the School, and after a good match neither side could claim the victory, no bases having been obtained."

Harrow School: Russell (Millbanke), Hon. J.G. Amhurst (Betts), Peel, max, Montgomery, sen, Boyson, Robinson, Chambers, Richardson, maj, Sir W. Ffolkes, Hon. J. Bridgeman, Money, Fleet. (Tyro does not have last player)

C.F. Reid's Team: C.F. Reid, W.M. Allfrey, E.E. Bowen, C.F. Buller, H.G. Phipps, J.N. Russell, W.O. Hewlett, J.C. Reade, R. Bagwell, C.H. Mallock, J.T. Prior, F.P. Barlow, F. Geach. (Tyro does not have last player)

WED FEB 8<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1 (T. Bittleston) CRUSADERS 1 (M. Nepean) (At Charterhouse)

Bell's Life 11/2/65 P.6:

BL: "This match was played at Charterhouse on Wednesday, and after an hour and a half's hard play on both sides, ended in a tie, one game having been scored by each side. For the Crusaders Yates, Inge, and Slade (an emergency) played very well, and Hon O'Grady and M'Kenzie did the same for their side."

Crusaders: M.A. Thoms, J. Yates, E.O. Berens, H.C. Malkin, M. Nepean, F. Inge, P. Fox, B.N. Thoms, +Atkinson, +M. Slade, +C. Vaughan. +Emergencies

Charterhouse School: Hon. F.S. O'Grady, M. Muir-Mackenzie, L. Ogden, H. H(ay) Cameron, G.E. Smythe, A.C. Seymour, E.C.S. Gibson, H. Scott, O.S. Walford, W.W. Cooper, T. Bittleston.

N.B. The fixtures Wanderers v Civil Service (Sat Feb 11<sup>th</sup>) and Wanderers v Charterhouse School (Mon Feb 13<sup>th</sup>) also listed in Wanderers History cannot be traced. There is no fixture v Wanderers listed in The History of Charterhouse Football for February.

FOREST FOOTBALL CLUB Fixture v CIVIL SERVICE on Sat Feb 18<sup>th</sup> also listed in Wanderers History cannot be traced. However, the following 2 games are reported in Bell's Life 11/3/65 P.9:

Sat Feb 25<sup>th</sup> : FOREST FOOTBALL CLUB 1 (H.G. Phipps) CRYSTAL PALACE 0 (At Leytonstone) (Not listed in Wanderers History)

Sat Mar 4<sup>th</sup> : FOREST FOOTBALL CLUB 4 (J. Pardoe, A.M. Tebbut, C.W. Alcock 2) WALTHAMSTOW CLUB 0 (At Leytonstone) (No score in Wanderers History)

BL: "Mr R. Piper was conspicuous for his play on the side of F.F.C."

WED FEB 22<sup>ND</sup> :

CRUSADERS 1 (J.M.Yates) WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 4/3/65 P.7/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL: "On Wednesday, Feb 22, the Crusaders paid a visit to Vincent-square, the Westminster Ground. For some little time neither side had any advantage, but at last a game was got for the Crusaders by Yates, who, in his usual good style, took the ball past everyone, and finally kicked a game. No alteration was made in the state of the game after this, although the Westminsters did all in their power to force the ball through their opponents' goals. Yates, Berens, and Malkin distinguished themselves for the Crusaders, and Harley, Dixon, and Darley for Westminster."

Crusaders: E.O. Berens, M. Thoms, H.A. Hunt, Atkinson, H.C. Malkin, J.M. Yates, H. Severn, R. Munroe, J. Cruikshank, F. Lucas, \*G.W. Griffith (Substitute) + H. Frayer?, + Bagott? + E. Oliver + Names in WSFL

Westminster School: F.L. Harrison (Capt.), J.P. Nichols, R. Harley, C. Short, F. Pownall, F. Lucas, G.W. Chapman, J.R. Dasent, H. Walker, W. Darley, J.F. Dixon.

FRI FEB 24<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 3 (O'Grady, "squash", Smythe) PAST CARTHUSIANS 2

Bell's Life 4/3/65 P.9:

BL: "On Friday, the 24<sup>th</sup>, the annual match was played between the Old and Present Carthusians. The badness of the day made it needful that the game should be played in Cloisters, which gave an advantage to the Old, both by their weight and habits, as some of them were at Charterhouse in the days when football was seldom played out of Cloisters. The boys showed that good play in the open does not spoil them for Cloisters by beating their opponents, although they mustered very strong, by three games to two. It was a first-rate match; its spirit and enjoyment never flagged for a minute, and it was carried on for one hour and a half by general consent."

Old: H.C. Malkin, Hawkes, A.C. Seymour, Cardale, K.A. Muir-Mackenzie, G.S. Davies, E.L. Pearson, Brodie, Inge, Atkinson, B.F. Hartshorne.

Present: A.C. Seymour, E.C.S. Gibson, C.P. Scott, O.S. Walford, W.W. Cooper, T. Bittleston, Hon F.S. O'Grady, M.J. Muir-Mackenzie, H.H. Cameron, G.E. Smythe, L. Ogden.

SAT FEB 25<sup>TH</sup> :

CIVIL SERVICE 1 MR LUCAS' ELEVEN 0 (At Battersea Park)

Bell's Life 4/3/65 P.9:

"On Saturday last Mr Lucas brought an eleven to play against the Civil Service at Battersea Park; but though that gentleman has acquired a great reputation for getting together scratch teams, he found

his opponents in this instance one too many for him. The Civil Service managed to obtain one goal, and magnificently refused to avail themselves of several excellent chances on three separate occasions, carefully kicking the ball just over the cord. The ground was in excellent order, and the weather positively favourable. The play throughout was remarkably good. The Civil Service worked well together under the management of Mr Malkin, and it would be difficult to mention the name of any individual as especially worthy of being handed down to posterity. On the opposite side, the fine play of Messrs Darley, Lee, and F. Lucas of Westminster, was particularly conspicuous."

Civil Service: A.E. Bateman, C. Buchanan, J. Kirkpatrick, H.C. Malkin, J. Peake, G. Phillips, B.N. Thoms, A. Thompson, G.B. Voules, C.G. Waudby, J. Wearne.

Mr Lucas's Eleven: +Darley, Daubeney, Gibson, +Lee, +F. Lucas, C. Lucas, Mackenzie, Seymour, Thoms, Walker. +Westminster

SHEFFIELD CLUB 1 goal (W. Chesterman) 3 rouges LINCOLN CLUB 0 (At Newhall Gardens)

Bell's Life 4/3/65 P.9/Lincolnshire Chronicle 4/3/65 P.5/Stamford Mercury 3/3/65 P.5:

BL: "Arrangements having been made between these two clubs for a home-and-home match, they met to play the first at Newhall Gardens on Saturday last. Owing to the Lincoln Races being postponed to the same day their team was got together with difficulty, and was, we understand, not so strong as usual. Previous to going to the ground it was arranged by the respective captains that, in the event of the Lincoln team being numerically deficient, such deficiency should be equalised by either lending or withdrawing some of the Sheffield players; but owing to some oversight, it was not discovered till after play that they had only ten men in the field. That, and their playing to rules new to them, will account in great measure for the result of the match. Although Lincoln won the toss and kicked off with the wind, it was soon apparent they were overweighted; for though the Sheffield gentlemen could not secure a goal, they managed to obtain a rouge, and when half time was called no goal having been obtained ends were changed, and Sheffield, now having the wind in their favour, shortly procured another rouge, and immediately afterwards a goal was cleverly obtained by Chesterman. Another rouge was got by Sheffield, and the match terminated in their favour by one goal and three rouges to nothing."

Sheffield Club: Col N. Creswick (Capt.), A.J. Creswick, J. Denton, J. Shaw, A.A. Dixon, H.W. Chambers, W. Chesterman, C. Appleton, B. Shepherd, J.C. Shaw, W. Turton. (11)

Lincoln Club: D.J. Garnham (Capt.), H.C. Chambers, H.S. Carline, J.J. Carline, T.G. Dale, Wm. Dawber, E. Mantle, J. Nicholls, G. Shipley, (Wm Sniklaw: BL has W. Watkins). (10)

TUES FEB 28<sup>TH</sup> : SHROVE TUESDAY : KINGSTON-UPON-THAMES

Surrey Comet 4/3/65 P.3:

"Shrove Tuesday has this week once more brought round one of the boisterous holidays which form one of the peculiar, though not favourable, features of the ancient town of Kingston. As usual, by the forenoon, business in the Market Place and its communicating thoroughfares was put an end to. The recently opened shops were again shut up, and all windows against which the ball might by chance be driven, were protected with all sorts of improvised contrivances; people collected in the Market-

place to see the ball started, and the town presented that quaint and grotesque appearance that makes it a matter of satirical comment to strangers who, did they not see it with their own eyes, would be incredulous that in a town so near London there could be a so tenacious adherence to an old but undignified custom, in spite of the disfavour with which it is viewed by the tradesmen and shopkeepers, who are reluctantly compelled to lose nearly a day's business, without any compensating advantage to anybody else. There is however reason to believe that the custom is dying out, though its death may be a lingering one. The respectable inhabitants no longer as heretofore, take a principal part in the game, though they may not resist the temptation of having a passing kick when the ball comes near them. The Mayor, it is true, still lends his sanction to the starting of the ball, though it was apparent that on Tuesday last his Worship had little relish for the doubtful honour. When the football party, after parading the town with flags, and poles with gilded balls, accompanied by a band of musicians, wheeled in broken array to the front of the Town Hall, we believe that we are over the mark when we say that there were not more than 200 of them, though the pavements were crowded with lookers on. Of these 200, at least three-fourths were boys, and the men did not present the aspect of being in regular work, nor do we believe that the practice of playing the game in the public streets at the expense of the shopkeepers by the stoppage of all trade, is approved of generally by the employed population of the town. The band having played the National Anthem in the hope we presume of imparting some little ceremony to the occasion, the "pancake bell" rang, and his Worship addressed from the top of the Town-hall porch a few words to the crowd, more curt than complementary, "As long as you keep the peace", he said, "I am with you; but if you do not do this, or destroy people's property, I am dead against every man of you." He then threw the ball among the people, and the general scam began, and lasted until 5 in the afternoon. The number of players at first was but few, but swelled to considerably more at times during the day. There were the usual scenes of "hugging" the ball, so as to get possession of it, and run with it to one of the public-houses and obtain the reward of beer which is given. The ball was kicked in the Thames during the course of the day. At 5 in the afternoon the play ceased, and the players, as many abreast as the width of the road permitted, marched arm in arm, with music and flags back to the Market-place, and the bell again rang out, but this time to announce the close of the game. Shops were re-opened, baracades removed, and the town once more assumed an appearance consonant with the civilisation of the 19<sup>th</sup> century. There were no breaches of the peace—a circumstance to the credit of the crowd, considering the excited state they get into."

SAT MAR 4<sup>TH</sup> :

CRYSTAL PALACE 2(J.Sharland, Another) BARNES 1(Not recorded) (Grosvenor)(At Barnes)

Field 11/3/65 P.160/Bell's Life 11/3/65 P.9/Sporting Life 15/3/65 P.4(Same report in all 3 but no Lineups in SL):

F/BL/SL: "This match was played at Barnes on Saturday, March 4<sup>th</sup>, being the third time these clubs have met this season, the two former games having both ended in a draw. The Crystal Palace having won the toss had the choice of goals, which proved a decided advantage, a strong wind blowing at the time. After some spirtied play on both sides, the first goal was gained for the Crystal Palace by a fine long kick from J.Sharland. The Barnes men, now thoroughly mettled, determined if possible to regain their lost laurels, which, after an hour's play, they succeeded in doing, a goal being won by a free kick from Grosvenor, who did good service for his side throughout the match. The game now

became intensely exciting, both clubs striving their hardest for victory, when, after a hard-fought struggle, the final goal was won by the Crystal Palace."

Crystal Palace: W. Allport, F. Allport, F. Collins, E. Cutbill, Irons, T. Lloyd, Rhode, D. Allport, E. Abraham, W. Cutbill, Grose, H. Lloyd, F. Morris, Sharland, J. Turner (Capt.).

Barnes: Willis, O'Leary, Tebbs, Sutherland, Price, Greenhill, Nettleship, Graham, Elton, Grosvenor, Stevens, Courtney, Sheppard, Conont, E. C. Morley (Capt.)

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1 (L. Ogden) MR F. G. PELHAM'S TEAM 0 (At Charterhouse)

Bell's Life 18/3/65 P.9:

BL: "This match was played at Charterhouse on Saturday, March 4, and resulted in a victory for the School, who obtained one goal to their adversaries' none. The game was obtained by L. Ogden. The following played for Hon. F. Pelham's Eleven:

Mr F. G. Pelham's Eleven: Lord E. Fitzmaurice, J. M. Yates, A. Pope, J. Goldney, G. Goldney, C. E. Cuthell, C. F. Cuthell, J. Drummond, G. E. Hunt, H. M. Thompson.

Charterhouse School: BL: "The C. H. Eleven were as usual, with the exception of G. E. Smythe, who was absent." CHECK CHARTERHOUSE

WED MAR 8<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1 (H. H. Cameron) CIVIL SERVICE 0 (H. H. Cameron)

N. B. History of Charterhouse Football gives March 11<sup>th</sup> as date of the game.

Bell's Life 18/3/65 P.9:

BL: "This match came off on Wednesday, the 8<sup>th</sup> inst, and resulted in a victory for Charterhouse, H. H. Cameron obtaining one goal for the School. The following were the Civil Service Eleven:

Civil Service: H. C. Malkin, G. B. Voules, J. Wearne, C. G. Waudby, O. W. Fuller, J. Lucas, A. Thompson, J. Kirkpatrick, A. Cuming, J. Wyn, W. Atkinson.

Charterhouse School: Not listed CHECK CHARTERHOUSE

THURS MAR 9<sup>TH</sup> :

LINCOLN CLUB 0 NOTTINGHAM CLUB 0 (At Wragby Road, Lincoln)

Lincolnshire Chronicle 17/3/65 P.5/Field 25/3/65 P.201/Bell's Life 18/3/65 P.9 and 25/3/65 P.9:

F: "On Thursday, the 9<sup>th</sup> inst. the first match between the clubs of these towns came off at Lincoln, on the practice ground at Wragby-road. Home-and-home games having been arranged, the rules of the ground were played. This certainly proved very much against Notts, as the Lincoln game is more after the Rugby, and their own partakes of the mild Association character. A high wind across the field rendered true kicking a matter of great difficulty, and consequently, after two hours' hard play the game ended in a draw, neither side having made a goal."

LCC: "As might be expected from cricketers, as the Notts chiefly were, their success in throwing the ball was greater than their kicking."

Lincoln: D.J. Garnham (Capt.), C. Apthorp, Daws, H.C. Chambers, T.G. Dale, J. Carline, E. Chambers, W. Lowe, E. Mantle, G. Shipley, G. Scorer, Parham, E. Handson, Nicholls, Curtis.

Nottingham: J. Patterson (Capt.), H. Simons, F.B. Gibson, E. Steegman, W. Wright, F. Wright, B. Bradley, C.F. Daft, S. Scrimshaw, E. Bradley, H. Moody, W. Elliott, J. Hack, J. Hodges, W.A. Hodges.

Umpire: LC: "C.C. Carr, Lincoln, was the umpire for Nottingham."

SAT MAR 11<sup>TH</sup> :

FOREST SCHOOL 3 (C.T. Bogue 2, C.T. Rickards) SCRATCH ELEVEN OF WESTMINSTER 2  
(J.P.) Nicholls, H. Walker (At Walthamstow)

Sporting Life 15/3/65 P.4:

SL: "This match was played at Walthamstow on Saturday, March 11<sup>th</sup>, and was decided in favour of Forest School by three goals to two. For Forest School, C.T. Bogue kicked two goals and C.T. Rickards one; and for Westminster Nicholls and H. Walker, one each. For Forest School, Ellis (Capt.), Bogue, Hodgson, Glassford, and Rickards; and for Westminster, H. Walker, (J.P.) Nicholls, (F.) Lucas, Green, and (J.R.) Dasent, showed some very good play. On March 18 Forest School will play Clapham Grammar School, at Walthamstow."

WED MAR 15<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 2 (C.P. Scott, Hon F.S. O'Grady) MR LUCAS' ELEVEN 2 (C. Inge, M. Nepean)

N.B. Not in Charterhouse Football History

Bell's Life 18/3/65 P.6:

N.B. This game is not listed in A History of Charterhouse Football

BL: "On Wednesday, March 15<sup>th</sup>, Mr Lucas took an eleven down to Charterhouse, when a most exciting match was played. Neither side gained the victory. Early in the game a goal was obtained by Mr Scott for Charterhouse, which was not long afterwards followed by one for Mr Lucas's Eleven, obtained by Mr Inge. Two more were afterwards got—one for Mr Lucas's Eleven, by Mr Nepean, and the other for Charterhouse by the Hon F.S. O'Grady in his best style. Messrs Mackenzie, Walford, and the Hon F.S. O'Grady played well for Charterhouse, and Messrs Inge, Nepean, and F. Lucas on the other side were conspicuous for their "tripping lightly over the green," although contrary to the Charterhouse rules."

Charterhouse School: Hon F.S. O'Grady, M.J. Muir Mackenzie, L. Ogden, H.H. Cameron, G.E. Smythe, A.C. Seymour, E.C.S. Gibson, C.P. Scott, O.S. Walford, W.W. Cooper, T.G. Bittleston, M.M. Slade.

Mr Lucas's Eleven: E.O. Berens, B.N. Thoms, M. Nepean, C. Inge, J. Wearne, W.J. Thomson, A. Thompson, E. Eastwicke, F. Lucas, J. Lucas, H.G. Wright, G.B. Voules.

SAT MAR 18<sup>TH</sup> :

FOREST SCHOOL 2(J.D.Bradshaw,R.B.Boswell) CLAPHAM GRAMMAR SCHOOL 1(Kiljow) (At Walthamstow)

Sporting Life 22/3/65 P.1:

SL:"The Forest School won the toss,and played with the wind in their favour until the Clapham obtained their first and only goal,kicked by Kiljow,after which the Forest School obtained two goals kicked by J.D.Bradshaw and R.B.Boswell .The Forest School kept the ball in their opponents' base for the last half hour,but owing to the strong wind all their efforts failed to get more goals."

Forest School:Ellis(Capt.),Bogue,Hodgson,Chilcot,Gardom,Boswell,W.Bradshaw,Cutbill,J.Rolle,Glassford,Rickards,Titley,C.Rolle,Tubb,J.D.Bradshaw.

Clapham Grammar School:K.Stanfield(Capt.),B.Stanfield,Rogers, Stapleton,R.Gordon,G.Gordon,Davison,Spitta,Liebenwood,Ruck,Kiljow,Darwin,Cunningham,Wrenreall.

THURS MAR 23<sup>RD</sup>

SHEFFIELD CLUB 1 (W.Chesterman) NOTTINGHAMSHIRE CLUB 0 (At Newhall Cricket Ground)

Bell's Life 8/4/65 P.9/Sheffield Independent 25/3/65 P.6/(Nottinghamshire Guardian 31/3/65 P.12:unreadable on line):

BL:"The toss was won by Sheffield,who,kicking off with the wind,speedily secured a goal,to the astonishment of the Notts players,who were evidently not prepared for so summary a proceeding, and had their goalkeepers been placed in goal instead of some distance from it,it certainly could not have been gained in so easy a manner."" ....Dixon and Chesterman both distinguished themselves,the former by a splendid kick onto the crossbar,and the latter by obtaining a goal,which,however,was not allowed on account of the ball having been accidentally fouled by one of the Notts gentlemen immediately before."

SI:"The Notts gentlemen were entertained to luncheon and dinner at the Black Swan Hotel,in Mr Morris's usual style,and returned home apparently well pleased with their reception here."

Sheffield:N.Creswick(Capt.),Knowles,H.W.Chambers,C.Appleton,Hawksley,J.Shaw,J.C.Shaw,A.Dixon,A.M.Wild,Shepherd,W.Baker,G.Cadman,W.Chesterman.

Nottinghamshire Club:J.Patterson,H.Simons,C.F.Daft,T.Bignall,W.Elliott,J.Wright,H.Moody,J.Hack,J.Hodges, T.Elliott,F.B.Gibson,Allott,B.Bradley.(Notts County History added initials)

MON APRIL 10<sup>TH</sup> :

LINCOLN CLUB 2 (W.Mantle,J.Carline) SHEFFIELD CLUB 0 (Return)(At Wragby Road,Lincoln)

Sheffield Daily Telegraph 11/4/65 P.8/Bell's Life 15/4/65 P.6:

SDT:"Yesterday(Monday) was the day fixed for the second or return match between the above two clubs at Lincoln and as the weather was gloriously fine,a goodly number of people were on the

ground to witness the interesting spectacle." "Shortly after one the players mustered on the ground, which was a spacious field near St Giles'-house, on the Wragby road, and the game was speedily in operation. After some excellent play on both sides the first goal was landed for Lincoln by W. Mantle, and after some severe struggling, and several byes, a clever kick by J. Carline landed the second and final goal for the Lincolnians amidst considerable applause. The best of feeling on both sides was manifested throughout the game, and at its conclusion the players and a number of friends sat down to a first-class \*dinner, provided by Mr J. Smith in his usual excellent style, and after dinner the party were most hospitably entertained at the residence of G. C. Carr Esq., who kindly officiated as umpire on the part of the Sheffield gentlemen; Wm. Marshall, Esq., the president of the Lincoln Club, performing the same duty on the Lincoln side. Each side has now won a game." \*BL: "... at the Monson's Arms, under the chairmanship of W. Marshall, Esq., President of the Lincoln Club."

Lincoln: D. J. Garnham (Capt.), H. Chambers (Goalkeeper), T. Hiley, W. Mantle, J. Carline, W. Shipley, W. Dawber, W. Lowe, E. Chambers, C. Apthorp, C. Scorer. (BL has differences)

Sheffield: H. Chambers, C. Cadman (Capt.), B. Shepherd (Goalkeeper), W. Chesterman, G. Cadman, W. Baker, A. Dixon, A. Earnshaw, R. Sandys, C. Appleton, F. Butcher.

SHEFFIELD ASSOCIATION: (Sheffield Independent on line)

SAT OCT 8<sup>TH</sup> :

SAT OCT 8<sup>TH</sup> : Opening Matches at Fir Vale, Pitsmoor, Norton and Heeley (Tilt Field) (SI 8/10/64 P.8)

MON OCT 31<sup>ST</sup> : Mackenzie 1 rouge Broomhall 0 (At Broomhall)

SAT NOV 5<sup>TH</sup> Pitsmoor v Norfolk (SI 5/12/64 P.8)

MON NOV 7<sup>TH</sup> : Norfolk 0 Mackenzie 0 (At East Bank) (SI 12/11/64 P.8)

Heeley Christ Church 1 goal Norfolk 0 (At Heeley) (SI 15/11/64 P.5)

SAT NOV 19<sup>TH</sup> :

Norfolk 0 Hallam 0 (Sandygate) (Abandoned owing to rain after 1 hour) (SI 22/11/64 P.8)

Heeley Christ Church 0 Fir Vale 0 (At Heeley) (SI 22/11/64 P.8)

Pitsmoor v Norton (SI 19/11/64 P.8)

MON NOV 21<sup>ST</sup> : Milton 2 goals and 1 rouge Broomhall 2 goals (At Clough House) (SI 22/11/64 P.8)

SAT NOV 26<sup>TH</sup> :

Sheffield v Norfolk (At East Bank) (SI 26/11/64 P.8)

TUES NOV 29<sup>TH</sup> :

Norfolk beat Milton (SI 1/12/64 P.3)

SAT DEC 24<sup>TH</sup> Sheffield Practice Match : Town 16 v Club (SI 24/12/64 P.8)



MON DEC 26<sup>TH</sup> ;Town v Country of Sheffield and Nighbourhood)(Charity Match at Bramall Lane for Sheffield Hospitals)(SI 23/12/64 P.1)

TUES DEC 27<sup>TH</sup> :

Hallam v Mackenzie (At Sandygate)(SI 27/12/64 P.1)

Norfolk 0 Exchange 0 (At Norfolk)(After an extra half hour)(SI 31/12/64 P.10)

Fir Vale (2<sup>nd</sup> Eleven) 2 goals and 4 rouges Carlton,Attrcliffe (1<sup>st</sup> Eleven) 1 goal

WED DEC 28<sup>TH</sup>

Milton 1 goal and 2 rouges Milton 0 (At Milton)(Return)(SI 31/12/64 P.10)

Norfolk 1 rouge Mackenzie 1 rouge (A2nd teams)(At Norfolk Park)(SI 31/12/64 P.10)

Fir Vale 1 goal Heeley 0 (SI 31/12/64 P.10)

THURS DEC 29<sup>TH</sup> :

Fir Vale 2 goals and 1 rouge Broomhall 0 SI 31/12/64 P.10:"Fir Vale again proved victorious")

SAT DEC 31<sup>ST</sup> : Norfolk 1 rouge Heeley Church 0 (12 a side)(SI 4/1/65 P.3)(At Norfolk)

MON JAN 2<sup>ND</sup> :Hallam 0 Pitsmoor 0 (At Sandygate)(SI 4/1/65 P.3)

SAT JAN 21<sup>ST</sup> :Hallam 2 goals Broomhall 0 (At Broomhall)(SI 28/1/65 P.3)

MON JAN 30<sup>TH</sup> :Hallam 1 goal Mackenzie 3 rouges (2<sup>nd</sup> Elevens(At Sandygate)(SI 2/2/65 P.3)

SAT FEB 4<sup>TH</sup> :

Sheffield 0 Norton 0 "...the above clubs met for the first time this season at East Bank,and although the ground was not in the best of condition a very lively and interesting match was the result,the sides being so evenly balanced that neither obtained a score.The return match will be played at Norton on the 4<sup>th</sup> of March."(SI 8/2/65 P.3)

Friendly at Norfolk Park" ....between the workmen of Messrs W and E.Hutchinson,36 Duke Street, and the workmen of Messrs Dixon and Sons,Cornish Place.The game was contested with spirit and good humour on both sides,and ended in a victory for the Duke Street team by obtaining a goal and a rouge to their opponents' nothing.Mr W.Lindley was umpire for both parties,and gave great satisfaction."(SI 7/2/65 P.8)

SAT FEB 11<sup>TH</sup> :

Milton 1 rouge Norton 0 (At Norfolk Park)(SI 13/2/65 P.3)

MON FEB 14<sup>TH</sup> :

Milton 2 goals and 2 rouges Norton 0 (Return)(At Milton)(SI 14/2/65 P.8)

SAT FEB 18<sup>TH</sup> :

Hallam 2 goals and 3 rouges Pitsmoor 1 goal and 1 rouge (At Pitsmoor)(Return)(SI 21/2/65 P.8)

TUES FEB 28<sup>TH</sup> :Norton(11) v Mackenzie(14) (At Norton) (SI 28/2/65 P.1)

SAT MAR 11<sup>TH</sup> :

Norfolk 0 Hallam 0 (At Norfolk)(Return)(First game a draw)(SI 14/3/65 P.8)(SI 18/3/65 P.10)(After 2 hours)

Pitsmoor 1 goal Norton 0 (Return) (At Norton)(SI 18/3/65 P.10)

SAT APRIL 1<sup>ST</sup> :Sheffield 1 goal Pitsmoor 2 rouges (At Sheffield )(SI 8/4/65 P.9)

1865/66:

ETON Field Eleven 1865:The Field Game by John J.Pawson P.84:W.W.Phipps,T.H.Phipps(Keepers), E.Lubbock,W.Kenyon-Slaney,H.Seymour,E.Hall,E.W.Hamilton,C.H.H.Parry,F.M.Muirhead, E.Norman,G.Giggs.

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL Eleven:for 1865/66:M.J.Muir-Mackenzie(Capt.),E.C.S.Gibson, C.P.Scott,O.S.Walford,W.W.Cooper,R.W.Macan,J.P.Abraham,J.P.Middleton,C.E.B.Nepean, W.L.Boreham,J.A.Foote.

N.B All Charterhouse School/Old Carthusian initials have been checked and where necessary corrected from "A list of Carthusians 1800-1879 "Book reproduced on archive.org.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL Eleven for 1865/66: +S.F.Lucas(Capt.), G.W.Chapman, F.Pownall, W.J.Dixon,G.J.Circuitt,S.H.West, E.C.Bovill,H.R.Du Pré,E.Oliver,W.K.D'Arcy,A.G.Lee.

+N.B. S.F.Lucas is wrongly listed in the O.W.Football Eleven Appendix VIII 1928 record as F.L.Lucas,but correctly in the Cricket list :he is listed in BL Match reports as F.Lucas or F.S.Lucas(also in Cricket reports).He left the School after 1865/66 season.

WANDERERS FOOTBALL CLUB MEMBERS 1865/66 listed on Card in Code War reproduced by Graham Williams P.22:

J.F.Alcock,C.W.Alcock,W.M.Allfrey,A.Baker,W.F.Baker,E.E.Bowen,C.F.Bu(t)tler,E.W.Burnett, A.Crompton,J.A.Cruikshank,W.J.C.Cutbill, J.Elliott,E.W.Gillespie,A.Green,F.Green, J.F.Green, A.G.Guillemard,C.H.Hall,Syd Harper,H.Head,W.O.Hewlett,(C.D.)Jackson,F.Lucas, J.Lucas,J.W.Ludlam, A.W.Mackenzie,J.B.Martin,J.L.Morley,A.Pember, H.G.Phipps, J.T.Prior, C.F.Reid,H.Richardson, T.H.Sparks,W.C.Smyly,J.E.Tayloe,A.M.Tebbut,C.M.Tebbut,A.Thompson,W.Thompson,P.M.Thornton, C.L.Tupper,C.L.Weber.

SAT OCT 14<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 2 (W.B.Money,Hon. G.Bridgeman) E.E.BOWEN'S TEAM 0 (At Harrow)

Field 28/10/65 P.309/The Tyro 1/11/65 P.55/Sporting Gazette 28/10/65:

F:"The following match was played at Harrow,Oct 14,between a team brought down by E.E.Bowen,Esq.,and Harrow School,which ended in a victory for the school by two bases to none."The asterisks mark the bases."

T:"After some hard play,the School obtained a victory by two bases to none."

Harrow School:H.H.Montgomery,J.A.Boyson,W.B.Money,C.L.Tupper,J.F.Gibson,  
Hon. G.O.M.Bridgeman,W.Evetts,J.S.Holmes,\*F.J.Greenham(C.J.Smith),  
H.Noyes,\*Sir W.H.B.Ffolkes(R.Thornton),F.P.Barlow.

\*N.B. The Tyro(Harrow Magazine) has the original listed players but those in brackets played:see F/SG)

E.E.Bowen's Team:E.E.Bowen,C.W.Alcock,H.G.Phipps,J.D.Walker,G.G.Kennedy,H.Richardson,  
W.O.Hewlett,E.C.Glyn,T.Porter,J.A.Cruikshank,G.T.Goldney,W.G.Robinson.(Tyro has J.T.Goldney,  
E.E.Porter)

WED OCT 18<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 2 (C.P.Scott,W.W.Cooper) CIVIL SERVICE 2(Gwynne,G.B.Voules) (At Charterhouse)

Bell's Life 28/10/65 P.7/ Field 28/10/65 P.309:

BL:"The Civil Service Football Club commenced the season on Wednesday,the 18<sup>th</sup>,by a match against Charterhouse.It rained hard all the afternoon(in fact,it somehow always does rain at Charterhouse),but it is a mistake to suppose that this in any way detracted from the pleasure of the match.Carthusian hospitality is proverbially boundless,and every opportunity is given for wetting the inner as well as the outer man.The play throughout was quite as good as could be expected for the first match of the season;two goals were scored on each side,Messrs Gwynn and Voules doing the needful for the Civil Service,and Messrs Scott and Cowper for the School.The return match is fixed for Wednesday,November 15<sup>th</sup>."

Charterhouse School:M.J.Muir Mackenzie,E.C.S.Gibson,C.P.Scott,O.S.Walford,W.W.Cooper,  
R.W.Macan,A.O.Marwood,W.L.Boreham,J.P.Middleton,T.P.Abraham,J.A.Foote.

Civil Service:G.B.Voules,H.C.Malkin,Howell,J.Wearne,Wawn,Gwynne,O.W.Fuller,J.Kirkpatrick,  
+Wade,+Venables,+Dorling.+Substitutes from Charterhouse

SAT OCT 21<sup>ST</sup> :

C.C.C. 2 (F.Soden,C.Franks) CLAPHAM GRAMMAR SCHOOL 0

Bell's Life 28/10/65 P.7(No lineups):

BL:"....the C.C.C. opened their football season with a match with the Clapham Grammar School,and after a well-contested game came off victorious by two goals,obtained by F.Soden and C.Franks, who,with A.Turner,played well throughout,while Stansfield and Gordon did good service for the C.G.S. The C.C.C. were at a disadvantage owing to the absence of four of their men."

WED OCT 25<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1 (Middleton) MR MALKIN'S ELEVEN 0 (At Charterhouse)

Bell's Life 28/10/65 P.7:

BL:" This match was played at Charterhouse on Wednesday,Oct 25,and resulted in a victory for the School by one goal to none.Very shortly after the "kick-off" a game was got for Charterhouse by Middleton in very good style.Several good attempts were made after this by both sides,but no other game was kicked.The play of the Eleven was a great improvement on the last match,and much more activity was displayed than formerly.For Mr Malkin's Eleven the Hon. F.O'Grady did a vast amount of work,while the back play of Mr Malkin was of great use.For Charterhouse,much promise and pluck were shown by C.Nepean;R.Macan,too,played exceedingly well."

Charterhouse:M.Muir Mackenzie,E.C.S.Gibson,C.P.Scott,O.S.Walford,W.W.Cooper,R.H.Macan, T.P.Abraham,J.P.Middleton,A.O.Marwood,C.E.B.Nepean,W.L.Boreham.(Have added more initials from later games)

Mr Malkin's Eleven:Included H.C.Malkin and Hon. F.O'Grady.CHECK CAPTAIN'S BOOK AT CHARTERHOUSE

SAT OCT 28<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS 5 (C.L.Tupper,J.B.Martin,A.Thompson,C.W.Alcock 2) CIVIL SERVICE 0 (At Battersea Park)

Bell's Life 4/11/65 P.10:

BL:"The Wanderers commenced their present winter campaign with a match on Saturday,Oct 28,at Battersea Park,in which they found themselves once more opposed by their old adversaries,the Civil Service.In this instance,however,perhaps owing to some change in the Cabinet,the Opposition found themselves too strong for the Government party,the Wanderers scoring five bases,the Civil Service none.The bases were obtained for the Wanderers by C.L.Tupper 1,J.B.Martin 1,A.Thompson 1,and C.W.Alcock 2.Mr H.G.Phipps played in his usual brilliant style for the Wanderers."

Wanderers:C.W.Alcock,E.E.Bowen,F.Green,J.B.Martin,H.G.Phipps,C.F.Reid,C.M.Tebbut,A.M.Tebbut, A.Thompson,W.Thompson,C.L.Tupper.

Civil Service:A.E.Batemen,E.Cutchings,H.Deacon,O.W.Fuller,G.Fitzgerald,J.Gwyn,H.C.Malkin, H.Middleton,G.B.Voules,J.Wearne,H.Woods.

CRYSTAL PALACE 2(R.Abraham,J.Turner) +CLAPHAM 1 (Tayloe)(At Penge)

Sportsman 4/11/65 P.4/Sporting Life 1/11/65 P.1/Bell's Life 4/11/65 P.10/Field 4/11/65 P.337(No lineups in any paper)(Mybe check F on line)

SM:"A match between the above +clubs was played at Penge on Saturday last,which terminated in favour of Palace by two goals to one,owing in a great measure to superior weight.The former were kicked by R.Abraham and J.Turner,the latter by Tayloe.For the Crystal Palace J.Taylor and T.Rohde played well;and for Clapham A.Turner and Tayloe."(Tayloe confirmed in BL plus J.Cockerell playing for Crystal Palace)

+C.C.C.?

UPPINGHAM Match:School 1 goal and 2 bullies Sixth 0

Field 4/11/65 P.337:

UPPINGHAM first fifteen for the year:C.Childs(Capt.),J.H.Skrine,J.Hartley,S.R.Majendie, J.Davy, F.W.Armstrong,S.M.Tourle,H.Mitchell,H.Hussey,C.D.French,H.R.Hunt, L.C.F.Thompson, J.Champion, J.Staughton,R.D.Lawrenson.

WED NOV 1<sup>ST</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1 (O.S.Walford) MR WEARNE'S TEAM 0 (At Charterhouse)(14 a side)

Bell's Life 11/11/65 P.6/Field 18/11/65 P.363(Neither paper has the lineups):

BL:"Fourteen played on each side,so the term "eleven" cannot be considered correct.The match was unusually well contested,and the play on both sides may be considered first class.The game for Charterhouse was most cleverly won by Scott and Walford,the former"dribbling" the ball up the whole length of the ground,and the latter giving the coup de grace.The post of goalkeeper for Charterhouse was no sinecure,on account of the good forward play of Mr Wearne's team.Messrs Tayloe and Circuit, in particular,showed a great deal of fine play.The Charterhouse Eleven showed a very great improvement,and played well together.Forward play should,however,be more studied,as the whole eleven are too much inclined to play back."

TEAMS:CHECK CAPTAINS BOOK CHARTERHOUSE

ETON COLLEGE 1 rouge OXFORD ELEVEN 0 (At Eton)

Eton College Chronicle 9/11/65 P.191:

Eton:W.W.Phipps,T.H.Phipps,E.Lubbock,H.Seymour,E.H.Hall,E.Norman,E.Royds,W.Hoare, G.Gibbs,Muirhead,C.E.Buckland.

Oxford :M.Knight,R.S.Bridges,Rev.G.R.Dupuis,E.P.Rouse,H.Brandreth,Fremantle,Ackland, Whittuck,Johnstone,J.P.Hadow,G.W.Twining(Emergency)

SAT NOV 4<sup>TH</sup> :

BARNES beat CIVIL SERVICE (At Barnes)(Sportsman 9/12/65 P.6)

WINCHESTER COLLEGE :

Commoners 12 goals(L.S.Howell 8,J.L.Birley,T.Latham, J.P.Latham, R.H.Ramsbottom) College 2 goals(A.K.Bissill,J.S.Cotton)

Field 11/11/65 P.343:

F:"This annual match between Commoners and College was played on Saturday,Nov 4<sup>th</sup> in the College Meads,and ended in an easy victory for the Commoners by 12 goals to 2.For Commoners, Douglas,Latham,Baker,and Tatham;and for College,Adams,Phillips,and Hughes,especially deserve

notice, while the kicking of Howell for the winning side surpassed anything ever seen before in Twenty-two."

Commoners: J.L. Birley, S.K. Douglas, \*L.S. Howell, J.M. Evetts, F.G.D. Drewitt, T. Latham, G. Hall, E. Armitage, J.P. Tatham, E.C. Baker, G.H. Fort, C. Marriott (last 2 bracketed together), J.H.C. Bowey, R.H. Ramsbotham, R.B. Schomberg, A.F. Drake, \*F.H. Birley, G.D. Fraser, W. Simonds, S.R. Tatham, C.H. Stoutt, L.J. Chamberlen (22)

\*L.S. Howell got an FA Cup Winners Medal with Wanderers and an International Cap for England and F.H. Birley got 3 FA Cup Winners Medals (Oxford University and Wanderers 2) and 2 International Caps for England.

College: F. Haygarth, A.K. Bissill, J.C. Adams, E.A.B. Maurice, C.B. Phillips, W.R. Randall (last 3 bracketed together), F.H. Champneys, F.B. Harvey, A.S. Forster, A.J.C. Dowding, T.B. Hughes, S.H. Gatty, G.A. Steuart, F.B. Dyson, A.G. Horner, J.C. Moberly, A.G. Hastings, W.H. Page, W.G. Guillemard, J.S. Cotton, L.A. Dering, C.R. Hill (22)

WED NOV 8<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS 1 (G. Herbert) CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 (At Charterhouse)

Bell's Life 11/11/65 P.6/Field 18/11/65 P.363 (No teams in F)

BL: "Nov 8-Wanderers once more on the "tented field". Charterhouse chose the upper base having won the toss, but in spite of this unlucky commencement the Wanderers came off victorious, the only base of the day being kicked by G. Herbert. The boys, being much lighter than their roving opponents, played a most spirited game, and the Wanderers were very thankful when the first note of four o'clock allowed them once more to retire into private life- "Once more victorious, Happy and glorious!" M.M. Mackenzie and C. Nepean played well for Charterhouse."

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock, E.W. Burnett, W.J.C. Cutbill, F. Green, G. Herbert, J.B. Martin, C.F. Reid, A.M. Tebbut, C.M. Tebbut, A. Thompson, W. Thompson.

Charterhouse School: M.J. Muir Mackenzie (Capt.), E.C.S. Gibson, C.P. Scott, O.S. Walford, W.W. Cooper, R.W. Macan, T.P. Abraham, J.P. Middleton, C.E.B. Nepean, A.O. Marwood, W.L. Boreham.

THURS NOV 9<sup>TH</sup> :

NOTTINGHAM Match : Mr John Hodges Side 2 (Richard Daft, John Hodges) Mr W.A. Hodges Side 0 (At Meadows Cricket Ground, Nottingham)

Sportsman 11/11/65 P.2: "Messrs W.A. and John Hodges chose the sides, and after an excellent day's sport, in which Messrs R. Daft, C. Daft, Steegmann, and J. Hodges made themselves conspicuous, Mr J. Hodges' side obtained the only two goals of the day, Richard Daft kicking the first cleverly, and J. Hodges the second."

SAT NOV 11<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS 1 (J.B. Martin) CRYSTAL PALACE 1 (Rowsell) (At Penge)

Field 18/11/65 P.363/Bell's Life 18/11/65 P.7/Sporting Life 18/11/65 P.1:

F: "On Saturday, Nov 11, the Wanderers wended their way down to the ground of the C.P.C., at Penge, with a strong determination to add another victory to their already long list. At 3.15 play commenced by the Palace Club kicking off; for some time the ball had a sneaking affection for the Palace goal, but by most strenuous efforts and plucky play the Wanderers were kept at bay for nearly three-quarters of an hour. At last, however, fortune smiled on them, and in one of their fine rushes the first goal was kicked by J.B. Martin. The Palace, nothing daunted, determined, if possible, to wrest from them their hardly-earned laurels. Backward and forward went the ball, first on one side, then on the other, varied only by the occasional visit to the adverse goals, when at last the perseverance of the Palace Club was rewarded, and a goal was cleverly kicked by Rowsell. Play again commenced, and was carried on with no apparent advantage to either side, till "time" was called; and thus ended one of the best-contested games of the season."

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock (Capt.), W.F. Baker, A. Carpingdale, J. Elliot, S. Harper, H. Head, J. Lucas, J.B. Martin, C.F. Reid, A.M. Tebbut, C.M. Tebbut, A. Thompson, W. Thompson, C.A. Weber.

Crystal Palace: E. Abraham, W. Allport, J. Cockerell, W. Cutbill, A. Cutbill, H. Foster, J. Grose, T. Lloyd, H. Lloyd, Lintott, C. Melhuish, A. Morton, J. Rohde, Rowsell, J. Turner (Capt.).

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 CIVIL SERVICE 0 (At Vincent Square)

Sporting Life 18/11/65 P.1/Bell's Life 18/11/65 P.7/+Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL: "This match was played at Vincent-square on Saturday, Nov 11. Both sides played hard, but no goal was obtained. For the Civil Service Messrs Malkin, Waudby, and Kirkpatrick pressed their opponents most severely. For the Westminsters Messrs Pownall, Bovill, and D'Arcy distinguished themselves."

SL: "This match was played on the School Ground, Vincent Square, on Saturday, November 11, and after some spirited play on both sides, it ended in a draw, neither getting a goal."

WSFL: "This match was played at Vincent-square on the afternoon of + (Wednesday, the 15<sup>th</sup> of) November. We were determined this year to win this match if possible in return for the defeat we suffered last year, but notwithstanding the strenuous exertions of Circuitt and Pownall, and the rushes of Messrs Du Pré and Lucas, when time was up the match was declared drawn. The weather was fine throughout and the wind so slight that although we lost the toss, the distance of Mr Frith's kicks did not seem at all shortened by that disadvantage. Messrs Malkin, Waudby, and Kirkpatrick played the best for our adversaries, and those above mentioned for the School. Oliver could not play because he had an accident in a previous game and had hurt his knee. Dixon also was unable to play in any match before Christmas."

Westminster School: +S.F. Lucas (Capt.), G.W. Chapman, F. Pownall, G.J. Circuitt, S.H. West, E.C. Bovill, H.R. Dupré, A.G. Lee, R.W.E. Eastwick, W.K. D'Arcy, F. Miller. (+Initials in WSFL)

Civil Service: C.G. Waudby (Capt.), C.G. Howell, H.C. Malkin, J. Kirkpatrick, F. Deacon, P. Marshall, H. Chaplin, A.N. Cutfield, J. Wearne, O.N. Fuller. (BL has A.K. Cutfield)

+N.B.WSFL has this game on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> but Westminster School played Mr Lucas Thirteen (see below).WSFL also has a significantly different lineup for Civil Service,including A.Bateman,R.Frith, G.Lawson, C.F.Pym,F.P.Phillips,J.Wearne,and G.B.Voules.

BARNES beat C.C.C. at Barnes (Sportsman 9/12/65 P.6)

HULME ATHENAEUM 2 (C.Preston 2) LONGSIGHT 0

Sporting Life 15/11/65 P.3(No lineups)

SL:"The match between the above clubs was played on Saturday last on a field in Belle Vue Gardens,kindly lent for the occasion by J.Jennison,jun.,Esq.,and after two hardly fought,but rather stormy games,victory declared for the Athenaeum by their men placing both to their credit.The play was arranged to be by the rules of the Association(15 a side),but many interruptions occurred,owing to each club putting different constructions on the rules,and after the first goal had been kicked by Mr C.Preston,both sides played without any regard for them;and after a very exciting struggle the Athenaeum proved the stronger by scoring it to the same player.The play of Messrs.Hall, Warrington,Roberts,T.Barlow,and R.Barlow,of the Athenaeum,and Messrs.Burberry,Norton, Charnley,and Storer of the Longsight was most excellent and is worthy of the greatest (praise)."

HARROW SCHOOL 5 (J.A.Boyson,C.J.Smith,W.Evetts,J.S.Holmes 2) CAMBRIDGE OLD HARROVIANS 0

Field 18/11/65 P.363/The Tyro 1/12/65 P.85/Sporting Gazette 18/11/65 :

F:"The following match was played on Saturday,Nov 11,between Harrow School and an eleven of Old Harrovians from Cambridge.The match resulted in victory for the School by five bases to none in about an hour,perhaps owing to the bad condition of the Cambridge men.A return match was played during the remaining half hour,which resulted in no bases for either side."(Scorers in Harrow lineup)

Harrow School:H.H.Mongomery,J.A.Boyson,Sir W.iffolkes(C.J.Smith),W.B.Money, Hon. G.O.M.Bridgeman,W.Evetts,J.S.Holmes,H.Noyes,C.L.Tupper,J.F.Gibson,W.T.Langford,J.A.Ainslie.

Cambridge:F.H.Cheetham,F.T.Finlay,J.Long,G.G.Kennedy,R.N.Russell,P.Peel,H.G.Phipps,A.Atkinson, W.H.Mason,E.Muir,R.D.Elphinstone,Hon. W.T.Kenyon(Emergency).(Tyro is missing Elphinstone) (F has W.Atkinson and J.Muir)

Date Unknown :

HARROW SCHOOL 2 (Thornton,W.B.Money) OXFORD 0

The Tyro 1/12/65 P.86:

"Soon after kick-off Thornton scored a base for the School by a very good kick.Another base was afterwards obtained by Money,after some very hard and even play on both sides.H.G.Phipps made one magnificent run up amongst many others worthy of notice,luckily for the School,but unfortunately for Oxford,he only succeeded in kicking a "poler" at the end of it.W.T.Phipps and H.J.Scovell also played very well.The School played very well together though under difficulties, owing to the absence of three or four of their best men.We must not omit to mention that the Emergencies particularly distinguished themselves;more especially F.P.Barlow."



Harrow School:H.H.Montgomery,J.A.Boyson(Gibson),Sir W. ffolkes(Smith),W.B.Money,  
Hon G.O.M.Bridgeman,W.Evetts,J.S.Holmes(Thornton),C.L.Tupper,H.Noyes,W.T.Langford,J.A.Ainslie.

Oxford:H.F.Pelham,H.G.Phipps,W.T.Phipps,H.J.Scovell,H.King,R.Long,+E.E.Bowen,  
W.G.Robinson,Lord Caledon,F.P.Barlow(Emergency),S.Gore(Emergency) +Went to Cambridge!

WED NOV 15<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 2 (O.S.Walford 2) CIVIL SERVICE 1 (H.C.Malkin)(Return)(At Charterhouse)

Sporting Life 18/11/65 P.1/Field 18/11/65 P.363/Bell's Life 18/11/65 P.7(No Civil Service team  
available except H.C.Malkin,C.D.Waudby,G.B.Voules and C.Wade substitute):

SL:"This match(return) was played on the Charterhouse Ground on November 15,and resulted in a  
victory for Charterhouse by two goals to one.The weather was favourable,and the game was  
consequently kept up with spirit for an hour and a quarter.For the Carthusians C.P.Scott and  
O.S.Walford were conspicuous,the latter scoring both goals.The goal for the Civil Service was kicked  
by H.C.Malkin,whose play,as well as that of C.D.Waudby,was untiring for his side."

F:"The game for Civil Service was won by H.Malkin and C.Wade(the latter a substitute)."

Charterhouse School:M.J.Muir Mackenzie(Capt.),E.C.S.Gibson,C.P.Scott,O.S.Walford,W.W.Cooper,  
R.W.Macan,T.P.Abraham,J.P.Middleton,C.E.B.Nepean,A.O.Marwood,W.L.Boreham.

N.B. Have added some initials.Both papers have errors.

CIVIL SERVICE CHECK FOR IN CAPTAINS BOOK AT CHARTERHOUSE

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1 (Own goal) MR LUCAS'S THIRTEEN 0(At Vincent Square)

Sporting Life 18/11/65 P.1/Sporting Gazette 25/11/65(Not in WSFL):

SL:"This match took place on the School Ground,Vincent-square,on Wednesday November 15,and  
till within a few minutes of time the game looked like a draw,both parties playing in a most  
determined manner until a mistake on the part of a gentleman on Mr Lucas's side,who happened to  
kick the ball through the wrong goal,thus leaving the School winners by one goal.F.Lucas,F.Miller,  
F.Pownall,and A.Lee,for Westminster,deserve great praise for the manner in which they played.For  
Mr Lucas's side,Messrs Tebbut,Green,Burnett,and Lucas played admirably,and with great judgment.  
We were pleased to see the late captain of the School Eleven,Mr Giles,on the field again,and hope to  
see him once more taking an active part in the game in which he has achieved such great things."

SG:"Taylor and Curteis also played,as Mr J.Lucas had thirteen men."(However,Curteis is listed in SL  
as playing for School and Taylor for Mr Lucas's side making 12 on each side)

Westminster School:F.Lucas(Capt.),G.W.Chapman,F.Pownall,G.J.Circuitt,S.H.West,E.C.Bovill,  
H.R.Dupré,A.G.Lee,R.W.E.Eastwick,W.K.D'Arcy,F.Miller,J.Curteis.

Mr Lucas's Side:Tebbut,Burnett,J.Lucas,Green,Thompson,Alcock,Berens,Thoms,Circuitt,  
Borrer,Wearne,Taylor.

THURS NOV 16<sup>TH</sup> :

CRYSTAL PALACE 1 (E.Abraham) FOREST SCHOOL 0 (At Snaresbrook)

Sporting Life 2/12/65 P.1(No lineups):

SL:"This match was played at Snaresbrook on Thursday week,and ended in a victory for the former club.Only one goal was obtained,which was well kicked by E.Abraham,ably assisted by H.Lloyd."

ETON COLLEGE 2 goals and 1 rouge HON. F.PELHAM'S (Cambridge)ELEVEN 0 (Field game)

Bell's Life 2/12/65 P.10/Sporting Gazette 25/11/65/Eton College Chronicle 23/11/65 P.195 :

Eton:W.W.Phipps,T.H.Phipps,E.Lubbock,W.Kenyon-Slaney,H.Seymour,E.Hall, E.W.Hamilton, C.H.H.Parry,G.Gibbs, Muirhead ,K.S., E.Norman.

Hon F.Pelham's Eleven:Hon F.Pelham, Lord E.Fitzmaurice,M.Knight,H.Pope,Rev G.R.Dupuis, E.A.Owen,A.F.Kinnaird,H.G.Rebow,W.Hoare,J.Yates,J.Rigden.

SAT NOV 18<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS 3 (H.G.Phipps,\*J.B.Martin 2 )WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1 (F.Pownall)(At Vincent Square)

\*Also referred to in BL in brackets after his name as (Beate Martin).

Bell's Life 25/11/65 P.8:

BL:"Once more has the fickle goddess Fortune proved true to the roving band.Leaving the damp, unwholesome neighbourhood of Penge,where they played on the 11<sup>th</sup>,the Wanderers" flitted away like swallows!We are not certain whether there is any allusion to their having a Martin among them,or to the greediness of their nature always hungering after bases,but presume,as Artemus West says: "this is rote ..arkustical"(Ed.BL) until they settled on the more congenial ground at Vincent-square.They were fortunate in being able to bring a strong team against their youthful opponents,and after a good game succeeded in carrying away the honours of victory,scoring 3 bases to the School's 1.Bases for "Wanderers" were obtained by H.G.Phipps land J.B.Martin(Beate Martin),2.For Westminster School by F.Pownall,1."

Wanderers:C.W.Alcock,W.M.Allfrey,E.E.Bowen,F.Green,J.Lucas,J.B.Martin,E.W.Burnett, H.G.Phipps,J.T.Prior,J.E.Tayloe,A.Thompson,W.Thompson.

Westminster School:F.Lucas(Capt.),G.W.Chapman,F.Pownall,G.J.Circuitt,E.C.Bovill, S.H.West,A.G.Lee,W.K.D'Arcy,R.W.E.Eastwick,F.Miller,Randolph,(H.C.)Borradaile.

CIVIL SERVICE 5 MR HAMBLIN'S ELEVEN 0 (No scorers)

Field 2/12/65 P.397/Bell's Life 2/12/65 P.7:

F/BL:"On Saturday,the 18<sup>th</sup> ult,Mr Hamlin brought down a team to play the Civil Service .The game would not have been altogether such a one-sided affair had Mr Hamlin's Eleven kept to the places assigned to them by their captain,more especially the goalkeepers,who,as a rule,were anywhere but in goal."

Civil Service:Howell(Capt.),Waudby,G.B.Voules,Gibson,Gwyn,Blount,Deacon,Bateman, Chambers,Chaplin,Unwin.

Mr Hamblin's Eleven:Hamblin(Capt.),Seppings,Deacon,Marshall,Fitzgerald,Bruce,Frere, Monro,Dyke,Piggott.

NO NAMES 4 C.C.C. 0 (At Kilburn)

Bell's Life 25/11/65 P.8:

BL:"A match was played on Saturday,the 18<sup>th</sup> inst,between the Clapham Common and the N.N. Football Clubs,at Kilburn,which resulted in the victory of the N.N.'s by 4 goals to 0."

No Names:Pember(Capt.),H.Baker,A.Baker,Fleet,A.Tebbut,C.Tebbut,Emanuel,Nicholas,Holland.

C.C.C. :Turner(Capt.),Dealtry,Edwards,Melhuish,Davidson,Erwin,Soden,Ker, Sweeting(Substitute),Collins(Substitute).

MON NOV 20<sup>TH</sup> :

NORFOLK CLUB,SHEFFIELD 1 goal and 2 rouges LEEDS 0

Sportsman 25/11/65 P.2/Sporting Life 25/11/65 P.4:"On Monday last,fourteen members of the above club (Leeds) went to Sheffield to play fifteen of the Norfolk Club in that town.Mr G.F.Curson, of the Leeds Express,and Mr W.Skinner,President of the Norfolk Club,were the respective Umpires. The match was played in the Norfolk Park,and lasted an hour and a quarter,at the end of which time Sheffield had obtained a goal and two rouges,Leeds scoring neither.This was principally owing to the fact of the Leeds players being unpractised in the Sheffield rules,nearly all of which were different than those which guide their own play on Woodhouse Moor.But we cannot help recording the really scientific play with which the Sheffield men backed each other up,a point in which Leeds was visibly deficient,although,perhaps,the individual kicking of the latter was superior.Several of the best of the Leeds Club were absent.After play was over,a sumptuous repast was partaken of at the Adelphi Hotel,Norfolk Street,and a pleasant evening spent."

WED NOV 22<sup>ND</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 (At Vincent Square)

Field 25/11/65 P.379/Sporting Gazette 25/11/65/Bell's Life 25/11/65 P.8/Morning Post 24/11/65/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL:"This match was played at Vincent-square on Nov 22.A more evenly-contested match has perhaps never been played on that ground,as the two elevens were very evenly matched,and played all they knew.The Carthusians won the toss,a matter of some importance,as a strong wind blew nearly straight along the ground.The Westminsters commenced by running the ball down to the Charterhouse goal posts,making a very good try for a game,the ball going slightly above the line."A change then came o'er the spirit of the game",as the Charterhouse forward players ran the ball in their turn to the Westminster goal,being defeated in their attempt at a game by the vigilance of the

goalkeepers. The match went on with varying success for an hour and a half, when "Time" was called, and the match proclaimed a draw. The play of Lee for Westminster in the forward part of the game, and of West in the back part was first rate; the latter, in particular, stopped several well-directed attempts on the part of the Carthusians. For Charterhouse, the play of Boreham was excellent, and that of Nepean very plucky and quick. It is, however, hardly fair to praise any player in particular as all played in capital form, and the football on both sides was first class."

Westminster School: F. Lucas, G. W. Chapman, F. Pownall, G. J. Circuit, S. H. West, E. C. Bovill, H. R. Dupré, A. G. Lee, W. K. D'Arcy, R. W. E. Eastwick, F. Miller.

Charterhouse School: M. Muir Mackenzie (Capt.), E. C. S. Gibson, C. P. Scott, O. S. Walford, W. W. Cooper, R. W. Macan, T. P. Abraham, J. P. Middleton, C. E. B. Nepean, A. O. Marwood, W. L. Boreham.

N.B. WSFL lists A. Seymour, F. Dorling, J. M. Byng but omits W. W. Cooper, J. P. Middleton, A. O. Marwood and W. L. Boreham

BRIGHTON FOOTBALL (Sportsman 25/11/65 P.2):

NIL DESPERANDUM 3 (Shorter, Wells, Nash) BELVEDERE CLUB 0 (Sussex County Ground, Brighton)

Emmerson's, Queen's Park Cricket Ground Fixtures arranged by Fred Lillywhite:

Sat Nov 25<sup>th</sup> : Brighton College v Schools of Brighton. Teams for Match:

Brighton College: G. Arbuthnot, W. L. C. Baddeley, Captain G. C. Barnes, J. G. Beattie, W. W. Blunt, C. H. Griffith, A. F. Gurney, H. H. Harward, W. Ireland, J. G. Lacon, M. Morphy, E. St. C. O'Malley, C. C. Ross, A. T. Scott, J. W. Ward. (Initials and spelling changed as per Report of Match in Sportsman 2/12/65 P.3)

Schools of Brighton, F. Muggeridge, Bird, Millerard, Abraham, Penney, Stevenson, Mills, Beresford, W. Austin, G. Cox, W. Greenhill, Hayes, Horwood, Hutchinson, Olive.

Nov 29<sup>th</sup> : Brighton and Hove Clubs

Dec 2<sup>nd</sup> : Brighton Club v Brighton College (Report Bell's Life 9/12/65 P.7: College won by 2 goals and a rouge to nil. (College team was as above except adds G. C. Raines as Capt making 16 players)

Dec 7<sup>th</sup> : Brighton Club v Hurst College

Dec 9<sup>th</sup> : Hove Club v Brighton College

+N.B. The reports in Sportsman 2/12/65 P.3 of the first 2 games report touch-downs, which counted as rouges, followed by kicks being tried at goal. (See section on Brighton College Football in N. L. Jackson's 1900 Book, which records that the College changed to the Association Code in 1872)

THURS NOV 23<sup>RD</sup> :

CRYSTAL PALACE 1 (E. Abraham) FOREST SCHOOL 0 (At Snaresbrook)

Field 2/12/65 P.397/Bell's Life 2/12/65 P.7: "Only one goal was obtained, which was well kicked by E. Abraham, ably assisted by H. Lloyd." (No lineups)

Match at NOTTINGHAM: COUNTY 1 (R.Daft) TOWN 1 (Hodges) (Meadows Cricket Ground, Nottingham)

Bell's Life 25/11/65 P.8:"Mr Steegman, on the part of the Town club, kindly undertook the impost of captain, while Mr Hack supported the opposite side in a similar manner. The first game commenced towards three o'clock, and a very spirited one it proved, as fully an hour elapsed before a goal was made, when Mr Hodges, for the Town Club, rendering some capital services with his kicks &c, scored a victory for it, amid much applause. After a short rest the ball was again set rolling, the members exerting themselves to the utmost for their respective clubs. Through several dashing kicks, however, on R.Daft's part, who played on the side of the County, he eventually sent the ball over their boundary, (which again brought the match to evens). Another match was afterwards entered into, and supported with much spirit by the competitors, but owing to darkness compelling a retreat from the ground it was not concluded. The return match will be played on the 7<sup>th</sup> of December."

SAT NOV 25<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS 2 (C.W.Alcock, S.Harper) FOREST SCHOOL 0 (At Walthamstow)

Bell's Life 2/12/65 P.7:

BL:"On Saturday, the 25<sup>th</sup> ult the Wanderers made an excursion into Epping Forest to play the Forest School, where they were most kindly received and hospitably treated. In spite of the heavy rain, which continued throughout the entire game, and the Wanderers' inexperience in the School rules, which were a happy mixture of Rugby, Charterhouse, and Harrow, some good play was exhibited, and the match resulted in a victory for the Wanderers by two bases (obtained by C.W.Alcock and S.Harper) to none. Mr Hodgson kicked well as second base for School, and J.L.Lock in same position for Wanderers."

Wanderers: C.W.Alcock, J.Elliot, F.Green, J.F.Green, S.Harper, J.G.Lock, J.L.Morley, C.C.Parr, A.M.Tebbut, C.M.Tebbut, A.Thompson.

Forest School: Chilcot (Capt.), Hodgson, Boswell, J.Rolle, C.Rolle, Glassfurd, H.Tubb, J.Bradshaw, Duncan, Briggs, Elmslie.

WED NOV 29<sup>TH</sup>:

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 2 (W.L.Boreham, 2 Others) OLD CARTHUSIANS 3 (3 un-named) (At Charterhouse)

N.B. 1<sup>ST</sup> half played on Under Green and 2<sup>nd</sup> half in Cloisters.

N.B. Charterhouse History implies 1-3.

Field 9/12/65 P.424/ Bell's Life 2/12/65 P.7/Sporting Gazette 2/12/65:

F:"This match was played at Charterhouse, on Wednesday, November 29, and ended in favour of the Old Carthusians. The game was commenced at 3p.m., upon Under Green, where, after a short time, W.L.Boreham won the first game for the Present Carthusians. After this, neither side gained any

particular advantage, although the School eleven played well together, and were in good form, especially the captain, Scott, and Macan. At the expiration of three-quarters of an hour, the players adjourned to the Cloisters, where the weight of the Old Carthusians began to tell, inasmuch that they won three games, whilst the Present succeeded in winning one only. The change to Cloisters was very acceptable, as Under Green was too slippery to play upon. The School eleven, however, did not seem inconvenienced by the bad state of the ground, and, if the match had been played out where it had begun, they would in all probability have brought about a different result from that above recorded. They owed their defeat to the want of weight, which was compensated for on Under Green by dribbling, which is the chief feature of the play of the majority of the eleven; moreover, they have paid less attention of late to the cloister game, which appears to find less favour with the present generation than it did with the past."

BL "It was agreed to play half the match on the "Green" and half in the "Cloisters", the latter ground being one in which the Old Carthusians were the most at home. The day was as disagreeable and wet as it could possibly be, but notwithstanding this, the match was a most spirited one. The match began on the open ground, and shortly after the "kick-off" the present Carthusians kicked a goal. The match, after continuing for three-quarters of an hour without another goal being kicked, was adjourned to Cloisters, where four goals were obtained, three by the Old and one by the Present. The result, then, on the whole, was a victory for the Old Carthusians, though on the open ground the present had the best of it. The Old Carthusians were superior in weight, which is everything in the Cloister game. Only ten Old Carthusians having appeared, the services of +two well-known players, who shall remain nameless, were enlisted into the good cause."

N.B. Sportsman 1/12/66 P.4 reporting on the 66/67 Match states that the 2 sides in this 65/66 Match were "compelled" to retire to Cloisters owing to the wet weather.

Present Carthusians: M.J. Muir Mackenzie, E.C.S. Gibson, C.P. Scott, O.S. Walford, W.W. Cooper, R.W. Macan, J.P. Middleton, T.P. Abraham, C.E.B. Nepean, A.O. Marwood, W.L. Boreham, E.E. Venables.

Old Carthusians: B.F. Hartshorne, H.C. Malkin, R.E. Webster, J.T. Hodgson, F.K.W. Girdlestone, G.E. Smythe, L. Ogden, C.A. Sumner, G. Brodie, T. Bittleston, +Hon. F.S. O'Grady, +H.H. Cameron (+Emergencies named in SG) (BL does not have last 2 players, F has fictitious names "Lord Chief Justice Blackstone, Bishop of St David's")

THURS NOV 30<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1 (G.J. Circuit) CRUSADERS 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 16/12/65 P.10/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL: "On Thursday, Nov 30, a match was played at Vincent-square between the above clubs, which resulted in favour of Westminster by one game to love."

Westminster School: F. Lucas, G.W. Chapman, F. Pownall, S.H. West, E.C. Bovill, A.G. Lee, W.K. D'Arcy, F. Miller, R.W.E. Eastwick, H.R. Dupré, G.J. Circuit.

Crusaders: H.C. Malkin, (C.G. ?) Waudby, G.B. Voules, B.N. Thoms, +Q. Hogg, J.E. Tayloe, J. Lucas, (A.G. ?) Renshaw, R.D. Cleasby, H. Melhuish, E.O. Berens +In WSFL as L. Hogg (2<sup>nd</sup> time)

CAMBRIDGE 1 goal and 1 rouge OXFORD 0 (Field game In the Tumbrils,Eton)

Sportsman 2/12/65 P.3/Bell's Life 2/12/65 P.7/Eton College Chronicle 14/12/65 P.198:

SM:"The annual football contest between the Oxonians and the Cantabs,which is always looked forward to with much interest by both Universities,took place in the Tumbrils in the afternoon of Thursday,and terminated in favour of the Cambridge gentlemen by one goal and one rouge."

Cambridge:Hon F.Pelham, Lord E.Fitzmaurice,J.R.Selwyn,L.Dent,J.H.Schneider,Rawlins,W.Dunford, A.F.Kinnaird,J.Rigden,A.Pope,T.Hamond.

Oxford:E.W.Tritton,M.Knight,R.S.Bridges,E.A.Wittuck,R.W.W.Follett,H.B.Senhouse, E.S.Hope,S.J.Freemantle,J.Horner,R.S.Eyre,W.Hulton.

N.B.Slight changes from ECC.

#### ETON FOOTBALL

Eton Wall Game St Andrews Day:"Upon St Andrew's Day P.25:

OPPIDANS 2 shies COLLEGERS 1 shy

"The Oppidians were thought to be a great deal the strongest,and but a hollow match was expected.However,everybody was wrong,and the match proved to be the closest ever remembered.For the Oppidians T.H.Phipps,Kenyon-Slaney,and Hamilton;and for the Collegers, Willis,Huddleston,and Muirhead distinguished themselves particularly well,where all played well."

Oppidans :W.W.Phipps(ma.),J.Blake Humphrey,E.Norman(Walls),E.W.Hamilton, E.Royds(Seconds),T.H.Phipps(mi.),W.D.Benson,W.Kenyon-Slaney(Outsides), E.Lubbock(Capt.),E.Hall,C.H.H.Parry(Behinds),R.R.Ferguson(12<sup>th</sup> man)

Collegers:R.C.B.Willis(Capt.),G.Gossett,R.V.Somers-Smith(Walls),J.W.Foley,T.F.C.Huddleston (Seconds) , A.J.Tuck, W.W.Radcliffe,J.B.Wood(Outsides),F.M.Muirhead, A.J.Pound, J.W.Martyn(Behinds),mB.F.Lock(12<sup>th</sup> man)

SAT DEC 2<sup>ND</sup> :

WANDERERS 1 (C.F.Reid) NO NAMES 0 (At Kilburn)

Bell's Life 9/12/65 P.9:

BL:".... the reality of the nine Wanderers struggling through the mire at Kilburn would have enlisted the sympathies of more matter-of-fact men,and softened a heart of adamant.Crippled in numbers, but still indomitable in spirit,the Wanderers for one long hour continued the pursuit of football under decided difficulties,or to use the less poetical language of the great Bunyan,"here they wallowed for a time,being grievously bedaubed with dirt".The game,however,resulted in a victory for the Wanderers by one base(kicked by C.F.Reid),their opponents obtaining none."

Wanderers:C.W.Alcock,R.D.Elphinstone,F.Green,H.Head,J.Lucas,J.C.Lock,J.B.Martin,  
C.F.Reid,A.Thompson.

No Names:A.Pember(Capt.),A.Baker,H.Baker,J.Baker,A.Fleet,S.T.Holland,L.Sweeting,  
A.M.Tebbut,C.M.Tebbut.

BARNES 0 CRYSTAL PALACE 0 (At Penge)

Bell's Life 9/12/65 P.9/Sportsman 9/12/65 P.6(No lineups):

BL:"A most exciting match was played at Penge last Saturday,Dec 2,between the above clubs.It was intended to play 15 a side,but only nine of the Barnes Club could be got together,Mr E.C.Morley (whose loss was much felt) not being able to play.In spite of the Crystal Palace Club having a majority of five men,the match ended in a draw,after an hour's severe play(recent rain having made the field very heavy for running),neither side obtaining a goal.To Messrs Roberts,Graham,Barnes,and Le B.Smith great praise is due for their dashing play on the Barnes side.The other five are equally deserving of commendation,as each man did his best."

LINCOLN Match (2<sup>nd</sup> game)(1<sup>ST</sup> game 0-0):

SENIORS 0 JUNIORS 1 :

Lincolnshire Chronicle 9/12/65 P.5:

Seniors:D.J.Garnham(Capt.),H.C.Chambers,W.H.Lowe,J.B.Mawer(Goalkeeper),F.Warter,A.Ramage,  
F.Thropp,W.A.Stowe,J.R.Reynolds,W.Tritton,T.Wetherell,F.Allsopp.

Juniors:C.Scorer(Capt.),E.Mantle,G.Shipley(Goalkeeper),J.Carline,O.C.Stowe,J.M.Read,C.Ruston,  
T.Oliver,C.Glasier,W.Jekyll,A.Padley,F.Dalton,R.C.Carter.

N.B. A General Meeting of the members was held in the evening at the Monson's Arms,to take into account proposed alterations in the rules.

TUES DEC 5<sup>TH</sup> :

At Meadows Cricket Ground,Nottingham:

Mr T.G.Smith's DOG AND BEAR INN 2 (H.Caldwell,Vin Bradley)

Mr R.Dickenson's SHOULDER OF MUTTON INN 0

Sportsman 9/12/65 P.6(No lineups):

SM:"The affair had created considerable interest in the town,and the attendance was therefore large.Mr Dickenson won the kick for his side,and the game continued very even for about twenty minutes,when H.Caldwell,for Mr Smith's eleven,got the ball cleverly to himself and kicked the first goal.In the next spin,which was a short one,Mr Smith's side had it all their own way and despite the attempts of Charlie Brown,the ex-wicket keeper for Notts,who acted as goalkeeper,Vin Bradley landed another goal for Mr Smith's team.This concluded the match,and in the evening the players and friends sat down to an excellent spread provided by mine host of the Dog and Bear Inn."



WINCHESTER COLLEGE Six and Six:

Commoners 18 goals (L.S.Howell 7,S.K.Douglas 5,J.M.Evetts 2,T.Latham 2,J.L.Borley ,F.G.D.Drewitt )  
College 8 goals (F.Haygarth 3,W.R.Randall 2,A.K.Bissill,J.C.Adams,E.A.B.Maurice)

Field 16/12/65 P.445:

F:"This annual match,which was originally fixed for Dec.7,was,owing to the continual rain,postponed till the following day,when Commoners,for the third successive time,proved victorious.This result was generally anticipated,owing to the increasing number of Commoners,consequent to the opening of Tutors' Houses,which afford them a much wider choice.Next year,however,we may look for more even matches,as it is hoped Commoners will divide from the "Houses",and single-handed meet College.The game was evenly contested for the first half hour,but from "time to change" Commoners drew ahead,Douglas and Howell kicking goals in quick succession.The "up play" on both sides was very fine;but the kicking,owing,we suppose,to the slippery state of the ground,was not quite up to the mark."

Commoners:J.L.Borley,S.K.Douglas,L.S.Howell,J.M.Evetts,F.G.D.Drewitt,T.Latham.

College:F.Haygarth,A.K.Bissill,J.C.Adams,W.R.Randall,E.A.B.Maurice,F.H.Champneys

WED DEC 6<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 CRUSADERS 0 (At Charterhouse)

Bell's Life 16/12/65 P.10:

BL:"On Wednesday,Dec 6,a match was played at Charterhouse between the Crusaders and the Charterhouse Eleven.After an hour and a quarter's hard play it ended in a tie,neither side getting a game."

Charterhouse School:M.J.Muir Mackenzie,E.C.S.Gibson,C.P.Scott,O.S.Walford,W.W.Cooper,  
T.P.Abraham, C.E.B.Nepean,A.O.Marwood, J.P.Middleton,W.L.Boreham,C.H.Wade.(Have added initials)

Crusaders:H.C.Malkin,Hulme,Webster,J.Lucas,F.Lucas,Q.Hogg,(B.N.?)Thoms,(R.G.?)Renshaw,Martin,  
A.G.Lee,E.O.Berens.

SAT DEC 9<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 4 (H.H.Montgomery 2,H.Noyes,C.L.Tupper) WANDERERS 0 (At Harrow)(Not Nov 11<sup>th</sup> as stated in SG)

Sporting Gazette 16/12/65/The Tyro 1/2/65 P.111:

Tyro:"This match was played on the last Saturday of the Christmas Quarter.The Wanderers,hitherto invincible,were defeated by four bases to none.The first was obtained by Tupper with a capital "three-yards".The next two were both kicked by Montgomery,off the ground,and the last by Noyes.

The Wanderer who most distinguished himself was Phipps; and Smith, who played against the School, played so well as to obtain the twelfth shirt."

Harrow School: H.H. Montgomery, J.A. Boyson, Sir W. Ffowkes (Barlow), W.B. Money, Hon. G.O.M. Bridgeman, W. Evetts, J.S. Holmes, H. Noyes, C.L. Tupper, W.T. Langford, J.A. Ainslie, W. Gibson. (SG is missing "Sir W. Ffowkes (Barlow)" but in Tyro)

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock, W.M. Alfrey, C.A. Cater, \*A. Crompton, R.D. Elphinstone, F. Green, J.B. Martin, H.G. Phipps, \*J.T. Prior, C.F. Reid, \*I.D. Walker, C.S. Smith (Emergency) (\*Probably absent as neither Tyro nor Wanderers History have the Tyro listed players Crompton, Prior, Walker: i.e. only have 9 not 12 players)

LINCOLN Match (3<sup>rd</sup> Game):

SENIORS 0 JUNIORS 0 ( 1 ½ hours)

Nottinghamshire Guardian 15/12/65 P.7/Field 16/12/65 P.445/Bell's Life 16/12/65 P.10:

Seniors (13): D.J. Garnham (Capt.), Joseph Mawer (Goalkeeper), F. Thropp, J. Reynolds, W. Scorer, A. Ramage, F. Warter, W. Dawber, H.C. Chambers, W.A. Stone, W.H. Lowe, W. Tritton, Thomas Hiley.

Juniors (17): C. Scorer (Capt.), G. Shipley (Goalkeeper), E. Mantle, C. Glasier, E. Parham, A. Allott, A. Padley, J. Read, F. Allsopp, M.A. Olliver, R.C. Curtis, Sutton Lowe, W. Rainforth, J. Carline, C. Ruston, O.C. Stone, J.G. Dale.

WED DEC 13<sup>TH</sup> :

AN ELEVEN OF HARROW 6 MR HAYE'S ELEVEN 0

Field 23/12/65 P.461:

F: "A scratch eleven, collected in town under the auspices of Mr Haye, strangers to one another, and to Harrow Rules, after scaling the famous hill of the village to descend the steep and muddy slope on the other side on football purposes intent, suffered on Wednesday, the 13<sup>th</sup> inst., such a thrashing as they won't soon forget.

They showed that they knew just a little of dribbling, but, as to the three yards free kick, they seemed quite content to stand by and let their opponents catch and kick (goals or no goals) just as their pleasure led them. Of the six goals got, Mr Hadow kicked one or two (or three) for Harrow, and Messrs Langford and Hayes were also rather hard upon their unoffending opponents, upon whose side Messrs Elphinstone, Borrer, A.H. Turner, and Parr played, perhaps, best."

THURS DEC 14<sup>TH</sup> :

CIVIL SERVICE 2 (C.G. Waudby, Freeth) HARROW CHEQUERS 1 (P. Rhodes) (Civil Service Cricket Ground, Battersea Park)

(Tyro has Voules and Deacon)

Field 16/12/65 P.445/Field 23/12/65 P.461/The Tyro 1/2/66 P.112/Bell's Life 16/12/65 P.10/Sportsman 16/12/65 P.5:

SM:"The day was,though dry,an extremely cold one,and but few persons were present to witness some excellent sport.At half past two they commenced operations and a good mid-field contest followed,until at twenty minutes past three C.G.Waudby(Civil Service) got hold of the ball,and kicked the first goal,after an exciting piece of dodging on his part.In less than five minutes Freeth(Civil Service) scored another goal,and seven minutes more placed a goal,kicked by P.Rhodes,to the account of Harrow.At four o'clock the game closed.Voules captained the Civil Service and Tupper the Chequers."(No teams)

F:".....Harrow Chequers,a newly formed club,consisting of Harrovians past and present."

N.B The Harrow rule "of three yards kick after a catch" was not "recognised by their adversaries""as they had to abide by the code of laws in force on the ground."(F)

Civil Service:G.B.Voules,Waudby,Peake,Freeth,Deacon, Hall,Trevor,J.Kirkpatrick, Thoms,Searson,Wearne.

Harrow Chequers:C.W.Alcock,H.Noyes,R.M.Thornton,W.T.Langford,H.Graham,J.Morgan,C.L.Tupper, E.Mathews,T.Ponsonby,P.Rhodes,J.Broughton.

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1 (O.S.Walford) WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 (At Vincent Square )(+Mixed teams of past and present)

Field 23/12/65 P.461/Bell's Life 23/12/65 P.8/(Not in WSFL):

F:"The goal for Charterhose was cleverly won by K.Mackenzie and O.Walford;the former dribbling the ball up,and the latter putting the finishing touch.The Westminster made several good attempts at the Charterhouse goal,but without success."

BL:"A match of a novel character was played between these schools on Thursday,the 14<sup>th</sup> Dec. the players not being confined to those still at school,but including "Old Boys" of any standing.+The Westminster eleven was picked by Mr Berens,and that of Charterhouse by Mr Malkin,each of whom succeeded in bringing a first rate team into the field,inspite of the difficulty of collecting their players from various parts of the country,and(in the case of Westminster )the unavoidable absence of all who were engaged in preparing for the Westminster Play."

Charterhouse:H.C.Malkin(Capt.),Rev. G.W.Fisher,R.E.Webster,B.F.Hartshorne,K.A.Muir-Mackenzie, J.T.Hodgson and L.Ogden(Old Carthusians),and M.J.Muir-Mackenzie,C.P.Scott,O.S.Walford and C.E.B.Nepean(Present).

Westminster:E.Berens(Capt.),G.Dowdswell,M.Sim,J.P.Nichols,F.Harrison,J.Vidal,J.Tayloe and J.Lucas(Old Westminsters),and F.Lucas,A.Lee and F.Pownall(Present)

UPPINGHAM Match:Past v Present.This match took place at Uppingham on Thursday Dec. 14<sup>th</sup>.The School were deprived of the valuable aid of their captain(C.Childs);but despite this disadvantage, they defeated their adversaries,obtaining one goal(kicked by Hussey) to their opponents' nothing."

Past:W.F.Rannsey,R.L.Nettleship,T.C.W.Burnaby,F.Hall,G.H.Swinny,W.Cornish, T.W.Cartmell,  
H.R.Hogg, L.M.D'Orsay,A.C.C.Anstey,H.Simpson,W.Starey, E.H.Chapman,C.E.Ridley, V.L.Braithwaite,  
H.A.Boys,P.Pownall.

Present:H.Mitchell,S.R.Majendie,H.R.Hunt,H.Hussey,J.H.Shrine,L.C.F.Thompson,D.E.Williams,  
J.H.Davy,C.D.French,F.W.Armstrong,A.Man,H.Hartley,T.Staighton,J.Champion,C.Majendie.

ETON COLLEGE 2 rouges HON F.PELHAM'S ELEVEN 0

Eton College Chronicle 25/1/66 P.202:

Eton:W.W.Phipps,T.H.Phipps,E.Lubbock,W.S.Kenyon-Slaney,H.Seymour,E.Hall, E.W.Hamilton,  
C.H.H.Parry,G.Muirhead,E.Norman,G.Gibbs,W.Hoare.

Hon F.Pelham's Eleven:Hon.F.Pelham,E.W.Tritton,Earl of Jersey,R.S.Bridges,R.W.W.Follett, M.Knight,  
S.J.Fremantle, S.Horner,A.F.Kinnaird,J.Rigden,Lord E.Fitzmaurice,A.Pope.

FRI DEC 15<sup>TH</sup> :

CIVIL SERVICE 0 ETON COLLEGE 0 (At Battersea Park)

Field 23/12/65 P.461/Sportsman 16/12/65 P.5(No lineups in SM/Eton College Chronicle No 51  
P.203:reproduced Field Report)

SM:"Yesterday(Friday) a match,according to the Westminster rules,was played at the grounds  
above-mentioned,in the presence of a numerous company.Lubbock was captain of the Etonians and  
Malkin led the Civil Service players.Over an hour's work showed no result,and the goals had to be  
drawn without a score to either side.The play of Seymour,Phipps,and Lubbock,for Eton,was capital;  
and M'Kenzie's (Civil Service) manoeuvres,and Hogg's magnificent defence at the goal,were deserving  
of all praise.We may notice,however,that to all appearance Eton was by far the stronger side,as the  
ball was during the whole game in the mouth of the Civil Service goal."

Civil Service:H.C.Malkin,G.B.Voules,C.G.Waudby,J.Kirkpatrick,Q.Hogg,Freeth,Deacon,Mackenzie,  
Phillips,A.E.Bateman,J.Wearne.

Eton College:W.W.Phipps,E.Lubbock,T.H.Phipps,W.Kenyon-Slaney,E.Hall,H.Seymour,  
C.H.H.Parry,E.W.Hamilton, F.M.Muirhead,E.Norman,G.Gibbs.(Initials added from the "Field Game")

SAT DEC 16<sup>TH</sup> :

CIVIL SERVICE 1 (H.C.Malkin) HARUM SCARUM 0 (At Battersea Park)

N.B. This was a return match,the Civil Service having won the first game:When?

Field 23/12/65 P.461/Bell's Life 23/12/65 P.8(No Harum Scarum team in either paper):

F:"On Saturday last,the 16<sup>th</sup> inst.,the Harum Scarum Football Club again visited Battersea Park,fondly  
hoping to take their revenge of the Civil Service.The idea was a brilliant one,and the attempt at  
carrying it out by no means bad.Mr Malkin,in the early part of the game,obtained a goal for the Civil  
Service.The Harum Scarums,however,towards the end of the sport,came to the conclusion that they

had better postpone their meditated revenge until next year. Mention should be made of their fine "long drops" and general plucky play, which on more than one occasion very nearly secured them a goal."

Civil Service: H.C. Malkin, F. Deacon, B. Thoms, M. Thoms, O.W. Fuller, C. Howell, F. Wilson, J. Peake, G.H. Wawn, A.W. Thompson, G.B. Voules.

WANDERERS 3 (R.D. Elphinstone 2, J.B. Martin) REIGATE 1 (J.H. Ponsonby) (At Reigate)

Field 23/12/65 P.461/South Eastern Gazette 23/12/65 P.3/Bell's Life 23/12/65 P.10:

SEG: "Owing to the great success which attended the efforts of several gentlemen in the neighbourhood to organise regular games of football, last winter, it has been determined to form a football club for this season. The chief difficulty of procuring a field is likely to be obviated by the kindness of the Recreation Club, who, we believe, are willing to meet the committee half way; and it is hoped the playing members of the neighbourhood will give an equally generous support. At the opening of the season a match was played on Saturday last, at the new ground, Reigate Hill, between the London Wanderers and eleven, nominally of Reigate, whose main strength, however, depended on foreigners. Owing to some unlucky mishap two of the best of the Reigate side did not turn up at all, and two more only turned up half an hour before the finish; but thanks to the extreme courtesy and good feeling of the Wanderers, and the generosity of their captain, the absent places were filled by some of their own members. Notwithstanding these disappointments, the home eleven made a capital fight of it throughout. Although they lost the toss, and were consequently obliged to kick up hill, they defended their base most pluckily for more than three-quarters of an hour, when a base was kicked by Elphinstone. The next half hour's play resulted in two more bases for the same side, one kicked by Martin, and the other by Elphinstone, and then one base was neatly obtained for Reigate by Ponsonby, which brought the very well contested match to a close. The game was graced and honoured by the presence of many ladies, who seemed to relish the "muckers" and particularly appreciate the plucky and pretty play of the "Pink and White."

BL: "After the conclusion of the match both sides were hospitably entertained by G.D. Richardson, Esq., ....."

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock, R.D. Elphinstone, F. Green, H. Head, J. Lucas, C.H. Mallock, J.B. Martin, A. Morten, A. Pember, C.M. Tebbut, A.M. Tebbut, C.L. Weber. (BL lists 11 without A. Pember and this also in Wanderers History but other 2 papers have all 12 players)

Reigate: H. Richardson (+F. Nicholson), H. Emmanuel, C.E. Ingram, E. Mathews, W.B. Money, J.H. Morgan, J.E. Mylne, J.H. Ponsonby, J.T. Richardson, P. Rhodes, C.L. Tupper, H. Witherby. (+F lists F. Nicholson as playing).

TOTTENHAM 0 EDMONTON 0 (At Tottenham)

Sportsman 26/12/65 P.8: "WANDERERS FOOTBALL CLUB. On Saturday, December, 16<sup>th</sup>, a football match between the above clubs was played at Tottenham, and after a hard contest for one hour and a half, the game was declared to be drawn, neither side having obtained a goal. The play of Messrs Gibson (captain), P. Wood, E. Bell, Marsden, and V. Weber, for the Tottenham, and that of Messrs

Morris(Capt.),Brook,Newcombe,and Arthur,for the Wanderers deserves special notice.”\*This name was abandoned after complaint from the Wanderers.

WED DEC 20<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL O ETON COLLEGE 2(H.Seymour and another) (At Vincent Square)

Eton College Chronicle 25/1/66:No 51 P.202/(Not in WSFL):

“As there were no rouges the game was rather a novelty to the Etonians,but still they seemed to have the match entirely their own way,and many of them were quite at home at the tactics of the game,vis.sneaking and cornering amongst whom Seymour was especially remarkable,and in this way secured one goal.

There were also no bullies,and on the ball going out it was immediately thrown in by any bystander, who happened to be there.For Eton all played well and,if we should mention any in particular,Hall and Arbuthnot are worthy of individual praise.”

Westminster:F.Lucas,G.W.Chapman,F.Pownall,G.J.Circuit,E.C.Bovill,S.H.West,A.G.Lee,W.K.D’Arcy, H.R.Du Pre, C.E.Bickmore,R.W.E.Eastwick.

Eton:E.Lubbock,E.Hall,C.H.H.Parry,H.Seymour,C.E.Buckland,C.J.Thornton,G.Gibbs,E.Norman, G.Arbuthnot,W.Hoare,G.Muirhead.

SAT DEC 23<sup>RD</sup> :

CRYSTAL PALACE 1 (E.Abraham) HARROW CHEQUERS 1 (C.W.Alcock)(At Penge)

Field 30/12/65 P.488/The Tyro 1/2/66 P.112/Bell’s Life 30/12/65 P.6:

BL:”The Chequers mustereed in great force,and were one over their number.Mr Stephenson, properly a Chequer,kindly consented to become for the nonce an ‘Emergency’.The game was well sustained throughout.One base each was the result.E.Abraham kicked that for the C.P.C.The H.C.C. base was obtained \*no one knows how,run through,somehow or another,in a “squash”.” “The Crystal Palace got more “touch downs” than their adversaries,who were unaccustomed to “association rules”.

\*The Tyro attributes the H.C.C. goal to Alcock.

Crystal Palace:W.Allport,E.Abraham,R.Abrahan,A.Cutbill,E.Cutbill,W.Cutbill,J.Cockerell,J.Dodson ,H.Foster,H.Lloyd,J.Lloyd,A.Morten,R.Stephenson(Harrow Chequer Emergency),A.Tebbut, J.Turner(Capt.).

Harrow Chequers:Hayes,Gore,Boyson,Smith,Allfrey,Alcock,Baker,Barlow,Rhodes,Ponsonby, Tupper,Parr,Hadow,Scovell,Reid.

WED DEC 27<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW CHEQUERS 1 (G.B.Baker) R.M.THORNTON’S ELEVEN 0 (At Harrow)

Field 30/12/65 P.488/Tyro 1/2/66 P.113:

F: "This match was played at Harrow, on Wednesday Dec 27. The Chequers gained the match by one base to none, well kicked by G.B. Baker. Another base was obtained by J.A. Boyson, also a "Chequer", but was not counted, as he was clearly "behind" when he started. H. Prior also very nearly got a base, which was well saved by W.T. Langford. R.M. Thornton, R.C. Thornton, W. Langford, and H. Noyes played very well for their side. C.W. Alcock's performance as "half base" was the admiration of all beholders: he, J.A. Boyson, J.T. Prior, and F. Barlow were as energetic as usual in behalf of the Chequers."

Harrow Chequers: C.W. Alcock, F. Barlow, J.A. Boyson, G.B. Baker, M. Beachcroft, Matthews, Steel, C.L. Tupper, J.T. Prior, H. Prior, Mylne.

R.M. Thornton's Eleven: R.M. Thornton, R.C. Thornton, H. Noyes, W.T. Langford, Carnac, Lucas, Parr, Hadow, H. Beechcroft, Welch, Gribble.

OLD ETONIANS 4 WESTMINSTER SCHOOL (Past and Present) 0 (At Vincent Square)

Field 6/1/66 P.17: "This match was played in Vincent Square, on Wednesday, Dec 27, and ended in an easy victory for the Etonians, by four goals to nothing. For Eton, Messrs Kinnaird and Hogg played remarkably well, while Mr Lucas did his best for Westminster." (No lineups)

THURS DEC 28:

LEEDS CLUB 0 NORFOLK CLUB, Sheffield 0 (Return) (At Royal Park, Leeds)

Sheffield Daily Telegraph 30/12/65 P.8:

"The return match between the above clubs was played on Thursday last, in the Royal Park, Leeds. The Sheffield players were placed rather at a disadvantage, being subject to the Leeds rules, but after two and a half hours' hard play (which frequently brought forth applause from the numerous spectators) the game was drawn, both sides having failed to score. As the Norfolk Club won the former match, we (our informant says) may conclude that they have the best of the game this year. After the match the players and friends adjourned to the Victoria Hotel, near the Town Hall, where they partook of a hearty supper, spending a very pleasant evening until ten o'clock, when the Sheffield players left by train for home. These clubs have shown the true spirit of the game, tusselling with each other away from home. They both gain experience by so doing. The umpires were—Leeds Mr F. Carson (of the Leeds Express); and Sheffield, Mr W. Skinner, president of the Norfolk Club." (No lineups)

SAT DEC 30<sup>TH</sup> :

NO NAMES 2 (H. Baker, C.W. Alcock) HARROW CHEQUERS 0 (At Kilburn)

Field 6/1/66 P.8/Bell's Life 6/1/66 P.7/Tyro 1/2/66 P.113:

F/BL: "This match was played on the N.N.'s ground on Saturday, Dec 30<sup>th</sup>, at Kilburn. The ground was rather damp owing to the recent rain, but that did not prevent Messrs A and C Tebbut, Pember, and Baker from playing in first rate form for the N.N.'s. One of the bases was obtained by C.W. Alcock, the other by H. Baker. For the Chequers, Messrs Rhodes and Scovell played very well. Mr Elphinstone's base keeping was also very good. The first base that the N.N.'s obtained was rather a "fluke". Mr Fred Barlow had just kicked the ball off from behind, sending it up accidentally in front of base; Mr Baker

rushed at it, and sent it through base before Mr Barlow could get up in front to save it. The second base was well obtained by a brilliant "run up".

No Names: H. Baker, A. Baker, A. Tebbut, C. Tebbut, A. Fleet, S. Holland, H. Emmanuel, V. Borradaile, A. Morten, + C. W. Alcock, A. Pember (Capt.).

+ Wanderers History does not list No Names as one of C. W. Alcock's teams.

Harrow Chequers: Fred. P. Barlow, Frank P. Barlow, E. Matthews, J. Mylne, C. L. Tupper, J. B. Hayes, R. D. Elphinstone, J. B. Martin, A. Thompson, P. Rhodes, H. J. Scovell.

TUES JAN 2<sup>ND</sup> (in F) or WED JAN 3<sup>RD</sup> (in BL)

WANDERERS 0 A. F. KINNAIRD'S ELEVEN (Old Etonians) 0

Bell's Life 6/1/66 P. 7/Field 6/1/66 P. 8:

BL: "A most exciting game was played on Wednesday the 3<sup>rd</sup> inst., between the Wanderers and Mr Kinnaird's Eleven. The game ended in a draw, no base being obtained by either side, principally owing to the brilliant manner in which Mr Hogg kept base for Mr Kinnaird's Eleven. For Wanderers Messrs M Muir Mackenzie and F. Lucas played well, and Messrs Kinnaird and Hogg for the opposite side."

Wanderers: C. W. Alcock, F. Barlow, W. J. C. Cutbill, R. D. Elphinstone, A. Green, F. Lucas, J. Lucas, M. J. Muir Mackenzie, J. B. Martin, A. M. Tebbut, C. M. Tebbut.

Old Etonians: T. A. Sargeant, A. F. Kinnaird, Q. Hogg, F. Langley, E. Trower, J. Trower, W. J. Thompson, C. Tait, C. Bonsor, C. R. Alexander.

THURS JAN 4<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW CHEQUERS 3 (Baker, Scovell, Mylne) REIGATE 0 (At Reigate)

Field 6/1/66 P. 8/Bell's Life 6/1/66 P. 7/The Tyro 1/2/66 P. 113:

BL: "This match was played at Reigate, on Thursday, Jan 4<sup>th</sup>. Here the Chequers came off victorious, scoring three bases to their opponents' none. Harrow rules were played with one exception; the players might not give catches to their own side, an arrangement made by Mr H. Richardson for the benefit of the Reigate players, who were not accustomed to play with catches. The first base that was obtained was not counted. It went through off Mr Bence Jones's shoulders, and, as it was disputed, the Chequers consented to give it up. Mr Baker got the next, Mr Scovell the one after that, at the end of a very fine run up; and the last one was obtained by Mr Mylne. Besides Mr Scovell, Messrs Money and Gore played particularly well. For Reigate Messrs Richardson, F. F. Lambert, and J. H. Fry played splendidly; nor were Messrs G. Ponsonby, F. A. Nicholson, and J. T. Richardson much inferior to them."

Harrow Chequers: Baker, Scovell, Mylne, Money, Bence Jones, J. Ponsonby, C. L. Tupper, Gore, Morgan, Hayes, Bouverie.

Reigate: H. Richardson, J. H. Fry, S. Fry, F. F. Lambert, F. A. Nicholson, G. Ponsonby, G. G. Richardson, J. T. Richardson, Rev. Mr Rowsell, W. Sherrard, J. P. Wright.



FRI JAN 5<sup>TH</sup> :

CIVIL SERVICE 0 OLD ETONIANS 0 (At Battersea Park)

Field 13/1/66 P.33/Bell's Life 13/1/66 P.7/Eton College Chronicle 25/1/66 P.203:

F: "This match was played at Battersea Park on Friday, Jan 5, and in spite of the immense agility of Mr Kinnaird, and the "long-kicking" of Mr Hogg, resulted in a draw, no goal having been kicked on either side, after more than an hour's very severe play. It may be remembered that the Present Etonians played the Civil Service last month with the same result. Mr Kilpatrick, as half-back, showed that his right foot had by no means forgotten its ancient cunning."

Civil Service: G.B. Gurdon, F. Lucas, J. Wearne, J. Kirkpatrick, G. Batten, G. Wawn, C.W. Alcock, A.W. Thompson, C. Buchanan, F. Deacon, G.B. Voules. (BL has A. Batten) ECC has E. Buckland)

Old Etonians: Q. Hogg, F. Langley, T.A. Sargent, M. Mackenzie, A. Forsyth, E. Norman, G. Bonsor, E.L. Corrie, E.A. Owen, C.R. Alexander, A.F. Kinnaird.

SAT JAN 6<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS 3 (J.B. Martin, Frank P. Barlow, Fred P. Barlow) CRYSTAL PALACE CLUB 0 (At Penge)  
(Return Match)

Sportsman 13/1/66 P.2/Field 13/1/66 P.33/Bell's Life 13/1/66 P.7:

BL: "Notwithstanding the sudden indispositions to which several illustrious members ("friends will please accept this intimation") of the roving band are always subject when the Wanderers play suburban matches, they, nevertheless, did manage to put in an appearance at Penge, on Saturday last, the 6<sup>th</sup> inst, with only two absent T's (we only give their initials this time), and with the able assistance of an emergency to play their opponents with equal number. The Wanderers, as usual, lost the toss, and had consequently to play up hill, but in spite of this unlucky commencement a base was quickly obtained for them by J.B. Martin. After several ineffectual attempts a second base was obtained, after a most brilliant run up by Frank P. Barlow, and just as time was called a third base was kicked by Fred P. Barlow, the match thus being finished in favour of the Wanderers, by three bases to none. The Wanderers are much indebted for their victory to the brilliant play of J.A. Boyson and Frank P. Barlow. Our Bob was, as usual, "all there" in base. For C.P.F.C., W. Cutbill and J. Cockerell played well."

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock, Frank P. Barlow, Fred. P. Barlow, J.A. Boyson, R.D. Elphinstone, F. Lucas, M.J. Muir Mackenzie, Syd. Harper, J.B. Martin, P. Rhodes, A.M. Tebbut, A. Thompson, W. Thompson, A. Hammond (Emergency)

Crystal Palace: E. Abraham, R. Abraham, F. Allport, W. Allport, J. Cockerell, A. Cutbill, E. Cutbill, W. Cutbill, H. Foster, J. Grose, A. Lloyd, H. Lloyd, T. Lloyd, J. Turner (Capt.).

NO NAMES 1 (\*A. Fleet) CLAPHAM CLUB 0 (Clapham Common)

Bell's Life 13/1/66 P.7:

BL: "This match was played on Clapham Common on Saturday, Jan 6<sup>th</sup>, and resulted in one goal for the N.N.'s, kicked by A. Fleet at the last moment. Among the N.N.'s C. Tebbut, H. Emanuel, and A. Fleet showed unmistakeable form."

No Names: C. Tebbut, H. Emmanuel, A. Morten, J. Nicholas, H. Baker, C. Waithman, A. Fleet, V. Borradaile, R. Sweeting, C. M. Green.

Clapham: T. Taylor, H. Dealtry, R. Batten, Wearne (Sub.), E. Turner, P. Turner, Stopford, F. Soden, C. Franks (Sub.).

WED JAN 10<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER (+Mr F. Lucas's Team) 1 (Nepean) HARROW CHEQUERS 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 13/1/66 P.7/Field 13/1/66 P.33/Tyro 1/2/65 P.114:

BL: "This match was played at Vincent-square on Wednesday, Jan 10, and was won for Westminster by Mr Nepean, who got one goal, to Harrow's none. At first it seemed that Westminster had no chance, for the Chequers were far the heavier and the stronger numerically by two. But the strangers seemed confused by the light, far-bounding ball; for their own is like a skittle-cheese, only somewhat heavier. Westminster, seeing their confusion, took heart of grace, and played up lustily. In ten minutes Mr Nepean ran the ball through the Harrow goal. Then sides were changed, and Harrow, who now had got the wind, did all they knew to square accounts. Once, indeed, they very nearly did so. Mr Martin had worked the ball very cleverly out of the ruck, and was running away faster than anyone had a mind to follow him. A cry was raised by Mr Fairfield, who was keeping "half-back", for he ran up, stopped, stumbled, kicked, missed the ball, lost his balance, and tumbled over in a heap. But the gifted Mr Nepean was behind him, and, running boldly forward, sent the ball right back into the middle of the ground. For the Chequers Mr Scovell displayed great staying powers, Mr Elphinstone was occasionally brilliant, and Messrs Smith and Money at "half-back" were adequately impassable. For Westminster Mr M Mackenzie showed his wonted talents. Mr Pownall was in his usual solid form, and Mr Dasent's supple and erratic limbs did useful service."

Mr Lucas's Eleven: F. Lucas, J. Lucas, F. Pownall, M. J. Muir Mackenzie, W. Dixon, C. E. B. Nepean, J. Dasent, E. Bovill, E. Fairfield, J. Ponsonby.

N.B. BL has H. Nepean, J. Nepean but assume error for C. E. B. Nepean as other 2 sources have 1 Nepean with 10 men. +BL calls Lucas Eleven "Westminster" but includes Carthusians.

Harrow Chequers: W. Tupper, S. Gore, F. Green, J. Money, E. T. Smith, J. Prior, C. W. Alcock, W. Barlow, J. Scovell, R. D. Elphinstone, J. B. Martin.

SAT JAN 13<sup>TH</sup> :

SHEFFIELD CLUB 2 rouges LINCOLN CLUB 0 (At Newhall Cricket Ground, Sheffield)

Sportsman 23/1/66 P.7/Sporting Life 24/1/66 P.1/Bell's Life 27/1/66 P.7:

SL: "An hour and a quarter was the time fixed for play, and at the expiration of that time neither side had scored a goal, although the Sheffield men had obtained two rouges, through which the victory

was theirs. The \*Sheffielders played their own game, which differs in material points from the Lincoln game (no offside being played, and running with the ball, or tripping is not allowed). They, however, were one man short in number." "The return match at Lincoln is fixed for February 13<sup>th</sup>, when the rules of the Lincoln game will be played." \*SL: "it being a home-and-home match"

BL: "When the Lincoln men left by rail it was snowing, and raining hard; only one man of the eleven, however, failed to show up, and his place was made good from the members who accompanied the players as spectators."

Sheffield: H. W. Chambers, A. Dixon, H. A. Cadman, F. Knowles, J. Knowles, J. Linley, J. Shaw, J. C. Shaw, A. Wightman, W. Wilson. (SM has A. Wilson)

Lincoln: H. Chambers, W. Dawber, J. G. Devereux, T. Hilley, W. Lowe, E. Mantle, O. Oslear, Padley, Saunders, G. Shipley, W. Scorer.

WED JAN 17<sup>TH</sup> :

CRUSADERS 2 CIVIL SERVICE 0 (At Battersea Park)

Bell's Life 27/1/66 P.7:

BL: "A match was played in Battersea Park, on Wednesday, Jan 17, between the above clubs, which ended in favour of the Crusaders by two games to love."

Crusaders: H. Malkin, M. Thoms, Q. Hogg, J. B. Martin, E. Norman, P. Norman, B. Hartshorne, W. Whitehorne, E. O. Berens.

Civil Service: F. Deacon, J. W. Peake, J. Kirkpatrick, C. W. Alcock, A. Pearson, A. Turner, G. Abrahams, C. G. Waudby, O. W. Fuller.

SAT JAN 20<sup>TH</sup> :

CIVIL SERVICE 2 (O. W. Fuller, F. Deacon) BARNES 0 (At Barnes)

Field 27/1/66 P.73/Field 3/2/66 P.102:

F 27/1/66: "The Civil Service, unfortunately, could only muster eight men, and were obliged to fill up the vacancies with members of other well-known clubs, so that their team was very strong. The game was commenced by a kick off from the Barnes side. After a little play it was evident that the Civil Service were too strong for their opponents, though the latter cut out their work for them for some time. Several times the Civil Service drove the ball near the Barnes goal, but owing to the back play of Messrs Willis, Graham, Drake, and O'Leary (who played for a short time till disabled), no goal was kicked. The Civil Service, however, not to be denied again, made a rush and obtained a kick at goal, which, as it was doubtful whether it was a goal or not, was not allowed, and a second kick was made, which was not successful. The play of Barnes, which, in the early part of the game had been very good, now began to deteriorate, and the Civil Service obtained two goals within a short time, one kicked by Deacon; who kicked the other goals we could not learn, nor the names of the players on the Civil Service side."

F 3/2/66 (Letter from J.Kirkpatrick:"It seems to be the custom of these clubs forming the "Association" never to play other than their own rules.The Civil Service did play Barnes in November last-association rules-and endeavours were made to get up a return match,but,as the Barnes men refused to play Civil Service rules,it fell through,but it was subsequently arranged that I should take down a scratch team,which I accordingly did,nine of the fourteen happening to be Civil Servants.For the information of your correspondent,I may mention that the first goal was kicked by O.(W.)Fuller "

Barnes:Tebbs,Le B.Smith,M.Roberts,W.Nettleship,R.Graham,R.Willis,C.Bagot,Barnes,  
H.P.Mackrell,Greenhill,Courtenay,Sheppard,Drake,Montgomery,Karslake.(F 27/1/66)

Civil Service:C.W.Alcock,A.E.Batemen,G.B.Blount,F.Deacon,R.D.Elphinstone,O.W.Fuller,Q.Hogg,  
J.Kirkpatrick(Capt.),Rose,Seppings,A.H.Turner,X.Turner,C.G.Waudby,J.Wearne.(F 3/2/66)(Including 5  
Emergencies)

THURS JAN 25<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW CHEQUERS 3 (J.B.Martin 2,J.T.Prior) CRUSADERS 0 (At West London Cricket Ground,Old  
Brompton)

Field 3/2/66 P.102/Bell's Life 3/2/66 P.7(Report almost identical)/The Tyro 1/2/66 P.114:

F:"Mr E.O.Berens,captain of the Crusaders,had a very short notice,and instead of bringing into the field one of those strong and invincible teams,for which the Crusaders are so justly famed,appeared with only five men to back him up;all those,however,were not bona fide Crusaders.Mr Alcock,the captain of the Chequers team,was more fortunate;he had succeeded in getting ten together at least .An arrangement was accordingly made,and the match was made,eight a side.

Harrow rules were insisted upon,which no doubt contributed not a little to the Chequers complete victory.Although,like other clubs,the Chequers have been frequently beaten,yet they have never failed to be signally victorious when playing their old Harrow game.This game proved no exception to the rule,and they had gained three bases against their opponents' none when time was called. Messrs J.T.Prior and J.B.Martin got the bases for the Chequers;the latter gentleman scoring two to his own boot.The plucky play of the defeated party,who found their opponents undoubtedly too many for them,owing to their superior knowledge of the game and of each other,nevertheless attracted much admiration.Amongst them Messrs E. and D.Norman were conspicuous.For the Chequers,Messrs Alcock,H.G.Phipps, and R.C.Thornton,played magificently."

Harrow Chequers:C.W.Alcock,E.W.Burnett,A.Crompton,J.B.Martin,H.G.Phipps,J.T.Prior,  
W.Thompson,R.C.Thornton.

Crusaders:E.O.Berens,W.J.Cutbill,E.Norman,P.Norman,P.Rhodes,A.M.Tebbut,  
A.Thompson,C.L.Weber.

NOTTINGHAM 1 touch-down(G.Packer) SHEFFIELD \* 1 touch-down(Chesterman) (Meadows  
Ground,Nottingham) \*Disputed:Notts History has Notts 2 Sheffield 1

Bell's Life 27/1/66 P.7/Nottinghamshire Guardian 2/2/66 P.2:

BL: "The Notts side was the better represented of the two, their players consisting of several experienced athletes of the game. The ball was set rolling shortly before three o'clock, and the play was carried on with renewed vigour until a few minutes before four o'clock, when Packer, with a touch-down, made a goal for the side of Notts. After a short rest a second game was commenced, which ultimately ended in favour of Sheffield, but as a dispute ensued as to the propriety of Chesterman, the Sheffield captain, making a touch-down from the ball, which he had picked up out of the crowd\*, the decision remained in abeyance. A third game was entered into but not finished."

\*NG: "...allowing him the right of kicking it towards the goal from a distance of fifteen yards. Of course Mr Chesterman did so, and the kick resulted in a goal being made in favour of his side. The result, however, will shortly be forwarded to Bell's Life in London, asking their opinion as to whether the Sheffield side will be justified in claiming their victory under the circumstances." (Being that the crowd prevented one of the Notts players touching the ball)

Nottingham: J. Patterson (Capt.), F. C. Smith, A. Deedes, J. S. Wright, J. B. Gibson, A. B. Baillon, G. Packer, H. Browne, W. Elliott, S. Scrimshaw, H. Rastall, W. A. Hodges, J. C. Hodges, J. Hack, C. Steegman (Goalkeeper). (Notts History P.105 with full initials)

Sheffield: Chesterman (Capt.), J. Knowles, J. Shaw, Cadman, J. C. Shaw, Wild, Chambers, Baker, Earnshaw, Wightman, Swift, Dixon (Goalkeeper)

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OXFORD 3 RADLEY COLLEGE 0 (At Radley Cricket Ground)

BL: "The members of the University College, Oxford, contended against Radley School, at the Radley Cricket Ground, on Thursday, the 25<sup>th</sup> ult., when the game resulted in favour of the Oxonians by 3 goals to 0. For the winners, Messrs Bowman, Wilson, Landbach, Matthews, and Wilmot played well; and among the Radleians were especially noticed Messrs Collins and Richards, while Robins saved one or two goals by his activity."

SAT JAN 27<sup>TH</sup> :

CIVIL SERVICE 1 (R. Circuitt) NO NAMES 0 (At Battersea Park)

Field 10/2/66 P.113/Bell's Life 3/2/66 P.7:

F: "After a capital contest the Service proved the winners by one goal, obtained very cleverly by R. Circuitt, and, as the ground was very wet, the players, after 1 ½ hours play, felt considerably "baked".

BL: "This match was played on Jan 27 at the Battersea Ground, which was very wet. After a hard fight the Services retired from the field victorious by one goal to none. The losers, whose names we have been unable to obtain, scarcely seemed used to dribbling."

Civil Service : C. Buchanan, G. Circuitt, T. Circuitt, W. J. Dixon, H. Du Pre, A. F. Dyer, E. Eastwick, T. Gwyn (Capt.), H. Halliday, G. Lawson, A. Lee, R. Pearson.

No Names: Not received

OLD ETONIANS (A. F. Kinnaird's XI) 2 CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1 (At Charterhouse)

N.B. Charterhouse Football History has wrong date of 28/1/66 and F has Sat Jan 31.

Field 3/2/66 P.102/Bell's Life 3/2/66 P.10:

BL:"The Charterhouse goal was obtained by a rush in the first bully, and is the only one obtained against the Old Etonians this season. The Carthusians played very well together, and most good naturedly overlooked any little irregularities which took place in consequence of the difference between the Charterhouse rules and those usually played at Eton."

Old Etonians: A.F. Kinnaird, Q. Hogg, F. Langley, P. Norman, E. Norman, + C.W. Alcock, H. Forsyth, N. Edmonston, E.L. Corrie, J. Trower, W. Thompson, J. Wearne. + F. Alcock in BL

Charterhouse: M. Muir Mackenzie, E.C.S. Gibson, C.P. Scott, O.S. Walford, W.W. Cooper, R.W. Macan, J.P. Middleton, T.P. Abraham, C.E.B. Nepean, W.L. Boreham, J.A. Foote, E.E. Venables. (Have added extra second/third initials)

TOTTENHAM & EDMONTON 7 (Dixon 5, Ellis, Sargeant) MERCHANT TAYLORS 1 (At Victoria Park)

Sportsman 6/2/66 P.3 (No lineups):

SM: "The numbers on each side being somewhat deficient were supplemented by several members of the City of London School. The play began soon after three o'clock and lasted without intermission for nearly two hours, during which time the game was contested by both sides with indomitable pluck. At first, neither side could gain an advantage but eventually fortune unmistakably favoured Tottenham & Edmonton, who, under the able captainship of Mr Dixon, in the end succeeded in making seven goals—five being kicked in fine style by the captain himself; these, increased by two made by Messrs Ellis and Sargeant, formed the score. The Merchant Taylors made but one goal; this was, however, chiefly owing to the fact that for an hour before the game commenced they had been hard at work with a scratch game among themselves. The clubs hope to try conclusion again on Feb 24<sup>th</sup>."

WED JAN 31<sup>ST</sup> :

HARROW CHEQUERS 2 (C.W. Alcock, J. Cruikshank) CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 (At Charterhouse)

Field 3/2/66 P.102/Bell's Life 10/2/66 P.10:

F: "The weather was detestible, and the ground a perfect puddle. The Chequers came down very strong, and beat the Carthusians by two goals to one. The Charterhouse eleven, being much lighter than their opponents, were rather badly off on the wet ground, where weight always tells rather more than on a dry."

Harrow Chequers: J.T. Prior, H.G. Phipps, C.W. Alcock, J.A. Boyson, E.W. Burnett, R.D. Elphinstone, J. Cruikshank, B. Cooke, C. Oxenham, R. Crompton, F. Stevenson. (A. Crompton??) (BL has Stephenson)

Charterhouse: M.J. Muir Mackenzie, E.C.S. Gibson, C.P. Scott, O.S. Walford, W.W. Cooper, R.W. Macan, J.P. Middleton, T.P. Abraham, C.E.B. Nepean, W.L. Boreham, J.A. Foote. (F: "Same players as in the match with Old Etonians") (Have added extra second/third initials)

SAT FEB 3<sup>RD</sup> :

WANDERERS 2 (+J.A. Boyson, J. Worsley) HARROW SCHOOL 0 (At Harrow)

Sportsman 6/2/66 P.3/Field 10/2/66 P.113:

SM:"The School won the toss,and chose the upper base,with hill and wind,but in spite of these disadvantages,shortly after the commencement of the game a base was got by +J.A.Boyson,after a good run up by Messrs Alcock and Richardson,and just before time was called a second was kicked by J.Worsley."

+F:"..and a splendid catch by J.A.Boyson":i.e. a "three-yards"

Wanderers:C.W.Alcock,J.A.Boyson,A.Crompton(J.Broughton),R.D.Elphinstone,Q.Hogg,J.B.Martin,  
H.Noyes,H.G.Phipps,J.T.Prior(J.Worsley),H.Richardson,A.Thompson.(Those in brackets played)

Harrow School:H.H.Montgomery,Sir W.Ffolkes,C.L.Tupper,J.A.Ainslie,W.B.Money,  
G.O.M.Bridgeman,J.S.Holmes,C.S.Smith, F.P.Barlow,R.Thornton,J.F.Gibson.(F has C.J.Smith)

BARNES v CRYSTAL PALACE: Field 10/2/66 P.113:"A match between Crystal Palace and Barnes was to have taken place on Saturday last,on the ground of the latter club,but as the rain poured down in torrents for some time previous to the hour fixed for the game,only a few of the Crystal Palace team turned up,and there was consequently,no game."

TUES FEB 6<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS 5 (C.W.Alcock,R.D.Elphinstone,J.B.Martin,A.Thompson 2) CRUSADERS 2(J.Round 2)

Field 10/2/66 P.113:

F:"After having only three days before with difficulty ploughed through the miry football field at Harrow,the Wanderers turned up as fresh and vigorous as ever on Tuesday last,to try conclusions for the first time with that nondescript club,the Crusaders,who seem inevitably to be so sadly reduced in numbers,that we fancy it would be an act of charity if our old friend Peter the Hermit were, Phoenix-like,to rise out of his ashes,and wake up the football Crusaders,as he woke up their military ancestors of old.

The result of the game was disastrous to the followers of the Cross,as the rovers won the match by five games to +(two)-a result chiefly owing to their superiority in "backing up".

The Wanderers' bases were obtained as follows:C.W.Alcock,1 ;R.D.Elphinstone,1; J.B.Martin,1;  
A.Thompson,2.

+For Crusaders J.Round obtained two bases."

Wanderers:C.W.Alcock,A.Crompton,R.D.Elphinstone,J.B.Martin,A.M.Tebbut,C.M.Tebbut,  
A.Thompson,W.Thompson.

Crusaders :E.O.Berens,A.Boradaile,P.Norman,A.Morton,J.Robertson,J.Round,S.Quentin,C.L.Weber.

WED FEB 7<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1 (M.Muir Mackenzie) MR POWNALL'S ELEVEN 0 (At Charterhouse)

Bell's Life 10/2/66 P.10/Field 24/2/66 P.156:

F:"This match was played at Charterhouse, on Wednesday, Feb 7, and resulted in a victory for the school by one goal, which was excellently got by M Mackenzie, who throughout the match played with his usual skill and science, and was ably backed up by Foote. For the opposite side Messrs Dixon and Dupré were untiring in their exertions to turn the fortune of the day, but were unsuccessful."

Charterhouse M.J. Muir Mackenzie, E.C.S. Gibson, C.P. Scott, O.S. Walford, W.W. Cooper, R.W. Macan, T.P. Abraham, J.P. Middleton, C.E.B. Nepean, W.L. Boreham, J.A. Foote, E.E. Venables. (Have added second/third initials)

Mr Pownall's Eleven: F. Pownall, F. Lucas, G. Chapman, H. Dupre, W. Dixon, G. Circuit, E.O. Berens, C.G. Waudby, E.C. Bovill, G. Blount, F. Dorling, W. Eastwicke. (F includes W. Eastwicke but has several different initials)

SAT FEB 10<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS 0 CIVIL SERVICE 0 (At Battersea )

Bell's Life 17/2/66 P.8/Field 24/2/66 P.156(F wrongly records 17<sup>th</sup>)/Sportsman 13/2/66 P.3:

F:"Instead of the eleven who ought to have made their appearance at 2.30, at three o'clock only six Civil Servants had arrived, so that the Rovers had to part with two of their most useful men to equalise the sides. The Wanderers, as usual, lost the toss, and had to face the "pitiless blast" with which Battersea Park seems always afflicted; and to this extremely high wind against which they had to contend it was no doubt owing that the Wanderers got no base, and the match resulted in a tie."

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock, C.F. Buller, E.W. Burnett, R.D. Elphinstone, H.G. Phipps, J.B. Martin, C.M. Tebbut, A. Thompson

Civil Service: C.G. Waudby, J. Kirkpatrick, F. Deacon, Wood, G.F. Circuit, J. Wearne, +Q. Hogg, +A.M. Tebbut. +Emergencies supplied by Wanderers (Confirmed by SM) (BL has Thompson for Tebbut but does not mention Emergencies, but SM/F have A. Blank for Thompson) (J. Circuit in SM)

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1 CRUSADERS 1

Field 24/2/66 P.156:

F:"This match was played on Feb 10, and resulted in a tie, each side getting one game. Charterhouse was unfortunately deprived of the services of three of its best men, but nevertheless made a good match of it, and several times nearly penetrated the goal posts of their adversaries."

Charterhouse: M.J. Muir Mackenzie, E.C.S. Gibson, C.P. Scott, O.S. Walford, R.W. Macan, T.P. Abraham, C.E.B. Nepean, J.A. Foote, C.H. Wade, E.E. Venables, H.M. Mackenzie, F.G. Paulson, M. Nepean (Crusaders)

Crusaders: E.O. Berens, F. Norman, P. Norman, B. Thoms, M. Thoms, V. Borradaile, J. Forsyth, A. Severne, F. Lucas, J. Lucas, W. Eastwicke, F. Pownall, C. Borer, A. Dixon.

TUES FEB 13<sup>TH</sup> :

LINCOLN CLUB 1 SHEFFIELD CLUB 1 (Lindum Cricket Ground) (Return)



Bell's Life 24/2/66 P.9:

BL:"The return match between the clubs of the above towns was played on Tuesday,the 13<sup>th</sup> inst.,on the Lindum Cricket Ground,Lincoln.The weather was fine and all that could be wished;a slight breeze,which gradually increased in strenth,was blowing in a slanting direction across the fields.The ground was in excellent condition.The game commenced punctually at two p.m.,by the Sheffield men throwing the ball up with the wind,and throughout it was carried on with great spirit by both sides,the Lincoln rules being played.The heavy Sheffielders told well in play against their lighter antagonists,the Lincolnians,and although the "spills" were many,we noticed that they were about equal on both sides.In the commencement L.F.C. forced their antagonists sharp,and by a very clever kick from Mantle,nearly obtained a goal,it being only just saved by a touch.The Sheffield Club at about half time scored a goal,and,on changing ends,the Lincoln men speedily made another.Again ends were changed,and, after one hour and three quarters play,the match resulted in a draw,both sides having scored one.This is the fourth match these clubs have played together."

"Mr Alderman Marshall acted as umpire for Lincoln and H.C.Chambers,Esq.,of Lincoln for Sheffield. After the match the teams dined together at the Morions Arms Hotel,and up to the time of the Sheffielders leaving by train and after a most convivial and merry meeting took place."

Lincoln:D.J.Garnham(Capt.),W.Curtis(Goalkeeper),M.Sibthorp,T.G.Dale,W.Dawber(Half Back),J.Hiley,C.Scorer,A.Padley,E.Mantle,W.H.Lowe,J.Carline.

Sheffield:F.Knowles,J.Knowles,J.Wilde,A.Weightman,H.W.Chambers(Goalkeeper), A.Dixon,A.Earnshaw,R.Chesterman(Capt.)C.Percival,+A.Melville,+R.Mason.+Emergencies supplied by Lincoln)

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 2 (G.J.Circuit 2) CIVIL SERVICE 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 17/2/66 P.8/+Westminster School Football Ledger:

+CHECK DATE AS WSFL HAS THURSDAY JAN 25<sup>TH</sup> AND W 1(CIRCUIT) CS 0 !! GONE WRONG IN SOME WAY:SEE ALSO FEB 15TH

BL:"This match was played at Vincent-square on Tuesday,Feb 13,and was won by the School,who obtained two goals to their opponents' nothing.Both were kicked by G.J.Circuit,whose particular forte this seems to be.The rest all played well together,W.J.Dixon,E.C.Bovill,and the two Lees especially distinguishing themselves.For the Civil Service,C.G.Waudby played remarkably well,being ably seconded by F.Deacon and J.Kirkpatrick."

Westminster School:F.Lucas(Capt.),G.W.Chapman,F.Pownall,G.J.Circuit,S.H.West,E.C.Bovill, A.G.Lee,W.J.Dixon,H.R.Dupré,R.W.E.Eastwick,+G.H.Lee. +WSFL has F.Miller for G.H.Lee

Civil Service:C.G.Waudby(Capt.),C.G.Howell,C.Buchanan,R.Frith,F.Deacon,W.Gurdon, A.Friend,J.Wearne,G.Lawson,J.Kirkpatrick,H.Batten.

THURS FEB 15<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL Match (At Vincent Square) Town Boys 1 (F.Miller) Queen's Scholars 0

Bell's Life 24/2/66 P.9:

"This was kicked by F.Miller,after taking the ball up more than half the ground."

Town Boys:F.Lucas,F.Pownall,A.G.Lee,R.W.E.Eastwick,F.Miller,G.H.Lee,R.Curteis,W.Burton,  
Beattie,W.Freeman,J.Smith.

Queen's Scholars:G.W.Chapman,G.J.Circuitt,S.H.West,E.C.Bovill,W.J.Dixon,H.R.Dupre,E.Bray,  
E.Giles,W.C.Davies,S.C.Haden.

WED FEB 21<sup>ST</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1 (F.Lucas) CRUSADERS 1 (M.Nepean) (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 24/2/66 P.9(Not in Westminster School Football Ledger again suggesting muddled records  
at this time:see also Feb 28<sup>th</sup>):

BL:"This match was played at Vincent-square on Wednesday,the 21<sup>st</sup> inst,and resulted in a tie,each  
side having obtained one goal.The Crusaders' goal was kicked by (M.Nepean),who was well  
supported in a good run by (+C.W.Alcock).The Westminsters,after many shots,succeeded in getting a  
game through the immediate agency of F.Lucas." +Printed as C.Walcock

Westminster School:F.Lucas,G.W.Chapman,F.Pownall,A.G.Lee,G.J.Circuitt,S.H.West,E.C.Bovill,  
W.J.Dixon,H.R.Dupré,R.W.E.Eastwick,G.H.Lee.

Crusaders:E.O.Berens,C.W.Alcock,A.Thompson,J.Lucas,M.Thoms,M.Nepean,W.Borer,G.B.Voules,  
E.C.Giles,E.Randolph,H.Curteis.

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 3 (O.S.Walford,C.E.B.Nepean,M.Muir Mackenzie) OLD ETONIANS 1  
(H.Arthur)

Field 24/2/66 P.156:

F:"This match was played on Feb 21,and resulted in favour of the school by three games to one.The  
goal for the Etonians was kicked by H.Archer;and those for the Charterhouse by O.Walford,  
C.Nepean,and M.Mackenzie,who even surpassed his usual good play.On the part of the Etonians the  
vigorous play of Messrs Forsyth and Crompton did good service;while C.Nepean for the  
Charterhouse deserves much praise for his good play."

Charterhouse:M.J.Muir Mackenzie,E.C.S.Gibson,C.P.Scott,O.S.Walford,W.W.Cooper,R.W.Macan,  
T.P.Abraham,J.P.Middleton,C.E.B.Nepean,W.L.Boreham,J.A..Foote.

Old Etonians:H.Forsyth,W.S.Prideaux,Q.Hogg,H.F.Langley,J.Round,F.Crompton+,A.F.Kinnaird,  
E.Edmunds,T.Maghull,T.Astley,G.Hector.

+N.B.H.Arthur in F appears to be A.F.Kinnaird.

SHREWSBURY :The Schools 3 (G.F.Quentin, 2,E.A.Powys) The County 0 (Cavalry Field)

Field 24/2/66 P.156/Bell's Life 24/2/66 P.9:

F: "This match was played on Wednesday the 21<sup>st</sup>, in the ground generally designated as the Cavalry Field, which is much better adapted for football than the one commonly played on. The weather was the very best that could have been wished, there being no wind or anything else to favour one particular goal. The Schools began very energetically, carrying the ball at once straight to their opponents' quarters, and in a few minutes Quentin got a goal by a really good drop. After changing goals the County were still hard pressed, and had not succeeded in getting the ball very far from their own quarters when Quentin held it again, and, by a still finer kick than before, hoisted it over the opposite goal. After this the game continued for some time without incident, until the County were penned for the third time, and were unable to get rid of the School until the latter had added another goal to their score, which was kicked by Powys."

The School: J.S. Phillips, J.J. Emerson, G.F. Boyd, C. Harrison, E.B. Emerson, E.A. Powys, J.S. Lewis, J.L. Keene, A.H. Gilkes, G.F. Quentin, H.B. Dickinson. (BL has J.T. Emerson and G.J. Boyd)

The County: W.J. Hope-Edwardes, Rev. G.W. Fisher, Rev. A.T. Pelham, G. Preston, T.S. Eyton, G. Christian, Rev. J. Chapman, R. Hill, W.S. Buddicum, J. Brockbank, Rev. W. Roxby (hurt) (BL has J. Brocklebank and adds H. Burton for Rev. W. Roxby)

SAT FEB 24<sup>TH</sup> :

+ WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 2 (F. Lucas, H.R. Dupré) MR NORMAN'S ELEVEN 2 (A. Lubbock 2) (At Vincent Square)

+ Westminster School Football Ledger has this match against E.O. Berens side on Thursday Feb 15<sup>th</sup> when Eastwick's collar bone broken by Lubbock ("names lost for opponents" suggests muddle in their ex post facto records in this period): both Berens and Lubbock played and Eastwick was "hurt": see below

Bell's Life 10/3/66 P.9:

BL: "This match was played at Vincent-square on Saturday, Feb 24 and resulted in a tie. The play was very hard throughout. At the very commencement of the game the Westminsters lost the services of one of their men, and after a short lapse of time they sustained a second loss. This made the sides equal in number, as their opponents mustered only nine. Two goals were kicked by each side. Those on the part of the Westminsters by Messrs Lucas and H.R. Dupre, and those for their opponents consecutively by Mr A. Lubbock, whose play throughout was very good. For the Westminsters A. Lee kept goals splendidly, Dupre and G.H. Lee distinguishing themselves in the field. For their opponents, Messrs J.B. Martin, Brown, and (L.) Hogg especially played in good form."

Westminster School: F. Lucas, G.W. Chapman, F. Pownall, G.J. Circuit, J.H. West, E.C. Bovill, H.R. Dupré, A.G. Lee, G.H. Lee, W.J. Dixon, E. Eastwick (hurt).

Mr Norman's Eleven: + Norman, A. Lubbock, E.O. Berens, Brown, Gosling, Thompson, Thompson, J.B. Martin, Q. Hogg. + Could be either of E. Norman or P. Norman (different players)

HITCHIN CLUB 2 (Rev J. Pardoe, Conder) MR ELPHINSTONE'S TEAM 1 (R.D. Elphinstone) (At Hitchin)

Sportsman 27/2/66 P.3:

SM: "On Saturday, Feb 24, Mr Elphinstone took a team down to Hitchin to play against the newly-formed club there, Hitchin obtaining the day by gaining two goals to one. Where all played well it is invidious to particularise; but on the Hitchin side the play of Messrs Shillito, Pardoe, and Darton was perhaps most conspicuous; while on the other side Messrs Reid and Alcock stuck to the ball with a pertinacity which merited, though it did not command, success. The hill and wind favoured the Hitchin Club at starting, but half an hour had elapsed ere Mr Pardoe sent the ball flying through the adversary's goal. Scarcely had the opponents changed sides when Mr Elphinstone "performed" in like manner for his party. And then the "row began;" but although the strangers played all they knew, Fortune again smiled on their antagonists, and Mr Conder, after lying in wait in the neighbourhood of his opponents' goal for the space of about twenty minutes, at length obtained the wished-for chance, and amidst great cheering from the spectators secured the last and decisive goal for the "countrymen".

Hitchin: Rev J. Pardoe, Rev Parker, Shillito, Darton, Conder, Capt. Wyles, Delme Radcliffe, Messrs Lucas (three) (F. Lucas, J. J. Lucas, C. C. Lucas)

Mr Elphinstone's Team: C. W. Alcock, F. P. Barlow, C. F. Reid, C. H. Mallock, F. Lucas, J. Rhodes, W. M. Alfrey, R. D. Elphinstone, Messrs Delme Radcliffe (two), Malladaile (Emergencies)

WED FEB 28<sup>TH</sup> :

+WANDERERS 1 (C. W. Alcock) WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1 (H. R. Dupre) (At Vincent Square) (Return)

+Westminster School Football Ledger has a 3-0 loss (but their records are in a muddle at this period) and in Wanderers team have another Thompsons, A. Hills, and B. Dyers for J. A. Boyson, J. A. Cruikshank, C. F. Reid and W. Randolph

Bell's Life 10/3/66 P.9/Sportsman 3/3/66 P.8:

BL: "On Wednesday, Feb 28, the Wanderers played their return match against Westminster School. With their usual luck the Wanderers lost the toss, and had to face one of those adverse winds against which they have lately so often had to contend. Shortly after the commencement of the game a base was well obtained for Westminster by H. Dupré, which gave the wind to the Wanderers, for whom a base was soon kicked by C. W. Alcock. After this no other base was obtained by either side, and in spite of the numerous attempts the Wanderers made to add another to their list of victories, the wind proved too much for them, and the game ended in a draw. For Westminster H. Dupré and F. Lucas played well: for Wanderers, H. G. Phipps and J. A. Boyson"

Wanderers: C. W. Alcock, J. A. Boyson, E. W. Burnett, J. A. Cruikshank, R. D. Elphinstone, J. Lucas, H. G. Phipps, C. F. Reid, C. M. Tebbut, A. Thompson, W. Randolph.

Westminster School: F. Lucas, E. C. Bovill, G. J. Circuit, S. H. West, C. Griffith, H. R. Dupré, G. W. Chapman, A. G. Lee, F. Pownall, W. J. Dixon, F. Miller.

C. C. C. 0 CLAPHAM GRAMMAR SCHOOL 0 (Clapham Common)

Field 10/3/66 P.202/Bell's Life 10/3/66 P.9:

F: "This match was played on Clapham-common on Wednesday, the 25<sup>th</sup> ult. Owing either to the bad state of the weather or other unforeseen accidents, only seven of the C.C.C. twelve turned up on the ground. In spite, however, of the numerical superiority of the School, the C.C.C. all played up so hard that the match resulted in a draw, neither side obtaining a goal. The game was, on the whole, pretty evenly contested, although the School had decidedly the best of the dribbling, but in the mauls their opponents generally got the ball and hacked it through them.

For the C.C.C. Wearne got the ball in almost every scrum, and it was in great measure owing to his general good play that his side did not lose the match." "Gordon, Dacre and Leibenrood especially distinguished themselves on the side of the School."

C.C.C. : J. Wearne, O. Fuller, E. Fairfield, C. Newman, R. Leach, A. Friend, P. Turner. (No School team)

SAT MAR 3<sup>RD</sup> :

WANDERERS 1 (H. Forsyth) CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 (At Charterhouse)

Field 10/3/66 P.202/Bell's Life 10/3/66 P.9/Sportsman 6/3/66 P.2:

BL: "Ground hard and slippery. In spite of the condition of the ground, and the disadvantages under which both sides laboured equally in not being able to turn quickly, a well-contested game was the result. For a long time it appeared that no base would be obtained by either side, but, after a good run up by F. Barlow, a base was kicked by H. Forsyth. Now came the tug of war, and the Charterhouse boys tried all they knew to redeem the lost ground, but in spite of play being continued for an extra quarter of an hour, they were unable to stem the tide, and victory remained with the Wanderers."

Wanderers: C. W. Alcock, \*F. P. Barlow, J. A. Boyson, J. A. Cruikshank, R. D. Elphinstone, H. Forsyth, F. Green, A. Haye, Q. Hogg, J. Lucas, A. Thompson, W. Thompson. (\*BL has F. B. Barlow and F has F. Barlow but there were 2 F. P. Barlow, Fred and Frank: do not know which.)

Charterhouse School: M. J. Muir Mackenzie (Capt.), E. C. S. Gibson, C. P. Scott, O. S. Walford, W. W. Cooper, T. P. Abraham, R. W. Macan, J. P. Middleton, C. E. B. Nepean, W. L. Boreham, J. A. Foote, F. Dorling.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 NO NAMES 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 10/3/66 P.9:

BL: "The Westminsters were completely off their legs owing to the unusually slippery state of the ground, which is generally very fast and dry. The N.N.'s, who were used to a wet ground, had consequently some advantage, so that with the exception of some few "runs up" by H. R. Dupré, the ball was generally at the Westminster end."

Westminster School: F. Lucas (Capt.), G. W. Chapman, F. Pownall, G. J. Circuit, S. H. West, E. C. Bovill, H. R. Dupré, F. Miller, W. J. Dixon, +E. R. Griffith, H. Curteis (+CHECK INITIALS)

No Names: A. Tebbut (Capt.), C. Tebbut, A. Baker, H. Baker, A. Fleet, F. Emmanuel, J. Nicholas, F. Morton, C. Picard, W. T. Holland, O. Borradaile (? V)

WED MAR 7<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 4(C.P.Scott,O.S.Walford,J.P.Middleton,C.E.B.Nepean) CIVIL SERVICE 0 (At Charterhouse)

Field 17/3/66 P.221/Bell's Life 17/3/66 P.7:

BL:"This match was played at Charterhouse,on Wednesday,March 7,and resulted in a victory for the School by four goals to none.The goals were got by Messrs Scott,Walford,Middleton,and Nepean.For the Civil Service Messrs Deacon and Stow chiefly distinguished themselves."(F Report almost identical)

Charterhouse School:M.J.Muir Mackenzie,E.C.S.Gibson,C.P.Scott,O.S.Walford,W.W.Cooper,R.W.Macan,T.P.Abraham,J.P.Middleton,C.E.B.Nepean,W.L.Boreham,J.A.Foote.

Civil Service :Deacon,Wearne,Buchanan,Kneller,Lawson,Howard,Gwynn,Gurdon,Stow,+Dorling+Wade.+Emergencies.

SAT MAR 10<sup>TH</sup> :

BARNES 2 touch-downs CRYSTAL PALACE 1 touch-down (At Barnes)

Bell's Life 17/3/66 P.7/CHECK FIELD :

BL:"At Barnes,on Saturday,the 10<sup>th</sup> March,the above-mentioned clubs played an excellent and most evenly-contested match for one hour and a quarter,resulting in favour of the former by two touch-downs to one.This being in accordance with one of the \*new rules of the Association,which gives the victory to the side obtaining the greatest number of touch-downs,where no goal is obtained."

Barnes:T.K.Barnes,Boyle,Rev R.Carrington,E.S.Farquharson,R.Graham,A.B.Smith,D.M.O'Leary,M.Roberts,R.Shepherd,S.Le B.Smith,Hon.R.Villiers,R.Willis,E.C.Morley,and 2 Emergencies.

Crystal Palace:E.Abraham,D.Allport,W.Allport,Cockerell,A.Cutbill,E.Cutbill,H.Foster,J.Grose,E.R.Hammond,A.Lloyd,H.Lloyd,T.Lloyd,Saward,T.Sharland,A.Morten(acting captain)

F.A. ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING:

\*At the Annual General Meeting of the Football Association held on Thursday February 22<sup>nd</sup> the following new Rule VII was substituted:

"In case the ball goes behind the goal line,a player on the side to whom the goal belongs shall kick it off from the goal line at the point opposite the place where it is touched by a player with any part of his body.But if a player of the opposite side first touches the ball after it has gone behind the goal line of his adversary,one 'touch down' shall be scored by his side;and in the event of no goal being got on either side,or an equal number of goals being got on each side,the side obtaining the greater number of 'touch downs' shall be the winners of the match."

The Original Rule from 1863 stated:

"In case the ball goes behind the goal line, if a player on the side to whom the goal belongs first touches the ball, one of his side shall be entitled to a free kick from the goal line at the point opposite the place where the ball shall be touched. If a player of the opposite side first touches the ball, one of his side shall be entitled to a free kick (but at the goal only) from a point 15 yards from the goal line opposite the place where the ball is touched. The opposing side shall stand behind their goal line until he has had his kick." (Field 24/2/66 P.156)

Also at the AGM Rule 8 was deleted, thus prohibiting the "fair catch". It originally stated:

"If a player makes a fair catch he shall be entitled to a free kick, providing he claims it by making a mark with his heel at once; and in order to take such a kick he may go back as far as he pleases, and no player on the opposite side shall advance beyond his mark until he has kicked."

However, Tony Brown notes in his Source Book "Although the 'fair catch' was removed from the Rules, Rule 11 was unaltered ("A player shall not be allowed to throw the ball, or pass it to another."), meaning any player could stop the ball with his hand."

See also the letter from J.C.T. in Field 10/2/66 P.113

WANDERERS 4 (C.W. Alcock, R.D. Elphinstone, Syd. Harper, A. Thompson) FOREST SCHOOL 0 (At Walthamstow)

Sportsman 13/3/66 P.2:

SM: "On Saturday last, the 10<sup>th</sup>, the Wanderers "turned up" at Walthamstow to play the Forest School, where they enjoyed a good game, though their superior weight gave them an advantage over their youthful opponents. The wind, which blew straight across the ground, rendered several lofty kicks from the foot of a celebrated Wanderer very wide of the mark. The match ended in a victory for Wanderers by four bases (obtained by C.W. Alcock, R.D. Elphinstone, S. Harper, and A. Thompson) to none."

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock, C. Bigland, R.D. Elphinstone, Syd Harper, H. Head, P. Rhodes, C.F. Reid, A.M. Tebbut, C.M. Tebbut, A. Thompson, W. Thompson.

N.B. Wanderers History does not have this lineup.

Forest School: Not given

Bell's Life 31/3/66 P.7: "THE WANDERERS CLUB. - During the past season, commencing Oct 28<sup>th</sup>, this powerful club has been engaged in 16 matches, of which they won 11, four were drawn, and in one they were defeated by Harrow School, on which occasion they did not play their entire strength. In the return match the Wanderers retrieved their lost laurels, winning by two bases. In the 16 matches the Wanderers obtained 32 bases, and nine were scored against them." (Actually 10 were scored against them according to Wanderers History)

THURS MAR 15<sup>TH</sup> :

SHEFFIELD 1 goal (F. Knowles) and one rouge NOTTINGHAMSHIRE 0 (At Sheffield)

Nottinghamshire Guardian 23/3/66 P.8/Bell's Life 17/3/66 P.7:

NG:"The return match between the Sheffield and Nottingham clubs took place on the Sheffield ground, on Thursday. Play commenced at 2.30 p.m. Nottingham won the toss for choice of goals and selected a position with their backs to the wind. Play was proceeded with for three-quarters of an hour without a goal being obtained on either side. The goals were then reversed, Sheffield taking that previously occupied by Nottingham; and in about a quarter of an hour Sheffield succeeded in obtaining a goal. Play was then continued for another half hour when time was called, the match terminating in favour of Sheffield by one goal." (In fact Sheffield also got a rouge: see BL : "Shortly after the sides were changed Sheffield obtained a rouge, which was speedily followed by a goal, kicked by F. Knowles.")

Sheffield: W. Chesterman (Capt.), H. W. Chambers, J. C. Shaw, W. Shepherd, A. Wightman, A. A. Dixon, A. Earnshaw, J. Knowles, F. Knowles (Goal), W. Baker, J. D. Webster, J. H. Matthews, W. Turton, F. Swift, H. J. Carline. (BL has B. Shepherd and J. Swift) (NG has H. J. Carbol and A. Hearnshaw)

Nottinghamshire: John Patterson (capt.), A. B. Baillon, H. Moody, G. Packer, W. J. Elliott, J. Hack, W. Birkin, J. Shaw, W. Lymbery, H. Browne, C. F. Daft, H. H. Herbert, G. Steegman, J. M. Astill, J. Wilkinson. (NG has E. Steegman and J. H. Astill)

SAT MAR 17<sup>TH</sup> :

FIND WANDERERS V NN'S FIELD FIXTURE 3/3/66 P.175 CHECK FIELD 31/3/66 MISSING FROM KR VOLUME

HITCHIN CLUB 1 (F. Lucas) MR LUCAS'S TEAM 0 (At Hitchin)

Field 24/3/66 P.245/Bell's Life 24/3/66 P.7:

BL:"This match was played at Hitchin, on Saturday, March 17, and resulted in a victory for the Hitchin Club, which was ably commanded by the Rev. J. Pardoe, who again was well supported by F. Shillitoe and Rev. J. Parker. For Mr Lucas's Eleven, C. W. Alcock and J. Boyson particularly distinguished themselves, Mr Boyson's play causing much astonishment among the large "gallery" collected there. The goal for Hitchin was kicked by F. Lucas."

Hitchin: H. Radcliffe, Rev. J. Pardoe, Rev. J. Parker, H. Darton, A. C. Conder, O. H. Forster, F. Shillitoe, J. J. Lucas, F. Lucas, C. C. Lucas, Tuck.

Mr Lucas's Team: C. W. Alcock, J. A. Boyson, Pember, R. D. Elphinstone, C. F. Reid, Alfrey, Bagwell, H. Head, J. Lucas.

FOREST SCHOOL 2 (Conquest, Another) ECCENTRICS 2 (Parr and 1 disputed Wearne) (At Snaresbrook)

Field 24/3/66 P.7/Bell's Life 24/3/66 P.7 (Very similar reports):

F:"ECCENTRICS. This club, which has been formed both for cricket and football purposes, opened its career on Saturday last by sending a team down to Snaresbrook for a match at football with the Forest School. Several of the Eccentrics did not turn up at the proper place and time, only seven having appeared, but substitutes were kindly provided from the School, and play commenced.



The E.F.C. at first took the lead, and after a few minutes of brisk fighting Parr made a good run in, and cleverly kicked a goal for them. The School then metted up, and the game took such a turn in their favour, that two goals were quickly obtained by them, one very well got by Conquest.

Some difference of opinion prevailed as to the result of the match. At the conclusion of the game, Wearne, on the part of the Eccentrics, having caught the ball, and run the gauntlet of his opponents, "dropped" a goal; but just when on the point of kicking, a cry was raised in the School interest of time; and an objection, which, under the actual circumstances of the case, the E.F.C. cannot regard as valid, was raised to this goal being counted."

The Eccentrics present were : Hay (Capt.), Cant, Parr, Borrer, Wearne, Mackinlay, Circuit.

FRI MAR 23<sup>RD</sup> :

HARROW CHEQUERS 1 (C.W. Alcock) OLD ETONIANS 1 (A. Lubbock) (At Battersea Park)

Bell's Life 31/3/66 P.7:

BL: "The Harrow Chequers is a new club, formed of Harrow men, including several present members of the School, but the assistance of none of these was obtained for this match, as the School had not yet broken up. This, also, probably accounted for the absence of Harrow sympathisers among the lookers on, but many Etonians were present, who preferred a football match to seeing Mr Lawes run at Beaufort House. The play was a little interfered with by the wind, but nevertheless a very spirited game was witnessed. It was decided to adopt the Westminster Rules, as it was considered that by this means the difficulty of each side being accustomed to use the rules of their own school would be done away with. As soon as the play began to open it was evident that the Etonians were in force, as they continually drove the ball behind the base of their opponents, but being more clever in their own game at getting rouges, they were not for some time successful in getting the ball between the Harrow poles. The Chequers meanwhile were not idle, and some very good runs up were made, especially by Mr Boyson, whose play for his side was very brilliant throughout the game. Notwithstanding this the Etonians managed to score the first goal, which was mainly due to the very energetic and effective play on the part of Mr A. Lubbock. The Chequers now went to work in good earnest to retrieve their fortune, and some hard fighting ensued; till at length their exertions were rewarded by Mr Alcock's obtaining a goal by means of some first-rate play. Both sides were now even and struggled vigorously for the next 10 minutes to score the winning goal, but neither had succeeded in doing so when time was called, and this exciting match was thus brought to a close, and terminated in a tie. By some mistake during the former half of the game the Etonians played a 12<sup>th</sup> man on their side, and neither party was conscious of it till one Chequer, more wary than the rest, counted his opponents and discovered the fact. Of course, the superfluous member at once retired."

Harrow Chequers: C.W. Alcock, J.A. Boyson, J.A. Cruikshank, C.A. Cater, R.D. Elphinstone, R.W. Gillespie, F. Green, J. Horsfall, H.G. Phipps, J.T. Prior, H. Richardson.

Old Etonians: L. Bridges, H. Forsyth, Q. Hogg, A.F. Kinnaird, M. Knight, A. Lubbock, E. Lubbock, Hon. F. Pelham, W.W. Phipps, J.H. Phipps, J. Round.

SAT MAR 31<sup>ST</sup> :

FIELD 31/3/66 MISSING FROM KR VOLUME!!

LONDON 2 goals(E.C.Morley,J.B.Martin) and 4 touches-down (J.K.Barnes 2,C.M.Tebbut,J.B.Martin)  
SHEFFIELD 0 (At Battersea Park)

Field 7/4/66 P.288/Bell's Life 7/4/66 P.10/Sporting Life 7/4/66 P.5:

BL:"The rules played were those of the Football Association.The game commenced at a quarter past three.Sheffield,having won the toss,took the Western goal,which gave whatever wind there was in their favour.About 10 minutes after Pember had kicked off Morley succeeded in getting a goal.Ends were then changed and Barnes made a touch-down for London.The game now became very hot,Sheffield doing all they could to bully the ball through the London forward players.Martin made a splendid run down with the ball to within a few yards of the enemy's goal,and Alcock kicked it through;it was disallowed,however,by the umpire,Alcock being off side.The three next touch-downs were then scored for London by Messrs Tebbut,Barnes,and Martin;shortly after the latter gentleman kicked a goal.Ends were again changed,the game standing thus:-London ,2 goals,4 touches-down; Sheffield 0.The game ceased at a quarter to five,after one hour and a half's hard play,the ground being very heavy in consequence of the rain which fell at intervals(except when it hailed) during the whole afternoon.Some of the London team got rather severely kicked and knocked about.The Sheffielders came off much better,none of them being hurt.Sheffield played all through the game with the greatest pluck and determination,but were fairly over-matched." 'The two teams dined together at the Albion,Russell-street,Covent-garden,afterwards."

London:A.Pember(Capt.)(President of Football Association),C.W.Alcock(Wanderers),  
E.C.Morley(Barnes), R.D.Elphinstone(Civil Service),A.F.Kinnaird(Wanderers), C.M.Tebbut(No  
Names),J.B.Martin(Wanderers),J.K.Barnes(Barnes),D.M.O'Leary(Barnes),A.Baker(No Names),  
R.W.Willis(Barnes).

Sheffield :W.Chesterman(Capt.),H.W.Chambers,F.Knowles,J.Knowles,B.Shepherd,  
J.Denton,A.A.Dixon, W.Baker,J.C.Shaw,J.D.Webster,A.Wightman.(BL has J.Swift for B.Shepherd)

NOTTINGHAM MATCHES :OFFICIAL HISTORY OF NOTTS COUNTY BY TONY BROWN;

Thurs Mar 22<sup>nd</sup> :

NOTTS FOREST 0 NOTTINGHAM CLUB 0

Notts Club:E.B.Steegman,J.Hack(Capt.),A.B.Baillon,W.Elliott,T.Elliott,W.Ward,  
J.C.Hodges,H.Browne,W.Goddard,B.Bradley,J.Wilkinson

Thurs April 19<sup>th</sup> :

NOTTINGHAM CLUB 0 NOTTS FOREST 0

Notts Club:E.B.Steegman,J.Hack,A.B.Baillon,W.Elliott,W.Ward,C.S.Wardle,Lees,  
J.Wilkinson,Wright,S.Scrimshaw,Stranger.

SHROVE TUESDAY FOOTBALL:Sportsman 20/2/66 P.2:

AT ALNWICK:

"This ancient and manly game, which from time immemorial has been one of the most popular amusements of the hardy borderer, and has been annually played on Shrove Tuesday at Alnwick, but owing to the death of the late Duke of Northumberland occurring last year about that period, the game was omitted, was, on Tuesday, by permission of the present duke, renewed with all its spirit and vigour. The sports were under the patronage of Hugh Lisle, Esq., and Captain Selby, R.N., the resident magistrates of the town, and were regulated by a committee of management appointed for the purpose, everything being carried out with satisfaction alike to the competitors and spectators, and with that kindly feeling which might be expected from this exciting and invigorating game when played in a proper locality and not in the streets of a town like Kingston, as detailed below. Messrs T. Foster and T. Pickard acted as umpires, while Mr W. Foster undertook the duties of steward and referee. The match was between the men of the parochial districts of St Michael's and St Paul's, the latter having the whole of Clayport. After an arduous struggle round the goal of St Michael, for three quarters of an hour, the St Paul party, by a successful effort, managed to drive it away, carrying it right across the field, Mark Patterson, one of the party, cleverly kicking it through their goal, and thereby gaining the first hale for St. Paul's. After a short interval, the ball was again thrown up, and a similar exciting struggle took place for nearly an hour, which was decided in favour of St Michael's party, but as the ball was thrown from the hand, and not kicked through the goal, the winner, Humphrey Morrison, in this case would, according to the rules, not be entitled to any prize. The third and conquering hale was then commenced, but though equally keen while it lasted, was much sooner decided, in favour of St Michael's, John Gardener being the successful competitor of the day. The prizes awarded to the first and second hales were 10 s each and for the third and conquering one the successful men received a sovereign, which prizes were given by the Duke of Northumberland. At the conclusion of the matches two balls were thrown up to become the property of whoever could carry them off. This feat was performed by William Dunlop and John Knox, respectively, one of them taking his across the river Aln at the weir, where few exhibited any inclination to follow. The day was beautiful, clear and sharp, but dry and sunny, and a large concourse of spectators were present, watching the fluctuations of the game."

#### AT KINGSTON-ON-THAMES:

"This annual carnival was celebrated on Tuesday in the usual manner. Kingston now stands almost alone in the game of football on this day, which is carried out in the market-place and through the streets of the town. It has gone on for many years, but the character of the affair has much degenerated. To a stranger, the spectacle presented by the town during the greater part of the day must appear most unaccountable. The shops are closed, windows and lamps protected by woodwork, and the place seems given up to a lot of rioters. After the mob had paraded the footballs round the town accompanied by flags and a band of music, the first ball was started from the town hall, and immediately the play began. The play consists chiefly of hugging the ball, during which time the outsiders climb up on the shoulders of those round the ball, and crawl over their heads; not unfrequently, too, some one is thrown bodily on to the sea of heads. One ball was kicked into the river on Tuesday, and with those which were cut, five in all were started. Besides these there were in various parts of the town, balls belonging to private persons, which were patronised more or less. At five o'clock the church bell, which had rung out to announce the opening of the pastime, again chimed, and the game of football in the streets then became illegal. Considering the character of those forming the crowd, the day passed off quietly. One feature of this year was that the mayor did not lend his sanction to the proceedings by starting the first ball, which has been done for many

years by the chief magistrate in the borough. The circumstance leads many to expect that 1867 will not see a repetition of the Shrove-Tuesday of 1866 and the years before, and that the same measures will be taken as were taken at Hampton, where the custom has ceased for the last four or five years."

BEATON'S FOOTBALL BOOK :Sporting Life 31/1/66 P.1:

Contents:-

I-Introductory. II-A Word for Athletic Sports. III-Historical IV-Theory of the Game.  
V-Formation and Management of a Club VI-Rules for Play and Comments thereon, with Plan of Ground. VII-Ground, Stock Dress, Treatment of Ball, with Diagram of Goals, &c VIII-Practical Instructions for Beginners. IX-General Play X-Special Qualifications-Conclusion.

Engravings:-

I-A Sharp Scrimmage at Goal II-Miss and Spill III-Charging-Giving the Hip IV-Position for Place Kicks V-Position of Foot in Kicking. VI-Charging-Giving the Shoulder

"The Reader" of January 27, says of Beeton's Football Book: "People cannot do better than purchase the series of Beeton's Books on Games. The Rules of Football are as different as the value of scholarships and the dignity of foundations. The "wall" of Eton is a feature in the game quite unique, and any description of it would be almost unintelligible. The rules in force there, and at Rugby, and at Winchester are so irreconcilably diverse one from the other, that compromise is simply impossible." Mr Beeton has done very wisely in making some attempt to construct a series of rules which may be adopted outside the great schools. His object is to eliminate unnecessary danger, and to provide a basis "so simple" in principle, and uncomplicated in action, that players of all schools and clubs may meet as upon common ground. "We recommend the book to schoolmasters as well. It will save them much trouble in arranging this pastime for their scholars."

SHEFFIELD ASSOCIATION MATCHES :

Sourced from Sheffield Daily Telegraph Oct-Dec 1865 and Sheffield Independent Jan-March 1866

N.B. No SI on line for Oct-Dec 1865.

Sat Oct 14<sup>th</sup> :Pitsmoor Opening Match

Mon Oct 16<sup>th</sup> :Milton Opening Match and Mackenzie Opening Match.

Sat Oct 21<sup>st</sup> Sheffield v Newhall

Hallam v Broomhall at Sandygate

Wed Oct 25<sup>th</sup> :Broomhall 3 goals and 4 rouges Eccleshall 0 (SI 26/10/65 P.3)

Sat Oct 28<sup>th</sup> :United Mechanics Club Opening Match(Norfolk Park)(SI 2/11/.65 P.2)

SAT OCT 28<sup>TH</sup> :

Fir Vale 2 goals 1 rouge Heeley 0 (SI 31/10/65 P.8)

Sheffield 0 Mackenzie 0 (Newhall Gardens)(SI 31/10.65 P.8)

Norfolk 1 rouge Hallam 0 (At Norfolk)(SI 31/10/65 P.8)

Sat Nov 4<sup>th</sup> :

Heeley 0 Norfolk 1 (Meersbrook:part of provided for Hallam Club by W.P.Milner)

Broomhall 2 goals 1 rouge Mackenzie 2 rouges (East Bank)(SI 7/11/65 P.8)"Broomhall again victorious"(Date not given:could be Monday)

Sat Nov 11<sup>th</sup> :

Mackenzie 1 rouge Hallam 0 (East Bank)(SI 14/11/65 P.8)

Broomhall 2 goals 6 rouges Mechanics 0 (Ecclesfield Road)(SI 13/10/65 P.3)

Sheffield 0 Norton 0 (At Sheffield )(SI 14/11/65 P.8)

Mon Nov 13<sup>th</sup> :

Mackenzie 1 goal 4 rouges Pitsmoor 0 (Return)(East Bank)(SI 14/11/65 P.8)

Mon Nov 20<sup>th</sup> :Sheffield Norton v Leeds(See above main matches)

Mon Nov 20<sup>th</sup> :

Broomhall 1 rouge Mackenzie 0 (East Bank)(SI 21/11/65 P.8)("Broomhall again successful")

Fixtures(Results not traced):

Sat Nov 25<sup>th</sup> :Pitsmoor v Mechanics

Tues 28<sup>th</sup> :Mackenzie v Norton and Norfolk v Mechanics

Wed Nov 29<sup>th</sup> :Hallam v Mackenzie

Sat Dec 2<sup>nd</sup> :

Norfolk 0 Mackenzie 0 (2<sup>ND</sup> 14's)(At Norfolk)(SI 5/12/65 P.8)

Sat Dec 9<sup>th</sup> :

Sheffiedl 0 Mackenzie 1 (East Bank)(SI 12/12/65 P.8)

Milton 4 goals and 4 rouges Mechancis 0 (SI 12/12/65 P.8)

Mon Dec 11<sup>th</sup> :

Broomhalll 0 Mackenzie 0 (Return)SI 12/12/65 P.8)(4 Matches between them this season and Broomhall have won 3)

Sat Dec 23<sup>rd</sup> :Broomhall 1 rouge Heeley 0 (At Meersbrook)(SI 28/12/65 P.3)

Tues Dec 26<sup>th</sup> :Pitsmoor v Mackenzie(Result not traced)

Wed Dec 27<sup>th</sup> :

Hallam 1 rouge Mackenzie 0 (SI 29/12/65 P.3)(The rouge was scored when Hallam had 13 men against 12 and then "odd man was struck off")

Thurs Dec 28<sup>th</sup> :Leeds v Sheffield (At Royal Park,Leeds)(SI 30/12/65 P.8 in above main matches)

Sat Dec 30<sup>th</sup> :

Sheffield v Norfolk (East Bank)(Result not traced)

Milton 3 goals 1 rouge Fir Vale 0 (Return)(SI 6/1/66 P.10)

Mon Jan 1<sup>st</sup> (:SI 2/1/66 P.8)

Mackenzie 0 Fir Vale 2 goals (At East Bank)

Hallam 1 goal 1 rouge Norton 0 ((At Sandygate)

Broomhall 1 goal 1 rouge Mechanics 0 (At Norfolk Park)("Broomhall again won")

Sat Jan 6<sup>th</sup> :

Mackenzie 1 rouge Heeley 0 (2<sup>ND</sup> 14'S)(At East Bank)(SI 9/1/66 P.5)(SM 16/1/66 P.7)

Pitsmoor 1 goal 2 rouges Sheffield 1 goal (At Pitsmoor Ground)(SI 9/1/66 P.5)(SM 16/1/66 P.7)

Sat Jan 13<sup>th</sup> (SI 20/1/66 P.10)

Norfolk 0 Pitsmoor 0 (12 a side)(At Norfolk Park)("owing to the unfit state of the weather,only ten a side played")

Sheffield 2 rouges Lincoln 0 (At Newhall Ground)(See main games above for teams and reports)

Broomhall 3 rouges Hallam 0

Heeley 1 goal 2 rouges Mackenzie 0 (Return)(At Meersbrook Park)

Sat Jan 20<sup>th</sup> :

Norfolk 2 rouges Heeley 1 rouge (2<sup>ND</sup> 14's)(SI 23/1/66 P.6)

N.B. SI 22/1/66 gave Heeley 1 goal 1 rouge Norfolk 2 rouges .However,the Heeley goal was disallowed by both umpires but claimed as a goal by Heeley.SI has correspondence criticising Heeley for not abiding by the Umpires' decision.

Broomhall 1 goal 2 rouges Gleadless Village 0 (SI 24/1/66 P.3)

Norton 1 goal Hallam 1 goal 4 rouges(SI 27/1/66 P.10)

Thurs Jan 25<sup>th</sup> :

Sheffield v Nottingham (See main matches above for report)("Draw" (Sheffield had 12 v 14)(SI 27/1/66 P.6)

Sat Jan 27<sup>th</sup> :

Fir Vale 3 goals 1 rouge Heeley 1 goal(2<sup>nd</sup> 14's)(SI 29/1/66 P.3)

Norfolk 0 Mackenzie 0 (At Norfolk Ground)(SI 3/2/66 P.10:"after nearly two hours' very spirited play.")

Tues Jan 30<sup>th</sup> :Sheffield Club AGM

Sat Feb 3<sup>rd</sup> (SI 5/2/66 P.3)

Fir Vale 2 rouges Mechanics 0 (At Norfolk Park)

Pitsmoor 1 goal 1 rouge Hallam 0 (Return)(At Sandygate)

Sat Feb 10<sup>th</sup> (Results not traced)

Mackenzie v Hallam (East Bank) Heeley v Norfolk (At Meersbrook Park)

Tues Feb 13<sup>th</sup> :

Norton 1 goal Mackenzie 2 rouges (At Norfolk)(SI 17/2/66 P.10)

Sat Feb 17<sup>th</sup> :

Milton 2 goals Mechanics 0 (12 a side)(At Norfolk)(12 a side)(Return)(SI 24/2/66 P.10:"Milton thud won two(first twelve )matches in one day."(!)

Sheffield 1 goal Pitsmoor 0 (Return)(SI 24/2/66 P.10)

Sat Feb 24<sup>th</sup> :

Norfolk 1 rouge Hallam 0 (Return)(At Sandygate)(SI 3/3/66 P.10))

Norton 1 goal Pitsmoor 2 rouges (At Norton(SI 3/3/66 P.10)

Mon Feb 26<sup>th</sup> :

Milton 1 goal 1 rouge Broomhall 1 goal (2<sup>nd</sup> 14's)(Return)(At Broomhall)(SI 3/3/66 P.10)

Pitsmoor 3 goals 5 rouges Mechanics 0 (At Norfolk Park)(SI 3/3/66 P.10)

Sat Mar 3<sup>rd</sup> ☹SI 10/3/66 P.10)

Pitsmoor 1 rouge Norfolk 0 (Return:1<sup>st</sup> game a draw)(Norfolk's first defeat)(At Pitsmoor Ground)

Milton 2 goals 1 rouge Broomhall 1 rouge (Return)(3<sup>rd</sup> game ?)(At Milton)

Mon Mar 5<sup>th</sup> :

Broomhall 1 rouge Gleadless Village 0 (Return at Gleadless)(SI 10/3/66 P.10)

Thurs Mar 15<sup>th</sup> :

Sheffield v Nottingham (SI 16/3/66 P.3)(See above main matches for Report and Lineups)

1866/67:

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL team for 1866/67:W.J.Dixon,A.G.Lee,S.H.West,E.C.Bovill,H.R.Du Pré,  
+R.W.E.Eastwick,F.Miller,C.E.Bickmore,J.C.Smith,H.Curteis,G.H.Lee,E.Bray.

+Wrongly listed as R.W.C.Eastwick

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL team for 1866/67:E.C.S.Gibson(Capt.),O.S.Walford,C.E.B.Nepean,  
W.L.Boreham,J.A.Foote,C.H.Wade,W.Wallace,E.Venables,A.S.Mammatt,H.H.Murray-Mackenzie,  
E.A.Hammick.

ETON COLLEGE Field team for 1866:C.H.H.Parry,R.R.N.Ferguson(Keepers),J.R.Sturgis,W.D.Benson,  
J.C.Reibey,W.C.Calvert,C.R.Alexander,T.Mc C-Bunbury,H.C.Bonsor,M.Horner,H.Warburton,  
C.Tait(12<sup>th</sup> man).

SAT SEPT 29<sup>TH</sup> :

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 1 THE NEVERSWEATS 0 (Field 13/4/67 P.279)(Chelmsford Chronicle 5/4/67/  
P.5)

WED OCT 3<sup>RD</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL Match (At Westminster) First Seven 1 (W.J.Dixon) Next Thirteen 1  
(F.S.Haden)

Bell's Life 6/10/66/P.3:

First Seven:W.J.Dixon(Capt.),A.G.Lee,S.H.West,E.C.Bovill,H.R.Dupré,E.Eastwick,F.Miller.

Next Thirteen:C.E.Bickmore,H.Curteis,G.Lee,J.C.Smith,E.Bray,S.Randolph,E.Giles,  
F.Saunders,F.S.Haden,A.Short,J.Neill,F.O'Brien,F.Pownall(Old Westminster)

SAT OCT 6<sup>TH</sup> :

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 2(Nash,Hoyle) WALTHAMSTOW RIFLES 0 (At Walthamstow(See Field  
13/10/66 P.298(No teams)

BARNES CLUB:"This club will open its season today (2:15 train from Waterloo),on the field hitherto  
used by the club,which has been again kindly lent by Mr T.M.Nelson.After the game a meeting will  
be held for the election of officers,in pursuance of Rule 3.The gymnasium will be open on Monday,  
Oct 8,at 8:30 p.m.;and members wishing to practice during the winter are particularly requested to  
attend at the opening,as the evenings of meetings during the season will then be fixed."(Bell's Life  
6/10/66 P.3)

WED OCT 10<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1(C.E.B.Nepean) MR J.WEARNE'S TWELVE 1 (C.G.Waudby)



Field 13/10/66 P.298/Bell's Life 13/10/66 P.9:

F: "The opening match of the season was played at Charterhouse, on Wednesday last, with a team brought down by Mr J. Wearne, and after a hotly-contested game of an hour and a quarter the result was a draw, each side having scored a goal, one exceedingly well got for the scratch twelve by Mr Waudby, while the other was kicked for Charterhouse by Mr Nepean. The tide of war seemed to veer a little in favour of the visitors at the latter part of the match, and at the moment of finishing another goal would probably have been obtained for them except for one of the school goal-posts having been broken down in a fierce scrimmage. Judging, however, from the way the School played on this occasion, against formidable opponents, they are not likely to be less successful this year, under the captaincy of Mr Gibson, than in seasons past; and although Mr Mackenzie, the late captain, and a most accomplished player, is individually a great loss, good may, perhaps, spring out of a misfortune, in so far that the eleven already shows signs of relying less upon single individuals, and work better generally. Mr Hogg, as a "back", rendered useful services to his side, and good play was exhibited on the part of the Carthusians by Gibson and Nepean."

Charterhouse School: O.S. Walford, R.W. Macan, C.E.B. Nepean, W.L. Boreham, J.A. Foote, F. Dorling, C.H. Wade, E.E. Venables, W. Wallace, H. Walker, A.S. Mammatt, E.C.S. Gibson (Capt.)

Mr Wearne's Twelve: G.C. Waudby, Q. Hogg, M. Muir Mackenzie, W.J. Dixon, F. Miller, G.H. Lee, A.P. Short, G.J. Circuit, H.H. Batten, A.W. Peate, F.C. Wright, J. Wearne.

THURS OCT 11<sup>TH</sup> (Founder's Day):

HARROW SCHOOL 1 (S. Carlisle: max) HARROW CHEQUERS 0

Field 20/10.66 P.307/Bell's Life 13/10/66 P.2/SG 13/10/66 :

F: "Once a base was almost scored for the H.C.F.C. Montgomery had headed all the field, and was trundling the leather in fine style up to the poles, when his foot slipped, and "like a chicken stag, he stretched his noble length upon the grassy sward". At last, after an hour and a quarter of puffing, and racing, and chasing, ... H. Richardson, whose play had been excellent throughout, was unlucky enough to slip just as the elder Carlisle was nearing the base with the ball, and one was scored for the School just before the clock struck half-past three. The match lasted a quarter of an hour more, during which time Green and Alcock, who alone seemed to have any of the necessary Boreas at command, did pretty nearly all the work for the Chequers. With the School, Money's example seemed to do everything. Nearly everybody was as energetic, though not, perhaps, as skilful as himself. Tatton, Gore, and the "Chequer" Montgomery's younger brother, deserve particular commendation."

Harrow School: W.B. Money, C.J. Smith, R.G. Tatton, A.L.C. Montgomery, F.R. Broughton, J. Walker, S. Carlisle, F. Carlisle, J. Archer, T. Dale, A. Palmer, S. Gore, W. Willis. (BL has 3 different initials) (SG has J.I. Montgomery)

Harrow Chequers: C.L. Tupper, C.W. Alcock, H. Richardson, J.E. Mylne, F. Green, J.A. Cruikshank, E.H. Selfe, C.T. Part, H.H. Montgomery, P. Milbanke, H. Noyes, G.R. Thompson, H.E. Gribble. (N.B. H.B. Phipps was absent)

SAT OCT 13<sup>TH</sup> :

C.C.C. 2(J.E.Tayloe,F.B.Soden) BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 0 (At Brentwood)

Bell's Life 20/10/66 P.6:

BL:"The C.C.C. played their opening match at Brentwood on Saturday,Oct 13.Play did not commence until four on account of some of the players not being able to arrive before that hour.However,the B.S. kindly consented to play from four to 5:30.For the first hour it was very uncertain which side would have the best of it;but a well-directed kick from (T.)Tayloe enabled the C.C.C. to count a goal;another was soon after obtained by F.B.Soden,thus leaving the C.C.C. victorious,having scored two goals to none.For the B.S. Messrs Walker,Nash,and Francis played well,while Frere proved very useful to his side."

C.C.C. :J.E.Tayloe,E.Tayloe,Frere,C.Davidson,Andrews,F.B.Soden,+W.Burgess, +C.Burgess,+St Quintin, +Reid.+Substitutes

Brentwood School:Francis,Walters,Walker,Holden,Nash,Hyslop,Burgess,Mason,Mumford, Lee,Wilton.

N.B. Results of other Brentwood School games in Field

LINCOLN Match :JUNIORS 1 (A.Allott) SENIORS 0

Sat Oct 6<sup>th</sup> Juniors 0 Seniors 0

Sat Oct 13<sup>th</sup> (Resumed) Juniors 1(A.Allott) Seniors 0

Juniors:G.Shipley,E.Mantle,W.Scorer,A.Padley,C.Glasier,T.Shuttleworth,A.Allott, F.Dalton,O.C.Stove,H.Allott,F.Allsop,E.Parham(Goalkeeper)

Seniors:F.Thropp,J.R.Reynolds,W.H.Lowe,A.Ramage,W.Tritton,D.J.Gawham,J.Mawer(Goalkeeper)

N.B. Seniors played 10 to 11 Juniors,3 out of the 10 being substitutes(not named)

MON OCT 15<sup>TH</sup> :

Eton Wall Game:

ETON COLLEGE 1 Shy A.F.KINNAIRD'S ELEVEN 1 Shy

Eton College Chronicle 1/11/66 P.266:

ECC:"The Eleven was a rather "scratch" affair as they had two or three playing that had never played at the Wall before.They had,however,procured the experience of Messrs Ainger and Carter,the play of the former being very good indeed;and after a very evenly-contested game each side obtained a Shy,and so the match resulted in a tie."

Eton College H.C.Bonsor,R.V.Somers-Smith,J.H.D.Goldie,J.W.Foley,F.Huddleston,W.D.Benson, A.Tuck,J.R.Sturgis,R.R.N.Ferguson,C.J.Thornton,J.Unthank.(Initials taken from Upon St Andrew's Day)

C.H.H.Parry was unable to play for the School.

A.F.Kinnaird's Team:A.F.Kinnaird,Q.Hogg,E.+(Walls),J.P.Carter,H.Brandreth(Behinds),  
E.Hall(Thirlds),Lord E.Fitzmaurice(Fourths),E.A.Owen(Lines),A.C.Ainger(Flying Men),  
Tindall(Goals)(Emergency).

TUES OCT 16<sup>TH</sup> :

Field Game :

ETON COLLEGE 1 goal and 1 rouge Mr A.F.KINNAIRD'S ELEVEN 1 rouge

Eton College Chronicle 1/11/66 P.267:

Eton College:R.R.N.Ferguson,W.D.Benson,J.R.Sturgis,C.J.Thornton,J.C.Reibey,C.R.Alexander,  
H.C.Bonsor,W.C.Calvert,J.H.Ridley,J.Unthank,H.Warburton.

C.H.H.Parry was unable to play for the School.

A.F.Kinnaird's Team:A.F.Kinnaird,Rev.G.R.Dupuis,W.S.Prideaux,E.C.Austen-Leigh,H.D.Forsyth,  
E.Norman,E.A.Owen,H.Brandreth, Lord E.Fitzmaurice,H.Headlam,and C.Tait(Emergency)

SAT OCT 20<sup>TH</sup> :

FOREST SCHOOL7 (H.Tubb ,M.T.Park,T.Gascoigne,T.Carver,A.Unna,R.Duncan,Another)  
TOTTENHAM & EDMONTON CLUB 1 (V.Weber)(At Walthamstow)

Sporting Life 24/10/66 P.3:

SL:"This match,played on Saturday,October 20,at Walthamstow,was the opening match of the  
season for both clubs,and resulted in an easy victory for Forest School,which obtained seven goals to  
their opponents' one.Messrs H.Tubb,M.T.Park,T.Carver,A.Unna,V.Weber,and Bell showed good play  
for their respective sides.The goal for Tottenham & Edmonton was kicked by V.Weber,and those for  
the Forest School by H.Tubb,M.T.Park,T.Gascoigne,T.Carver,A.Unna,and R.Duncan.

Forest School:W.S.Glassfurd(Capt.),H.Tubb,M.T.Park,J.W.Glover,R.Duncan,S.Beauchamp,  
T.Knowles,C.Openshaw,C.Moore,T.Moore,T.Carver,A.Unna,T.H.Gascoigne,E.Titley,F.Stow.

Tottenham and Edmonton: Bell(Capt.),V.Weber,Wharlow,B.Barnes,Sergeant,Morant,  
Williams,Finney,L.Weber,Kirkby,Hurren,W.E.Gascoigne(Substitute),T.Crowther(Substitute).

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL +5 (Nash 2,Walker 2, Lee) MERCHANT TAYLOR'S SCHOOL 0 (Field 13/4/67  
P.279) +See Chelmsford Chronicle 26/10/66 P.5)

Sporting Life 31/10/66 P.3:"Unfortunately for the latter(MTS) three of their players were absent,so  
that thirteen were matched against sixteen.The Brentwoods gained the day by five goals to none.On  
Wednesday,October,24,the Brentwood School played their fifth match for the season with an eleven  
from Chigwell School,and were again victorious by three goals to none.Matches to be played by the  
Brentwood School are:-November 10,v Clapham Grammar School,at Brentwood,November 17 v  
Forest School,at Brentwood,November 24 ,v Clapham Club,at Clapham Common,December 1 v St  
Paul's School,at Brentwood."

N.B Sporting Life 20/10/66 P.4 has the fixtures for Tottenham and Edmonton Club including 2 games against Walthamstow Rifles but mostly "Rugby" code Clubs it seems.

TUES OCT 23<sup>RD</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL Match : Eleven 2(C.E.Bickmore,E.Bray) Twenty-Two 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 27/10/66 P.10:

Eleven:W.J.Dixon(Capt.),A.G.Lee,S.H.West,E.C.Bovill,H.R.Dupré,F.Miller,H.Curteis,T.C.Smith,  
C.E.Bickmore,E.Bray,G.H.Lee.

Twenty-Two:G.R.Barker(Capt.),E.Giles,C.Maude,C.H.Stenning,E.S.Randolph,F.Haden,F.A.O'Brien,  
F.Saunders,G.Jenkins,W.Neale,H.Rawson,J.Neill,W.Jemmett,H.Rawson,G.Williams,W.Dyce,  
W.C.Lefroy,W.Randall,J.Plinniger,R.Curteis,H.Jameson,H.Barron.

WED OCT 24<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 2 (C.E.B.Nepean,O.S.Walford) MR C.W.ALCOCK'S XI 0 (At Charterhouse)

Field 27/10/66 P.329/Sportsman 27/10/67 P.3/Bell's Life 27/10/66 P.10:

F:"This match was played at Charterhouse,on Wednesday,Oct 24,and resulted in a decided victory for the School,who obtained +two goals,while their adversaries failed to secure one.The first was well kicked by Nepean,and the second Walford and Nepean managed between them.Mammatt also played up with energy for the School,and among their adversaries Messrs Tebbut and Butter distinguished themselves,while C.Reid contrived to kick the ball over the wall after several unsuccessful attempts." +BL"(both kicked by C.Nepean).

Charterhouse School:E.C.S.Gibson,O.S.Walford,R.W.Macan,C.E.B.Nepean,J.A.Foote,F.Dorling,  
C.H.Wade,W.Wallace,H.Walker,E.E.Venables,A.S.Mammatt.(No team in SM)(BL adds 12<sup>th</sup>:  
J.Alderson)

Mr Alcock's XI:C.W.Alcock,C.F.Reid,E.Norman,C.M.Tebbut,A.M.Tebbut,J.Butter,H.Emanuel,  
A.Crompton,A.Thompson,+H.H.Mackenzie,+R.Dunn +Emergencies

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 2 (E.Bickmore,E.C.Bovill) +ECCENTRICS 0 (At Vincent Square)

Field 27/10/66 P.329/Bell's Life 27/10/66 P.10/Westminster School Football Ledger:

F:"This,the first match of the School,was played in Vincent-square,on the 24<sup>th</sup> inst,against the Eccentrics, +a promising and newly-formed club.The School played well together,while their adversaries,though individually strong,were unable,on account of their bad back play,to prevent Bickmore and Bovill obtaining a goal each.For Westminster the two Lees and Dixon were "all there";on the other side no one but Tayloe particularly distinguished himself."

Westminster School:W.J.Dixon(capt.),A.G.Lee,E.C.Bovill,H.R.Dupré,F.C.Smith,E.Eastwick,  
F.Miller,H.Curteis,G.H.Lee,E.Bray,C.E.Bickmore.

Eccentrics:W.B.P..Adams,G.C..Allen,H.H.Batten,W.Borrer,C.W.Carfrae,R.W.P.Circuitt,  
E.Freeth,A.W.Peat, J.E.M'Kewan,J.E.Tayloe,J.Wearne.

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 3 GRANGE COURT,CHIGWELL 0 (Field 13/4/67 P.279)

SAT OCT 27<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 0 E.E.BOWEN'S ELEVEN 2(W.H.Evetts 2)

Sportsman 30/10/66 P.1/Bell's Life 3/11/66 P.9:

SM:"This match,which is now looked upon as an annual one,took place on the School football field last Saturday,the 27<sup>th</sup>,and resulted in a victory for the foreigners by two bases to none,a victory attributable,no doubt,to the heavy state of the ground,which placed the School Eleven(this year lighter than usual) under a considerable disadvantage,and,on the other hand,favoured the strangers, who were,perhaps,a stronger eleven than is usually mustered for these matches.In the whirling of the giddy coin Fortune befriended the strangers,and the School thus lost the advantage of the hill, which,though a useful auxiliary at any time,proved to be of more than usual assistance on this occasion to their heavier opponents.The ball was kept well down at the School base for some time,until a good run down was made by the strangers,which,being only partially stopped by the home base-keeper,gave Mr Evetts,who had backed up exceedingly well,an opening at base,of which he was not slow in taking advantage,and the first base was thus claimed by the foreign eleven.Sides were changed,and it was generally expected that,with the assistance of the hill,the School would now retrieve its lost laurels;but the energetic play of Messrs Boyson and Langford on the part of Mr Bowen's Eleven,prevented the ball often reaching the lower base,and it was not long before-in spite of Mr Money's superior play for the School,and his excellent long shots at base-another chance was given to Mr Evetts,which he accepted as before,and scored a second base for the strangers,who after this gave the School (no) chance at base,and thus won the match by two bases to none.We cannot conclude this account without adding a word of praise to Messrs Money and Smith on the School side for the energetic style in which they tried to stem the tide of fortune which rolled down upon them,and also to Messrs Boyson and Langford who were conspicuopus amongst the strangers for their good play and excellent backing up.We may remark that Money and Smith are the only remaining members of last year's Eleven,and consequently the Schoolhas not yet had the practice necessary for coping successfully withsuch a strong eleven as that brought down to Harrow on Saturday."

E.E.Bowen's XI:E.E.Bowen,W.T.Langford,W.O.Hewlett,A.Young,A.Crompton,J.A.Boyson,  
W.H.Evetts,J.T.Ainslie,C.W.Alcock,H.Willis,C.Templar.

Harrow School:Archer,Broughton,Carlisle,Gibson,Gore,Money,Montgomery,Palmer,  
Petley,Smith,Tatton.(BL only)

SM:"Money and Smith are the only remaining members of last year's eleven"

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 MR C.W.ALCOCK'S TEAM 2 (C.E.B.Nepean 2)

Sportsman 1/11/66 P.1/Westminster School Football Ledger:

SM: "A team collected under the auspices of Mr C.W.Alcock, and in that gentleman's absence, commanded by Mr J.Lucas, of Westminster renown, came to Vincent-square on Saturday last, the 27<sup>th</sup> ult., saw and conquered the Westminster boys by two bases to none, by this victory making a slight atonement for the reverse Mr A's Eleven suffered at Charterhouse on the previous Wednesday. We cannot altogether wonder at the result, when we find the foreign team comprising so many names justly celebrated in the football world. Mr Nepean, who obtained both bases for the strangers, rendered himself conspicuous amongst his fellows for his extremely fine play and excellent kicks, ably assisted by Messrs Macan and Emmanuel. The only good play on the School side was exhibited by Mr Bovill who worked hard to conquer, although it is but fair to the School to say he was not as ably supported as usual in consequence of the accidents and chances of football warfare, which had disabled several of its most useful players."

Westminster School: W.J.Dixon, A.G.Lee, E.C.Bovill, H.R.Du Pré, F.Miller, E.Eastwick, G.H.Lee, H.Curteis, J.C.Smith, E.Giles, F.Randolph(?E.S.L)

Mr Alcock's Eleven: J.Lucas, A.Thompson, W.J.Thompson, J.E.Tayloe, A.M.Tebbut, H.Forsyth, H.Emmanuel, E.C.S.Gibson, O.S.Walford, R.W.Macan, C.E.B.Nepean.

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 6 21<sup>ST</sup> ESSEX 0 (Field 13/4/67 P.279)

TUES OCT 30<sup>TH</sup> :

Bell's Life 17/11/66 P.2:

LAUSANNE 5 (F.S.Howell 3, W.Lyon, Ponsonby) GENEVA 1 (E.J.Hutton) (Picturesque ground at Montbenon, nr Lausanne) (See Return game on Dec 12<sup>th</sup>)

Lausanne: F.P.Barlow, R.C.Allfrey, C.J.Campbell, H.T.Grenfell, H.J.Hadow, L.S.Howell, E.Leggatt, W.Lyon, F.J.Myers, Ponsonby, C.Scott.

Geneva: Capt.Meade, J.E.Stevenson, P.Meade, E.J.Hutton, C.Rawson, H.T.Macleod, G.Baker, A.Meade, R.A.Ogilvie, M.Downton.

WED OCT 31<sup>ST</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 3 (C.E.B.Nepean 2, E.E.Venables) MR BUTTER'S TEAM 0

N.B. This is later listed as 2-0 (see list of results SM 11/12/66 P.1)

Sportsman 1/11/66 P.1/Field 3/11/66 P.358/Bell's Life 3/11/66 P.9:

SM: "This match took place yesterday, and after an exciting game, resulted in a victory for the School by three bases to none. The goals were kicked by Messrs Nepean(2), and Venables(1), who were well backed up by the whole of their side, especially Mr Walford. For the strangers, Messrs Hoare and Butter were very energetic and troublesome to their adversaries."

Charterhouse School: E.C.S.Gibson, O.S.Walford, C.E.B.Nepean, W.L.Boreham, J.A.Foote, F.Dorling, C.H.Wade, E.E.Venables, W.Wallace, H.Walker, A.S.Mammatt, H.M.Mackenzie.

Mr Butter's Team: J. Butter, Earl of Jersey, A. Hoare, E. Brook, W. Gosling, W. B. R. Jacobson, C. W. Alcock, Rev. H. J. Evans, A. Tebbut, G. Savage, H. Mackinnon, A. F. Clarke (Emergency: possibly for H. A. Wadeson)

N.B. Mr Butter's Team is a bit of a muddle in the papers and there are various combinations of initials for some names.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 CIVIL SERVICE 0 (At Vincent Square)

Field 10/11/66 P.378/Bell's Life 10/11/66 P.10/Westminster School Football Ledger:

F: "This match, the first of the season for the C.S., was played on Wednesday, the 31<sup>st</sup> ult, on the Westminster School ground, and ended in a draw.

The weather being scarcely cold enough to stir up the combatants to extraordinary efforts, the game was not quite so hotly fought out as might have been expected, but, nevertheless, some good play was shown on both sides. The boys, at first, in the absence of one or two of their opponents, took a slight lead, but were deprived of it afterwards, although the match might have continued even longer than it did with an equally indecisive result.

There have been several defections from the C.S. team of last year, some of the gentlemen having succumbed to their increasing sloth, and others being accidentally disabled, while the late energetic hon. sec. has taken a matrimonial leap, and is obliged to be more careful of his shins, in which another can now claim a total interest; but a great many new members are enrolled, and amongst them some very useful and active recruits, so that a prosperous campaign may be hoped for."

Westminster School: W. J. Dixon, A. G. Lee, S. H. West, E. C. Bovill, H. R. Du Pré, F. Miller, J. C. Smith, H. Curteis, G. H. Lee, A. Short, E. Bray.

WSFL: Bickmore and Eastwick "absent through illness"

Civil Service: C. G. Waudby (Capt.), E. Freeth, A. E. Bateman, F. Deacon, C. G. Howell, Q. Hogg, A. W. Peate, E. O. Berens, + J. Circuitt, J. Wearne, ++ W. Jemmett. (+ SM has (J.) Neill prob as emergency for J. Circuitt but not in WSFL) ++ In WSFL prob as emergency

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 1 BRUCE CASTLE 0 (Field 13/4/67 P.279) (Chelmsford Chronicle 7/12/66 Results Summary gives Bruce Castle 1-0)

THURS NOV 1<sup>ST</sup>:

ETON COLLEGE 1 rouge OXFORD TEAM 0 (At Eton)

Eton College Chronicle 8/11/66 P.271:

ECC: "The School played without four of their usual Eleven viz, Sturgis, Bonsor, Ridley, and Warburton."

Eton College: C. H. H. Parry, R. R. N. Ferguson, W. B. Benson, J. C. Reibey, C. R. Alexander, W. Calvert, J. Bunbury, C. Tait, M. Horner, J. Carr-Lloyd, C. Patton.

Oxford: E. S. Hope, R. S. Bridges, M. G. Knight, W. W. Phipps, C. S. Newton, A. F. Walter, A. V. Pryor, S. J. Fremantle, G. Gosling, Lord Willoughby de Broke, Lord Dalmeny,

ETON FOOTBALL CLUB 2 (A.F.Kinnaird,Lord E.Fitzmaurice) ST JOHN'S COLLEGE 0 (At Cambridge)(Sportsman 4/12/66 P.4)(Field 20/4/67 )/Eton College Chronicle 22/11/66 P.280:

"This match resulted in a victory for the Eton Club by two goals to (n)one.The play of Messrs.Pelham, Tuck and Kinnaird was very good."

Eton Football Club:Lord E.Fitzmaurice,A.F.Kinnaird,Hon F.G.Pelham,C.E.Cuthell,G.H.Tuck,W.Radcliffe, W.D.Rawlins,C.E.Knight,J.Yates,H.Faber,V.B.Kennett,J.Rigden.

St John's College:Rev. A.J.Torry,H.Hudson,W.Pitman,W.Lloyd,W.F.Smith,G.Osborne,C.Haslam, G.L.Bennett,W.Hoare,H.B.Cotterill,A.Hodges,W.Braithwaite,jun.

HARROW Match :Twelve 0 Twenty 0 (Field 23/3/67 P.220)

CHRIST COLLEGE 1 (R.N.Russell) EMMANUEL COLLEGE 0 (At Cambridge) (Field 20/4/67 P.301)

SAT NOV 3<sup>RD</sup> :

FOREST SCHOOL 2 (H.Tubb 2 ) WANDERERS 0 (At Forest School Ground,Walthamstow)

Sportsman 6/11/66 P.1:

SM:"The Wanderers rambled down to Walthamstow on Saturday,to play their first match this season against the Forest School,and were compelled to return to the metropolis groaning under the burden of an unexpected though disastrous defeat.Fortune,who usually dispenses her favours very charily to the rovers in their matches against this School,was,on this occasion,less propitious than ever,for only seven members made their appearance on the ground at the appointed time,the spirits of the absentees being no doubt damped by the stormy state of the weather.Shortly after the commencement of the game the already thin ranks of the Wanderers were made thinner by an accident which happened to one of their most useful members,and caused him to be carried off the field.With such a handful of men(substitutes merely ornamental),the slimy state of the ground being adverse to the individual play,which is such a distinguishing feature of the Wanderers' game,we cannot wonder that,in spite of the energetic manner in which they defended their base against such odds for nearly an hour,the rovers were at last obliged to succumb to the well-organised attacks of the boys,for whom a base was well kicked by H.Tubb.The School now had the assistance of the hill,in spite of which advantage the boys were kept well on the defensive until a rather fluke kick by Tubb secured a second base,and victory to the School by two bases to none.It is but fair to the Wanderers to say that they played well,against the numerical superiority of their opponents,and had their four absentees only kept their promises the match would have terminated with a very different result. The boys played better this season than they have done for many years,and they have learned that most useful football lesson-to play well together-a lesson which when properly used by a football team,will always make its members dangerous opponents."

Forest School:W.Glassfurd(Capt.),M.Park,H.Tubb,J.Glover,S.C.Beauchamp,R.Duncan,T.Knowles, H.Openshaw,C.Moore,A.Elluns,J.H.Gascoigne.

Wanderers:C.W.Alcock,A.Crompton,H.Emmanuel.H.Head,P.Rhodes,C.C.Parr;  
Substitutes(Forest School):E.Titley,F.O.Stow,W.Gascoigne; A.M.Tebbut disabled.



ETON COLLEGE 2 rouges CAMBRIDGE ("Mr Arthur's Eleven") 1 goal (At Eton)

Eton College Chronicle 15/11/66 P.275/Field 17/11/66 P.396:

Eton:C.H.H.Parry,R.R.N.Ferguson,W.D.Benson,J.C.Reibey,C.R.Alexander,H.C.Bonsor,W.C.Calvert,  
J.(Mc.C.)Bunbury,H.Warburton,C.Tait,M.Horner.

N.B.The School were deprived of the services of Sturgis and Ridley.

Cambridge:+A.F.Kinnaird,E.Royds,Rev.G.R.Dupuis,C.Radcliffe,E.Durnford,E.P.Rouse,H.F.Langley,  
G.Whitting,H.H.Seymour,E.C.Austen-Leigh,J.Unthank(Eton Emergency)+Listed as F.Arthur.

MON NOV 5<sup>TH</sup> :

WINCHESTER Match:

Commoners 8 College 5

Wykehamist Dec 1866 P.4/Field 17/11/66 P.396:

W:"We do not like to be prolix,but cannot leave the subject of Twenty-two without protesting  
against the absurd and persistent manner in which the ball was kept "under ropes" during the last  
20 minutes.The great arguments against playing in netting,was that so much time would be wasted  
"under ropes""Otherwise the netting was a great improvement on the old "keeping in" system"

Commoners;J.H.Crawley-Boevey(1),C.Marriott(5),R.B.Schomberg(1),R.H.Ramsbotham,S.R.Tatham,  
A.F.Leach,F.H.Birley(1),W.H.Trimmer,Hon.C.H.Strutt,H.Helme,A.G.Dowell,R.C.Stacpoole,C.K.D.Tanner  
,H.E.Brown,H.Latham,E.Durrant,J.W.Maxwell-Lyte,C.D.Hodgson,J.W.Pattinson, C.F.Rogers,  
M.H.C.Shelton,H.Woollcombe.

College:W.R.Randall,E.A.Bonner-Maurice,C.B.Phillips,F.B.Harvey(S.A.Cosser),S.H.Gatty,  
A.B.Horner(3),A.J.C.Dowding,F.B.Dyson,T.M.Todd,T.B.Hughes,L.A.Dering,C.C.Mackarness,A.K.Cook,  
C.H.Jopp,A.F.Guillemard,C.F.Vincent,E.D.A.Morshead,C.R.Hill(C.A.Cripps),F.T.Green,R.H.Vincent,  
H.Strahan,G.S.Raynor.

WED NOV 7<sup>TH</sup> :

CIVIL SERVICE 2 (C.G.Waudby,E.Freeth) CRUSADERS 0 (At Battersea Park)

Sportsman 10/11/66 P.4/Field 10/11/66 P.378/Bell's Life 10/11/66 P.10:

SM:" only nine played on either side"

F:"It was almost feared that the deservedly famous club of the Crusaders had become just as  
defunct as their historic predecessors;but Mr Berens,with praiseworthy zeal,has collected some  
scattered remnants of the body,and with a strong infusion of new blood,in the shape of  
recruitments from Westminster,&c,he was enabled on Wednesday last to bring a very fair team and  
nearly an eleven(!) into the field to contend with the Civil Service at Battersea.The latter,however,  
played too strong,and two goals were obtained for them-one by Mr Waudy,the other by Mr

Freeth. The Crusaders were evidently doomed to suffer defeat, but fought splendidly all through, Messrs Norman and Lubbock especially distinguishing themselves."

Civil Service : C.G. Waudby (Capt.), F. Deacon, J. Wearne, E. Freeth, E. Fairfield, B. Cooke, R. Babington, A.W. Peate, F.C. Wright.

Crusaders: E.O. Berens (Capt.), E. Randolph, J. Neill, A.P. Short, F. Saunders, W. Williams, E. Norman, E. Lubbock, C. Buchanan.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 5 (W.J. Dixon 3, F. Miller, A.G. Lee) MR LUCAS'S ELEVEN 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 10/11/66 P.10/Sportsman 13/11/66 P.1/Westminster School Football Ledger:

SM: "The result of the match played last Wednesday, the 7<sup>th</sup> inst., at Vincent-square, between Mr Lucas's team and the Westminster boys, may no doubt, in a great measure, be attributed to the fact that another match was being played at Battersea-park at the same time, and thus the two matches clashed. Only six men having turned up for Mr Lucas, the School was called upon for substitutes, one of whom we should recommend to go through a very severe course of base-keeping, as he sadly wants instruction in that line. It is needless to make any remarks about the match, as the strangers were thoroughly beaten, and the boys had it all their own way, scoring five bases to none. The bases were obtained by (G.) Miller, A.G. Lee, H.R. Dupré, and (S.) Dixon (2)."

BL: "F. Miller and A.G. Lee each obtained one goal; the other three were kicked by W.J. Dixon." (Confirmed by WSFL)

Westminster School: W.J. Dixon, A.G. Lee, S.H. West, E.C. Bovill, H.R. Du Pré, E. Eastwick, F. Miller, C.E. Bickmore, J.C. Smith, H. Curteis, G.H. Lee.

Mr Lucas' Eleven: J. Lucas, C.W. Alcock, W.J. Thompson, C.M. Tebbut, J.E. Tayloe, W. Frere, R.W. Circuitt, W. Johnstone; Emergencies: W. Neale, W. Jemmett, H. Barron. (SM has S. Johnson)

CHRIST'S COLLEGE 1 (Fyson) EMMANUEL COLLEGE 0 (At Cambridge)

Sportsman 8/11/66 P.1//Field 20/4/67 P.301:

SM: "This match (thirteen a-side) was played on Parker's Piece, Cambridge, yesterday (Wednesday), the following gentlemen contending:

Christ's: Cartmell, Damant, Daukes, Davies, Davis, Field, Fyson, Haughton, Pengelly, Roberts, Rowe, Sharpe, Haskett Smith.

Emmanuel: Yeatman, Staffurth, Eliot, Mitchell, H. Browne, Colin, Hammond, Wilson, Ottley, Rodwell, B. Browne, Hollins, Pershouse.

SM: "After some spirited play on both sides, Emmanuel succumbed to their opponents by one goal only, Mr Fyson making an unmistakable kick for the honour."

THURS NOV 8<sup>TH</sup> :

OXFORD HARROVIANS 1 (W. Evetts) HARROW SCHOOL 0 (At Harrow)

Sportsman 13/11/66 P.1:

SM: "The School having lost the toss, had to play up against the wind, which was blowing rather strongly down the ground, but in spite of the advantage the strangers thus gained, the boys played up well for about half an hour, when, after some good play by Selfe and Noyes, a kick from the boot of Evetts secured a base for the Oxford team. The boys now playing from the top base, it was expected they would soon balance the account with a base, but in spite of the good back play of Money and Smith, and the energetic following up of Montgomery and Broughton (the latter making several good runs up and one splendid attempt at base, which was extremely well saved by Milbanke between the poles) no further base was obtained by either side, and victory remained with the Oxford team by one base to none."

"As we have already remarked before (in our account of a match between E.E. Bowen's, Esq. Eleven and the School in the Sportsman of October 30), the School Eleven is this year far too light for the ground on which weight will always have an advantage, though we hope to give a better account of them as the season progresses."

Oxford : E.H. Selfe, W. Evetts, W. T. Langford, R. Milbanke, W. Noyes, H. Richardson, W. Robinson, H. Pelham, H. G. Phipps, H. J. Scovell, C. L. Tupper.

Harrow: W. B. Money, C. J. Smith, R. G. Tatton (C. W. Walker), J. A. N. Montgomery, S. W. Gore, F. R. Broughton, G. R. Palmer, F. Carlisle, J. F. Gibson, H. Willis, F. G. Templar.

SAT NOV 10<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1 (J. A. Foote) WANDERERS 0 (At Charterhouse)

Sportsman 13/11/66 P.1/Field 17/11/66 P.396/Bell's Life 17/11/66 P.10:

SM: "The Wanderers, whose star last season was so brilliantly in the ascendant, appear to have begun their present campaign with a fair share of ill-luck, for, hardly had they recovered from the defeat they suffered at the hands of the Forest schoolboys on the previous Saturday, when there were five absentees from the band of rovers, they made their appearance on Saturday last, the 10<sup>th</sup> instant, with only eight men to represent the eleven who on Friday night, looked so formidable on paper, and were compelled to lower their colours for the second time this season, the Charterhouse boys winning the match after one of the best games we have seen for a long time, by one base to none. The rovers won the toss, as we believe is their invariable custom when there is no advantage to derive from the lucky spin, and chose the upper base, the boys having the privilege of kick-off. The game was most evenly contested; time after time did Boreham and Foote carry the ball up the wall side, only to be repelled by the excellent defence of Phipps and Compton, while Thompson and Forsyth worked hard to secure a base for the rovers, their efforts being frustrated by the superior keeping of the school base-keepers, Gibson and Wade, the latter one of the most promising importations into this year's Eleven, though "his first appearance in this character". After an hour's spirited game, Foote introduced a happy change (for the School) in the state of the match, by kicking a base, which, being the only one obtained by either side, added another to the list of School triumphs this season. For the School, Gibson, Boreham, and Foote played well, while Phipps and Forsyth did their best for the Wanderers."

Charterhouse School:E.C.S.Gibson(Capt.),O.S.Walford,R.W.Macan,C.E.B.Nepean,W.L.Boreham,  
J.A.Foote, F.Dorling,C.H.Wade,W.Wallace,E.E.Venables,A.S.Mammatt.

Wanderers:C.W.Alcock,A.Crompton,H.Forsyth,Q.Hogg,H.G.Phipps,C.M.Tebbut,A.Thompson,  
W.J.Thompson;+Substitutes from School:+H.J.Evans,+F.G.Paulson,+H.J.Almond.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1 (H.R.Du Pré) MR F.POWNALL'S (Oxford) ELEVEN 0 (At Vincent Square)

Bell's Life 17/11/66 P.2/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL:"This match was played at Vincent-square,on Saturday,Nov 10,Mr Pownall bringing the team  
from Oxford.After about ten minutes' play H.R.Du Pré obtained a game for Westminster.During the  
remaining part of the game,although the ball was continually up at the Oxford goal,through the good  
goalkeeping of W.C.Lefroy no other game was obtained.F.Lucas,J.Ainslie,and G.Dowdeswell played  
well for Oxford,whilst G.H.Lee and H.R.Du Pré distinguished themselves for Westminster."

Westminster School:W.J.Dixon,A.G.Lee,S.H.West,E.C.Bovill,H.R.Du Pré,E.Eastwick,F.Miller,  
C.E.Bickmore,G.H.Lee,H.Curteis,J.C.Smith.

Oxford:F.Pownall,F.Lucas,J.A.Ainslie,K.Long,H.Littledale,W.G.Robinson,J.Allcard,S.K.Douglas,  
G.W.Chapman,G.Dowdeswell,W.C.Lefroy.

FOREST SCHOOL 3 (W.Titley,T.Carver,H.Openshaw) WALTHAMSTOW RIFLES 0  
(At Rifles Ground,Marsh Street,Walthamstow)

Sportsman 13/11/66 P.1:

Forest School:W.Glassfurd(Capt.),H.Tubb,N.Park,J.Duncan,T.Glover,S.Beauchamp,  
J.Knowles,H.Openshaw,T.Moore,C.Moore,T.Carver,A.E.Unna,W.Titley,R.Stow,S.Poole.

Rifles:P.Rouquette,T.Chidley,H.Lloyd,A.Borwick,H.Head,F.C.Rouquette,E.Parry,  
H.Haselhurst,N.Manicot,P.Gray,H.Read,W.Valentine,C.Read,S.Hibbert.

BARNES 3 goals and 2 touch downs REV G.FROST PUPILS 0 (At Barnes)(Sportsman 3/1/67 P.4  
Summary)(See below for Return)

Sportsman 13/11/66 P.1:"A match was played between these two clubs on Saturday last,at  
Barnes,which resulted in a victory for the former by three goals and two touches down.Owing to the  
thickness of the weather very little could be seen of the play on either side.The return match will  
take place most probably on Wednesday,the 21<sup>st</sup> inst,at Barnes."

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 0 CLAPHAM GRAMMAR SCHOOL 0 (Field 13/4/67 P.279)(The game lasted two  
and a quarter hours:Sporting Life 17/11/66 P.3)

Field 17/11/66 P.396:"This match was played at Brentwood,on Saturday,Nov 10.For two hours and a  
quarter the game was most hotly contested,and when time was called,neither side had gained a  
goal.For Brentwoods,Nash,Holden,and Wilton distinguished themselves;as also did Stansfield,  
Cunningham,and Frazer for the Clapham Grammar School."

WED NOV 14<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 3 (A.S.Mammatt,W.L.Boreham,C.E.B.Nepean) CIVIL SERVICE 0

Field 17/11/66 P.396/Bell's Life 17/11/66 P.10:

BL:"The result was an easy victory for the School,who obtained three goals,the first is to be ascribed to Mammatt;Boreham gave the final kick in the second,and the third was the consequence of a plucky charge by Mammatt,and a kick from Nepean."

F:"This match was played at Charterhouse,on Wednesday last,and ended in a thrashing for the C.S. by three goals to none,a result mainly attributable,like some of their defeats last year,to bad goal-keeping.The post of goal-keeper is usually assigned by the C.S. to the least useful of the team,or to anyone who is hurt or in want of rest;whereas,in other well-regulated clubs in which its importance is better recognised,it is only attributed to the practiced guardianship of men specially trained and trustworthy.This duty is always well attended to at Charterhouse,but on the present occasion the goal-keeper was not so much troubled to defend the situation as sholud have been the case if his opponents had worked harder.The Carthusians are altogether very strong this seaso;and taking a line from the match now under notice,and the draw lately played between C.S. and Westminster,it may be inferred they will prove formidable to the rivals of the latter school in their annual match on Wednesday next.On their own ground,with the peculiar way of forming up for the bullies at the sides,they certainly play up well,and it remains to be seen if a faster game on a larger and strange ground will suit them as well.On the side of the C.S. Mr Waudby(the captain),as usual,did his duty,and was,perhaps,more ably sustained by Mr Butter and Mr H M Mackenzie,who kindly came forward as emergencies,than by any of his own men;while for the School,Messrs Gibson,Nepean,and Wallace were most conspicuous."

Charterhouse School:E.C.S.Gibson,O.S.Walford,R.W.Macan,C.E.B.Nepean,W.L.Boreham,J.A.Foote,F.Dorling,C.H.Wade,W.Wallace,A.S.Mammatt,E.E.Venables.

Civil Service:C.G.Waudby,F.Deacon,A.E.Bateman,E.Freeth,R.Babington,C.Buchanan,G.B.Voules,J.Wearne,J.Davies,+J.Butter,+H.M.Mackenzie.+Emergencies

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 3 (A.G.Lee 2,C.E.Bickmore) CRUSADERS 0 (At Westminster)

Bell's Life 17/11/66 P.10/Westminster School Football Ledger:

BL:"On Wednesday,Nov 14 ,the Crusaders paid their annual visit to Westminster,with Mr E.O.Berens as captain.The match was won by the School Eeeleven,who gained three games to their adversaries' none,two of which were got by A.G.Lee,and the other by C.Bickmore.C.Alcock,C.M.Tebbut,and E.Randolph played well for the Crusaders,and H.R.Dupré,S.H.West,and G.Lee for the School."

Westminster School:W.J.Dixon,A.G.Lee,S.H.West,E.C.Bovill,H.R.Dupré,E.Eastwick,F.Miller,H.Curteis,J.C.Smith,C.E.Bickmore,G.H.Lee.

Crusaders:E.O.Berens(Capt),B.N.Thoms,E.Norman,C.W.Alcock,C.M.Tebbut,R.W.Circuit,J.E.Tayloe,J.C.Kerr; +Emergencies:+W.C.Lefroy,+H.Barron,+E.S.Randolph.

OLD ETONIANS 3 (Not recorded) RADLEY COLLEGE 2 (J.B.Wade,W.G.W.Collins)

Field 24/11/66 P.412: "On Wednesday, Nov 14, the match with the Old Etonians was played. There was much interest in it, as it was a novelty. Immediately on the commencement of the game the Etonians kicked a goal, which was followed by two more in quick succession. This caused the Radley side to play hard, and a goal was kicked for them by Wade. A second was shortly after gained by Collins, after which no more were obtained by either side, the match thus resulting in favour of the Old Etonians by three goals to two. On account of the high wind the ground was obliged to be altered, which was necessarily a disadvantage to the Radleians. On the side of the Old Etonians we noticed Messrs Bowman, Brassey, and Gilliatt as playing well; and for Radley, Collins, Roscoe, and Young did good service."

THURS NOV 15<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW CHEQUERS 2 (W.G. Robinson 2) CHRIST CHURCH, OXFORD 0 (At Oxford)

Sportsman 22/11/66 P.4/Bell's Life 24/11/66 P.6:

SM: "This match was played at Oxford, on Thursday last, Nov 15, and after a very even game, resulted in favour of the Chequers by two bases to none. Harrow Rules were played on this occasion, which gave considerable advantage to the Chequers, as the Christ Church eleven were strangers to the catching, which is so conspicuously a feature of the Harrow game. The bases for Harrow were gained by W.G. Robinson, who, by playing his long straight kicks, and general good play, lent valuable assistance to his side. For the Chequers, Pelham and Ainslie, who kept back, Robinson and Matthews, Noyes, and Kennaway, who kept the two sides, played extremely well, while, of the rest, the chief work was done by Mylne and Matthews. H. Richardson also played his usual superior style. For Christ Church, Milbanke, Seymour, Hope, Scovell, and Phipps did all they knew, and if individual play could have won the match, the tables, doubtless, would have been turned."

Harrow Chequers: H. Richardson, H.F. Pelham, H. Noyes, J.A. Ainslie, J.E. Mylne, W.G. Robinson, E. Matthews, C.L. Kennaway, J.H. Morgan, J.T. Richardson, G.B. Baker.

Christ Church: H.J. Scovell, W.T. Phipps, P. Milbanke, J. Hope, E. Seymour, F.K. Long, E.K. Long, R. James, S. Monkton, H. Walker, E. King.

ETON FOOTBALL CLUB 15 touch-downs CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY 0 (At Cambridge) (Sportsman 4/12/66 P.4/(See Field 20/4/67 P.301)/ECC 24/1/67 P.288:

SM: "This match was drawn in favour of Eton, whose eleven got any number of "touches down", but owing to the wet and not being accustomed to the large ball, they were unable to get a goal."

Eton Football Club: Lord E. Fitzmaurice, A.F. Kinnaird, Hon. F. Pelham, C.E. Cuthell, W.D. Rawlins, C. Knight, H. Faber, H. Thompson, G.H. Tuck, T. Yates, J. Rigden, W. Radcliffe.

Cambridge University: H. Taylor, C. Tukes, C.R. Hadow, W. Thornton, F. Osborne, E. Lloyd, H. Cartmell, C. Furnell, F. Hall, W.C. Mathison, W. Boulton, E. Hudson.

SAT NOV 17<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS 1 (J.T. Prior) WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 (At Vincent Square)

Sportsman 20/11/66 P.1/Bell's Life 24/11/66 P.6/Westminster School Football Ledger:

SM:"Actuated by a desire to recover their late severe losses on the turf(this is only a playful allusion to their two recent football defeats),and inspired with a sublime conviction that fortune,according to her reputed custom,would in due course of time "favour the brave",the Wanderers made their first appearance this season at Vincent-square,on Saturday last,with rather a formidable team,and succeeded in defeating the Elizabethans,after a most exciting match,by one base to none.The choice of bases fell to the rovers,who thus gained the assistance of a slight breeze,of which advantage they were not slow in making use.For the first quarter of an hour the ball was kept in most dangerous proximity to the Westminster base,though,owing to the most brilliant manner in which the School base-keeper usually performs,all attempts were signally defeated,until Prior,by a good,though rather lucky fluke kick,scored a base for the rovers.The boys now began to take advantage of the wind,which the loss of their base had thus given them,and at first it appeared that they would soon recover their lost ground,Dixon and Dupré being most energetic in their efforts to stem the tide that had set in against them,well backed up by Bickmore and G.H.Lee,but the strangers played too well together,and their base keeping was too faultless to permit the success of their opponents.Discouraged by their ill fortune,the boys began to exhibit a perceptible falling off, in their general play,and the superiority was once more on the side of the Wanderers,who,in spite of their arduous efforts to increase the advantage they had gained,when time was called,only won the match by the base which Prior had kicked for them.We must acknowledge that we were disappointed in the boys' play in this match,as from the style in which they performed on the previous Wednesday we had expected greater things from them;it is probable,however,that they were rather stale on this occasion,in addition to losing the services of one of their most valuable players(Miller)who was hurt in the match against Crusaders,though we have reason to believe he will represent his School in the approaching match with Charterhouse.For the School G.H.Lee.....played in grand style;Dixon(the captain) though he followed up most energetically,was not so well backed up as he deserved;in our opinion the boys have to thank their base keeper(West) that only one base was scored against them.For the Wanderers,all played well,Forsyth being conspicuous as second base,and , Gibson,and Nepean forwards.No doubt the rovers would have achieved a more signal victory had they been blessed with a full team,instead of commencing with nine,and finishing with only ten men." +Butter

Wanderers:C.W.Alcock,J.Butter,A.Crompton,H.Forsyth,E.C.S.Gibson,C.E.B.Nepean,E.Norman,J.T.Prior,C.M.Tebbut,W.J.Thompson.

Westminster School:W.J.Dixon(Capt.),E.C.Bovill,S.H.West,H.R.Dupré,A.G.Lee,E.Eastwick,G.H.Lee,C.E.Bickmore,H.Curteis,(E.S.L.)Randolph,W.C.Lefroy.

C.C.C. 6 (J.E.Tayloe,W.Frere,B.Stansfield,F.B.Soden 3 (BL:"two of which were rouge goals")  
TWENTY OF CLAPHAM 0 (Clapham Common)

Sportsman 20/11/66 P.1/Bell's Life 24/11/66 P.6:

SM:"This match was played at Clapham Common,on Saturday last,the 17<sup>th</sup> inst. At three o'clock both sides took the field,and after a few minutes' play a goal was obtained from a rouge touched down by F.B.Soden.From this point the C.C.C. did as they liked,completely "penning" their opponents in base, and scoring rouge after rouge,none of which they claimed,except one got just as the clock was striking 4.30,which was also touched down by Mr Soden as before.In addition to rouges,the C.C.C.

claimed four bases kicked for them respectively by +J.Taylor,W.Frere,++ J.Stansfield,and F.B.Soden. Where all played well it would be difficult to individualise.We should strongly advise the Twenty to play a little more together.The C.C.C. were two men short,and the Twenty were deprived of three of their number.” +J.E.Tayloe ++B.Stansfield

BL:”The goals were got by Messrs J.Tayloe,W.Frere,B.Stansfiel,and F.B.Soden,the latter scoring three,two of which were rouge goals.”

C.C.C. :F.B.Soden(Capt.),H.Dealtry,B.Stansfield,J.E.Tayloe,W.Frere,R.Franks,E.P.Edwards, A.Townsend,C.Davison,B.Ker,C.Higgins,G.Andrews,H.Wilkinson.(BL has B.Stansfeld)

Clapham Twenty:A.Busk(Capt.),C.Custance,H.Bristow,E.Tayloe,C.Burnard,J.Fraser,J.Smith,J.Wontner, +H.Meheugh,H.Fitzhugh,J.Matthews,J.Nichols,A.Green,Davis,Swan,Hewetson,Godfrey.(+BL has Meheux)

HARROW CHEQUERS 3 (C.L.Kennaway,C.L.Tupper,H.Noyes) RADLEY COLLEGE 1(W.G.W.Collins) (At Radley)

Sportsman 22/11/66 P.4/Field 24/11/66 P.412:

SM:”The rules played at Radley are considerably different to those played at Harrow,the Radley ball being much lighter than the Harrow cheese;there is more long kicking and “bullies”take place whenever the ball is returned from “straight in”; consequently for the first half hour the Chequers were rather out of it.The first base scored was won by the Radleians by a fine kick from the foot of W.Collins,their captain.Stung by the prospect of defeat the Chequers became more lively than ever,some superior play being exhibited by C.L.Kennaway,who,before twenty minutes had passed, secured by a fine side kick a first base for the “Chequers”.Things now began to look better for Oxford and Harrow...”

“.....Tupper.....scored a second base for the Harrovians” “..the Collegians could not prevent Noyes from crediting the Chequers with a third base.”

Harrow Chequers:H.Richardson,E.H.Selfe,H.J.Scovell,F.K.Long,C.L.Tupper,W.T.Lucas,C.L.Kennaway, H.Noyes,J.T.Richardson,C.F.Matthews,P.Milbanke,H.F.Pelham,J.E.Mylne,W.C.Eaton,W.G.Robinson, R.Digby.

Radley College:W.G.W.Collins(Capt.),E.S.Roscoe,W.H.Young,A.C.Jennings,H.E.Barrow,H.E.Burgess, J.A.Houlton,H.Chadwick,H.C.Maul,C.E.Yard,W.H.Cochran,S.H.Akroyd,C.J.Robin,J.B.Wade, G.Leach,C.S.Perceval.

FOREST SCHOOL 1 (\*H.Openshaw) BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 0 (At Brentwood)\*Confirmed in Season summary field P.279.

Sportsman 22/11/66 P.4(No lineups):

SM:”The Foresters won the toss,and preferring to have the wind with rather than against them,chose their base accordingly,and after only a few minutes’ play a base was kicked for them by +G.Openshaw.After the ball was again started,it was once more kicked by the Foresters through their opponents’ base which the Brentwood party,however,would not allow,as,according to their



rules,"a base cannot be scored from a 'free kick' unless touched by the opposite side".From this time the Foresters had it all their own way,the ball only being once taken behind their goal line,but owing to the above remarkable rule they were unable to increase their advantage.The Foresters were no doubt placed under considerable disadvantage in not understanding the Brentwood rules,which appear to be but a poor imitation of those formed by the Football Association,and also in having to kick under,instead of kicking according to their own game,over the bar.For Brentwood Francis and Walters played well,while for the Foresters,M.Park,C.Moore,and Openshaw did their best.

+(C.)H.Openshaw?

The second elevens of the above clubs also met at Brentwood when another victory was gained by the Foresters by two bases to none."

HERTFORDSHIRE RANGERS:Match(At Watford) :0-0:

Field 24/11/66 P.412:"The Hertfordshire Rangers played their opening game on Saturday,Nov. 17<sup>th</sup>.A strong muster appeared on the ground,among whom we noticed Messrs Finch,Hammands,Barker, Woolwrych,and others.Play continued for more than an hour ,and as the sides,about ten on either ,were very equal,no goal was obtained.We may notice that a very good ground indeed has been secured,near the Watford station,on the London and North Western line,lying near the Nascatt Estate,behind the cottages abutting on the high road."

ETON COLLEGE 2 goals(C.H.H.Parry,another from a bully) 2 rouges (C.R.Alexander,and another)  
AMATEUR ATHLETIC CLUB 0 (At Eton)

Sportsman 24/11/66 N.P.4/Eton College Chronicle 6/12/66 P.282:

Eton:C.H.H.Parry,R.R.Fergusson,J.C.Reibey,C.R.Alexander,H.C.Bonsor,W.C.Calvert,J.R.Sturgis,  
J.Unthank,C.Tait,M.Horner,H.Warburton.(ECC lineup)

Amateur Athletic Club:J.G.Chambers,R.A.H.Mitchell,Q.Hogg,J.Round,T.H.Phipps,R.H.Blake Humfrey,  
C.G.Arbutnot,R.Arbutnot,R.W.Vidal,J.Vidal,J.H.Ridley(Emergency).(ECC lineup)

ETON FOOTBALL CLUB 4 EMMANUEL COLLEGE 0 (At Trinity Ground,Cambridge)(Sportsman 4/12/66  
P.4/(See Field 20/4/67 P.301)

SM:"This match was played on the Trinity Ground,and was won by Eton by four goals to nil.For Eton there played:

Eton Football Club:Lord E.Fitzmaurice,A.F.Kinnaird,G.H.Tuck,Hon. F.Pelham,J.Yates,C.Cuthell,  
W.Radcliffe, W.D.Rawlins,C.Knight,W.Faber, V.Kennett,T.Ryden,F.Hammond,H.G.Rebow,  
W.Durnford,S.Hervey,H.Boevery,W.Bodkin,A.Leigh,E.A.Owen.(R.Durnford?)

The names of the Emmanuel team have not reached us.At all these matches there was a considerable number of spectators among whom we noticed that "enthusiastic admirer" of the game the Rev. W.C.Mathison."

TUES NOV 20<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS 1 (G.Phipps) CIVIL SERVICE 0 (At Battersea Park)

Sportsman 24/11/66 P.4/Field 24/11/66 P.412:

F: "The Civil Service met their old opponents, the Wanderers for the first time this season, on Tuesday last, at Battersea, and the latter having won the toss for goal, play was commenced at 3.15, which, in consequence of the early closing of the park gates, left only an hour for the game. The Wanderers, placed under a disadvantage by playing with one man short of their number, had to work their hardest to beat off the attacks of the C.S., who were very busy in all parts of the field; but the visitors, mostly old hands, and by dint of their superior weight and with well-tryed skill, baffled all hostile efforts, and their goal was maintained inviolate, although more than once endangered. Messrs Phipps and Reid played well, on their side, and Alcock, as usual, required a great deal of looking after by his opponents, who all worked commendably and with zeal, Messrs Deacon, Freeth, and Kirkpatrick being especially useful. No change of goal was necessary throughout the match; but at the last minute Mr Phipps made a good run down to the C.S. base, and the ball was got through somehow; but it was objected that the goal-keeper had first been handed over, and the ball afterwards handed through. The captains of the two sides afterwards met, and, at the wish of the captain of the C.S. team, it was arranged that the disputed goal should be considered to count in favour of the Wanderers, who are, therefore, the winners of the match."

SM: "....neither side played near its full strength, the Civil Service having lost the services of C.G. Waudby, their captain..""The rovers won the toss, and with a spirit of generosity well worthy of emulation by others, gave their opponents the privilege of playing up against the pitiless blast under which the Battersea Park seems fated to labour. Play was not commenced until 3.30-too late, we consider to begin a match at this time of the year, when the Park is closed at 4.15-and was continued most energetically until the park-keepers gave notice to quit."

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock, E.O. Berens, Rev F. Ball, S.T. Holland, C.M. Tebbut, A. Pember, H.G. Phipps, C.F. Reid, H. Emmanuel. F has H. Ball

Civil Service: H.F. Deacon (Capt.), G. Allanson, E. Freeth, C. Buchanan, R. Babington, J. Kirkpatrick, A.E. Bateman, J. Wearne, Parr, Drake.

ETON FOOTBALL CLUB (CAMBRIDGE) 6 touch downs HARROW FOOTBALL CLUB (CAMBRIDGE) 2 touch downs (At Parker's Piece, Cambridge) (This game was resumed as no goals scored: see Mon Dec 10<sup>th</sup>)

Sportsman 22/11/66 P.4/Eton College Chronicle 24/1/67 P.288:

SM: "It was agreed to play the University Rules enacted in 1863 by representatives of Harrow, Eton, Rugby, Marlborough, Shrewsbury, and Westminster respectively."

Harrow: Hon. G. Bridgman, R.C. Moncrieff, R.N. Russell, T.E. Peel, G.G. Kennedy, W. Lawrence, H.L. Montgomery, J. Holmes, E. Porter, W. Mure, R.L. Yorke, C.H. Long.

Eton: Lord E. Fitzmaurice, A.F. Kinnaird, Hon. F. Pellham, C.E. Cuthell, F. Durnford, W.D. Rawlins, W. Eliot, C. Knight, G.H. Tuck, T.A. Hamond, A. Hoare, G. Hadow.

WED NOV 21<sup>ST</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL +1 (O.S. Walford) (At Vincent Square)

Sportsman 22/11/66 P.4/Bell's Life 24/11/66 P.6/Field 24/11/66 P.412/Pall Mall Gazette 22/11/66 P.6/Westminster School Football Ledger:

F:"Both elevens had been very successful previously,Charterhouse having won four and drawn one match out of five;while Westminster had won (four and drawn one)out of seven."N.B SM summary is also wrong missing out the Charterhouse win by 1-0 over Wanderers.

SM:"In spite of the advantage which appeared to be on the Carthusian side,public opinion was certainly in favour of the Elizabethans,who are a very fast eleven,and by playing on their own ground-at all times rather lively-had a considerable advantage over their opponents,who, accustomed to a small and very dull ground,could not be expected to feel at home on such strange soil.The time appointed for commencement was three o'clock,and within a few minutes of that hour the ball was started by Gibson,the Charterhouse captain,in the presence of a goodly array of spectators,who throughout the play testified their approval by warmly applauding the prominent players of the rival schools.For the first twenty minutes we fancy the ball seemed to be dangerously near the Carthusian base,owing to the energetic efforts made at the earlier period of the game by Dixon,the Westminster captain,who,had he only been backed up as he deserved,would doubtless have given to the match a different result.The Carthusians,amongst whom Nepean,Macan,Gibson, and Boreham were chiefly conspicuous,seemed to improve with time,gradually carrying the ball towards to the Elizabethan goal,which it was fated to visit,for,after rather a short "run down" by Boreham,a very judicious kick by Walford secured a base for the Carthusians.On sides being changed both teams continued the fight with renewed vigour,the monotony of the game being broken by the excellent "dribbling" of the brothers Lee and the long kicks of West,the base-keeper for the Elizabethans,the dashing charges of the small but sturdy Nepean,the back play of Gibson,and the energetic "following up" of Mackenzie,Venables,and Mammatt for the Carthusians,who kept the lead they had gained at the commencement and never allowing their opponents to recover the ground that they had lost,finally retired with all the honours of victory.We must confess the Elizabethans sadly disappointed us in this match,for,although the individual play of some was excellent,they played tamely ,and were vastly inferior in their style of "backing up" and forward play to their opponents,who,in our opinion,owe their victory principally to the energetic manner in which Gibson,their captain,has laboured to produce an eleven worthy of his school.In our opinion ,the most prominent player on either side was "the gifted Nepean"who seemed to be perfectly ubiquitous,playing and kicking with most consummate judgment."

(N.B. The Charterhouse pitch was apparently not turfed,but was just soil)

PMG:"The play on both sides was excellent.The two schools were very evenly matched,as may be seen from the result,Walford's goal being the only one obtained during the whole hour and a quarter."

+WSFL:"Boreham and Walford who obtained the game were both according to our rules "out-siding"and consequently not entitled to touch the ball."

WSFL:Advised having umpire in future games

Westminster School:W.J.Dixon,A.G.Lee,S.H.West,E.C.Bovill,H.R.Dupré,E.Eastwick,H.Curteis, J.C.Smith,G.H.Lee, C.E.Bickmore,E.Bray.

Charterhouse School:E.C.S.Gibson(Capt.),O.S.Walford,R.W.Macan,C.E.B.Nepean,W.L.Boreham,  
J.A.Foote,C.H.Wade,A.S.Mammatt,W.Wallace,E.E.Venables,H.Murray Mackenzie.

+N.B. Sportsman 20/11/66 P.1 has lineups for the match but E.Bray played for F.Miller(probably still injured:see above) for Westminster and H.Murray Mackenzie played for F.Dorling for Charterhouse.

BARNES 2 goals (C.Boyle,Another)and 4 "touches down" REV G.FROST'S PUPILS(Kensington) 1  
"touch down"

Sportsman 24/11/66 P.4(Only Barnes team):

SM:"These two clubs met at Barnes,on Wednesdayto play their return match,which resulted in the victory of the Barnes club,who obtained two goals and four "touches down",the Kensington team only scoring one "touch down".The play of Mr C.Boyle,who kicked one of the goals,was remarkably goodthroughout the game,while for the Kensingtonians Robinson,Archibold,and Martin did good service."

Barnes:J.Graham,E.Courtenay,F.Gulston,Warren,E.B.Pocklington,C.Boyle,  
A.Dunnage,A.(qy. Artemus)Ward,S.Le B.Smith,R.Shepherd,R.W.Willis.

THURS NOV 22<sup>ND</sup> :

ETON FOOTBALL CLUB 2 (J.Yates,A.V.Kennett) ST JOHN'S COLLEGE 0 (At Trinity Ground,Cambridge)  
(Return)(Sportsman 4/12/66 P.4/(See Field 20/4/67 P.301)/ECC 24/1/67 P.288:

SM:"This return match,played on the Trinity Ground,Eton was much weaker than usual,but, nevertheless,won easily by two goals to none.Messrs Yate,Rebow,Hervey,and Kennett played well."

Eton Football Club:Lord E.Fitzmaurice,A.F.Kinnaird,A.V.Kennett,W.D.Rawlins,C.Knight,J.Saville,  
H.C.Rebow,S.Hervey,W.Durnford,J.Radcliffe,J.Yates,H.M.Thompson.

St John's College:Rev. A.F.Torry,H.Hudson,W.Pitman,W.F.Smith,E.Lloyd,G.Osborne,  
C.L.Bennett,C.Haslam, W.Hoare,H.B.Cotterell,M.Pickett,H.Braithwaite.(ECC has E.Hodges for  
M.Pickett)

SAT NOV 24<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 1 (W.B.Money) WANDERERS 0 (At Harrow)

Sportsman 27/11/66 P.1:

SM:"With dismal forebodings of another defeat added to this season's already gloomy list of reverses,the Wanderers rambled down to Harrow,on Saturday last ,the 24<sup>th</sup> inst.,and after passing unscathed through all the perils of the railway journey,and safely accomplished the still more dangerous trip by that rickety conveyance in which many of them have so often climbed "the winding hill",in due course of time made their appearance in the "Slough of Despond"exclusively reserved by the School for matches,strong in hopes,though(owing to"circumstances over which of course they have no control")weak in numbers.To say that the ground was swampy is to give but a feeble idea of the mass of mire through which the rovers had to plough,the lower base especially being surrounded by pitfalls of pools into which the ball suddenly disappeared and from which it

was with difficulty extricated. Accustomed as they are to playing on such elastic and congenial soils as Vincent Square and Battersea Park, the Wanderers were quite abroad, and played under great disadvantages compared to their opponents, who, though this season lighter than the usual School teams, from constant practice and knowledge of the ground feel quite at home on this dismal swamp. Notwithstanding the inability of the Wanderers to gather more than eight representatives for this popular match, and their team being hopelessly weak, two rovers being entire strangers to the peculiar features of the Harrow game, the match resulted in a very exciting contest, the Harrovians at the conclusion of the game being declared victors by one base to none. The Wanderers were, as usual, unfortunate enough to lose the toss, and thus gave their opponents the advantage of kicking down the hill, an advantage of which the boys know well how to avail themselves at all times. The ball was started by Money (the School captain) and was immediately carried down by a splendid rush of the School, dangerously close to their opponents' base. It was soon, however, kicked off again, and the rovers, who at first seemed unable to struggle successfully against the mire beneath them, defended their base with great energy, and worked hard to free their goal from the persistent attacks of the School. The boys, however, seemed equally determined to take by assault the base so gallantly defended, and a series of volley firing against the rovers' goal was accordingly commenced, and carried on with great vigour, straight shots, crooked shots, and shots round the corner being in turn all tried (conspicuous in their attempts were Money, Carlisle, maj., Broughton, and Archer), and tried without success. It was only a matter of time, however. The base was evidently doomed, for the sixteenth shot—a high kicking Wanderer (the Charterhouse boys have an expensive recollection of this rover's lofty aspirations, and will no doubt "accept this intimation") taking a morbid interest in counting successive attempts—from the foot of the School captain had the desired effect of securing a base for the Harrovians. On sides being changed, the ball was again started, this time by the above-mentioned high-kicking rover; and the Wanderers who, in their turn, had gained the assistance of the hill, now began to play up with more spirit and energy, Bowen being especially conspicuous for his good back (play), and Cruickshank, Thomas, and Butter for their forward play. Several brilliant runs up were made by the three latter rovers, though owing to the very judicious "keeping" of Graham, the School base-keeper, they were never allowed to approach close enough to seriously endanger the safety of the Harrovian goal. Towards the later period of the match the game was most evenly contested, both sides working hard to carry the ball towards their opponents' base, though, owing to the excellent defence of Money, for the School, and Bowen and Tebbut for the Wanderers, there were but few attempts at base by either side. We only noticed one at all dangerous, an easy kick at the Wanderers' goal being missed by Carlisle, maj., for the School. In spite of the energetic manner in which the Wanderers tried to redeem their loss, and the game style in which they struggled to play up against the heavy state of the ground until the conclusion of the game, luck was against them, and never being able to recover from the loss of the base they had lost, they were compelled at the conclusion of the game to retire from the field defeated, though not disgraced. For the School, Money's play was as usual, conspicuous, while Gibson, Archer, and Broughton showed some excellent form. For the rovers, who had the assistance of three of the best substitutes it has ever been their fortune to secure—Thomas and Willis working most energetically for them. Bowen, Cruickshank, and Butter were especially active in a losing cause. We have no doubt that had the Wanderers been represented by a stronger team,—we miss from their list some names familiar at Harrow, as Phipps, Boyson, Martin &,—a brilliant victory for them would have been the result. We must not forget to mention a good catch made by Bowen at an early period of the game in front of the

School base, which, had he been fortunate enough to secure, would have given a different termination to the match."

Harrow School: W.B. Money (Capt.), Smith, Tatton (Templar), Montgomery, Gore, Broughton, Carlisle, maj., Gibson, Palmer (Graham), Archer, Walker.

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock, E.E. Bowen, J.A. Cruikshank, J. Butter, W.O. Hewlett, C.F. Reid, C.M. Tebbut, W.J. Thompson, + Thomas, + H.S. Willis, + F.E.R. Fryer + Substitutes (Initials for last 2 added from Wanderers History: SOURCE?) (SM add Carlisle, max at the end but would make 12 players)

C.C.C. 2 bases and 2 rouges (Scorers see below) BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 0 (At Clapham Common) (Chelmsford Chronicle 7/12/66 states 2 rouge goals)

Sportsman 27/11/66 P.1:

SM: "The game was not commenced until shortly after three o'clock, and, in consequence of the cloudy state of the weather, and the day closing earlier than usual, play was obliged to be discontinued at half-past four o'clock. About half an hour after the commencement of the game a "rouge" was obtained by F.B. Soden, which resulted in a goal for the C.C.C. On sides being changed a second "rouge" was obtained by J.E. Tayloe, but the attempt at goal failed. Shortly afterwards Tayloe was fortunate to obtain another "rouge" though luck was once more against him in his second attempt at base, which was not crowned with success. However, the laurel had not entirely left the C.C.C. for the ball at 4.25 was again "touched down" by F.B. Soden, who succeeded in securing a second base for the Clapham, who thus defeated their opponents by two bases and two rouges to none. For the School Messrs Walker, Nash, Ogilvie, and Wilson played with admirable skill and judgment, while for the Clapham Club the most prominent performers were J.E. Tayloe, Dealtry, and C. Franks. It is but fair to say that the Brentwood boys were placed at a great disadvantage in playing their opponents' rules, to which they were total strangers. We are sorry to remark that a certain member of the C.C.C. never showed up at all."

C.C.C. : J.E. Tayloe (Capt.), E. Tayloe, H. Dealtry, C. Franks, H. Wilkinson, W. Frere, C. Davison, J. Edwards, A. Townsend, F.B. Soden, H.C. Soden.

Brentwood School: Francis (Capt.), F.R. Walker, A. Nash, Ogilvie, G. Burgess, K. Holden, Hoyle, Mumford, Mason, Wilson, Reed, Lee.

CIVIL SERVICE 1 (E. Freeth) CLAPHAM GRAMMAR SCHOOL 0 (At Clapham)

Sportsman 29/11/66 P.4/Field 1/12/66 P.428/Bell's Life 1/12/66 P.9:

F: "On Saturday last the Civil Service went down to Clapham to play the Grammar School. The C.S. laboured under some disadvantage in not being altogether "up" to the rules of the School. The latter, having lost the toss, commenced play against the wind, which may, perhaps, in some measure, account for a goal being shortly obtained for the C.S. by Mr Freeth, well scored by Mr Fuller. The game was evenly contested throughout, the School certainly having the better of the "runs in", though they were not sufficiently fortunate to secure a goal, while the strangers were evidently more at home in "dribbling". For the C.S. Messrs Wearne, Bateman, and Freeth played well, while for the School Messrs Dacre, Stansfield, and Gwatkin particularly distinguished themselves."

SM: "The Rules by which the game was played were those ably drawn up by the captain of the School Eleven, and with two alterations we would recommend them to other Schools. Mr Stansfield of the School will, no doubt, forward a copy with his usual courtesy, a copy to any club that may merely express a wish on the subject; the alterations may be learnt by applying to the head-quarters of the Civil Service Club."

Civil Service: A.E. Bateman, O.W. Fuller, H.H. Batten, A.B. Cooke, F.C.B. Wright, A. Medwin, J. Wearne, H.F. Deacon, F.S. Deacon, A. Rooke, E. Freeth. (F has A. Rooke but H.J. and P. in other papers)

Clapham Grammar School: B.R. Stansfield (Capt.), H. De B. Bridge, C.C. Dacre, J.W. Cunningham, A.J.C. Gwatkin, J.H. Fraser, H.H. Spitta, R.J. Kerr, R.M. Ruck, G.C. Gordon, L. Darwin, C.J. Worgan.

N.B. Have changed some initials of C.G.S. to those in F which agree with SM initials for team v C.C.C.- see below- and for the School Sports Report : see SM 23/4/67 P.4)

OXFORD HARROVIANS 1 OXFORD ETONIANS 0 (At old Christ Church Ground) (Sportsman 1/12/66 P.4)

SM: "The rules by which the game was played were those now in vogue at Westminster, but the ball was the well-known Harrow heavy-weight, which is not the most suitable for the dribbling peculiar to the Elizabethan style of play." "H. Richardson .... performed in his usual brilliant style for Harrow."

WED NOV 28<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1 (A.G. Lee) THIRD TRINITY COLLEGE, CAMBRIDGE XI 2 (J.M. Yates, A.F. Kinnaird) (At Vincent Square)

Sportsman 29/11/66 P.4/Bell's Life 1/12/66 P.5:

BL: "On Wednesday, Nov 28, a very fast team paid a visit to Westminster, from Trinity College, Cambridge. After about a quarter of an hour's play, a game was got by J.M. + Setay for the Cantabs. This was speedily followed by a game for Westminster, which was obtained by A.G. Lee. The match then went on with little advantage to either side, until after a splendid run, + A.F. Kinnaird obtained another game for Cambridge. After this no other game was obtained, and the Cantabs were victorious by two games to one." + Yates spelt backwards!

+ Listed as K.F. Arthur: SM: "thanks on the one side to an excellent run up by K.F. Arthur, and, on the other side, to the very negligent manner in which the Westminster base was kept."

SM: "We are sorry to have to report another reverse for the Elizabethans, who play lazily, and appear to have lost all the form and energy they exhibited at the commencement of the season, and which caused us to predict for them a prosperous winter campaign."

"We can only add in making a slight allowance for the execrable style in which the Westminster base was kept throughout this match that West, the School base-keeper (who usually performs in such a brilliant style), was on this occasion not in his correct form, owing to an injury received in the late match against Charterhouse. The Elizabethans, too, suffered a severe loss in the absence of F. Miller who has not sufficiently recovered from a late shin to represent the School."

Westminster School:W.J.Dixon(Capt.),E.C.Bovill,A.G.Lee,S.H.West,H.R.Dupré,+H.Barron,  
E.Eastwick,G.H.Lee,C.E.Bickmore,J.C.Smith,H.Curteis.+Played instead of F.Miller

Third Trinity,Cambridge:J.M.Yates(Capt.),R.A.Kinglake,A.J.Mack(e)y,A.Crompton,W.C.Matheson,  
W.H.Hunter,J.Nicholas,E.Edmonds,J.F.Horner,+A.F.Kinnaird,F.N.Saunders.

N.B. WSFL has E.Fitzmaurice,E.Follett,T.Nichols,F.H.Hunt,J.R.Selwyn for A.Crompton,  
W.C.Matheson,W.H.Hunter,J.Nicholas,E.Edmonds

(BL has C.Fitzmoore for E.Edmonds) +Listed as usual as "Arthur")

THURS NOV 29<sup>TH</sup> :

CAMBRIDGE OLD HARROVIANS 1 (R.N.Russell) OXFORD OLD HARROVIANS 1 (W.G.Robinson)  
(At Parker's Piece,Cambridge)

Sportsman 1/12/66 P.4

Cambridge Old Harrovians:Hon B.Bridgeman,R.C.Moncrieff,C.E.Porter,H.W.Lawrence,M.Pritchett,  
G.G.Kennedy,R.L.Yorke,R.N.Russell,J.E.Peel,W.H.Mason,W.Mure,H.H.Montgomery.

Oxford Old Harrovians:H.Richardson,H.Scovell,H.F.Pelham,W.G.Robinson,J.Langford,Noyes,  
C.L.Kennaway,E.K.Long,E.Matthews,Ainslie,C.L.Tupper,P.Milbanke.

FRI NOV 30<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1 (C.E.B.Nepean) OLD CARTHUSIANS 0 (At Charterhouse)

Sportsman 1/12/66 P.4/Field 1/12/66 P.428/Bell's Life 8/12/66 P.7:

SM:"This annual match,which last year was brought to a satisfactory conclusion in consequence of the wet state of the weather,which compelled the two sides,after one base had been obtained by the School to retire from under green where the game had been commenced to the cloisters,where it was continued slightly to the advantage of the old boys,and which usually results in favour of the young 'uns,was played at Charterhouse,yesterday(Friday),and resulted,after a most interesting game of an hour and a half,in a victory for the boys,who have thus added another leaf to the crown of laurels they have won for themselves this season.Shortly before the hour appointed for the commencement of the game, a strong body of old boys having mustered in front of the cloisters,an adjournment was made to under green,where the toss was won by the Carthusians,who chose the upper base.At 2.30,with that punctuality for which the boys are justly famed,the ball was kicked off by their captain,Gibson,who thus gave the signal for a general attack;the first shot fired and hostilities having commenced,both sides entered into the conflict with a vigorous determination to wrest from their opponents the triumph of victory.A general rush of the old boys carried the ball down at once towards the goal defended by their younger opponents,who were fully equal to the emergency,and repelled the assaults of their more weighty opponents with great spirit and energy. The advantage gained by the old boys at the start was only temporary,for the ball was soon travelling towards the upper base,round which it was hovering for a long time,though as yet no success had been gained by either side.The boys,however,bent on conquest,kept their opponents completely "penned"and several good attempts at base were made by them without success,until a



good run up was made by C.E.B.Nepean, and a well-turned kick, which though well directed, hit the goal posts, and rebounded, leading to a general scrimmage in front of the goal, in which Nepean was fortunate enough to win the base he had just missed, and gain the first advantage for the School. Sides being changed, the game was continued, and both teams beginning to play up with renewed vigour, the contest began to grow most exciting, as first one side and then the other gained ground; in spite, however, of the energetic efforts made by each team, no further goal was scored, and the present Carthusians were consequently the victors by one base to none. We have to congratulate the School upon the style in which they worked together, and the manner in which they played up against the weight of their adversaries, who, as will be seen by the list of names were represented by players well known alike to Carthusians and the general football world. We noticed among the old boys the play of +The O'Lindus and Hon F.O'Grady as being especially fine, while Gibson and Nepean were as usual most energetic for the School."

Charterhouse School: E.C.S.Gibson (Capt.), O.S.Walford, R.W.Macan, C.E.B.Nepean, J.A.Foote, W.L.Boreham (H.Murray-Mackenzie), F.Dorling, C.H.Wade, E.E.Venables, W.Wallace, A.S.Mammatt, A.F.Clarke, J.Robinson. (H.Murray Mackenzie played for W.L.Boreham) (BL has E.Hammick for J.Robinson)

Old Carthusians: J.Butter (Capt.), Rev. F.Poynder, G.E.Smythe, E.L.Pearson, Rev. T.Atkinson, +L.Ogden, A.C.Seymour, (A.T.) Palmer, W.W.Cooper, Hon. F.S.O'Grady, M.J.Muir Mackenzie, C.A.Sumner, T.G.Bittleston.

+L.Bogen in F and The O'Lindus in SM (which lists J.P.Abrahams in a 12 man team)

St Andrew's Day Wall Game:

COLLEGERS 0 OPPIDANS 0

Collegers: J.H.D.Goldie, R.V.Somers-Smith, F.E.Armistead (Walls), J.W.Foley, T.F.C.Huddleston (Seconds), A.J.Tuck, B.F.Lock, H.Freeth (Outsides), E.Wight, A.G.Tindal, J.Maude (Behinds), T.H.Gould (12<sup>th</sup> Man)

Oppidans: M.Horner, H.C.O.Bonsor, C.Entwistle (Walls), W.C.Calvert, J.Mc.C.Bunbury (Mc.C.) (Seconds), W.D.Benson, J.R.Sturgis, R.Russell (Outsides), C.H.H.Parry, J.Unthank, A.C.Thompson (Behinds), R.R.Ferguson (12<sup>th</sup> Man)

OLD WYKEHAMISTS TWELVE 5 +PRESENT WYKEHAMISTS TWELVE 5

+6 Collegers and 6 Commoners.

Wykehamist Dec 15<sup>th</sup> 1866 P.2 (Gives day as Tuesday but that was the 27<sup>th</sup>)

Old Wykehamists: F.R.S.Bowen (1), T.L.Bullock (1), H.L.Cripps, S.K.Douglas (1), F.Haygarth (1), W.A.Heygate, J.F.Jowitt, J.N.Pyke, L.L.Shadwell, G.H.D.Walker (1), E.A.Worthy. (11 men)

Present Wykehamists: J.H.Crawley-Boevey, A.J.C.Dowding (1), A.G.Dowell, S.H.Gatty, H.Helme, A.B.Horner (2), E.A.Bonnor-Maurice, C.B.Phillips, W.R.Randall (1), R.B.Schomberg (1), Hon.C.H.Strutt, S.R.Tatham.

SAT DEC 1<sup>ST</sup> :

CAMBRIDGE (ETON CLUB) 1 goal (following a rouge by Hon F. Pelham) OXFORD (ETON CLUB) 1  
rouge (At Trinity College Cricket Ground, Cambridge: normally at Eton but stopped by Rev.  
W.C. Mathison)

Sportsman 4/12/66 P.4/Cambridge Chronicle and Journal 8/12/66 P.5/Eton College Chronicle  
6/12/66 P.284:

Cambridge: Lord E. Fitzmaurice (Capt.) (Trin.), Hon. F. G. Pelham (Trin.), A. F. Kinnaird (Trin.),  
G. H. Tuck (Trin.), J. Rigden (Trin.), W. D. Rawlins (Trin.), C. E. Knight (Trin. Hall), C. E. Cuthell (Trin.),  
T. Hammond (Magd.), W. Hoare (John's), E. A. Owen (Trin.). (Slight adjustments made)

Oxford: Earl of Jersey (Balliol), M. G. Knight (Capt.) (Magd.), E. S. Hope (Ch. Ch.), R. S. Bridges (Corpus),  
S. J. Fremantle (Balliol), W. J. Frere (Magd.), W. W. Phipps (Exeter), E. A. Whittuck (Oriel), H. Seymour (New)  
, A. H. Johnson (Exeter), T. Horner (Absent). (10 men: refused a substitute)

HARROW SCHOOL 0 CAMBRIDGE HARROVIANS (Harrovians) 0

Sportsman 4/12/66 P.4:

SM: "The game was evenly contested throughout, and resulted in a tie, neither side obtaining a base,  
though there were very great doubts whether one was not gained for the School by F. Templar."

Harrow School: W. B. Money (Capt.), C. J. Smith (F. R. Graham), R. G. Tatton, Montgomery, S. W. Gore,  
F. R. Broughton, G. E. Palmer, F. Carlisle, J. F. Gibson, C. W. Walker, F. Templar, C. W. Archer.

Cambridge Team: R. N. Russell, T. E. Peel, H. H. Montgomery, G. G. Kennedy, F. Pritchett, G. Lawrence,  
J. Sanicroft, Sir W. Folkes, J. Mitchell, C. S. Mason, E. E. Bowen, + R. G. Thomas + Substitute

WANDERERS 5 (P. M. Thornton, C. W. Alcock, H. Head, W. J. Thompson, and another) HITCHIN CLUB 0  
(At Hitchin)

Sportsman 6/12/66 P.4:

SM: "Impelled by a strong desire to retrieve their lost laurels, and determined to fly from the  
metropolis wherein they have failed to distinguish themselves this season so signally, as in former  
years, the Wanderers sought for "fields and pastures new", and accordingly last Saturday took a trip  
to Hertfordshire, in which county they made their first appearance to try conclusions with the Hitchin  
Club, and were fortunate enough to achieve a signal victory. The Hitchin Club, though only in its  
infancy, this being but the second year of its existence, numbers amongst its members some useful  
players, and has won for itself a fair share of "kudos", the Hitchiners having last season defeated + two  
scratch teams brought down against them respectively by Messrs Reid and Elphinstone. After a  
pleasant run down the Wanderers reached the scene of action, and having won the toss for choice,  
judiciously selected the upper base, where they had the hill in their favour. On the ball being started  
by the Hitchin captain, both sides began to work with great spirit, though from the commencement of  
the game the superiority of the rovers to their less practised opponents was clearly perceptible. With  
the hill in their favour, the Wanderers bore down on their adversaries with overwhelming force, and  
the Hitchin base was soon seen to be doomed, though it was not until some time had elapsed that

the first base was scored to the strangers. On sides being changed and the ball once more kicked off, the rovers, though now playing up against the hill, began to warm to their work, and resumed their heavy cannonade around the Hitchin base, which was not, however, destined to hold out so long as during the first siege, and soon fell to the energetic attacks of P.M. Thornton, who, after several unsuccessful attempts, at last succeeded in carrying it by assault. The remainder of the play requires little comment, as the Wanderers now had it all their own way, and with the assistance of ++Cochin China, Head, and Thompson, quickly obtained three more bases, after the last of which the rustics, apparently satisfied with the signal defeat they had sustained, time was called, and victory declared on the Wanderers by five bases to none. The rovers returned to town well satisfied with their first visit to Herts. For the Hitchin team, who played under the great disadvantage of losing the services of that most useful player, their secretary, Shillitoe, and Lucas performed in good style. For the Wanderers the most prominent were Reid, Thompson, Thornton, and the ++Cochin."

+See 1865/66 matches ++C.W. Alcock

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock, W.M. Allfrey, J. Beck, H. Head, S.T. Holland, F. Lucas, C.F. Reid, P. Rhodes, C.M. Tebbut, W.J. Thompson, P.M. Thornton.

Hitchin: Shillitoe, F. Lucas, Phillips, Conder, G. Hughes, Mallandaine, Mill, Atkinson, Farmer, Taylor, Ellgood.

CIVIL SERVICE 3 (G. Allanson, E. Freeth, D. Stevens) ECCENTRICS 2 (R. Circuitt, G. Circuitt) (Battersea Park)

Sportsman 6/12/66 P.4/Bell's Life 8/12/66 P.10/\*Field 8/12/66 P.454:

\*Goals indicated by asterisks in the line-ups

SM: "A match was arranged to be played on Saturday last, the 1<sup>st</sup> instant, at Battersea Park, between the Civil Service Club and the Eccentrics; we were, however, on arriving at the park, unable to discover any of the latter, but upon asking their captain what he had done with his team, were shown an eleven consisting of the "flower of the flock" of a certain school not one hundred miles from the Houses of Parliament. There were, however, one or two Eccentrics conspicuous by their presence, and an Adullamite whom the Civil Service might have claimed as one of their number, but, although one man short, they forwent their claim. The ball having been started, some lively play ensued, and a goal after a few minutes was obtained for the Civil Service by a clever kick from Mr Allanson. This goal, however, was not doomed to win the match for, the brothers "Circuitt" having secured the ball, carefully guided it towards its destination, and before an advance guard of the enemy could retire to their citadel, the base was taken."

F: "The C.S. as well as the Eccentrics had found some difficulty in making up their full complement, and both parties had evidently been recruiting at Westminster, as several of the +Elizabethans played, and imparted much additional brilliancy to the game; but of these it may be said at least two were properly elected members of the E.F.C. The C.S. were one short of their number, but made up for it by the greater determination with which they fought the match out, Mr Freeth being particularly noticeable for his fast and plucky style of dribbling, in which he was well supported by Mr Deacon and Mr Stevens. Mr Dixon (Westminster) contributed chiefly towards one goal for the other side, but the final touch was administered by R. Circuitt, his brother (who also obtained a goal) playing with his usual finish and good judgment."

BL: "A more lively match could hardly have been witnessed. The fact of its being so is attributable in great measure to the captain of the Eccentrics, who being unable to collect an eleven from his club sufficiently worthy to compete with the Civil Service team, flushed as they were with their recent successes, wisely obtained assistance from the Elizabethans."

Civil Service: H.F. Deacon, R. Babington, E. Freeth, C. Buchanan, A. Newsome, S. Smale, G. Allanson, H. Roper, J. Randolph, D. Stevens. (SM has Newson and Small)

Eccentrics: R. Circuitt, G. Circuitt, J. Wearne, W.C. Lefroy, A. Lee, G.H. Lee, W.J. Dixon, H.R. Dupré, J.D. Hay, W. Borrer, + (C.E.B.) Nepean. + Listed as A. Nepean

C.C.C. 0 CLAPHAM GRAMMAR SCHOOL 0 goals 1 rouge (Henry de Bohun Bridge)

Sportsman 6/12/66 P.4:

SM: "Three of the C.C.C. team were absent, but the School mustered a full team."

C.C.C. : F.B. Soden, J.E. Tayloe, H. Dealtry, H. Soden, W.A. Frere, T. French, H. Wilkinson, T.A. Townsend; Substitutes: A. Busk, C. Bell

Clapham Grammar School: B.R. Stansfield, H. de Bohun Bridge, W.J. Cunningham, C.C. Dacre, L. Darwin, J.H. Fraser, G.A. Godfrey, G.C. Gordon, A.J.C. Gwatkin, W.J. Orr, R.M. Ruck, C.J. Worgan.

FOREST SCHOOL 3 (H. Tubb, J. Carver, A. Unna) OLD FORESTERS 0 (At Walthamstow)

N.B. T. Carver is replaced by J. Carver in all the Results summarised in Field 30/3/67 P.239.

Sportsman 6/12/66 P.4:

SM: "Play commenced at 2.50, the past Foresters having won the toss, choosing the upper base. The game continued for about an hour and a half with scarcely any visible advantage to either side. After this the superior training of the present boys began to tell, and they gradually penned their opponents in their own base, until a goal was well kicked for them by H. Tubb. After having changed bases the game was again resumed, and in about ten minutes another goal was obtained for the School by T. Carver, and soon after the ball was again started, a third was obtained by A. Unna. By this time darkness had set in, and unable to play any longer both sides retired from the field, victory resting with the School, by three bases to none."

Forest School: W. Glassfurd (Capt.), H. Tubb, M.T. Park, J. Glover, P. Duncan, S.C. Beauchamp, J. Knowles, H. Openshaw, C. Moore, T. Moore, J. Carver, A. Unna, T. Gascoigne, F. Stow.

Old Forresters: W. Cutbill, A. Cutbill, J. Kolle, H. Shelton, T. Chidley, C. Wright, A. Tysson, R. Lennan, H. Hodge, K. Grey, C. Thrupp, L. Perkins, C. Bogue, M. Brown.

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 3 "Combined play of Hoyle and Ogilvie", Holden, Nash) ST PAUL'S SCHOOL 0

Chelmsford Chronicle 7/12/66 P.5:

Brentwood School: A. Francis (Capt.), Burgess, Hacon, Holden, Hoyle, Lee, Mason, Meggy, P. Morgan, S. Mumford, Nash, Ogilvie, Reed, Walker, Wilton.

St Paul's School:W.Kelly(Capt.),Attenborough,Gregory,Helmore,Hill,Illingworth,Lacy,Roberts,  
Russell,Sander,Savory,Townsend,Saford,L.A.White,E.M.White.

N.B Some of the above names may be misspelt.

THURS DEC 6<sup>TH</sup> :

NOTTINGHAM Match:Mr Smith's Side 1 goal Mr Steegman's Side 0 goals 3 "touch downs" (At F.C.  
Smith's Ground,Bramcote)

Sportsman 11/12/66 P.1:

SM:"There was some exceedingly spirited play,Mr C.Guy Pym(of the Civil Service),on the Bramcote  
side and Mr H.W.Chambers(of the Sheffield Football Club),especially distinguishing themselves.Mr  
Smith's side scored the only goal of the day:Mr Steegman's side made three "touch downs",but,in  
spite of these,failed to obtain a goal."

Mr Smith's Side:F.C.Smith(President),A.Deedes,C.Guy Pym(Civil Service),W.A.Hodges,J.C.Hodges,  
W.Ward,Rev W.Bury,G.Fellowes.

Mr Steegman's Side:E.B.Steegman,H.Simons,W.Goddard,R.Daft,J.Hack,A.B.Baillon,  
H.W.Chambers(Sheffield F.C.),A.Walkden(Absent)

HARROW Match :Sixth Form 2 (Gibson,\*Dale:stepped base)The School 0

Sportsman 11/12/66 P.1:"The School,as the match had been played before without any result,  
resumed the game by kicking off down the hill.After a great many shots at the Sixth Form base,which  
were all,however,unsuccessful,Gibson,by a very difficult side kick,obtained a base for the Sixth Form.  
Soon afterwards Money got a catch,which he passed on to Tatton,whose kick at base proved,luckily,  
just high enough to be cleverly caught by \*Dale,who"stepped" his base,and the match was thus  
finished in favour of the Sixth Form by two bases to none.The state of the game was somewhat  
fearful,the ball being constantly stopped in its travels by small pools of water,into which several  
unfortunate individuals were precipitated,only to rise again bowed down by an additional load of  
Harrow "squash".Money's play for the Sixth Form is especially to be commended."

Sixth Form:Money(Capt.),Tatton,Montgomery,Broughton,Gibson,Walker, Broadmead,  
Hartley,Greenham(Ord),Graham,Dale.

School:Smith(Hon W.St John),Gore,Palmer,Carlisle,maj.,Templar,Archer,Willis, Carlisle,max.,  
Petley,Shand,Tabor.

WINCHESTER COLLEGE :Six and Six Match:

The Wykehamist Dec 15<sup>th</sup> 1866 P.3/Sportsman 11/12/66 P.1:

COLLEGE 16 COMMONERS 6

SM:"The Six and Six-undoubtedly the most important of College and Commoner matches-was  
played on Thursday last,the 6<sup>th</sup> inst. At twelve o'clock play commenced and Commoners very soon  
kicked the first goal.For the first ten minutes the game was tollerably even,though it was plain to

those who could understand the game that superior strength,"potting" powers,and kicking would very soon tell."

TW:"College kicked six goals in the last half-hour,and so won by 16-6;the first game of importance they had won since the Six and Six of 1862."

College:W.R.Randall(1),E.A.Bonner-Maurice(1),C.B.Phillips,F.Harvey 1(C.Mackarness 1)(2),  
A.B.Horner(8),S.H.Gatty(4)

Commoners:J.H.Crawley-Boevey(1),C.Marriott(3),R.B.Schomberg(1),R.H.Ramsbotham,  
S.R.Tatham(1),H.Helme.

SAT DEC 8<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 2 (W.L.Boreham 2) HARROW CHEQUERS 0

N.B. Charterhouse Football History has Wallace and Boreham)

Sportsman 11/12/66 P.1:

SM:"...the Chequers,who commencing their present London season on Saturday last against the "noble army"of Carthusians with a weaker team than usual,were not sanguine enough to expect a victory over the boys who have this term carried everything before them,and with their last success brought the present campaign to a triumphant conclusion.Having lost the services of two well-known Oxon-Harrobian base-keepers,who were at the last moment unable to leave "Alma Mater", the Chequers were placed at a great disadvantage in having to improvise two substitutes.....Hardly recovered from the gloom into which they had been thrown by the non-appearance of their expected base-keepers,the Chequers only "came up to time"to receive a second "knock-down blow",in losing the toss,which gave the Carthusians,who thus won choice of goals,the privelege of kicking down from the top base." "For the first half hour the ball was impartial in its visits to the two goal lines,though from the beginning of the game so superior was the defence of the Carthusian base to that of their opponents,it was evident that the Chequers base would not long resist the assaults of the boys,amongst whom Boreham and Nepean seemed especially covetous of securing first honours,which,however,were destined to fall to the former,who,after a good run up succeeded in scoring first base for the School.On sides being changed the boys worked up with more energy than before,Mackenzie,who played exceedingly well throughout the game,being conspicuous for the way in which he stuck to the ball and for his splendid rushes,ably backed up on the two sides by Boreham,and Foote,Nepean,and Macan.Notwithstanding some excellent "runs up" by Bowen and Cruikshank,and some high flyers from the foot of the "Sporting Bung",who,we are glad to notice, carefully avoided the wall which has rendered his name so familiar at Charterhouse,the Chequers were unable to prevent the greedy Boreham from securing a second base for the boys,who,for the remainder of the game,carefully defended their base against the attacks of their adversaries,and thus won the match by two bases to none." "It may be interesting to our readers to learn that the present Carthusian base-keepers have not lost a single base,the only base lost by the boys this term being in their first match v Mr Wearne's team,when the base was defended by a keeper hardly worthy of them,and for whom their present efficient substitute was wisely substituted."

Charterhouse School: E.C.S. Gibson (Capt.), O.S. Walford (Murray Mackenzie), R.W. Macan, C.E.B. Nepean, W.L. Boreham, J.A. Foote, F. Dorling, C.H. Wade, E.E. Venables, W. Wallace, A.S. Mammatt.

Harrow Chequers: J.F. Alcock, C.W. Alcock, E.E. Bowen, J. Butter (Substitute), J.A. Cruikshank, A. Crompton, C.F. Reid, P. Rhodes, A. Thompson, W.J. Thompson, C.L. Tupper.

C.C.C. 2 touch downs ST THOMAS'S HOSPITAL 1 (H.D. Ellis) (At Clapham Common)

Sportsman 11/12/66 P.1:

SM: "St Thomas's, with the assistance of Mr Solly, obtained one touch down, which resulted in a goal, the kick being made by Mr H.D. Ellis. The C.C.C. obtained two touch downs, gained for them by J.E. Tayloe, and Mr Soden, neither of which, however, resulted in a goal, the Clapham men being accustomed to kick under instead of over the rope. The Hospital professes to play Rugby rules, without "hacking" or "tripping", but we fancy, from their play on this occasion, that rules are but a secondary consideration." "We were not able to obtain the names of the St Thomas's team."

C.C.C. : J.E. Tayloe (Capt.), H. Dealtry, H. Wilkinson, E. Tayloe, A. French, G. Andrews, C. Dacre, J.C. Gwatkin, F.B. Soden, B. Stansfield, J.C. Ker, J.H. Fraser, W. Frere, C. Davison, A. Townsend.

WORLABYE HOUSE 6 goals and 8 touchdowns WELLESLEY HOUSE 0 (Wellesley House, Twickenham)

Bell's Life 15/12/66 P.2/Sporting Life 15/12/66 P.4 (No Wellesley House lineup traced except Middleton and Forbes who "did good service"):

BL: "The Association Rules were played, and as the Wellesley House representatives were more accustomed to play the Rugby Rules, it in some degree accounts for their defeat."

Worlabye House: D. Hay, Hon. R. Villiers, W. Ford, W. Shephard, H. Boyle, C. Boyle, F. Stephenson, W. Coryton, Hon. L. Lindsay, F.C. Pocklington, R.H. Crawford.

NO NAMES 2 (A. Baker, A. Pember) VICTORIA RIFLES 0 (At Kilburn)

N.B. S.T. Holland's XI

Bell's Life 15/12/66 P.2/Sportsman 13/12/66 P.4:

BL: "A match was played on Saturday, Dec 8, at Kilburn, between the N.N.'s, and an Eleven chosen from the Victoria Rifles, which ended in the defeat of the Volunteers by two goals to 0, A. Baker and A. Pember (the captain of the N.N.'s) kicking the goals. Baker and Morton played very well for the N.N.'s. Holland tried everything that pluck and play could do to win a goal, though unsuccessfully, for the Volunteers."

No Names: A. Pember (Capt.), A. Baker, W. Baker, Dr Morten, C. Picard, C. Green, J.D. Collins, N. Bird, A. Walford, O.F. Trinder, H. May. (SM has W. Bird)

Victorias: S.T. Holland (Capt.), H. Baker, F. May, J.C. Smith, H. Collins, F. Halkett, L. Winkworth, J. Nicholas, F. Nicholas, A. Bird. (N.B. it appears 10 men only) (SM has J. May and P. Halkett)

BARNES 0 CIVIL SERVICE 3 touch downs (by Waudby: Captain)

Bell's Life 15/12/66 P.2/Sportsman 13/12/66 P.4(No teams traced):

BL:"... although the C.S. were quite unaccustomed to Association Rules,and had not latterly been much practised in "Fives",a knowledge of which game would appear to be useful in playing these regulations,victory declared itself unequivocally for them,as they won by three touch downs to none,all got through the skill of their captain,Mr.(Waudby)."

HERTFORDSHIRE RANGERS 0 A WESTMINSTER ELEVEN 1 (At Watford)

Sportsman 13/12/66 P.4/Field 15/12/66 P.464(No lineups):

SM:"A rather strong team of Westminsters came down to Watford on Saturday,Dec 8<sup>th</sup>,to try conclusions with the newly-established club playing under the title of the Hertfordshire Rangers.The Rangers profess to play Football Association Rules,but on this occasion,in compliment to their visitors,they played the rules now used at Westminster which,of course,proved a great boon to the strangers.The Rangers won the toss,and the game commenced with great spirit.It was not until a long and protracted struggle that the strangers obtained the base,which gave them the victory.." "We cannot but think that the Rangers are to be congratulated on making such a good fight against a team comprising so many of the brightest stars of the Westminster firmament."

F:"It is hoped that Wood's Field will see many joyful games at football at that festive and holiday-making time.Mr Finch,of Redheath,who chiefly promoted the club,will gladly welcome recruits returning from school."

Hertfordshire Rangers:A.W.Hammans(Capt.),R.Barker,W.Boyd,H.Finch,H.Mellor,M.Wagstaffe,C.Kidson,C.M.Tebbut,R.Warwick,A.Merry,W.R.Woolrych.

Westminster School:H.R.Dupré(Capt.),S.Giles,A.G.Lee,G.H.Lee,E.Eastwick,J.Randolph,A.Bird,W.Bird,Maud,Barker,W.C.Lefroy.

SHEFFIELD 1 goal(F.Knowles) and 3 rouges MANCHESTER 0 (At Sheffield)

Sportsman 13/12/66 P.4:

SM:"The Manchester Club has been but lately established,play Rugby Rules,and we believe this is the first match in which its members have been engaged.""...in about a quarter of an hour a rouge was scored for Sheffield,from which shortly afterwards F.Knowles was fortunate enough to secure a goal for the Sheffielders.The Manchester men,entirely strange to the Sheffield rules,had left their goal too much exposed,and this was the result."

Sheffield:Denton,Dixon,F.Knowles,J.Knowles,Percival,Wild,F.S.Chambers,Gould,Earnshaw,Matthews,Shaw,Webster,Turton,Linley,H.W.Chambers(Captain and Goalkeeper)

Manchester:F.Nicholson(Capt.),Rushton,Grave,Openshaw,Langton,MacLaren,Grey,Jesse,Robson,Holiday(goal),Barge,Macfarlane,Williams,Peace.

THE LEGAL WANDERERS 2 (Schum,Wag) THE GRAY'S INN RANGERS 0 (Clapham Common)(Sportsman 15/12/66 P.3(Report but no lineups)



MON DEC 10<sup>TH</sup>

ETON COLLEGE 1 (E.C.Cuthell) HARROW SCHOOL 0 (At Parker's Piece, Cambridge) (Resumption of 0-0 match on Nov 20<sup>th</sup> (see above)

Sportsman 11/12/66 P.1/Eton College Chronicle 24/1/67 P.288:

SM: "This match, which it will be recollected, took place upon Parker's Piece a fortnight ago, and resulted in a draw, was resumed yesterday (Monday) on the Trinity Ground. The game commenced at a quarter to three, Eton being slightly the favourites, though lacking the services of the Hon F.G. Pelham and Mr G.H. Tuck. The play was fast and furious, and at half past three an unfortunate kick in the stomach disabled Lord Fitzmaurice. At half time no goal being obtained, ends were changed and shortly afterwards Lord Fitzmaurice resumed play, and at ten minutes past four Mr Cuthell, by a well-directed kick, obtained a base amidst much applause. Further play for five minutes took place but nothing more was scored, and the Etonians were proclaimed the victors."

Eton: Lord E. Fitzmaurice, A.F. Kinnaird, J. Rigden, W. Rawlins, W. Eliot, C. Knight, W.R. Griffiths, H. Rebow, H. Thompson, C.E. Cuthell, W. Hoare, T.A. Hamond.

Harrow: Hon. G. Bridgman, R.C. Moncrieff, R.N. Russell, F.H. Cheetham, W. Muir, J. Mason, H.M. Montgomery, G.G. Kennedy, A.B. Peel, W.J. Holdsworth, A.L. Yorke, E.E. Porter. (R.H. Russell?) (ECC has H.L. Montgomery, F.E. Peel, and O. Bridgeman)

WED DEC 12<sup>TH</sup> :

LAUSANNE 1 GENEVA 0 (At Geneva, on a piece of ground lent by the Government)

(See above for the first game played on Oct 30<sup>th</sup> )

Bell's Life 22/12/66 P.10/Field 22/12/66 P.503/Sportsman 27/12/66 P.4 (Same reports):

Lausanne: L.S. Howell, F. Barlow, R.C. Allfrey, E.C. Leggatt, T.J. Myers, J.H. Ponsonby, F.E. Lyon, R.H. Tidswell, G.E. Johnson, P.R. Hobson, W.L. Lamb. (Check Myers initials: F.J.?)

Geneva: E.T. Hutton, P. Meade, R. White, H. Macleod, R. Robin, H.M. Downton, C. Molliet, R.A. Ogilby, A.J. Campbell, J. Clift, E. Baker.

THURS DEC 13<sup>TH</sup> :

NOTTINGHAM CLUB 1 (J. Hack) FOREST FOOTBALL CLUB 1 (W. Lymberry) (At Meadows Ground, Nottingham)

Sportsman 20/12/66 P.4/Sporting Life 19/12/66 P.4 (No lineups):

Nottingham: W.A. Birkin, A.B. Baillon, Alfred Deedes (Capt.), J. Hack, T. Keeley, J.C. Hodges, F.C. Smith, W.A. Hodges, W. Ward, W. Goddard, E.B. Steegman, G. Baillon, A. Waring, W. Browne, C.S. Wardle. (NC History has T.P. Keely)

Forest: W. Lymberry, Jno. Milford, T. Ford, C. Daft (Capt.), G. Gamble, A. de Vigno, J. Bell, J. Barton, T. M' Craith, M. Mellors, G. Dexter, E. Beauchamp, F. Newsome, G. Somers, B. Barks.

ETON COLLEGE 1 goal and 2 rouges CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY 0

Eton College Chronicle 31/1/67 P.291:

"C.H.H.Parry,R.R.Ferguson,J.R.Sturgis,J.C.Reibey,W.Culvert,T.Bunbury,and Mr Horner were unable to play for the School"(as involved in the Final Ties for the House Cup)

Eton:W.D.Benson,C.R.Alexander,H.C.Bonsor,H.Warburton,C.Tait,C.J.Thornton,C.Patton,E.Antrobus,S.H.Woodhouse,+Lees,S.J.Fremantle,Esq.(Cambridge Emergency)+Added in ECC 14/2/67 P.294.

Cambridge:Lord E.Fitzmaurice,A.F.Kinnaird,Rev,G.R.Dupuis,Yates,Whiting,Rev.D.Yonge,S.Hervey,E.Durnford,C.Radcliffe,Hon,D.Pelham,E.Royds.

FRI DEC 14<sup>TH</sup> :

CIVIL SERVICE 1 (O.W.Fuller) ETON COLLEGE 0 (At Battersea Park)

Sportsman 15/12/66 P.3/Field 15/12/66 P.464 and fuller report 22/12/66 P.503/Sporting Gazette 22/12/66/London Evening Standard 15/12/66 P.3:

SM:"The advertisements which have lately appeared in the leading papers had the effect of drawing a more than usual numerous body of spectators,and we should think that there could not have been less than 150 during the game,of all classes,present and past Etonians being in great force,whilst there was a considerable sprinkling of the "fairer lumps of creation",who heartily applauded the most prominent players of the respective sides."

PMG:"A slight \*protest was raised against this goal on the ground that the player (Mr Fuller) who kicked it was "off"side,but according to the rules of the Civil Service,which differ in this respect from those of Eton,it was subsequently allowed."

\*F:"...the objection was made by a mere bystander."

SM:"The excitement was,however,brought to a climax,when after a good run up by Messrs Fuller and Thomas,and a general scrimmage in front of the goal,a base was obtained by the last-named gentleman for the Civil Service.After sides had been changed,and just previous to the continuation of the game an appeal was made by the Etonians,who maintained that the Civil Service players had been"off-side"previous to making the "run up" which secured for them the base; this appeal,after a short discussion,was negatived..."

Civil Service:C.G.Waudby(Capt.),A.E.Batemen,R.Babington,W.Fairfield,E.Freeth,Q.Hogg,J.Kirkpatrick,O.W.Fuller,J.Wearne,H.F.Deacon,B.N.Toms.

Eton College:J.R.Sturgis(Capt.),W.D.Benson,W.C.Calvert,C.R.Alexander,T.Mc Clintock-Bunbury,E.Warburton,C.Tait,H.C.Bonsor,C.J.Thornton,E.Lubbock,C.H.H.Parry(by Substitute).

SAT DEC 15<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS v ETON COLLEGE postponed .

N.B. Some spectators turned up to see the game and one sent in a letter of complaint. The SM apologised that notice of the postponement was "unavoidably crowded out of our Saturday's impression." (See Sportsman 18/12/66 P.4)

See further Sportsman 20/12/66 P.4 for a letter from the Captain of the Wanderers complaining that he had tried to establish if the game was proceeding but got the impression when he attended the Eton v Civil Service game (see above) that Eton could not get a team together, "in consequence of accidents that had happened to "one or two" of the School eleven". He offered to supply two Eton players but as the only reply he could get was "Can settle nothing" he withdrew the match.

LINCOLN 1 (E. Mantle ) SHEFFIELD 0 (At Lincoln F.C. Ground, Greenwell Road, Lincoln)

Sportsman 18/12/66 P.4/Bell's Life 22/12/66 P.10/Lincolnshire Chronicle 21/12/66 P.5:

SM: "The Lincoln rules were played on this occasion"

Lincoln: D.J. Garnham (Capt.), Bainbridge, J. Carline, C. Glasier, W. Lowe, J. Mawer (Goalkeeper), E. Mantle, Melville, Ramage, C. Scorer, G. Shipley. (SM has E. Scorer)

Sheffield: H.W. Chambers (Captain and Goalkeeper), C. Appleton, Bingham, Dixon, F.S. Chambers, J. Knowles, C. Percival, J.C. Shaw, Jas. Wild, A.M. Wild, A.E. Wild.

MON DEC 17<sup>TH</sup> :

FOREST SCHOOL 2 ( J. Gascoigne, H. Openshaw ) MR KINNAIRD'S TEAM 2 (E. Ridley, C.W. Alcock)  
(At Walthamstow)

Sportsman 18/12/66 P.4:

SM: "The last match this term of the above School was played at Walthamstow yesterday (Monday), when a rather formidable team comprising many well known Etonian and Harrovian players, came down to try conclusions with the boys, who have brought the first half of their season to a glorious conclusion, not having suffered a single defeat. The ground was in a charming soppy state, and rendered all attempts at turning or dribbling an extremely difficult task. The boys won the toss and chose the right base, leaving the left, or down base, to their opponents, who enjoyed the privilege of "kick-off". With the kick-off by Mr Kinnaird the game was commenced, and the boys began the fight with more than juvenile vigour, the ball being carried by them down to their opponents' base, which was not so well defended as we might have expected, and which was at the start seriously threatened by the vigorous assaults of the boys. The energetic following up of some of the strange team, however, extricated their base from the dangers to which it had been exposed, and carried the ball towards the goal defended by the boys, who had to use all their "keeping" powers to save their goal from several excellent runs up made by Messrs Freeth and Kinnaird. The rules played on this occasion were those now in vogue at the Forest School, and to which we have often before alluded as such a happy (!) mixture of all the different football rules, with many of their vices and none of their virtues. Shortly after the commencement of the game the spectators were regaled with the sight of a well known Wanderer starting off at as fast a pace as his heavy weight would allow him, with the ball carefully and firmly carried under his arm; after one mild dodge and a feeble kick, however, he collapsed, much to the disgust of players and spectators, and was but rarely heard of

afterwards until just previous to the termination of the game when he rose like a Phoenix from the ashes of his late disaster. After about half an hour's hard play, a goal was splendidly won for the School by Gascoigne after a good run up, accomplished by an extremely well-judged flying kick. On sides being changed the strangers worked hard to recover their lost ground, and, with the aid of Mr Ridley, were successful in obtaining a base. Again the game was renewed, and without any apparent advantage on either side, until Openshaw was fortunate enough to obtain a second base for the boys, who greeted this success with continued cheering. But little time was now left for the strangers to save themselves from the defeat which appeared imminent for them; two minutes, however, before the clock struck the hour appointed for the termination of the game, a dashing run up was made by the entire team of strangers, for whom – after a general scrimmage had taken place in front of the School goal – a base was kicked by C.W. Alcock. For the boys the principal performers were Tubb, Openshaw, and Beauchamp; while for Mr Kinnaird's team, the most prominent were Messrs Kinnaird and Kennedy."

Forest School: W. Glassford (Capt.), H. Tubb, M. Park, T. Glover, S. Beauchamp, R. Duncan, H. Openshaw, J. Knowles, C. Moore, J. Moore, J. Carver, A. E. Unna, J. Gascoigne.

Mr Kinnaird's Team: A. F. Kinnaird (Capt.), A. Crompton, G. G. Kennedy, E. Freeth, C. M. Tebbut, C. Cuthell, W. H. Gordon, H. F. Langley, J. Locke, E. Ridley, A. Trower, F. Shepherd, C. W. Alcock.

TUES DEC 18<sup>TH</sup> :

CIVIL SERVICE 0 HARROW CHEQUERS 0 (At Battersea Park)

Sportsman 20/12/66 P.4/Bell's Life 22/12/66 P.10/Field 22/12/66 P.503/Pall Mall Gazette 22/12/66:

Harrow Chequers : W. B. Money, E. E. Bowen, A. Crompton, F. R. Broughton, H. H. Montgomery, H. F. Pelham, J. B. Martin, W. H. Hadow, S. C. Gore, J. F. Gibson, C. W. Archer.

Civil Service: C. G. Waudby (Capt.), H. F. Deacon, C. W. Alcock, E. O. Berens, R. Babington, J. Wearne, A. Fairfield, G. E. Elliott, C. Buchanan, J. Kirkpatrick, E. Freeth. (BL /PMG both have G. L. Elliott) (F has C. Fairfield but other 3 papers have A. Fairfield: not sure if A., E., or W. Fairfield)

N.B. This is the second game Alcock played for C.S. it seems.

WED DEC 19<sup>TH</sup> :

CLAPHAM GRAMMAR SCHOOL 3 MR ROBINSON'S XI 0 (At Battersea Park)

Sportsman 22/12/66 P.4 (No lineups)

Clapham Grammar School included Dacre and Gwatkin and Mr Robinson's XI included Tayloe.

THURS DEC 20<sup>TH</sup> :

OLD ETONIANS 1 (A. F. Kinnaird) WANDERERS 0 (At Battersea Park)

Sportsman 22/12/66 P.4/Eton College Chronicle 31/1/67 P.291:

SM: "These two clubs played their annual match on Thursday last, the 20<sup>th</sup> inst., at Battersea Park, when, after a very exciting and evenly-contested game, fortune declared herself in favour of the Old Etonians, who won by one rather luckily obtained base to none. In spite of the dense fog which enveloped the greater portion of the metropolis in its dingy folds, the two sides at the appointed hour were well represented, the Etonians numbering in greater force with eleven men, while their opponents had eight men to represent them at the start. Two well-known Wanderers from the Etonian team kindly consented to play for the rovers to equalise the sides until the arrival of the wandering absentees, and the game commenced by a kick-off by the Etonian captain. For the first quarter of an hour the advantage appeared to be with the rovers who made several good, though unsuccessful attempts at their enemies' base, which was well kept by Thornton and Kinnaird. The arrival, however, of the two stray rovers necessitated the return of the two wanderer Etonians into the ranks of the Eton team and thus the advantage of the extra man at first possessed by the Wanderers was now transferred to their opponents, who began to turn the tables on the rovers, and gradually bore the ball to the upper (Wanderers') base, round which it hovered for some time, varied only by occasional spasmodic darts towards the middle of the ground. The base, however, so besieged by the Etonians, was destined to fall, for after a kick from "straight in" a rather lucky chance was given to Kinnaird who took advantage of it, and scored a base, amidst vociferous cheering from the members of his team. On sides being changed the game was renewed, and the equality of the sides became more apparent than ever, as first one then the other showed superior form, the forward play of Messrs Bowen (who had made one of the best "runs up" we have seen this season), and Kennedy for the Wanderers, and Sturgis, Alexander, Kinnaird, and Forsyth for the Etonians being remarkably brilliant and effective. In spite, however, of the efforts made by the Etonians, to increase the advantage they had gained, the Wanderers, who played with great vigour towards the conclusion of the game, were not able to recover their lost base, and the victory was thus won by the Etonians, whose general good play fully merited the successful issue of this their second contest with the Wanderers. In addition to the players mentioned above, Thornton and Yates distinguished themselves "back" for the Etonians, while for the Wanderers, Crompton, Lucas, and Mackenzie worked hard and well. We must not omit to mention that a Wanderer whose principles with regard to the infringement of the rules are rather loose, was gently reminded by the captain of the Etonian team that "fives" was a distinct game, and entirely separate from the game of football, with which he so often allied it."

Old Etonians : A.F. Kinnaird, J. Yates, H.D. Forsyth, E. Norman, +C.J. Thornton, A. Trower, H.F. Langley, +C.R. Alexander, E. Freeth, +J.R. Sturgis, C.E. Cuthell.

+Present Etonians.

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock, E.E. Bowen, A. Crompton, G.G. Kennedy, F. Lucas, M. Muir Mackenzie, C.E.B. Nepean, S.T. Holland, C.M. Tebbut, W.J. Thompson. (ECC has W.J. Dixon but not S.T. Holland)

FRI DEC 21<sup>ST</sup> :

PAST WESTMINSTERS 1 (from a general scrimmage in front of base) PRESENT WESTMINSTERS 0 (At Vincent Square)

Sportsman 22/12/66 P.4:

SM: "In consequence of the Etonians being unable to collect a team to represent them in the match arranged for yesterday (Friday), the above match of Past v Present Westminsters was settled to fill up the void caused by the withdrawal of the Eton match. The game was commenced at about ten minutes past three, and lasted till a quarter past four, during which time both sides gratified the spectators with the exhibition of some first-rate play. The present Westminsters, however, were destined to have another defeat added to the list of reverses they have suffered this season, for, after about twenty minutes' hard play, the ball was dragged down to the base of the Present, in front of which a general scrimmage took place, from which the ball emerged only to be safely landed between the Present Westminsters' goal posts. Sides were changed, and the game continued, the ball keeping well towards the centre of the ground, as if loathe to try the abilities of the respective base-keepers. Both sides played up well, but though every exertion was used by the two teams, no further base was obtained, and the match was therefore concluded in favour of the Past by one base to none. For the Past we must notice the play of J.M. Yates as being particularly brilliant and effective, while for the Present the principal performers were F. Miller, H.R. Dupré, and A.G. Lee. The boys did not play according to their usual form, and their defeat on this occasion may doubtless be attributed to the exhausting effects produced by their Play of the preceding evening, as well as to the natural reaction from ancient lore to modern exhilaration."

Past Westminsters : J.M. Yates, W.B. Besly, A. Dowdeswell, B.N. Toms, A.J. Mackey, F. Pownall, J.B. Nicholls, W.W.C. Lane, A.W. Hammans, S. Bird, J.E. Tayloe.

Present Westminsters : W.J. Dixon, A.G. Lee, H.R. Dupré, S.H. West, F. Miller, G.H. Lee, E. ee, C.E. Bickmore, W.C. Lefroy, E. Bray.

SAT DEC 22<sup>ND</sup> :

WANDERERS 1 (H. Forsyth) HARROW CHEQUERS 1 (H.H. Montgomery) (At Battersea)

Sportsman 25/12/66 P.4:

SM: "Hardly recovered from their match with the Old Etonians on the previous Thursday, and the thick fog which threatened to put an end to the play on that day, the Wanderers came up to Battersea-park on Saturday, only to find the whole of the ground enveloped in a still heavier mist than on the previous occasion. The interest and excitement, however, caused by this first meeting of the two clubs, brought twenty-four men up to the park to battle for the two sides, and play was commenced at about a quarter to three o'clock, by a kick-off from the captain of the Wanderers, who had previously won the toss, and chosen the upper base nearest the river. It was originally arranged that the match should be played in accordance with the rules now in vogue at Westminster School which allow "handling" the ball to a considerable extent, but a sudden idea having struck some of the most influential members of the Chequers team that any use of the hands, even in stopping or catching the ball was entirely opposed to the principles of football, it was agreed by the two captains that the groundwork of the Westminster rules should be adhered to, although the use of the hands in any way should be strictly prohibited. Immediately on the ball being started it was carried down by a simultaneous rush on the part of the main body of the Wanderers to the Chequers' base, in front of which a dangerous scrimmage ensued, and it appeared as if Fortune was going to declare herself at this early period of the game in favour of the Wanderers until the Harrow base-keeper, fully equal to the task imposed upon him, by a splendid kick into the middle of the ground, relieved his base from

the dangers to which it had just been exposed. Now both sides began to work most energetically, Matthews and Cruikshank, for the Chequers, by some excellent "runs up", taking the ball further and further from the Harrow base, only to be met by some smart kicks on the part of E. Lubbock and West for the Wanderers. Again and again did the forwards of the two sides make dashing sallies into the territory defended by their opponents, but without result, until the ball was once more brought down in front of the Chequers' base, and the base-keeper, to save his goal from impending ruin, kicked it direct into the stomach of a forward (A. Lubbock), from whose body it dropped to be kicked most judiciously between the Harrow goal posts. This base being disputed by the Chequers on the ground that the above-mentioned rover had used his hands prior to kicking the goal (we would like to know what a "Chequer" would have done in similar circumstances, i.e. completely doubled up by the ball; would he allow the ball to remain there, or release himself from the uncomfortable position), the Wanderers waived their claim and the game proceeded. Shortly after the renewal of the game a extremely brilliant run up was made by Mr H.H. Montgomery, which, owing to the negligent manner in which the Wanderers' base was kept, resulted in a base for the Chequers. On the ball being once more started, the Wanderers, determined to save themselves from the stigma of defeat, worked up with renewed vigour, and after a good run up, a base was soon obtained for them by H. Forsyth. Darkness now threatened soon to put an end to the play; the game was shortly afterwards concluded without any further bases being obtained, and thus ended one of the most even contests we have seen this season. For the Chequers, Montgomery, Kennedy, and Crompton played well, while for the Wanderers the most conspicuous were Forsyth, Lucas, and Kinnaird. In commenting on the game we would merely remark in conclusion, that to put the ball down on the ground immediately after what is generally known as a free catch, is in our opinion a much fairer proceeding than to meet it with the shoulder, from which the ball rebounds at peculiar angles."

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock, W.J. Dixon, H. Forsyth, A.F. Kinnaird, A. Lubbock, E. Lubbock, F. Lucas, M. Muir Mackenzie, C.E.B. Nepean, C.M. Tebbut, A. Thompson, S.H. West.

Harrow Chequers: C.L. Tupper, E.E. Bowen, F.R. Broughton, A. Crompton, J.A. Cruikshank, S.W. Gore, G.G. Kennedy, E. Matthews, H.H. Montgomery, J.A.N. Montgomery, H.J. Scovell, H.A. Wadson.

HERTFORDSHIRE RANGERS 1 MR BIRD'S ELEVEN 1 (At Watford) (No scorers traced)

Sportsman 25/12/66 P.4:

SM: "This match was played on the ground of the former club, at Watford, on Saturday last, the 22<sup>nd</sup> inst., and after a hard fight resulted in a tie, each side having obtained one base. For Mr Bird's Eleven, Messrs Tomlinson, Haycock, Hartshorne, and Wagstaffe distinguished themselves, while for the "Rangers", Messrs Searanke, Barker, Hammans, and Blenkinsop worked well."

Hertfordshire Rangers: A.W. Hammans (Capt.), A. Copeland, R. Barker, R. Day, J. Day, H. Finch, J. Searanke, C. Kidson, H. Lake, E.G. Sutton, C. Blenkinsop.

Mr Bird's XI: E. Bird (Capt.), C. Bird, A. Tomlinson, W. Tomlinson, S. Rickards, P. Haycock, A. Hartshorne, B.F. Hartshorne, C. Wagstaffe, H. Davies, A. Blenkinsop.

## NO NAMES v VICTORIA RIFLES

Sportsman 25/12/66 P.4: "The return match between these two clubs, fixed to take place on Saturday last, the 22<sup>nd</sup> inst., at Kilburn, was, in consequence of the state of the ground, which was in many parts entirely under water, not played on that day, and is consequently postponed till a more favourable occasion presents itself. The "N.N.'s" are sadly in want of a field in the neighbourhood of Kilburn or Hampstead for football purposes, and would be glad to receive offers from parties possessing suitable grounds in the above neighbourhood."

C.C.C. 1 (H.Dealtry) MR DEACON'S XI 0 (At Battersea Park)

Sportsman 27/12/66 P.4:

SM: "Owing to the dense fog that hung over the metropolis, some of the members did not appear; however, the Club found very able substitutes in Messrs E.Tayloe and H.Spitta. The game throughout was well contested, the ball making frequent visits to each goal. After several good runs down on both sides, a goal was kicked by H.Dealtry. Both sides were then changed, but no further advantage was gained by either side; although it is but fair to mention that Mr Du Pré, with a very fair chance of obtaining a goal was accidentally tripped."

C.C.C. : J.Tayloe (Capt.), H.Dealtry, + H.Spitta, A.Townsend, C.C.Dacre, C.Gordon,  
E.P.Edwards, P.Turner, + E.Tayloe, F.B.Soden. + Substitutes

Mr Deacon's XI: H.F.Deacon (Capt.), J.Wearne, A.G.Lee, G.H.Lee, H.R.Dupré, J.Sanders, H.Haden,  
W.C.Lefroy, E.Freeth, O.W.Fuller.

SAT DEC 29<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS 0 HERTFORDSHIRE RANGERS 0 (At Watford)

Sportsman 1/1/67 P.1:

SM: "The first match between these two clubs was played at Watford, on Saturday last, the 29<sup>th</sup> ult., and after a well-contested game, ended in a draw, no base having been obtained by either side. The seductive allurements of the gay and festive season having placed the major part of the "noble army of Wanderers" hors de combat, the general in command was compelled to make a rather inglorious first appearance on the Watford stage, with but seven men to represent a club whose legions have so often swept victoriously over the football world. Determined, however, to command the success which from the numerical superiority of their opponents they could apparently not command, the small body of rovers, having won the toss, took up their positions round the upper base, a Thermopylae which they were determined to defend with as much energy and courageously as that "friend of our youth", Leonidas, with his devoted band of Spartans, was reported to have held the straits against the invading hordes of Persians. Resolved to take full advantage of their superiority in numbers, the Rangers played up with great spirit at the commencement of the game, the ball being gradually worked down towards the Wanderers' base, any access to which, gallantly defended "by the pride of the N.N.'s", was extremely difficult."

"The opportune arrival, however, of an unexpected addition to their forces, proved salvation to the Wanderers, who now began to assume the offensive, and by some brilliant runs up compelled the



Rangers in their turn to defend their own base, around which, until the termination of the game, the rovers kept up one continuous cannonade, though, owing to the strong wind which blew straight across the ground, and which rendered all attempts at long kicking utterly useless, the base escaped the capture which every moment seemed imminent. For the Rangers, whom we consider were only preserved from defeat by the brilliant style in which their base was kept by Barker, Messrs Hammans and Hartshorne played well, while Searancke, barring a weakness for kicking the ball "straight in", was occasionally brilliant. Amongst the Wanderers, Messrs Rhodes and Emmanuel (nos dua turba sumus) were especially conspicuous for their good forward play, while the "Busy Bee" was, as usual, "here, there, and everywhere", and the "Snowball", in spite of that "leg" (which appears to him to be a chronic affliction), kept "back" in his usual irreproachable style."

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock, A. Baker, H. Emmanuel, A. Pember, P. Rhodes, C.F. Reid, C.M. Tebbut, S.T. Holland

Hertfordshire Rangers: A. Hammans (Capt.), Barker, Searancke, Kidson, Hartshorne, A. Day, B. Day, Copeland, Warwick, Herne, Clutterbuck.

HARROW CHEQUERS 1 (C.J. Smith) MR THORNTON'S XI 0 (At Harrow)

Sportsman 1/1/67 P.1:

SM: "This match was played on Saturday, Dec 29, at Harrow. Both teams had had disappointments, but both had contrived after all to bring their full number of twelve into the field." "...At the first onslaught victory seemed to incline to Mr Thornton's team. But first impressions are often deceitful; and before half an hour had elapsed a base was obtained for the Chequers by Mr C.J. Smith. It was kicked off the ground, and formed a brilliant finish to a perhaps more brilliant run up. Notwithstanding the vigorous exertions of Messrs Hewlett, Prior, and Thornton, no other base was obtained by either side. Throughout the game Mr Money's play for the Chequers was really remarkable. The skill with which he arrested the progress of his opponents, and guided the progress of the ball, was only equalled by the judgment which he constantly displayed even when assailed by four or five enemies at once. His success is all the more wonderful, as it depends less upon strength and speed than upon scientific play and a thorough knowledge of the game. The ground was very wet, muddier, perhaps, than we have ever seen it. The difficulty—nay, the impossibility—of very rapid movements, perhaps contributed to bring out Mr Money's qualities, and to render his play, as it certainly was, the most striking feature of the match. The state of the path down to the football field is simply disgraceful. We do not doubt that its obstructions are the principal cause of the dearth of spectators. We cannot understand how it is that the authorities of a large school like Harrow do not take the trouble to make the approaches to the playing field fit for gentlemen to walk on. As for the field itself, we believe that it has frequently been drained, but certainly never with anything like success."

Harrow Chequers: C.L. Tupper, G.G. Kennedy, W.B. Money, Smith, Archer, Burch, Baxendale, F.R. Broughton, De Morgan, Prior, Ponsonby, Baker.

Mr Thornton's XI: Thornton, Hewlett, Parr, Steel, Beachcroft, Prior, Black, Gribble, Hadow, Noyes, Welch, Templar.

N.B. There may be some misspellings in these lineups.

C.C.C. v Mr Robinson's XI :replaced by MR ROBINSON'S TEAM 0 MR SODEN'S TEAM 0

Sportsman 1/1/67 P.1:"The C.C.C. mustered in full force at three,but at that time only four of their opponents had turned up;the remainder,for some inexplicable reason,failed to put in an appearance.It was then mutually agreed that sides should be chosen,which was accordingly done by Messrs Robinson and F.Soden.The latter were lucky enough to win the toss for choice of goals,and took the one favoured by the wind.Play lasted for an hour and a half,but neither side gained any advantage,although both had many a kick over the ropes."

Mr Robinson's:Robinson,Sneider,H.Dealtry,H.Wilkinson,W.Frere,Cant,E.Tayloe,Blindel,J.C.Ker.

Mr Soden's:F.B.Soden,J.Wearne,Deacon,Thompson,Gordon,C.C.Dacre,Cawston,R.C.Ker.

LINCOLN FOOTBALL CLUB 2 (M.Sibthorp,E.Mantle) MR A.MARSHALL'S ELEVEN 0 (At Club's Practice Ground,Greetwell Road)

Sportsman 3/1/67 P.8:

SM:"Mr A.Marshall,Emmanuel College,Cambridge,who selected his team from the college and public school men present in the town..." "In about a quarter of an hour a goal by Sibthorpe was made. Ends were changed,and some close play ensued.The College now having the wind,held their own manfully until ten minutes from time,when a goal was made cleverly by Mantle."

The Club(10) :S.Bainbridge,J.Carline,D.J.Garnham,E.Mantle,J.B.Mawer,Mears,A.S.Melville, Oliver,A.Ramage,M.Sibthorp.

Mr A.Marshall's XI:Rev. G.Apthorp,Allott(Emergency),Bainbridge,T.Brogden,C.Carline,T.Dale, E.Gibney,G.Gibney,S.Hood,A.Marshall,W.Massingberd.

REIGATE 0 REDHILL 0 (At Reigate)

Sussex Agricultural Express 1/1/67 P3:

SAE:"The past season of the Reigate recreational Club has been a very successful one,and all seems to promiss well for the future.The subscription for non-members of the club is 5s for the season." "There are three games a week,on Mondays,Wednesdays,and Saturdays,and several matches are arranged.Football has begun in earnest,and several capital games have been played.The grand annual match of Reigate v Redhill was played on Saturday last,and seemed to have lost none of the excitement which always attaches to it.In spite of tendons,telegrams,and influenza,about 15 mustered on each side.Redhill flushed with the triumph of two successive years,and Reigate,proud in its motto"never won,nor never shall".It was a cloudy afternoon with a very strong wind,and blowing dead up the ground,which fully justified the Reigate captainin selecting to kick up the hill,but with the wind.The game was witnessed by many ladies,the majority of whom had been kind enough to drive or walk all the way from Redhill,a compliment which was heartily appreciated by at least one side.The ball was kicked off by Reigate at about ten minutes to three,and from then till 4.20 the game never flagged for a moment." "The Redhill base was constantly tried,but only by long wild kicks,which proved as useless as they were detrimental to the process of the game.Though the ball was four times as often behind their bases than behind the Reigate one,the latter was in far

more danger. As a rule, whenever the ball was there at all, it was well played, by a grand rush on the part of some."

Reigate: Rev T.N. Rowsell, S. de Mattos, H. Wix, E. Saunders, J. Wright, H. Wright, W. Klein, Walter Klein, B. Klein, S. Klein, C. Kirby, M. Butler, D. West, A. Freeman, F. Pawle, W. Kough.

SAE: "The absence of J.E. Hughes, for Reigate, was a matter of regret to all."

Redhill: G.G. Richardson, G.G. Richardson, jun., H. Richardson, J.T. Richardson, W.B. Richardson, B.E. Richardson, F. Richardson, J.H. Fry, J. Birt, A. Hallowses, W. Allport, A. Webb, F.A. Nicholson, P.S. Hanbury, E. Hanbury, G. Field.

REDHILL 4 (J.T. Richardson, John Fry, M. Taylor, H. Richardson) REIGATE 0 (Return) (Sat Jan 12<sup>th</sup>)

Sussex Agricultural Express 19/1/67 P.6:

SAE: "The return match between Reigate and Redhill, which had been fixed for Saturday last, was played in spite of severe frost and a heavy fall of snow. The simple fact of a game being played at all on such a day, reflects the highest credit on the club, and so long as such a spirit of enterprise exists, the greatest success may be hoped for. The determination of either side to win was evinced by the appearance of more than one illustrious stranger, who played as if they too were impregnated with the local rivalry which we hope will never grow less, in vehemence of good feeling. Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, the ground was honoured, and highly honoured, by the presence of ladies from Redhill, who set an example of indifference to wind and snow, which we would like to have seen copied by all who had promised to play. The Redhill captain, with his usual imprudence, lost the toss, and subjected his side to the necessity of kicking into the teeth of as fearful a hurricane of driving snow as we ever remember to have seen. In spite of this Reigate failed to attain any considerable advantage, and after several failures the ball was touched down in the Reigate goals by H. Richardson. It was kicked out, and caught by his brother, J.T., who cleverly secured a goal by an excellent "punt" kick. Before long, another goal was gained by a capital kick from the foot of John Fry, shortly followed by a very neat one by M. Taylor. In the last two minutes H. Richardson appropriated the ball, and refused to part with it till it had been passed between the goal posts, and so the match ended in favour of Redhill by four goals to none. It may seem strange that Reigate have never won a single one of the matches, and we venture to prophesy that they never will, until they follow the example of their captain, and bear in mind that head work is as important in football as mere physical force. For Redhill the most work was done by +Kennedy, and after him by J.H. Fry, Trower, Hallowses, Allport, and Taylor. For Reigate, the most conspicuous were Rev T.N. Rowsell, R.N. Byass, Hughes, Klein, and Mattos, but all played a plucky uphill game; the sides were about equal in point of numbers and as far as we could gather as follows:"

+(See below that is G.G. Kennedy (of Harrow and Wanderers) who was one of the strangers)

Redhill: H. Richardson, J.T. Richardson, W.B. Richardson, F. Richardson, G.G. Kennedy, J.H. Fry, John Fry, A. Hallowses, D. Allport, M. Taylor, H. Trower, G. Field.

Reigate: Rev T.N. Rowsell, R.N. Byass, T.N. Hughes, W. Klein, Walter Klein, B. Klein, S. Klein, S. de Mattos, F. Pawle, C. Rolfe, G. Saunders, C. Dixon, C. Kirby, (-Blank Esq, -Dash Esq).

WED JAN 2<sup>ND</sup> :

WANDERERS v OLD ETONIANS

Sportsman 1/1/67 P.1: "The return match between these two clubs will be played tomorrow (Wednesday) at Westminster; play to commence at 2.30. The following will play for "Wanderers": C.W. Alcock, W.J. Dixon, K. Muir Mackenzie, M. Muir Mackenzie, J.B. Martin, C.E.B. Nepean, C.F. Reid, C.M. Tebbut, A. Thompson, J.E. Tayloe, S.H. West."

Sportsman 3/1/67 P.8: "This match, advertised to take place yesterday, was not played, in consequence of the hard frost, which effectually prevented all attempts at football, and is consequently postponed until the weather becomes more propitious."

N.B. The Sportsman 3/1/67 P.4 gives a list of matches played in 1866 (that is Sept 29<sup>th</sup> – Dec 29<sup>th</sup> in the 66/67 season) exclusive of those played at the Colleges (Harrow in this paper and the others are listed in other papers).

SAT JAN 5<sup>TH</sup> ;

HARROW CHEQUERS v REIGATE CLUB and HERTFORDSHIRE RANGERS v WESTMINSTER HOLIDAY TEAM probably did not take place

TUES JAN 8<sup>TH</sup> :

ETON AND HARROW 2 (G.G. Kennedy, A. Crompton) THE WORLD 2 (C.G. Waudby, M. Muir Mackenzie) (At Vincent Square)

Sportsman 10/1/67 P.4/Field 12/1/67 P.32/Bell's Life 12/1/67 P.7:

N.B F and BL have the same spelling errors as each other.

F: "At Vincent Square, on the 8<sup>th</sup> inst., this match was played according to appointment, notwithstanding the wretched state of the ground, owing to the snow, frost, and rain. On Saturday it would have seemed presumptuous to talk about "our match on Tuesday", and even up to Monday the players themselves were doubtful whether the weather would allow it to be played, and consequently, although on that day reminders were sent by the captains to the members of their teams, several of them living at a distance did not turn up. With but eight men a-side we regret to say that the contest commenced and finished. The ball being started a steady rush was made by "the two schools" towards The World's goal, Mr Kinnaid as usual heading his men, running down with his usual rapidity, and nearing the posts with seeming fatality, till at the very threshold he met with able resistance from the much-wandering, the rarely erring Mr Tebbut. The globe being once more in the middle of the ground, both sides closed up together, and for some time The World seemed to have brought it to a standstill, though the more discerning spectator might have noticed that it was being so carefully piloted by "the two Mackenzies" through the sea of mud, that while they steered it clear of "the eddies", or rather "feet" of their opponents, they did not get it any nearer to the desired portion of the field. The big guns of their adversaries, tired of this slow contest, by a rapid fire of charges got possession of the leather, and, making a fine sweep round the open, landed it safely inside the posts. Then Mr Phipps, who seems to be amphibious, being equally at home in the muddy soil of St Vincent Square and the hard dry ground of Lord's, by some famous dribbling did The World good

service, though unable to obtain anything till seconded in his efforts by Mr Deacon, who bowled away to goals at a merry pace, and giving Mr Mackenzie a good front kick, which he availed himself of, gained a base. By this time the majority of the players being knocked up (as they said, by the heaviness of the running and the liveliness of the play, but as less partial observers remarked, by their Christmas fare), a slackness was perceptible, though Messrs Crompton and Kennedy for the Schools, and Messrs Phipps, Waudby, and Deacon still hunted about the field pertinaciously until two more goals were scored, one for each side; thus leaving the match, when time was called, a tie-two goals for The World and two for the Schools. It is needless to say that everyone played well, especially those particularised."

SM: "For the first quarter of an hour the World shook at its base which was seriously threatened by the attacks of the united Schools. At last, however, their efforts were crowned with success, and first goal was well won by G.G. Kennedy (Harrow), for the Schools. Nettled at the prospect of defeat, the hearts of oak bore down bravely on the enemy, and, after a heavy broadside, the School flagship lowered its colours to the Admiral in command, C.G. Waudby. With undiminished vigour the two sides recommenced the combat, and once more Harrow to the fore, with A. Crompton, who caught the World napping, and scored the second base for the Schools. The clock from the adjoining turret having with the stroke of four given notice that there was but a short time for the World to recover its losses, now came the tug of war (no allusion to our Admiralty friends). All worked up bravely, and just as time was called, M. Muir Mackenzie secured a second base for the Mortals, and thus saved the World from the stigma of defeat. For the Schools, A. Crompton, G.G. Kennedy, and A.F. Kinnaird played extremely well, while the "Swiper" was all there in base. For the World, Messrs Waudby, Deacon, and the brothers Mackenzie were the most conspicuous."

Eton and Harrow: A.F. Kinnaird (Capt.), E. Freeth (Eton), C.J. Thornton (Eton), E.L. Corrie (Eton), E.A. Owen (Eton), A. Crompton (Harrow), G.G. Kennedy (Harrow), F.R. Broughton (Harrow).

The World: C.W. Alcock (Old Harrovian), H.F. Deacon (Civil Service), K.A. Muir Mackenzie (Old Carthusian), M.J. Muir Mackenzie (Old Carthusian), C.M. Tebbut (Wanderers), J.E. Tayloe (Old Westminster), C.G. Waudby (Civil Service), H.G. Phipps.

N.B. Sportsman 8/1/67 P.4 listed the World Team for the match naming: C.E.B. Nepean (Charterhouse School), F. Lucas (Old Westminster), W.J. Dixon (Westminster School), S.H. West (Westminster School), and the first 7 above. H.G. Phipps made 8 players. No Eton and Harrow team listed.

"The Public School team will be under the captaincy of Mr A.F. Kinnaird. No mortal having been found with sufficient resolution to command the army of the World," The Cochin "has kindly undertaken to accept the part 'at a moment's notice'. The following will represent the World" for this occasion only" (See just above). "The Cochin" (of China) was a nickname for C.W. Alcock, the Captain.

THURS JAN 10<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS 2 (C.W. Alcock 2) WESTMINSTERS HOLIDAY TEAM 1 ("by the united forces of Messrs Pownall, Dixon, and Bovill") (At Vincent Square)

Sportsman 12/1/67 P.4:

SM: "These clubs met for the first time, at Vincent-square, on Thursday last, the 10<sup>th</sup> instant. The result was a hardly fought game, which terminated in favour of the Wanderers by two bases to one. The ground, considering the late rains, was in very good condition, the wet having tempered the soil, and rendered it holding for the feet. At 2.30, the time appointed for commencement, the Wanderers were in sole possession of the ground, the Westminsters, according to their usual custom, straggling in ten minutes late. All preliminaries having been arranged, the Wanderers won the toss, which gave them the benefit of a strong breeze blowing straight down the ground. The ball was cast into mid-air by the Westminster captain, and with this signal of defiance, both sides commenced the combat vigorously and energetically. At the first start it appeared that victory would declare itself for the Westminsters, owing to the rather lazy style in which the Wanderers commenced the fray. Awakened, however, to the sense of their danger, the rovers pulled themselves together, and with the help of G.G. Kennedy and A.F. Kinnaird, seriously endangered the base defended by their opponents. Driven about, first by one side then the other, the ball seemed undetermined which base to visit, until the fortune of the day was turned by a slight mistake made by one of the Westminsters, and an opening was given to C.W. Alcock, who was by no means slow in accepting the chance offered, and scored the first base for the Wanderers. With the help of old Boreas the Westminsters began to feel more at home, and to play up with greater pluck, their efforts being soon rewarded by a base, which was well won for them by the united forces of Messrs Pownall, Dixon, and Bovill. The two sides being once more on an equal footing, the struggle for victory became most exciting, as the ball was borne along by the forward players of the one only to be met and returned by the base-keepers of the other side; every player was striving his utmost to win the coveted honour for his side, though the ball was perhaps more frequently near the Wanderers' base. However, just as the clock sounded the first note of four o'clock, Mr C.W. Alcock once more came to the rescue of his side, who appeared to be slightly penned by their opponents, and, dashing away with the ball, which was dangerously near to the Wanderers' base, guided it safely past the many obstacles it had to encounter, and, after a long run-down the whole length of the ground, securely planted it between the posts of the Westminster base. With the capture of the second base the Wanderers played up once more to their old form, and determined not to allow their opponents any further advantage successfully defended their base against the attacks of the Westminsters until the conclusion of the game, which consequently terminated in a victory for the Wanderers by two bases to one.

For the Wanderers, A.F. Kinnaird showed his usual amount of "steam", while G.G. Kennedy and M. Muir-Mackenzie exhibited another triumph of "public form". For the Westminsters, W.J. Dixon, F. Pownall, and E.C. Bovill were conspicuous in the forward part of the game, while S.H. West was almost impassable in base."

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock, A.W. Hammans, G.G. Kennedy, A.F. Kinnaird, A. Morten, M. Muir Mackenzie, C.M. Tebbut, C.L. Tupper.

N.B Sportsman 10/1/67 P.4 listed C.F. Reid, K. Muir-Mackenzie (as well as M. Muir-Mackenzie), L. Hope-Edwardes, H.J. Smith, C.M. Robinson, as going to play but did not list A.W. Hammans, C.L. Tupper.

Westminster Holiday Team: W.J. Dixon (Capt.), F. Pownall, E.C. Bovill, C.M. Robinson, F. Sanders, K. Muir-Mackenzie, N.P. Eastwick, J.P. Nicholls, S.H. West. (F has H.C. Phillips for C.M. Robinson and has N.D. Eastwick)

SAT JAN 12<sup>TH</sup> :

CIVIL SERVICE 3 (C.G.Waudby,E.Freeth,H.F.Deacon) BYCULLA CLUB 2 (C.W.Alcock,C.H.Wade)  
(At Stroud Green House,Croydon)

Field 19/1/67 P.41/Sportsman 15/1/67 P.3/Sporting Life 16/1/67 P.3:

F: "Undeterred by the severe weather, which effectively put a stop to all matches arranged to be played in the metropolis, eight of its most distinguished players came down to Croydon to represent the Civil Service in the match against the Bycullas. A thick coating of snow, of which there had been a heavy fall at Croydon, had slightly softened the ground, which the frost of the previous night had rendered extremely hard, and made the "running" easier than expected. The Civil Service did not gain the advantage normally derived from winning the toss, for they allowed the Bycullas to kick the ball down the hill, with the wind and snow at their backs. The game was at the commencement rather tame, only the more active players in the two sides taking part in the fray, owing to the heavy state of the ground, which was vastly in favour of good training. After the exhibition of some good play on both sides, +C.W.Alcock made a good run down, and placed the first base to the credit of the Bycullas. On resuming play the change of sides proved a great boon to the Civil Servants, for whom their captain, C.G.Waudby, in his usual dashing style, scored the first base. The third base was gained by the Bycullas after a run down by +C.W.Alcock, assisted by a final kick from the toe of C.H.Wade, of Charterhouse. The superior training and style of the Civil Servants now began to tell a tale, and a base was quickly won for them by E.Freeth. The third and last base was obtained for them after an excellent run-up by H.F.Deacon landing the ball between the Croydon goal posts, thus securing victory for the Civil Servants by three bases to two.

For the Bycullas, F.Dorling and C.H.Wade were the most prominent "forwards"; while J.P.Langdon was an effective basekeeper. H.F.Deacon, C.G.Waudby, and E.Freeth distinguished themselves as usual for the Civil Service. The Civil Service rules, which are synonymous with those used at Westminster School, were played on this occasion, and we think great credit is due to the Bycullas for making such a good fight against adversaries so skilled in all the arts of football.

The match was played at Stroud Green House, the residence of H.Dorling, Esq., by whom, after the conclusion of the match, both victors and vanquished were hospitably entertained."

+ Referred to in the SM Report as "the Cochin" but in the SL Report as "Alcock"

Civil Service: C.G.Waudby (Capt.), Gustave Aimard, A.E.Bateman, H.F.Deacon, J.Kirkpatrick, E.Freeth, J.W.Peake, J.Wearne.

Byculla Club: C.W.Alcock, W.Dorling, F.Dorling, W.F.Henderson, J.P.Langdon, F.Lonsada, F.W.Thomas, C.H.Wade. (Could be Langton and Lousada)

HARROW CHEQUERS v NO NAMES probably did not take place.

TUES JAN 15<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS v OLD ETONIANS (At Vincent Square) ("did not take place" in consequence of the state of the ground, which the late frost had made extremely hard and dangerously slippery": see Sportsman 22/1/67 P.4): It appears that Vincent Square was the main venue during this icy period .

Sportsman 15/1/67 P.3:

The return match between these two clubs will be played at Westminster this day(Tuesday);play to commence at 2.30.The following will represent the Wanderers:-C.W.Alcock,K.Muir-Mackenzie, M.Muir-Mackenzie,S.H.West,E.C.Bovill,S.F.Lucas,J.B.Martin,C.Tupper,G.G.Kennedy.”

WED JAN 16<sup>TH</sup> :

CIVIL SERVICE v WESTMINSTER HOLIDAY TEAM (At Vincent Square) scheduled for the following day,did not take place for the same reasons.

Field 26/1/67 P.68:

#### FOOTBALL

“The continued severity of the frost,now happily departed from us,which has for so many days held us all enchained within its icy manacles,has for the last fortnight kept the lovers of football in a state of restless inactivity,anxiously waiting for a propitious change in the weather,which King Frost has appeared equally bent on denying them.In the present dearth of all active enjoyment of the game,I think I cannot do better than direct the attention of the numerous readers of the Field,interested in the great winter sport,to a subject which is of great importance to all who desire the establishment of football as a national game.I allude to the welfare and support of the Football Association,which, from the very nature of the object it seeks to accomplish,deserves more solid and substantial recognition at the hands of all lovers of the game,to whatever school they may belong,or by whatever rules they may be guided,whether Rugby or Winchester,Harlow or Eton.The association,as all readers of the Field who have watched its movements will remember,was formed at the end of the year 1863,after several well attended meetings at which the representatives of the principal metropolitan clubs were present,and is consequently in the fourth year of its existence.The obstacles which the association had to encounter in its infancy have not been thoroughly overcome;the old memories and traditions to which some clubs firmly cling have yet to be swept away;the co-operation of the public schools,which was so eagerly desired by its promoters and which alone would have formed a foundation on which to build a structure of requisite solidarity, has yet to be secured.Still,both the promoters as well as the present officers of the association have performed their task worthily;the code of rules,as originally formed by the members of the various metropolitan clubs,has been but slightly altered to meet the improvements which the practice of each succeeding year has rendered necessary;the rules which have been ratified and approved by the various clubs which have given them a trial-and a copy of which,through the courtesy of an officer of the association,I am enabled to give below-are simple in their construction,and,with the exception of slight improvements which(in my opinion) are necessary to make them perfect,have been most judiciously arranged.The main object of the association is to assimilate the rules issued by the authority of its officers,as to promote the adoption of one universal game which shall be used by all the different clubs,and so by constant practice and intermingling of the various opposing elements to unite them in one great body.The first question then is to be considered.What rules are the most general in the neighbourhood of London?as it is chiefly to London and its immediate neighbourhood that the association must look for its support.Now I think,by referring to the matches played in London during the last season,we shall find that the rules most used by the principal clubs were those now in vogue at Westminster and Charterhouse,and which,in my opinion, of all the games in which I have performed(and I have played by most of the various codes,from the forcible-I had almost said vicious-style of play at Rugby,to that peculiar combination of rules in force



at Forest School), are the most scientific and the most conducive to the particular game expected from the signification of the word foot-ball. By these Westminster and Charterhouse rules, the matches, Eton College v The Civil Service, Westminster v Charterhouse, Eton and Harrow v the World, are annually played; by these rules too the greater proportion of the matches played by the Wanderers, Crusaders, Harrow Chequers, Old Etonians, Civil Service, Westminster Vacation Team, N.N.'s, Clapham Club, Hertfordshire Rangers, are ruled and governed. I would therefore suggest to the officers of the association, who, I believe, are using all their energies to give it something more than "a local habitation and a name", at the earliest opportunity vouchsafed by their laws, to propose the adoption of these rules, or rules as nearly approximate thereto as possible, and thus secure the co-operation of the various clubs I have mentioned above, which, from the strength of their names and renown, will exert an influence on the affairs of the association, and give a tone of authority to its movements, which it has not been able to secure. From No 8 of the laws of the association, which I have before me, I learn that "all notices of proposed alterations in the rules shall be made in writing to the secretary on or before the 1<sup>st</sup> of February in each year." Before next Friday, then, all notices of proposed alterations must be sent to the secretary, R.W. Willis Esq., 8, Billiter Street, E.C. There is not much time left for us to take action in this matter; six brief days are all that remains to make our suggestions, which otherwise cannot be considered until the following year....."

(The Rules of the Game" as published by the Association (i.e the 1866 version set out on Page 31 of Tony Brown's Football Association Source Book) were then set out in full followed by the following comments:

"There are two points in the above rules which seem to me to be capable of improvement. In the first place, referring to Rule 7, I should suggest the abolition of the "touch down", which is calculated to spoil the game, and which I find offers great temptation to many players, young ones especially, to withdraw their attention from the bases which are the chief objects of the game. An unopposed run along the side of the ground may be very ornamental and suit the tastes of spectators, but still the centre of the ground is the place most easy for the accomplishment of bases, and it is in the centre of the ground that the ball ought to be kept. +A "touch down" is in most cases merely a waste of time, for it is but rarely that +bases are scored from such "touches". I notice in these rules, too, an absence of anything with reference to a player "handling" the ball. Rule 11 says that "No player shall take the ball from the ground with his hands while it is in play." But this does not meet the point in dispute; as "handling" the ball does not consist in taking the ball from the ground at all, but in pushing it on before you when on the bound. In the match "London v Sheffield", played at Battersea Park in the Spring of 1866, the Sheffield players strongly objected to the amount of "handling" practised by the Londoners, and I think with good reason; for however pretty the use of hands may appear to some, still I am of opinion that hands ought only to be used in stopping the ball, and that in case of a + "fair catch" , the ball ought at once to be placed on the ground. +No 3 in the Charterhouse Rules seems to me to meet this difficulty, and reduces the use of hands to a very narrow limit: "Players shall be allowed to stop the ball with their hands, and also, if necessary, to stoop to do so; but no player may strike the ball with his hand in any way, either when in the air or upon the ground."

These are the only weak points I can discover in the Association rules and I humbly venture a suggestion for their alteration, which I have no doubt will receive due consideration in the hands of the committee, to whom in their efforts to provide us with a recognised authority on football, I wish every success." A.L.G.

N.B.:

+(i) "Base" is a Harrow term for a goal.

+(ii) The "Fair Catch" Rule 8 was, in fact, deleted from the Rules at the 1866 AGM. At the 1867 AGM (See Tony Brown's Source Book) this Charterhouse Rule 3 wording was proposed but not adopted. However, Rule 8 was changed to prohibit "knocking on" of the ball with the hands.

+Also at the 1867 AGM "touch down" was abolished by rewording Rule 7. The Rules did not in any event make it clear how a goal was attempted to be scored after a "touch down".

N.B. Sporting Life 23/1/67 P.4 has the existing F.A Rules and date of AGM etcetera.

Sportsman 15/1/67 P.3: LONDON v SHEFFIELD match postponed "in consequence of the present severe weather."

SAT JAN 19<sup>TH</sup> :

N.B. Harrow Game and Ground description : Sportsman 22/1/67 P.4 (Drawn 1-1 with Harrovian Cantabs: equalising goal by Cantabs after a "fair catch" and "three yards" call and a jump over the goal line with the ball.)

WED JAN 23<sup>RD</sup>

ETON AND HARROW 0 THE WORLD 2 (M. Muir Mackenzie, J.A. Foote) (At Vincent Square)

Sportsman 24/1/67 P.3/Field 26/1/67 P.68/Sporting life 26/1/67 P.4/Sporting Gazette 26/1/67 /Bell's Life 26/1/67 P.6 (Errors in BL Lineups)/Pall Mall Gazette 24/1 P.6 (Errors)/London Standard 24/1/67 P.6:

SM: "These two teams met for the second time yesterday (Wednesday), at Westminster, to play their return match, which, after an exciting game, terminated in favour of the Globe by two bases to none. At the appointed time for commencement fifteen players had made their appearance, and with this number the game commenced and finished. The World was fortunate in a second time securing the toss, which caused the Schools to play up from the lower base. There was a strong Carthusian element in the team representing the World, which was composed of three Present, three Past Carthusians and one Civil Servant, and well indeed did they all fight for the cause of the Universe. The two Schools were on this occasion very poorly represented, the late severe frost, and its current transformation having the effect of frightening many of their most illustrious representatives, who otherwise would have taken part in the fray. The ball was thrown up in the air as the adjoining clock sounded the first note of three o'clock, and both sides commenced the combat with as much energy as the heavy state of the ground would permit. The play at first was certainly in favour of the Schools, owing to the ground which told greatly against the numerical inferiority of the World. No result, however, was gained by either side for some time, until a very good run-down was made by the brothers Mackenzie, which, owing to a little misunderstanding on the part of the Schools' basekeeper, resulted in a goal for the World, through the immediate agency of M. Muir Mackenzie. On sides being changed the Mortals appeared determined to increase their advantage, J.A. Foote and the brothers Mackenzie being most vigorous in their efforts to add another base to the World's account, their attempts, however, being foiled by the very wary tactics of the knowing Tebbut. The

usually ubiquitous T. was for once, however, not in his right place and advantage was taken of his absence from goal to secure a base, which was credited to the World after a very good run-down by J.A. Foote. A third base was obtained by M. Muir Mackenzie, but was disallowed on account of being "behind" when he first started with the ball, and the match accordingly terminated in favour of the World by two bases to none.

The play of the Mortals was unusually good, their style of "backing up" and working together being really excellent. We must single out J.A. Foote from the rest of his fellows for the remarkably active part he took in the game from the commencement to the finish; the two Carthusian brothers (Mackenzie) were, as usual, effective and elegant in their style of play. The two Schools, who were not represented in accordance with their worth, were on this occasion remarkably weak in base-keeping, which will perhaps account for the defeat they suffered, and from which their captain (A.F. Kinnaird) did his utmost to rescue them."

F: "A third base obtained by M. Muir Mackenzie, was disallowed on account of his being "behind" when he first started with the ball": see the letter quoted below contesting this description in Field 2/2/67: "I conclude that M. Muir Mackenzie was nearer the goal than the ball was when he first started, and that the ball was kicked from behind him, thus placing him offside. Thus he was too far forward according to the received definition of offside, and ought to have been "behind", i.e. the ball, when he started." The writer also criticised the use of the word "base", which is confined to Harrow, for the term "goal".

LS: "The first match was played about a fortnight since, and, as our readers are aware, resulted in a draw, two "goals" each being obtained by the two sides. On that occasion the ground was in a bad state, but yesterday it was much worse, owing to the thaw which set in on Tuesday night.

Precisely at a quarter to three the fifteen players – eight for Eton and Harrow, seven for the "World" – emerged from the Lodge. Each player wore flannel trousers, and with one or two exceptions, had no covering over their shirts."

Eton and Harrow: A.F. Kinnaird (Captain), C.W. Alcock, C.M. Tebbut, E. Freeth, E. Trower, J.H. Morgan, S.T. Holland, H.F. Deacon.

The World: J. Butter (Capt.) (Carthusian), E.C.S. Gibson (Carthusian), C.E.B. Nepean (Carthusian), J.A. Foote (Carthusian), K.A. Muir Mackenzie (Carthusian), M.J. Muir Mackenzie (Carthusian), J. Kirkpatrick (Civil Service).

N.B. Sportsman 22/1/67 P.4/Sporting Life 23/1/67 P.4 both listed the World team for the match, naming: O.S. Walford, W.J. Dixon, E.C. Bovill, H.J. Smith who did not play, and C.M. Tebbut and S.T. Holland who did play, but for Eton and Harrow. J.A. Foote and J. Kirkpatrick were not listed to play but played for the World in the match.

N.B. SM has J. Butter (correct) but the 3 other papers have J. Butler.

THURS JAN 24<sup>TH</sup> :

WEST KENT v CIVIL SERVICE (At Battersea Park)) and HARROW CHEQUERS v REIGATE CLUB (At Reigate) not to be played "In consequence of the late severe weather and the natural disinclination

of players to expose themselves to the dangers of the hard ground,from which,however,they have been providentially rescued by the heavy wet of the last two days."

SAT JAN 26<sup>TH</sup> :

HULL 2 LINCOLN 0 (First match) (At Hull)(See SM 7/3/67 P.3 in Report of Return Match on 2/3/67)

Sportsman 27/12/66 P.4:"HULL FOOTBALL CLUB.The game of football is daily gaining popularity in the north.To-day we have to record the formation of a club at Hull,under the presidency of John Loft,Esq.,Mayor,the Rev John Scott being vice-president.The rules adopted are very similar to those in use at Market Rasen,Horncastle,and Lincoln,differing in but few points to those of the latter place.Mr E.Waltham is captain,Mr J.D.Close treasurer,and Mr R.J.Wade,hon sec.The rules of the club and game were agreed to and passed at a general meeting,held on December 6,at the George Hotel, Hull.Numerous members joined,and the future success of the club augers well."

C.C.C. v N.N's (Clapham Common) and N.N's v Hertfordshire Rangers(At Watford).

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 MR KINNAIRD'S TEAM 0 (Lower Green,Charterhouse)

Sportsman 29/1/67 P.3/Field 2/2/67 P.85/City Press 2/2/67 P.6:

SM:"A match was played at Charterhouse,on Saturday,the 26<sup>th</sup> inst.,between Charterhouse School and a team selected under the auspices of that energetic football player A.F.Kinnaird,which,after one of the most exciting and hard-fought games it has ever been our good fortune to witness, terminated in a draw,no goal having been obtained by either side.In consequence of this being the first match in which the boys have been engaged since their return from the christmas vacation,and the reputation which they won for themselves last term,by a brilliant succession of victories untarnished by a single defeat,great interest was felt to see how they acquitted themselves in this the first match of the new term.At 2.45 the ball was kicked off by the School captain,the boys,who had lost the toss,playing down the hill,while their opponents occupied the lower,or Goswell-road goal.At the commencement of the game both parties began with great vigour,the Strangers trying by superior weight to force the base,which experience has taught most players with any knowledge of Charterhouse,is almost impregnable,the boys defending their territory with all their wonted energy. For some time the ball was kept very close to the School goal,and many were the attempts by the Strangers to secure its fall,but without success.On all sides the firing was continued;first the ball visited one side of the School goal,now the other,till at last the boys got it away,and in their turn attacked the Strangers' base,the defence of which was entrusted to the agile Tebbut,who ably justified the confidence reposed in him,and carefully repelled the attacks of the boys,whose style of play on their own ground is usually perfect.Many brilliant runs were made by the forwards on both sides,eager to secure some advantage,the ubiquitous Kinnaird being unceasing in his efforts to lead his men to a victorious assault,while W.L.Boreham,J.A.Foote,and H.Murray-Mackenzie were equally determined to lose no chance of winning the crown of laurels for the School.At last,however,a brilliant run for the Strangers was made by H.Forsyth,who judiciously kicked the ball straight in front of the School base,where two forward Strangers were waiting to give it the final kick,which,however, in consequence of the superb defence of the School basekeeper,did not secure the goal which had appeared so easy of accomplishment.At four o'clock time was called,and no base having been obtained by either party,this match,which had produced such an even and exciting contest,resulted

in a draw. For the School, W.L. Boreham, A.J. Foote, and H. Murray-Mackenzie played in excellent form forwards, while the style in which E.C. Gibson repelled all the attacks of the Strangers on the School base was really splendid. For the Strangers the fleet-footed Kinnaird set a good example to his men, for whom the +“high-kicker” lifted the ball in his usual playful style.” +C.W. Alcock

Charterhouse School: E.C.S. Gibson (Capt.), R.W. Macan, C.E.B. Nepean, W.L. Boreham, J.A. Foote, E.E. Venables, A.S. Mammatt, W. Wallace, C.H. Wade, H. Murray-Mackenzie, E.A. Hammick, +J. Taylor, C.C. Boyle. +Played for O.S. Walford

Mr A.F. Kinnaird's Team: A.F. Kinnaird, C.W. Alcock, J.F. Alcock, W.J.C. Cutbill, H. Forsyth, S.T. Holland, W.S. Prideaux, C.F. Reid, P. Rhodes, F.B. Soden, C.M. Tebbut, C.G. Waudby.

TUES JAN 29<sup>TH</sup> :

ETON Field game:

Eton College 1 rouge +Lord E. Fitzmaurice's Eleven 0 (Played at Mr Evans' field in South Meadow because the “field” was undergoing a course of preparation for the cricket season)+A.F. Kinnaird's Eleven in ECC

Field 2/2/67 P.85/Sportsman 31/1/67 P.4/Sporting Gazette 2/2/67/Eton College Chronicle 14/2/67 P.294:

F: “The toss was won by Eton, who kicked down the hill, and had the advantage of a strong breeze which was blowing straight down the ground. In spite of the advantage thus gained by the College, the game was for some time most evenly contested, neither party being able to secure any firm footing in their opponents' territory until the last “bully” before “change”, when in spite of the appeal that it was obtained by “sneaking”, a “rouge” was given to the College by one of the umpires.”

ECC: “Mr Kinnaird's team were disappointed of three of their best men, Messrs Hogg, Forsyth, and Round, and their places had to be filled up with emergencies.”

Eton College: R.R. Ferguson (Capt.), J.R. Sturgis, W.D. Benson, W.C. Calvert, C.R. Alexander, M. Horner, H.. Warburton, C. Tait, C. Patton, J. Unthank, A. Thompson. (ECC initials)

A.F. Kinnaird's Eleven: A.F. Kinnaird, Lord E. Fitzmaurice (Capt.), Rev. G.R. Dupuis, E.A. Owen, H.C. Bonsor, E.P. Rouse, A. Trower, A. Dupuis, W.D. Bodkin, +C.J. Thornton, +J. Carr-Lloyd. +Emergencies (Carr and Lloyd are separate players in SM/SG)

N.B. This 11 was “principally composed of Cantabs” (F.)

WED JAN 30<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 3 (A.S. Mammatt, E.E. Venables, W. Wallace) CIVIL SERVICE 0 (At Charterhouse)

N.B. Charterhouse Football History has Foote/Wallace/Mammatt, Venables, Wallace)

Field 2/2/67 P.85/Sportsman 31/1/67 P.4/Sporting Life 2/2/67 P.4/Sporting Gazette 2/2/67/Morning Post 31/1/67 P.5 (Both have no Civil Service team):

SM: "In spite of the heavy rain, and undeterred by the state of the ground, at about ten minutes to three o'clock the two captains tossed for the choice of goal, which was won by the Civil Servants, who preferred to kick down from the upper base. The game was soon commenced, and both sides for the moment oblivious of rain and dirt, entered into the fray with energy and spirit, but few players being able, however, to show any form in consequence of the slippery state of the ground, which soon put an end to all hopes of "dribbling". It was not long, however, before the boys began to show their superiority over the Civil Servants, many of whom exhibited unmistakeable signs of too sudden acquaintance with mother earth. The ball was soon carried up towards the Civil Service base, and an easy chance was given to A.S. Mammatt, who failed, however, to take advantage of the chance given him, and the ball was once more taken into the centre of the ground, where it remained for some time, until J.A. Foote got hold of the leather, and, with the aid of W. Wallace, made a brilliant run up, in the course of which a second chance was given to A.S. Mammatt, who, this time, by waiting patiently, was able to secure the base which he had just before lost. Sides were now changed, and once more the ball was sent on its slimy track, the boys again dragging it down towards their opponents' base, which held out for some time, until a long kick by E.E. Venables secured its fall for the second time. Once more the boys kicked up the hill, and with every minute increased the advantage they had already gained, their style of playing together even on the slippery ground being really excellent. Several good runs up were made for them, though without success, till W. Wallace, taking advantage of a clear coast, secured a third base for the School. The game was continued another quarter of an hour, but without further result, and thus the first match played this term between the above clubs resulted in a victory for the School by three goals to none. For the School, E.E. Venables, W. Wallace, and J.A. Foote played exceedingly well, for the Civil Service, A.F. Kinnaid, and C.G. Waudby. At the commencement of the match a rather novel and startling effect was caused by the appearance of a Civil Servant keeping base under an umbrella."

Charterhouse School: E.C.S. Gibson (Capt.), J. Taylor, R.W. Macan, C.E.B. Nepean, W.L. Boreham, J.A. Foote, W. Wallace, C.H. Wade, E.E. Venables, A.S. Mammatt, H. Murray Mackenzie.

N.B. J. Taylor again played instead of O.S. Walford.

Civil Service: C.G. Waudby (Capt.), G. Aimard, G. Allanson, R. Babington, A.E. Bateman, C. Buchanan, E. Freeth, G. King, A.F. Kinnaid, J. Kirkpatrick, A.W. Peate. (SM had A. King)

N.B. A.F. Kinnaid played for Civil Service

N.B. Field 2/2/67 has an analysis of the proposed changes to the FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION RULES of the Game at the forthcoming AGM on Feb 26<sup>th</sup>, including a detailed analysis of the "offside" or "behind" laws at the various Schools. (Sportsman 2/2/67 P.3 also publishes the wording of the proposed Rule changes).

N.B. Field 9/2/67 P.104 has a detailed analysis of the "handling" or "knocking on" laws at the various Schools, and a detailed letter of critique from the Hon Sec of the Sheffield Club.

SAT FEB 2<sup>ND</sup> :

C.C.C. 1 (J.E. Tayloe) WANDERERS 0 (At Clapham Common)

Sportsman 5/2/67 P.3/Field 9/2/67 P.104:

F: "The first match played between the above clubs took place at Clapham, on Saturday last, the 2<sup>nd</sup> inst., and after a most evenly-contested game, terminated in a victory for the C.C.C. by one goal to none. The Wanderers, who commenced the game with only seven men, were, owing to the unaccountable non-appearance of some of their members, but poorly represented in this match, many names well known in connection with the roving band "being conspicuous by their absence". The ground, though in many places extremely rough, was in good order, and the "going" firm. The Clapham team were fortunate in securing the toss for choice of goals, by which they secured the advantage of the hill, as well as the assistance of a very strong wind, which was blowing across the common, direct from base to base. At about a quarter past three o'clock the ball was started by the captain of the Clapham Club, the Wanderers having, with the assistance of substitutes, increased their team to ten men. At the commencement of the game some good play was exhibited by both sides, the Wanderers struggling gamely up the hill against the wind, which, in spite of all their efforts to keep the ball near the upper base, proved too formidable an opponent. For some time the ball was kept well in the centre of the ground, varied by occasional visits to the neighbourhood of the two goals; at last, however, in consequence of accidents which disabled two of the principal rovers, it was carried down to the lower goal, round which it hovered for some time, though the excellent defence exhibited by Messrs A. Morten and J. Kirkpatrick effectually prevented its fall. A run down the side of the ground, aided by a rather flukey kick by J.E. Tayloe, most unexpectedly secured the capture of the base which had been so well defended by the rovers. Sides were now changed, and the Wanderers, with the hill and wind to aid them, by several well-executed runs, threatened the lower base which on one or two occasions just escaped the capture which appeared imminent. Notwithstanding the energetic efforts made by the rovers to retrieve their laurels, sufficient time was not granted to them to redeem their loss, and when time was called, not having succeeded in obtaining a base, the match resulted in a victory for the Clapham team by one base to none—a victory more attributed to the strong wind they had to assist them than to any brilliant exhibition of play. The rules used by the Westminster School were adopted as the basis of play in this match."

C.C.C. : J.E. Tayloe, H. Dealtry, C.C. Dacre, C.G.W. Gwatkin, A. Gordon, F.B. Soden, H. Wilkinson, C. Franks, C. Davidson, J.C. Ker, A. French.

Wanderers: J.F. Alcock, C.W. Alcock, W.J.C. Cutbill, W. Finch, H. Forsyth, C. Kirkpatrick, J. Kirkpatrick, A. Morten, +A. Townsend, +E. Tayloe. +Emergencies (F has W. Lawrence for W. Finch)

TUES FEB 5<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS v CIVIL SERVICE (At Battersea Park)

Sportsman 5/2/67 P.4: "A match between these clubs will take place at Battersea Park this day (Tuesday). Play will commence at 2.30. The following layers will represent the Wanderers: - A.L. Gallus, W.J. Thompson, A. Thompson, H. Emmanuel, Q. Hogg, J.C. Ker, J.B. Martin, W. Finch, C.M. Tebbut, J. Tayloe, H. Fawcett." (H. Forsyth ?)

Sporting Life 6/2/67 P.4: "The match between these clubs advertised to take place at Battersea Park yesterday (Tuesday) did not take place, in consequence of the heavy rain which fell during the afternoon."

WED FEB 6<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 4 (A.S.Mammatt,+H.Murray Mackenzie,C.E.B.Nepean 2) \*AN OXFORD TEAM 0 (At Lower Green,Charterhouse)+End of Season Summary in Field and Charterhouse Football History both have E.E.Venables as the scorer)

\*A team from Oxford and Charterhouse School:also referred to as J.Butter's Team

Sportsman 7/2/67 P.4/Field 9/2/67 P.104/Bell's Life 9/2/67 P.9/London Standard 8/2/67 P.6:

F:"The strangers having won the toss selected the upper goal,with the wind in their favour,and about a quarter past three o'clock,the ball was,according to custom,kicked off by the School captain. The first kick was followed up vigorously by the boys,who with one determined rush,carried the ball up to the Oxford goal,which was soon captured by A.S.Mammatt,after an excellent run up.The Oxonians,who had now lost the advantages of the hill and wind,played in very poor form,owing to the mixed nature of their team,which was sadly wanting in that splendid style of backing up which has so much contributed to the numerous victories won by the School.Soon after the fall of the first goal a good run down was made by the boys,which resulted in a second base for the School,kicked by H.Murray Mackenzie,who had judiciously followed the ball down the centre of the ground.With the hill and wind once more to aid them,the Oxonians played up a little better than before,though the superior training of the boys soon began to show,and a good run up by H.Murray Mackenzie gave C.E.Nepean a good opportunity of securing a third goal for the School.Shortly afterwards the fourth and last goal was obtained for the boys by C.E.B.Nepean,which terminated the match in favour of the School by four bases to none-a result mainly attributable to the very mild style of goal-keeping exhibited by the strangers,and also to the more than usually brilliant play shown in this match by the boys,who appear determined to bring their football campaign of this term to as successful a termination as their season of 1866.For the boys,E.E.Venables,H Murray Mackenzie,and C.E.B.Nepean played in rare form,while W.Wallace kept goal for them in capital style.For the Oxonians,+J.Butler,J.Round,and R.R.G.Tatton lent invaluable assistance to their side,and worked hard in a losing cause." +J.Butter in SM

Charterhouse School:E.C.S.Gibson(Capt.),O.S.Walford(J.Taylor),R.W.Macan,C.E.B.Nepean, W.L.Boreham,J.A.Foote,C.H.Wade,W.Wallace,E.E.Venables,A.S.Mammatt,H.Murray Mackenzie, E.A.Hammick,R.Dunn.

Oxford Team:J.Butter(Capt.),C.W.Alcock,,J.F.F.Horner,J.Round,J.R.Round,F.W.Butterworth,G.Farwell, H.B.Primrose,A.W.H.Howard,W.F.Rogers,R.R.G.Tatton,F.A.H.Elliott,A.G.Guillemard.

THURS FEB 7<sup>TH</sup> :

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE CLUB 1(W.A.Hodges) +PUBLIC SCHOOL MEN 0(Meadow Cricket Ground)

+As before presumably members of the Club

Sportsman 12/2/67/ P.3

The Club:E.B.Steegman(Capt.),A.B.Baillon,W.S.Burkin,W.Evans,J.Hack,W.A.Hodges, J.C.Hodges,F.Newsome,H.Simon,W.Ward,C.S.Wardle.(Notts County history has W.Goddard for W.Evans and has H.Simons)



School Men:A.Deedes(Capt.),R.Douglas,S.Elliott,C.Elliott,G.Fellows,T.P.Keely,J.Keely,  
F.Lambert,C.Rothera,F.C.Smith,R.Daft.

SAT FEB 9<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 0 WANDERERS 0 (At Harrow)

Sportsman 12/2/67 P.3/Field 16/2/67 P.124:

F."The return match between these old opponents was played at Harrow,on Saturday last,the 9<sup>th</sup> inst.,and after a most evenly-contested game,terminated in a draw,no goal having been obtained by either team.The ground,owing to the incessant rain to which it has lately been exposed,was on this occasion even in a muddier state than usual,and in combination with an exceedingly hot sun,had the effect of rendering the game a little less livelier than usually played by the boys.The Rovers,however, have passed too often through the ordeal of Harrow mire to be disheartened even by the ocean of mud which greeted them on their arrival at the football field.The places of their absentees having been filled by substitutes,the Rovers had the good fortune to win the toss for choice of goals,by which they secured the privilege of kicking down the hill,which to a heavy team is always a great advantage.At about a quarter to three o'clock the ball was kicked off from the centre of the ground by the School captain,and with this signal both sides commenced the fray,the superior weight of the strangers first carrying the ball down the hill towards the School goal.The state of the ground, however,was adverse to any exhibition of "dribbling"on the part of the Rovers,who but rarely piloted the ball past the School goal-keepers,the latter defending their territory with great skill.The superior training and style of the boys soon compelled the rovers to assume the defensive to secure their goal from the attacks of their opponents,who during the course of the match made many unsuccessful attempts at the Wanderers goal.A splendid catch was made by J.Broadmead only yards in front of the strangers' goal,though the subsequent kick did not carry the ball through the two goal posts.In spite,however,of the energetic efforts made by the players of the two sides to obtain a goal,no success greeted either team,and thus the match ended in a draw.

For the School W.B.Money(the captain) was more than usually conspicuous for the extreme elegance of his play,ably supported by C.J.Smith,and H.S.Willis.For the Wanderers,who received invaluable assistance from their emergencies,E.E.Bowen,A.Crompton,C.M.Tebbut,and R.D.Elphinstone greatly distinguished themselves.It was gratifying to notice that a considerable improvement is now being made in the path leading to the football field,which has for many years been such a disgrace for the School,and it is hoped that in future there will be a decent road to the field,suitable and acceptable for visitors,who have hitherto,in consequence of the disgraceful state of the approach,been prevented from appearing at the School matches."

Harrow School:W.B.Money(Capt.),C.J.Smith,F.R.Broughton(H.S.Willis),C.W.Walker,S.Gore,  
F.Templer,C.W.Archer,F.Carlisle,J.Palmer,J.R.Graham,J.Broadmead.

Wanderers:C.W.Alcock,E.E.Bowen,A.Crompton,R.D.Elphinstone,C.C.Parr,C.M.Tebbut,J.S.Young,  
+H.H.Shakespeare,+B.Magor,+A.Carlisle,+S.Carlisle. +Emergencies.

OLD ETONIANS (Eton Club) 1 (C.E.Cuthell) HITCHIN CLUB 0 (At Hitchin)

Sportsman 12/3/67 P.3/Field 16/2/67 P.124:

SM:"This match between twelve Old Etonians(who had come over from Cambridge)and twelve of the Hitchin Club,was played on Saturday last,the 9<sup>th</sup> February,and after a good match the Old Etonians were declared the victors by one goal to none.Precisely at 3.30 the coin was spun,and the fickle goddess decided for the strangers,who,considering that the ground is anything but level,naturally preferred kicking downhill.Their superiority was soon apparent,and in spite of a most determined resistance on the part of the "yokels",the Hitchin goal was assailed and taken by the Old Etonians in general,and by C.Cuthell,in particular,who,taking advantage of a little misapprehension of one of the home party,succeeded in getting the ball through the posts.Sides were now changed,and though with the wind and hill in their favour the men of Hitchin again acted principally on the defensive,and although the ball sometimes travelled in the neighbourhood of their opponents' goal,and on four or five occasions actually did go behind,they could not equalise matters by a successful kick at goal,nor could all the united efforts of the Etonians enable them to obtain any further advantage,for although the ball frequently hovered in dangerous proximity to the posts,it never went through the space allotted,so on time being called(5.15) the game terminated,and the natives,as stated above,were beaten by one goal to none.For the visitors the lightening catcher A.F.Kinnaird, was "all there" and was ably supported by Lord E.Fitzmaurice and C.Cuthell.For the Hitchin Club,the Rev J.B.Barker and F.Shillitoe strove manfully in a good cause,and G.Elgood at times quite El-gooded himself."

F:"The ground,which is situated on the side of a hill,and consequently does not hold the wet,was in tolerable condition..."The Hitchin Club,though only in the second year of its existence,and almost exclusively supported by members in the neighbourhood,has reason to be proud of its success,having on one or two occasions defeated rather formidable teams brought down against it."

Old Etonians:Lord E.Fitzmaurice(Capt.),A.Pope,T.Hammond,W.Hoare,C.E.Cuthell,  
Hon T.H.W.Pelham, S.Hervey,E.Owen,D.Round,W.Durnford,J.Rigden,A.F.Kinnaird.

Hitchin:Rev J.B.Parker,C.F.Reid,F.M.Reid,F.Shillitoe,G.A.Phillips,G.Elgood,W.Hill,H.Atkinson,  
H.Mallandaine,J.J.Lucas,F.Lucas,L.Thompson.(SM has J.Hills)

HERTFORDSHIRE RANGERS 1 DR DUPRÉ'S TEAM (F:"A WESTMINSTER ELEVEN") 1(E.C.Bovill)

Field 16/2/67 P.124/Sportsman 12/2/67 P.3-4:

F:"The Watford Club has only been formed this season,and,considering the strength of several teams against which the Rangers have had to contend,we consider they have made a very respectable debut."

SM:"On Saturday February 9<sup>th</sup> Dr.Du Pré(of Westminster renown) led seven of his patients to Watford.Owing to some mistake the Rangers had not assembled in full force,but their number was speedily filled up with supernumeraries.A little after three the ball was thrown up in the middle of the ground,and in about five minutes' time a game was obtained for the (Westminsters) by Mr E.C.Bovill.The goals were then changed,and after a few more minutes of hard contest the Rangers managed to kick a game,for owing to their paucity in number,the (Westminsters) had not been able to spare a goal-keeper.The rest of the game,which occupied nearly an hour,was a continuous attack on the Rangers' goals,which were,however,so well defended by Messrs A.W.Hammans and

R.Barker,that to kick a game was next to an impossibility.The Doctor made several good runs up,and played in his usual splendid style.+Mr A.G.Lee (the artful dodger) played in his usual accustomed form,while +Mr E.C.Bovill,by his crushing charges and quick running,gained the applause which he well deserved.” +Names spelled backwards in SM but confirmed in F

Hertfordshire Rangers:A.W.Hammans,R.Barker,W.Lake,E.Craven,S.Wilkinson,T.Jennings,A.Wing,  
E.W.Bird,D.Warwick,A.Kidson,E.Eastwick.(3 Emergencies)

Dr Du Pré's Team :H.R.Dupré(Capt.),A.G.Lee,E.C.Bovill,G.R.Barker,W.C.Lefroy,W.J.Dixon,  
A.Smith,H.Curteis.

SHEFFIELD 1 goal(F.Knowles) 1 rouge (kicked through rouge flags by J.Knowles and touched down  
by F.Knowles) LINCOLN 0 (At Sheffield)

Sportsman 14/2/67 P.4(Full report):

Sheffield:A.Dixon,F.S.Chambers,F.Knowles,C.Percival,J.Knowles,J.E.Fawcett,W.Baker,J.C.Shaw,  
A.Earnshaw,H.W.Chambers(Capt and Goalkeeper)

Lincoln:D.J.Garnham,A.Marshall,A.Oslear,J.Mawer(Goalkeeper),A.Padley,E.Mantle,F.Dalton,F.Koxon,  
W.H.Lowe,A.Mears.

REIGATE CLUB 2 (Another,Rev. T.N.Rowsell) CRYSTAL PALACE CLUB 1 (+W.Allport)(At Reigate  
Recreation Ground)

Sportsman 14/2/67 P.4/Sussex Agricultural Express 19/2/67 P.3:

SAE:”On Saturday,the 9<sup>th</sup> instant,a match was played in the Reigate recreation ground between the above clubs.The afternoon was fine,the ground in good order and the presence of a number of ladies,as spectators of the contest,enlivened the scene,and added zest to the competition.Reigate won the toss for goals,and their captain chose the lower ground to get advantage of the wind,which, however,died down almost immediately.A most exciting and interesting game was then begun,and for the first quarter of an hour C.P's,who were the heavier team,and playing down the hill,appeared to take a decided lead.Several attacks were repelled in good style by the Reigate goal-keeper (Law), but,at last,after a short run down by +W.Allport,the ball was captured by a rather lucky kick from another of his side.Reigate then took the higher ground,and their better training(the C.P.'s being short of work this season for want of a ground)began to tell.A fierce attack upon the Sydehamites' position was well sustained,and the ball was once at least half over the goal line when the goal keeper(Turner) stopped its progress.A few minutes afterwards,during a scrimmage,in which several prostrate players took an active part,the ball was by some means forced between the posts,and a base was secured for Reigate.Goals were again changed,but the Reigate men,with raised spirits,and their wind still good,now fought as well uphill as they had previously down it.Row(s)ell and Huggins showed prominently in their front,while W.Cutbill and the two Lloyds made several dangerous rallies for the Palace.Another goal for Reigate was eventually scored by Mr Row(s)ell,who cleverly worked the ball within range,and made a very judicious kick.Play was continued with great spirit until time was called,but no further goal was obtained,Reigate thus winning by two goals to one.For the C.P. W.Cutbill(forward) and Cockerell(back) played remarkably well;while for Reigate,besides those already mentioned,Allport and Hallows particularly distinguished themselves.”

Reigate: Rev. T.N. Rowsell, Huggins, Law, D. Allport, Clutton, Hallowses, H. Wright, Reynolds,  
De Mattos, Burt, Courtland.

Crystal Palace: J. Turner, A. Cutbill, W. Cutbill, W.M. Allport, J. Cockerell, H. Lloyd, A. Lloyd,  
H. Foster, T. Sharland, Montresor, J. Wright (Emergency)

C.C.C. 1 (E.B. Stansfield) NO NAMES 0 (At Clapham)

Sportsman 14/2/67 P.4:

SM: "A match was played at Clapham, on Saturday last, the 9<sup>th</sup> inst, between the above clubs, which resulted in a victory for the C.C.C. by one goal to none. The Clapham men won the toss, which gave them the benefit of the hill, though there was no wind to assist them, as in some of their late matches. The C.C.C. was well represented on this occasion, while the N.N.'s were not so strong as they might have been, their captain, in consequence of a late accident, being prevented from attending. The superiority of the Clapham team was soon apparent, for the ball was at once carried down towards the N.N.'s goal, in the neighbourhood of which it remained throughout the match, though, owing to the excellent defence of Messrs Baker and Fraser, it was some time before it fell. At last, however, the N.N.'s were obliged to yield to the attacks of their opponents, for whom ++E.B. Stansfield soon obtained a goal. Soon afterwards time was called, and the honours of victory remained with the Clapham team by one goal to none. For the N.N.'s we must mention the forward play of Messrs S.T. Holland and A. Baker and the excellent back play of Messrs H. Baker and P. Fraser; while for the C.C.C. we must award all praise to ++E.B. Stansfield for his extremely brilliant performance in this match."

+(A. Pember) ++Stansfield

C.C.C. : F.B. Soden (Capt.), A.J.C. Gwatkin, J.E. Tayloe, G.C. Gordon, G.A. Godfrey, W.A.J. Frere,  
++E.B. Stansfield, H. Wilkinson, J.C. Ker, H. Dealtry.

No Names: A. Baker (Capt.), H. Baker, C.M. Green, P. Fraser, C.E. Lacy, S.T. Holland, F. May,  
J.A. Walford, M. Sharpe, J. Nicholas.

TUES FEB 12<sup>TH</sup> :

CIVIL SERVICE 1 (C.G. Waudby) WANDERERS 0 (Battersea Park) (Return)

Sportsman 14/2/67 P.4/Field 16/2/67 P.124:

F: "At the time appointed for the commencement of the game there were only nine rovers present, while the Civil Service was represented by a full team."

SM: "The return match between these two well-known clubs took place on Tuesday afternoon at Battersea Park, the ground being in very good order, owing to the steady wind that has been prevalent since the late rains. The Civil Service having won the toss elected to kick with the wind, and in a very short time obtained a goal by the aid of their captain, Mr Waudby, who made a very quick run-down. When sides were changed the wind more than counterbalanced the slight superiority the Civil Service had previously shown, and they were compelled to act almost entirely on the defensive. Messrs Alcock and Bowen, ably backed up by their team in general, but more especially by Messrs

Emmanuel, Reid, and Tebbut, made repeated onslaughts on the C.S. goal, but although it seemed at times almost a moral certainty that they would score, yet, as often as they did seem certain of victory, so often were they tantalisingly thwarted by the gallant defence of the base-keepers, led on by their dashing captain; and on such occasions the ball would be run down by Messrs Kirkpatrick and Freeth alternately, only to be returned by Mr Hogg, whose back play was, as usual, insuperable. For the Wanderers we have already noticed those who played well. For the C.S. we have, as usual, to record the good play of Messrs Freeth and Kirkpatrick, and to foretell a brilliant future for Mr Ward, as soon as he has become accustomed to the rules of his club. The result of this match was exactly the reverse of the first contest, which was decided in favour of the Wanderers by one goal."

Civil Service: C.G. Waudby, H.F. Deacon, E. Freeth, J. Kirkpatrick, A.W. Peate, E.O. Berens, J. Circuitt, C. Ward, A.E. Bateman, R. Babington, C. Buchanan. (SM has G.J. Circuitt)

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock, J.F. Alcock, E.E. Bowen, H. Emmanuel, C.F. Reid, Q. Hogg, W. Lawrence, C.M. Tebbut, A. Thompson.

WED FEB 13<sup>TH</sup> :

MR DIXON'S TWELVE 2 (C.W. Alcock 2) WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1 (E.S. Randolph) (At Vincent Square)

Sportsman 14/2/67 P.4/Field 16/2/67 P.124/Westminster School Football Ledger:

F: "The first match played at Vincent-square this term took place on Wednesday last, the 13<sup>th</sup> inst., when Mr Dixon (of Westminster celebrity), brought a team down to compete against the School. The game was not commenced until half-past three o'clock, Mr Dixon having won the toss, choosing the lower goal. The ball having been thrown into the air, was on its descent followed up with great spirit by both sides; the Westminsters, in consequence of the "two men of war" not having arrived for the strangers, at first taking a decided lead; a good run down by E.C. Bovill, who kicked the ball right across the opponent's goal, giving a chance to +G. Randolph, who took advantage of the opportunity to score a goal for the School. On sides being changed, the strangers, now with a full team, began to exhibit improved form, and to make some daring inroads into their opponent's territory, which was often threatened by the hostile attacks of Messrs Dixon and Deacon, though for some time all their efforts were frustrated by the excellent defence of the Westminsters, amongst whom the brothers Lee were chiefly conspicuous. At last, however, a good run down the side of the ground by W.J. Dixon, well backed up C.W. Alcock, to whom the ball was judiciously kicked in front of the School goal, resulted in the first goal being placed to the credit of Mr Dixon's team by C.W. Alcock. With the goals once more changed, the game was renewed with unabated vigour, though fortune (which seems to have deserted the Westminsters), again favoured the strangers, for whom a second goal was shortly afterwards obtained by C.W. Alcock. In spite of all the efforts made by the Westminsters towards the conclusion of the game, they were unable to retrieve their lost laurels, and when time was called Mr Dixon's team remained the victors by two goals to one. It is but fair to the School to state that they were deprived of the assistance of their captain (S.H. West), whose absence proved an irremediable loss to the boys, who also lost the services of another most valuable member of their eleven (H.R. Dupré). We were glad to notice a decided improvement in the forward play of the boys, who with sufficient practice will prove a very formidable eleven. For the Westminsters E.C. Bovill and the Brothers Lee played extremely well, while W.J. Dixon worked most energetically for his side."

Mr Dixon's Twelve:W.J.Dixon,C.G.Waudby,H.F.Deacon,A.W.Hammans,C.W.Alcock,R.Barker,  
E.G.Bird,E.Kitson,E.O.Berens,A.Slaughter,A.C.Cook,E.W.Wild.

Westminster School:A.G.Lee,G.H.Lee,E.C.Bovill,F.Miller,H.Curteis,J.C.Smith,+(E.)S.Randolph,  
R.Barker,W.C.Lefroy,F.A.O'Brien,C.E.Bickmore,J.Neill.

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 5 (A.S.Mammatt,R.W.Macan,J.A.Foote,C.E.B.Nepean 2)  
OLD CARTHUSIANS 0 (At Under Green,Charterhouse) (Return Match)

N.B. Charterhouse Football History has Boreham scoring Foote's goal.

Sportsman 14/2/67 P.4/Field 16/2/67 P.124:

F:"This match was played on the Under-green,at Charterhouse on Wednesday last.The previous match had been productive of a very good contest,terminating in favour of the Present by one goal to none.On this occasion,however,the Old Carthusians were,for one cause or another,but weakly represented,both as to power and to numbers,insomuch as they had to avail themselves of the services of a Present Carthusian(G.A.Hammick),who played most skilfully.Of the progress of the game,we do not like to say much,for the School obtained a succession of goals,mostly through the agency of Nepean,Mackenzie,and Mammatt,so that when time was called the state of the poll was:Present Carthusians,5 goals;Old,none."

SM:"The Past Carthusians were unable to collect such a team to represent them as in the first contest ,being on this occasion lamentably weak,whereas the Present are in splendid condition,and rendered almost invincible by their late succession of victories.The Boys' play was remarkably good, their style of backing up perfectthe most conspicuos being R.W.Macan,H.Murray Mackenzie, J.A.Foote,and C.E.B.Nepean,who was instrumental in the capture of most of the goals.The first goal was obtained by A.S.Mammatt,the second by R.W.Macan,the third by J.A.Foote,and the fourth and fifth by C.E.B.Nepean.For the Old Carthusians,M Muir-Mackenzie and the emergency (E.A.Hammeck) worked hard and well."

Charterhouse:E.C.S.Gibson(Capt.),R.W.Macan,C.E.B.Nepean,W.L.Boreham,J.A.Foote, C.H.Wade,  
W.Wallace,E.E.Venables,A.S.Mammatt,H.Murray Mackenzie.

Old Carthusians:J.Butter,M.Muir Mackenzie,Rev. T.Atkinson,R.E.Webster,A.C.Seymour,G.E.Smythe,  
J.Halcombe,R.B.York,G.S.Davies,E.A.Hammick (Emergency)

THURS FEB 14<sup>TH</sup> :

SHEFFIELD 0 NOTTINGHAM 1 goal (C.Rothera)and 1 rouge (Abandoned)

Sporting Life 20/2/67 P.1

N.B. SM has this game on Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> (No lineups) but SL has Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> as does SI 14/2/67 P.1

Sheffield:H.W.Chambers(Capt.),F.Chambers,W.Earnshaw,J.C.Shaw,Baker,J.Knowles,Webster,  
Dixon,A.E.Wild,F.Knowles.(SL)

Nottingham:A.Deedes(Capt.),E.B.Steegman,J.C.Hodges,John Lambert,C.Rothera,C.S.Wardle,W.Goddard,J.Hack,A.B.Baillon,W.Lymbery,T.P.Keely.(SL on line is slightly obscured so have confirmed names with Notts County History)

Sportsman 19/2/67 P.4:"This match,which was commenced at Sheffield,on Saturday last ,the 16<sup>th</sup>,came to rather an abrupt termination,in consequence of an accident which happened to one of the Notts team.The Nottingham men had succeeded in obtaining one goal and one rouge,when, just as the Sheffielders were beginning to recover their lost ground,the Notts goalkeeper(Mr E.B.Steegman),severely twisted his ankle,which rendered the assistance of a surgeon necessary,and put an end to the game,thus spoiling all the arrangements made by the Sheffielders for a pleasant evening."

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 1 (F.Walker) MERCHANT TAYLOR'S SCHOOL (First Sixteens)(At Victoria Park)(Return Match)(Chelmsford Chronicle 22/2/67 P.8)(Field 23/2/67 P.14

SAT FEB 16<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS 1 (J.Butter) WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 (At Vincent Square)(1 of 2 games played by Wanderers on this day)

Sportsman 19/2/67 P.4/Field 23/2/67 P.143/Sporting Life 20/2/67 P.1/Sporting life 20/2/67 P.1/Bell's Life 23/2/67 P.9(Some errors)/Westminster School Football Ledger:

SM:"The return match between these opposing forces was played at Vincent-square on Saturday last ,the 16<sup>th</sup> inst.,and after a most exciting and evenly-contested game,terminated in favour of the Wanderers by one goal to none,the rovers thus winning both their matches this season against the School.The ground was in capital order,the rain of the previous night having slightly softened the soil,which is naturally too lively;though the sun was shining with the full intensity of summer heat, still both sides played up throughout the game with great vigour and energy,the success gained by the Wanderers being rather attributable to the smiles of Fortune than to any marked superiority over their Westminster opponents.The game was commenced almost exactly at three o'clock,the Westminsters,with their usual luck,having once again lost the toss.At the commencement of the game the Wanderers,who in consequence of the non-arrival of three members of their team were in a numerical inferiority,were naturally obliged to act on the defensive against the superior forces of their opponents,who played as if determined to secure the first advantage,though they were well kept at bay for some time till the appearance of the missing ones infused fresh vigour into the ranks of the Wanderers,who now began to work with their accustomed energy,and to drive the Westminsters back into their own territory,which was extremely well defended by the long kicks of the School captain.Time after time did the forward players of the two sides carry the ball into their opponents' territory,only to be repelled by the brilliant play of the respective goal-keepers;time after time was each goal on the point of capture,only to be saved by some splendid exhibition of defence;at last,however,the School goal was destined to fall for a rather lucky kick by J.Butter carried the ball past the School goal-keeper,and secured a goal for the Wanderers.Ends were now changed,and the game renewed,both sides resuming the fight with unabated vigour,but in spite of the numerous occasions on which the respective goals were imperilled,when time was called the Westminsters had been unable to secure a goal,and victory accordingly remained with the Wanderers.For the Westminsters,H.R.Dupré and W.J.Dixon were exceedingly active forwards,while

S.H.West was as perfect in his goal-keeping as usual.For the Wanderers,C.E.B.Nepean,H.Forsyth,and W.J.C.Cutbill played in good style.”

Wanderers:C.W.Alcock,J.Butter,W.J.C.Cutbill,R.D.Elphinstone,H.Forsyth,S.T.Holland,  
A.S.Mammatt,C.E.B.Nepean,C.F.Reid,P.Rhodes,C.M.Tebbut.

Westminster School:S.H.West(Capt.),E.C.Bovill,A.G.Lee,W.J.Dixon,H.R.Dupré,G.H.Lee,J.C.Smith,  
C.E.Bickmore,F.Miller,H.S.Curteis,S.Randolph.

WANDERERS 1 (H.H.Montgomery) OXFORD 0 (New Ground,in the Parks,At Oxford)(1 of 2 games  
played by Wanderers on this day)(Oxford team selected by K.Muir Mackenzie,Baliol College)

Sportsman 19/2/67 P.4/Field 23/2/67 P.143:

F:The Wanderers on this occasion were represented by six Oxonians,while the sister University sent  
five members to sustain the reputation of the roving band.”

SM:”This match was played at Oxford,on Saturday,Feb 16,on a new ground in the Park,admirably  
adapted for a football ground.From various avoidable and unavoidable circumstances,for some time  
previous to the match the London element in the eleven selected to uphold the honour of the  
Wanderers was visibly on the decrease.Owing to the number of serviceable Wanderers in residence  
at either University,only one man direct from London was required to complete the side.One  
vacancy can generally be supplied without much loss,but when the absentee happens to be the  
captain of his eleven,whose arrangements as to rules,&c,are known only to himself,some slight  
inconvenience may indeed be apprehended.And so it was on this occasion.The well-known name of  
+Alcock,without which the Wanderers have seldom won or lost a match,was missing from the list of  
players.At the last moment,Mr Kinnaird kindly filled his place,and settled the conditions of the  
game.After some slight demur on the part of the Oxford captain,Mr Muir-Mackenzie,it was arranged  
to play with Westminster rules,but with an Eton ball,which told heavily against the Wanderers who  
could only boast of two Eton men in their ranks.The ball was kicked off at 1.30 and the game lasted  
for an hour,at the end of which time the Wanderers had obtained one goal to their opponents’  
none.The game was very quick and spirited throughout, and exhibited some very first-rate play.For  
Oxford,Mr Bridges,made more than one excellent run down,and Mr Knight,by marvelous quickness  
and judgment,was a constant source of anxiety to his opponents..Mr Phipps made a wonderfully  
good run down and try at goal which was just saved by a rush from Mr Kinnaird,which was loudly  
applauded.For the Wanderers,Mr Montgomery,Mr Noyes, and Mr Kinnaird each made a most  
magnificent run down past every obstacle,and ended in a kick at goal,which proved successful in  
the case of the first-named gentleman,Mr Noyes just missing his try by the ball touching a pole,after  
a very true side kick.”

+He was playing in the other Wanderers’ match v Westminster School at Vincent Square(see above)

Wanderers:A.F.Kinnaird,J.Rigden,H.H.Mongomery,H.Noyes,G.G.Kennedy,C.Douglas,  
H.Richardson,J.Mason,C.T.Digby,J.A.Ainslie,R.R.G.Tatton.

Oxford:M.Muir Mackenzie,K.Muir Mackenzie,M.G.Knight,R.S.Bridges,W.W.Phipps,F.Hope,W.Parry,  
A.Walter,R.Hoare,W.Kenyon Slaney,E.K.Long.



FOREST SCHOOL 1 goal(F.Stow) and 8 rouges ST JOHN'S WOOD SCHOOL 2 rouges (At Primrose Hill)

Sportsman 19/2/67 P.4:

SM:"The success achieved by the Foresters on this occasion is the more creditable to them,as they were playing the rules in vogue at St John's Wood School,with which they were totally unacquainted."

Forest School:H.Tubb(Capt.),S.C.Beauchamp,C.F.Openshaw,C.Moore,A.E.Unna,E.Titley,F.O.Stow,  
C.H.Gascoigne,W.E.Gascoigne,F.Knight,H.C.Shuttleworth,H.Longshaw,S.Carver,E.T.Gardom.

St John's Wood School:R.Villamie,C.Calderon,J.Blind,S.G.Granville,F.Bell,C.Furber,C.Taylor,  
J.Reid,W.Gaine,J.W.Todd,J.Beales,S.Barford,C.E.Pugh,G.Cooper.

MON FEB 18<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER Match: The Sixth 2 (E.C.Bovill 2 ) The School 0 (At Vincent Square)

Field 23/2/67 P.143/Sporting Life 23/2/67 P.3/Sportsman 23/2/67 P.4/Bell's Life 23/2/67 P.9(Errors):

F:"The School were playing under a great disadvantage,F.Miller being unable to play."

The Sixth:S.H.West(Capt.),E.C.Bovill,C.E.Bickmore,H.R.Dupré,E.S.Randolph,E.Bray,  
G.F.Barker,W.C.Davies,F.A.O'Brien,W.C.Lefroy,E.Giles.

The School:A.G.Lee(Capt.),G.H.Lee,J.C.Smith,H.S.Curteis,C.H.Stenning,F.N.Saunders,  
H.G.Barron,G.E.Jenkins,B.Darley,C.Vidal,J.J.V.Neill.

CIVIL SERVICE 1 (H.F.Deacon) HARUM SCARUMS 0 (At Battersea Park)

Sportsman 19/2/67 P.4/Field 23/2/67 P.144/Sporting Life 20/2/67 P.1:

SM:"The annual match between these two clubs took place at Battersea Park on Saturday last ,the 16<sup>th</sup> inst.,and resulted in a victory for the Civil Service by one goal to none.The style of play exhibited by the two teams was widely different,the Civil Servants almost exclusively confining themselves to the dribbling game,their aptitude in which has principally tended to their long list of successes this season;while the Harum Scarums,on the other hand,seemed anxious to excell in the length of their kicks-a style of play more calculated to impress uninitiated spectators rather than to conduce to the spirit of the game.The game was commenced at about half past three o'clock,the Civil Servants not appearing in their usual strength on this occasion.For some time no advantage was gained by either side,the long kicks of the Harum Scarums effectually preventing their opponents getting within range of their goal,until H.F.Deacon,for the Civil Service,after a most brilliant run down the whole length of the ground,succeeded in securely planting the ball between the goal posts of his opponents.The game was,on change of goals once more continued,but in spite of the numerous attempts made by the Civil Servants to increase their score,no further result was obtained by either side,and the honours of victory accordingly remained with the Civil Servants."

Civil Service:H.F.Deacon,J.Kirkpatrick,C.Buchanan,Q.Hogg,E.Freeth,E.U.Alpe,  
H.H.Batten,G.Aimard,A.F.King,J.W.Peake,C.S.Papilby.(SL has A.T.King)

Harum Scarums:F.S.Deacon,J.H.Hamblin,L.Rooke,J.Rivett-Carnac,J.S.Dickson,H.Clarke,  
B.M'Laren,C.Lyall, B.Bruce,G.J.Harmer,H.Clerk.(SL has E.Clarke for H.Clarke and G.Y.Harmon)

TUES FEB 19<sup>TH</sup> :

TRINITY COLLEGE (Cambridge) 1 (Lord E.Fitzmaurice) ST JOHN'S COLLEGE 1 (Cambridge)(Rev.  
A.F.Torry)(At Cambridge)

N.B. Scorers from Field 20/4/67 P.301

Sportsman 26/2/67 P.4/Field 2/3/67 P.163:

Trinity:G.G.Kennedy(Capt.),Lord E.Fitzmaurice,Hon G.Bridgman,R.N.Russell,T.Hammond,  
S.Hervey,A.F.Kinnaird,J.Rigden,E.A.Owen,N.Hunt,J.Goldney.

St John's:Rev A.F.Torry(Capt.),W.Hudson,N.Osborne,W.F.Smith,C.Haslam,H.B.Cotterill,G.L.Bennett,  
H.Braithwaite,E.Lloyd,W.Pitman,C.F.Smith.(F has W.J.Smith and G.S.Bennett)

WED FEB 20<sup>TH</sup>

WESTMINSTER Match :The Eleven 4 (F.Miller,A.G.Lee,E.C.Bovill,S.H.West) Twenty-Two 0

Sporting Life 23/2/67 P.3/Field 23/2/67 P.143/Sportsman 21/2/67 P.4(11 team only):

Eleven:S.H.West(Capt.),A.G.Lee,E.C.Bovill,W.J.Dixon,G.H.Lee,C.E.Bickmore,H.R.Dupre,  
J.C.Smith,F.Miller,H.S.Curteis,E.S.Randolph.

Twenty-Two:G.F.R.Barker,W.C.Davies,C.J.Maude,C.H.Stenning,W.C.Lefroy,E.Giles,E.B.Pinniger,  
F.S.Haden, F.A.O'Brien,F.N.Saunders,G..E.Jenkins,B.Darley,M.W.Major,H.G.Barron,J.J.V.Neill.S.L.Flint.

SAT FEB 23<sup>RD</sup> :

WANDERERS 0 CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 (At Charterhouse)

Sportsman 26/2/67 P.4/Sporting Life 27/2/67 P.3/Bell's Life 2/3/67 P.9/Field 2/3/67 P.163:

SM:"The return match between these two ancient foes was played at Charterhouse,on Saturday last,the 23<sup>rd</sup> inst.,and after one of the most exciting and hard-fought games it has ever been our good fortune to witness,it terminated in a draw,neither party having been able during the course of the match to secure the fall of the goal defended by their opponetns.The promise of an evenly-contested and spirited game,which the respective merits of the two teams had excited,was well fulfilled on this occasion,for a more glorious battle has not been fought on Under Green this season.The boys secured the first advantage in winning the toss,which gave them the privelege of kicking down from the upper goal.From the commencement till the conclusion of the game the ball was kept in almost perpetual motion,but little time being lost in kicking(as too often takes place) from behind the goal line,each side being fully aware of the necessity of forcing the pace,the forward play of the two teams being more speedy than we have seen in any of the late matches.The goals were but rarely in danger,owing to the excellent defence exhibited by the respective goal-keepers,the Wanderers' territory being only twice threatened by the dashing assaults of W.Boreham and H Murray-Mackenzie,while the Carthusian goal was but once seriously endangered,though the

ball was often hovering in the immediate neighbourhood, by an excellent run down by F. Miller for the Wanderers. Not all the energetic efforts, however, of E. Freeth, G. G. Kennedy, A. Crompton, and J. Butter could ensure any lasting success for the Wanderers, who played in this match in vastly improved form, to what they have exhibited hitherto this season; nor could the united exertions of the Carthusian forwards, E. E. Venables, A. S. Mammatt, and E. A. Hammeck ensure the capture of the Wanderers' goal, the care of which was intrusted to the excellent keeping of Q. Hogg. The game was kept up from a quarter to three with unabated vigour until the first note of four o'clock, when time was called, and thus the second match this season between these formidable clubs resulted in a draw, this game going far to prove the truth that the Carthusian goal is impregnable. For the Wanderers, who had, owing to the very sudden indisposition of two of their representatives, to secure the assistance of two substitutes, E. Freeth, G. G. Kennedy, A. Crompton, and F. Miller played extremely well forward, while the goal-keeping of Q. Hogg and R. D. Elphinstone was as perfect as usual. For the School, C. E. B. Nepean, E. E. Venables, and H. Murray Mackenzie exhibited some good form, while the back play of E. C. S. Gibson, C. H. Wade, and R. Macan rendered the capture of the School goal absolutely impossible. We would merely remark that in the absence of the Wandering high kicker, whose propensities for lifting the ball are so well-known at Charterhouse, his reputation was well sustained by a brother Steelite."

Wanderers: C. W. Alcock, J. Butter, A. Crompton, R. D. Elphinstone, E. Freeth, F. Green (J. Taylor), Q. Hogg, G. G. Kennedy, F. Miller, P. Rhodes, R. Dunn (Emergency) (BL confirms J. Taylor played)

Charterhouse School: E. C. S. Gibson (Capt.), E. A. Hammick, R. W. Macan, C. E. B. Nepean, W. L. Boreham, J. A. Foote, C. H. Wade, W. Wallace, E. E. Venables, A. S. Mammatt, H. Murray Mackenzie. + E. A. Hammick played for O. S. Walford

CRYSTAL PALACE 1 (H. Lloyd) REIGATE 0 (At Reigate) (Return)

Sportsman 26/2/67 P.4:

SM: "The Palace winning the toss, Reigate kicked off, following on with their usual good forward play, but the superior weight of the Palace with the advantage of kicking down hill began to tell and the ball was soon flying in close proximity to the Reigate goal, the Reigate men, however, struggling manfully, and it was a good half hour before a goal fell to the Palace from a well-directed kick by H. Lloyd."

Crystal Palace: Jas. Turner (Capt.), W. Allport, W. J. C. Cutbill, (E.) Cutbill, J. Cockerell, H. Foster, T. Lloyd, H. Lloyd, A. Lloyd, A. Moreten, Montessor.

Reigate: Rev. T. N. Rowsell, D. Allport, Burt, Clutton, Courtland, De Mattos, S. Fry, Ingram, A. Hallowes, Huggins, H. Wright.

BARNES CLUB 2 touches down + WORLABYE HOUSE (Rev. T. J. Batey's Pupils) 2 touches down (At Barnes)

N.B. + Worlabye House in BL but Rev. T. J. Batey's Pupils in SM. Have taken Worlabye House Team from BL as has more players than SM (see below). However, the reverse applies for the Barnes team so taken from SM.

Sportsman 26/2/67 P.4/Bell's Life 9/3/67 P.9:

SM:"Two elevens from the above clubs met at Barnes on Saturday last, Feb 23. The result was a most exciting match, which, after an hour and a half of exceedingly spirited play, terminated in a draw, two touches down having been obtained by each team, no goal being scored during the game.

Barnes: E.C. Morley (Capt.), R.G. Graham, T.R. Barnes, W.R. Collins, H. Collins, A. Dunnage, F. Gulston, G.W. Ward, M. Roberts, Warren, R.W. Willis.

Worlabye House (Rev T.J. Batey's Pupils): F. Stephenson (Capt.), H. Boyle, C. Boyle, E. Coryton, R. Drummond-Hay, O. Allcard, the master of Lindsay, Lord W. Beresford, Lord M. Beresford, T. Case, J. Mansel. (SM in a letter corrected their 26/2/67 Lineup in Sportsman 7/3/67 P.3 to same players as BL but have included further name details from BL)

CIVIL SERVICE 2 (C.G. Waudby, O.G.) CLAPHAM GRAMMAR SCHOOL 0 (Return) (At CS Ground, Battersea Park)

Sportsman 2/3/67 P.4/Field 2/3/67 P.163:

SM:"An evenly contested match was played between these clubs, on the ground of the former, on Saturday last, the 23<sup>rd</sup> inst., at Battersea Park, which resulted in favour of the Service, who scored two goals to their opponents' one; the first gained somewhat luckily by Mr Waudby, the second kindly kicked for them by a very amiable Clapham Schoolboy, whose name for this time only we will refrain from mentioning. It is fair to the School to say that they were playing to a great disadvantage, this being nearly, if not absolutely, the first occasion that they have played other than their own rules, which savour more of the Rugby than those in use by the Civil Service. Their dribbling, to which, after the first five or ten minutes they took very kindly, was so good as to make it almost impossible to believe that it was their maiden performance. For the School E.B. Stansfeld, and C.C. Dacre played extremely well."

Civil Service: C.G. Waudby (Capt.), H.F. Deacon, R. Babington, C.G. Pym, A.W.B. Thompson, A. Lee, G.H. Lee, W.J. Dixon, C.M'Kenzie, J. Kirkup, A.E. Bateman, W.B. Gurdon.

Clapham Grammar School: E.B. Stansfeld (Capt.), H.H. Spitta, J.C. Gwatkin, G.C. Gordon, H.S.B. Bridge, C.J. Morgan, W.J. Cunningham, R.W. Ker, L. Darum, C.C. Dacre, R.M. Ruck.

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 1 (F. Walker) C.C.C. 0 (At Brentwood)

Chelmsford Chronicle 8/3/67 P.5/Field 2/3/67 P.163/Sportsman 5/3/67 P.4:

CC/F:"The C.C.C. were only represented by five players, but their names will show they are not to be despised; having refused substitutes to equalise the sides (although they accepted a goalkeeper), the game was commenced at a quarter to three, and was kept up with great spirit until a quarter past four o'clock, during which time the Brentwoods had secured the only goal, which was well kicked for them by F. Walker. The forward playing of F.B. Soden, J.E. Tayloe, H. Wilkinson, and H. Dealtry, for the C.C.C., was excellent: so formidable at times that it seemed as if they would gain the day. For the School F. Walker and French were most conspicuous."

Brentwood School:A.Francis(Capt.),Walker,Nash,Ogilvie,Reed,Burgess,Hoyle,French, Holden,Firminger,Bokenham.

C.C.C. :F.B.Soden(Capt.),J.E.Tayloe,H.Wilkinson,J.C.Ker,H.(E.)Dealtry,S.Morgan.

FOREST SCHOOL 0 TOTTENHAM AND EDMONTON 0 (At Tottenham)

Sportsman 26/2/67 P.4:

Forest School:H.Tubb(Capt.),S.C.Beaumont,C.H.Openshaw,C.Moore,A.E.Unna,F.Stow,E.Titley, T.H.Gascoigne,W.E.Gascoigne,F.Knight,H.C.Shuttleworth,H.Longshaw,S.H.Carver,J.C.Cotton, E.T.Gardom.

No Tottenham and Edmonton lineup

WED FEB 27<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 \*CAMBRIDGE TEAM (Eton Club) 0 (At Under Green,Charterhouse)

N.B. Charterhouse Football History refers to opposition as "Strangers".

Sportsman 28/2/67 P.4/Bell's Life 2/3/67 P.9/London Standard 28/2/67 P.7/Field 2/3/67 P.163(No Cambridge lineup in F):

\*BL:"...an eleven of Old Etonians,chiefly from Cambridge."

F:"A match was played at Charterhouse on Wednesday last,the 27<sup>th</sup> ult.,between the School and a rather formidable and fleet-footed body of strangers.The boys had to use all the arts of which they are masters to protect their goal from the attacks of their opponents,whose team comprised the names of several celebrated amateur athletes.The game was very stubborn and hard contested throughout,though the strangers,who were able to move speedily,as the ground was very light, appeared to be rather too quick on their feet for the boys.In spite,however,of all the efforts put forth by the two teams neither side,when time was called,had succeeded in scoring a goal,and consequently this well-contested match terminated in a draw.For the School C.E.B.Nepean,who surpassed himself on this occasion,W.L.Boreham,and E.C.S.Gibson played in splendid style;while the goal keeping of Q.Hogg was of great assistance to the strangers."

Charterhouse School:E.C.S.Gibson(Capt.),E.A.Hammick,R.W.Macan,C.E.B.Nepean,W.L.Boreham, J.A.Foote,C.H.Wade,W.Wallace,E.E.Venables,A.S.Mammatt,H Murray Mackenzie.

E.A.Hammick played for O.S.Walford

Cambridge Team:A.F.Kinnaird,Lord E.Fitzmaurice(Capt.),Hon.F.G.Pelham,E.Royds,C.E.Cuthell, Q.Hogg,H.Forsyth,J.Rigden,S.Hervey,W.Durnford,Rev. A.Pope.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 5 (F.Miller 2 ,+E.C.Bovill,S.H.West,W.J.Dixon) CIVIL SERVICE 0 (At Vincent Square) +WSFL has E.C.Bovill scoring a 2<sup>nd</sup> goal instead of F.Miller

Sportsman 2/3/67 P.4/Field 2/3/67 P.163/Bell's Life 2/3/67 P.7(Errors in BL)/Pall Mall Gazette 1/3/67 P.8-9(Errors)/Westminster School Football Ledger:

SM: "A match between the above clubs was played at Vincent-square yesterday (Wednesday), which resulted very disastrously for the Civil Servants, who suffered defeat by five goals to none. It is but fair, however, to the members of the Civil Service to mention that they were represented by a team wholly unworthy of them, several of their most conspicuous players being prevented by late disasters from playing, the appearance of a wounded (C.S.) Lion as a spectator on the ground where he has won so many laurels as a player being especially touching. The Westminster School won the toss, and thus secured the advantage of the wind. For a short time the game was evenly contested, but soon the superiority of the boys became too apparent, the first goal being cleverly obtained for them by F. Miller. Sides were changed and the contest renewed, and a second goal quickly secured for the School by a well-directed kick from the toe of E.C. Bovill, who has, however, to thank the then Civil Service goal keeper for his success. A third goal quickly followed, obtained by F. Miller, and a fourth secured by S.H. West from a high flying kick, which was missed by the Civil Service goal keeper. After this the game seemed to be more evenly pursued, but the Civil Servants were still doomed to suffer another reverse, as W.J. Dixon, who obtained the ball out of a scrimmage in front of goal, scored the fifth and last goal for the School. For the Civil Service, whose representatives appeared to be all abroad on this occasion, E. Freeth made some good runs down. For the School, F. Miller played throughout in splendid style, while E.C. Bovill also greatly distinguished himself."

Westminster School: S.H. West (Capt.), W.J. Dixon, H.R. Dupré, E.C. Bovill, F. Miller, A.G. Lee, G.H. Lee, J.C. Smith, C.E. Bickmore, H.S. Curteis, E.S. Randolph.

Civil Service: C.G. Waudby, A.E. Bateman, G. Allanson, E. Freeth, R. Babington, C. Martin, W. Fairfield, J. Kirkpatrick, + G.F.R. Barker, + H.G. Barron, + G.E. Jenkins. + Emergencies from Westminster.

WSFL has 10 men with (C.) Ward but does not list A.E. Bateman and W. Fairfield.

THURS FEB 28<sup>TH</sup> :

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE CLUB 1 (W.A. Hodges) THE FOREST 0 (At Forest Cricket Ground, Nottingham)

Sportsman 5/3/67 P.4:

SM: "On Thursday afternoon these clubs contested against each other on the Forest Cricket Ground, at Nottingham. Both clubs have formerly contended together, but the Nottinghamshire men, literally speaking, have generally been too strong for their opponents, and on the present occasion their members carried off the honours of the day. The ball was kicked off at 3.45 by the Notts Club, and for an hour and a half the play was very exciting and some excellent kicks were made, but at 4.50 W.A. Hodges closed the game by scoring a goal on behalf of Notts. A short interval brought a second game, but it was not finished when the time was called for ceasing play."

Notts Club: F.C. Smith (Capt.), J. Hack, J. Lambert, T. Elliott, W.A. Hodges, J.C. Hodges, T. Keely, A.B. Baillon, W. Ward (9 men) (Also Notts County History P.105)

Forest Club: W.J. Milford (Capt.), Gamble, Ward, Mellor, Hussey, Newsome, Marriott, Lymbery, Bell, Ford, Wright.

FRI MAR 1<sup>ST</sup> :

WESTMINSTER Match : Seniors 0 The School 1 (H.S. Curteis)

Sportsman 5/3/67 P.4/Field 9/3/67 P.180/Bell's Life 9/3/67 P.9(No lineups in BL):

Seniors:C.E.Bickmore,S.H.West,E.C.Bovill,W.J.Dixon,W.C.Davies,H.E.Wright,C.J.Maude,G.F.R.Barker,  
H.R.Dupré(Absent),J.E.Cureton,C.H.Stenning.

The School:A.G.Lee,F.Miller,G.H.Lee,J.C.Smith,H.S.Curteis,E.S.Randolph,J.J.Neill, F.N.Saunders,  
W.C.Lefroy,F.A.O'Brien,E.Giles.

SAT MAR 2<sup>ND</sup> :

AVENGERS 1 (E.E.Bowen) WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 (At Vincent Square)

Sportsman 5/3/67 P.4/Field 9/3/67 P.180/Bell's Life 9/3/67 P.9(Errors in BL):

SM:"It is but fair to the Westminsters to state that they lost on this occasion the valuable services of two of their best players (F.Miller and A.G.Lee) though we do not think they could in any way have prevented the victory gained by the strangers.For the Avengers,who made their first appearance on this occasion,E.E.Bowen showed very prominently...."

F:"The ball having been,according to custom,hurled into mid-air by the Westminster captain,both sides commenced the fight,the Westminsters having at first a slight advantage in consequence of the non-arrival of several members of the Avenging team.Soon,however,the Avengers began to assume the offensive and to assault the Westminster goal,which,until the conclusion of the game,was subject to an almost uninterrupted series of attacks,the territory defended by the Avengers being only once seriously threatened by a run up made by C.E.Bickmore and H.R.Dupré.At last the goal, which had on several occasions been gallantly rescued from the overthrow which appeared so imminent,fell to a well-judged kick from the toe of the Avenging Bowen."

BL:"Mr Freeth then(i.e. after the goal) made his appearance,thus making the Avengers number 12 men."

Avengers:E.Freeth(Capt.),C.W.Alcock,R.Babington,E.E.Bowen,A.Crompton,R.D.Elphinstone,+H.Freeth ,H.Forsyth,Q.Hogg,S.T.Holland,C.F.Reid,P.Rhodes,C.M.Tebbut.+12<sup>th</sup> man

WSFL:"soon after Mr Freeth made his appearance so for the rest of the time we played against 12 men."

Westminster School:S.H.West(Capt.),E.C.Bovill,+F.A.O'Brien),W.J.Dixon,H.R.Dupré,  
++J.J.V.Neil),G.H.Lee,C.E.Bickmore,J.C.Smith,H.S.Curteis,(E.)S.(L.)Randolph.

+In place of A.G.Lee ++In place of F.Miller

"C.C.C." 1 (J.E.Tayloe) (Plus 2 disputed goals) CLAPHAM GRAMMAR SCHOOL 1 (H.Bridge)(Clapham Common)

Sportsman 9/3/67 P.4:

SM:"This match was played on Clapham Common,on Saturday,March 2.The School won the toss, which gave them the advantage of a very strong wind,and after half an hour's play succeeded in getting a goal, by a long kick on the part of Mr H.Bridge;the" C.C.C." having obtained the benefit of

the wind, Mr Edwards kicked a goal, which was disputed by the School and resigned by the "C.C.C.". At length Mr J.E. Tayloe succeeded in getting a goal for the Club which admitted of no dispute. The time was now drawing fast to a close, and each side tried hard to gain the victory. Mr Ker, on the part of the "C.C.C.", made a fine kick, which in the opinion of most of the spectators was a goal, but was for the second time disputed by the School. Nothing further being gained by either side the game resulted in a tie. For the School, Messrs Dacre, Stansfield, and Bridge distinguished themselves, while for the "C.C.C.", Messrs Grainger, Dealtry, and Edwards were conspicuous."

C.C.C. : J.E. Tayloe, H. Dealtry, H. Wilkinson, J. C. Ker, E. P. Edwards, J. Urlwin, Grainger, A. French, E. Tayloe, F. B. Soden, W. Frere.

Clapham Grammar School: E. B. Stansfield (Capt.), C. C. Dacre, A. S. C. Gwatkin, H. Spitta, R. Ruck, H. Bridge, W. J. Cunningham, C. J. Worgan, H. Hodgson, C. Orr, F. Godfrey.

Lincoln 0 Hull 0 (At Lincoln) (Return)

Sportsman 7/3/67 P.3:

Lincoln: A. Marshall (Capt.), E. Mantle, G. H. Shipley, J. Scorer, W. H. Lowe, G. Bainbridge, E. Parham, W. Padley, W. Carline, W. Oliver, J. B. Mawer (Goalkeeper)

Hull: E. Waltham (Capt.), J. F. Waltham, E. Bromby, C. Bromby, W. H. Hutchinson, R. J. Wade, H. Saxelby, B. Lambert, G. Jackson, A. Spratt (Goalkeeper), H. P. Cator.

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 0 THE WALTHAMSTOW RIFLES 0 (At Brentwood)

Chelmsford Chronicle 8/3/67 P.5/Field 9/3/67 P.180:

Brentwood School: A. Francis (Capt.), Bokenham, Burgess, Holden, Hoyle, Nash, Ogilvie, Reed, F. Walker,

Walthamstow Rifles: P. G. Rouquette (Capt.), F. S. Walker, H. S. Rouquette, H. Lloyd, E. C. Manico, A. Borwick, G. Tomkins, E. F. Harris, E. Parry.

THURS MAR 7<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 2 (E. S. Randolph, E. C. Bovill) AVENGERS 0 (At Vincent Square) (Return)

Field 9/3/67 P.180/Bell's Life 9/3/67 P.9/Sportsman 9/3/67 P.3/Sporting Life 13/3/67 (No lineups)/Pall Mall Gazette 8/3/67 P.9:

SM: "The return match between these two clubs took place at Vincent-square, on Thursday last, the 7<sup>th</sup> inst., and, after a very good game, was declared in favour of the School by two goals to none. The Westminsters won the toss (thanks to the luck which appears to follow the spins of the sturdy Bovill) and elected to play up from the lower goal. At about 3.40 the game was commenced, the Avengers pluckily starting with only eight representatives. The numerical superiority on the side of the boys, however, proved too much for their opponents, who were gradually compelled to act on the defensive, the absence of their confidently-expected goalkeeper proving a severe loss to them. With impetuous haste the boys rushed down on the ranks of the Avengers, literally trampling under foot the poor inoffensive "bird" who strove unaided to combat the superior forces of the Westminsters who soon succeeded with the assistance of E. S. Randolph in scoring their first goal. After change of



goals the contest was recommenced, the Avengers playing up in vastly improved form, the two fleet footed Civil sons of Neptune on several occasions blockading the School goal. In spite, however, of all the cunning tactics pursued by the Anchorites, Fortune appeared determined in favour of the Westminsterers for whom a second goal was well obtained by E.C. Bovill. No further success rewarded either side, and the victory accordingly remained with the Westminsterers by two goals to none. For the Avengers, who played rather weak, in consequence of the absence of the Head Avenger (whose non-appearance still remains unaccounted for), C.G. Waudby and H.F. Deacon performed in good style, while for Westminster, H.R. Dupré and C.E. Bickmore were as prominent as usual."

F: "In consequence, however, of the limited nature of their team, the Avengers were not able to afford the usual amount of goal keeping, their goal being entrusted to the defence of a vagrant + "cochin", who made his first appearance as a back player at Vincent-square on this occasion." + C.W. Alcock

Westminster School: S.H. West (Capt.), + F.A. O'Brien, E.C. Bovill, H.R. Dupré, F. Miller, G.H. Lee, J.C. Smith, C.E. Bickmore, H.S. Curteis, E.S. Randolph, F.N. Saunders (played instead of W.J. Dixon: SM 7/3/67 P.3 team for match) + Played instead of A.G. Lee

Avengers: C.G. Waudby (Capt.), H.F. Deacon, C.W. Alcock, C. Buchanan, E.O. Berens, R.G. Graham, R. Babington, J. Smith, A. Crompton, C.M. Tebbut (Absent), \*E. Freeth (Absent). (BL adds Lawrence and Morton at end instead of naming absentees) (SM 7/3/67 P.3 team for match has J. Lawrence and C. Thompson) (\*SM: Unexplained absence of the "Head Avenger")

SAT MAR 9<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 CRUSADERS 0 (At Under Green, Charterhouse)

Sportsman 12/3/67 P.4/Field 16/3/67 P.199/Sporting Life 13/3/67 P4 (No lineups in SL):

SM: "The Crusaders, as will be seen from a list of their forces given below, appeared with a very formidable team, and during the course of the game exhibited some extremely good general play, which we would have hardly expected from the motley nature of their component parts. The game was not commenced until shortly before three o'clock, several prominent Crusaders, apparently ignorant of the circuitous route by which the Green is reached, being detained for some time in fruitless endeavours to shape their course aright. The Carthusians began by kicking off from the centre of the ground, the Crusaders occupying the upper goal. At the start the ball was taken down by a grand rush to the School goal, round which it hovered for some time, the Crusaders' goal-keepers at the commencement of the game being but rarely troubled by any contact with the ball, which appeared chiefly disposed to visit neutral ground. With unabated energy was carried on, first one side then the other by superior play securing some momentary advantage, until H.R. Dupré (of Westminster renoun), getting hold of the ball near the Crusaders' goal, made one of the most splendid runs down we have ever witnessed, directing the ball safely round the many obstacles he had to encounter, and at last, by a very finely directed kick, landed it within an inch of the desired space between the School goal posts. This was decidedly the most brilliant piece of play exhibited during the match, and was greeted with the applause it so well deserved. Again and again did the Crusaders approach dangerously near the School goal, but on each occasion only to be repulsed by the excellent defence of the School goal-keepers, E.C.S. Gibson and C.H. Wade. In spite, too, of several well directed attacks of the Carthusians, in which W.L. Boreham, J.A. Foote, and H. Murray Mackenzie

were as usual especially prominent, no success attended their efforts, and when time was called, neither party being able to secure the capture of their opponent's goal, the game terminated in a draw. This match proved a most interesting contest, and one worthy of the reputation gained by the two clubs, though we are of the opinion the advantage was with the Crusaders, behind whose goal the ball passed but four times. For the Crusaders, W.J. Dixon, H.R. Dupré, C.G. Waudby, and F. Miller played in very good form, while for the Carthusians, E.C.S. Gibson, W.L. Boreham, and E.E. Venables were especially prominent."

Charterhouse School: E.C.S. Gibson (Capt.), O.S. Walford (E.A. Hammick), R.W. Macan, C.E.B. Nepean, W.L. Boreham, J.A. Foote, E.E. Venables, A.S. Mammatt, C.H. Wade, W. Wallace, H. Murray-Mackenzie.

Crusaders: E.O. Berens (Capt.), C.G. Waudby, C.W. Alcock, H.F. Deacon, E. Freeth, G.H. Lee, H.R. Dupre, F. Miller, J.E. Tayloe, J. Round, W.J. Dixon.

OLD HARROVIANS (Cambridge) 3 (Hunt, L. Ogden 2) HITCHIN CLUB 0 (At Hitchin)

Sportsman 12/3/67 P.4/Field 16/3/67 P.199/Sporting Life 13/3/67 P.4 (No lineups in SL)

SM: "Mr Pardoe won the toss for the Hitchin, and they kicked off down the hill, though with the wind against them. The ball had hardly been started two minutes when Mr Hunt applied his toe thereto with such determination and accuracy that that it went straight through the Hitchin goal posts, and sides were changed. The game was kept up with tolerable vigour for some time longer, each party trying to take advantage of any oversight on the part of their opponents. Mr Ogden at length seized the golden opportunity and scored goal No 2 for the Cantabs by a good side kick, and not long after that the same gentleman was credited with another goal for his side. The game was soon afterwards terminated the visitors winning by three goals to none."

Old Harrovians: G.G. Kennedy (Capt.), H.H. Montgomery, Hon. C. Bridgeman, + A.F. Kinnaird, Hunt, Holmes, Stokes, L. Ogden, Goldney, Ayres, Phillips, Mason. + Etonian

Hitchin Club: Rev. J. Pardoe, Rev. J. Parker, C.F. Reid, R.D. Elphinstone, J.J. Lucas, F. Lucas, F. Shillitoe, H. Darton, G. Elgood, W. Hill, H. Atkinson, H. Mallandine.

UPTON PARK 1 (S. Morris) OLD FELSTEADIANS 1 (C.T. Robbins) (At Upton Park)

Sportsman 12/3/67 P.4/Bell's Life 16/3/67 P.6/Sporting Life 13/3/67 P.4 (No lineups in SL)

SM: "Soon after three o'clock the ball was kicked off and, for some time, an obstinately-contested game ensued, until, in an unguarded moment on the part of the Uptonians, the ball was cleverly run down and kicked through by Mr C.T. Robins, who thus secured for Felstead the honour of the first goal. Sides having been changed, play was again resumed. As time wore on, and it was getting doubtful whether the goal obtained by Felstead would not prove the winning one, a well-directed kick by Mr W. Gardner enabled Mr S. Morris to make the much-coveted kick between the posts, and so regain for his club its nearly-lost laurels."

Upton Park: H. Barnett (Capt.), F. Barnett, B. Barnett, C.E. Clutterbuck, J.C. Cobbold, A.W. Evans, W. Gardner, C. Harte, G. Levick, A. Morris, S. Morris, A. Stair.

Old Felsteadians:R.J.Stocker(Capt.),Cross,G.C.Harper,T.H.Humphery,A.J.King,G.F.King,  
Mackmurdo,C.T.Robins,A.W.Rust,G.Salt,C.E.Wilson,and a Substitute

FOREST SCHOOL 2 (J.Carver ,E.Titley) CRYSTAL PALACE CLUB 2 (J.Cockerell,A.L.Cutbill)(At  
Walthamstow)

Sportsman 12/3/67 P.4/Sporting Life 13/3/67 P.4(No lineups)

SL:"A match was played between these two clubs at Walthamstow,on Saturday last,the 9<sup>th</sup> inst.,  
which resulted in a draw,each side succeeding in obtaining two goals.The toss was won by the  
Crystal Palace team,who judiciously chose to play with the wind.The game was commenced at about  
half past three o'clock;shortly after the commencement a goal being obtained for the Crystal Palace  
by J.Cockerell.With the change of goals the game was renewed,and the Foresters soon in their turn  
succeeded in securing a goal,which was well kicked by J.Carver.Again and again was the ball carried  
forward by the two teams,but without any further success till a second goal was obtained for the  
Crystal Palace by A.Cutbill.After this,fortune aided the Foresters,who,with the assistance of  
E.Titley,soon succeeded in obtaining a second goal,which,as no further score was made by either  
team,caused the match to end in a draw.For the Crystal Palace,W.J.Cutbill,H.Lloyd,and S.Carver  
played well;for the Forest School,J.Carver and H.Openshaw."

Forest School:S.C.Beauchamp(Capt.), (C.)H.Openshaw,J.Carver,A.E.Unna,E.Titley,F.O.Stow,  
T.F.Gascoigne,W.E.Gascoigne,F.Knight,F.C.Shuttleworth,F.Longshaw.

Crystal Palace:J.Turner(Capt.),W.J.C.Cutbill,R.Cutbill,A.L.Cutbill,J.Cockerell,W.Allport, D.Allport,  
F.Lloyd,A.Lloyd, +S.Carver,+E.T.Gardom.+Substitutes

ROYAL ENGINEERS 3 (Tindall 2,Own Goal) NO NAMES 0 (At Chatham)

Sportsman 21/3/67 P.4/Field 23/3/67 P.220:

SM:"A match was played between the above clubs on the Lines,at Chatham on Saturday,the 9<sup>th</sup>  
instant,which resulted in an easy victory for the "sons of Mars" by three goals to none,a result  
chiefly attributable to the absence of any united play on the part of the N.N.'s,who appeared to be  
more than usually abroad on this occasion.Soon after the commencement of the game a goal was  
obtained by the Engineers,owing to a little mistake made by the goal-keeper of the N.N.'s,who  
entirely misjudged the ball,which rolled between the hostile goal posts.With the change of goals,the  
fight was once more renewed,every moment affording fresh proofs of the superiority of the  
Engineers,who succeeded in placing a +second goal to the credit of their side.The successes achieved  
by the Engineers appeared to dishearten the civilians,who played towards the conclusion of the  
game in but feeble style,thus affording the Engineers another chance of scoring,of which they were  
not slow in taking advantage,the goal defended by the N.N.'s soon falling for the third time to the  
persistent attacks of the enemy.The first two goals obtained for the Engineers were gained by Tindall  
and Purcell,while the third and last was most generously placed to their credit by a player of the  
N'N"s team,who,by a well-meant kick,secured the third goal for his adversaries."

+F:"kicked by Tindall once more"

Royal Engineers: Jacob, Marindin, Merriman, Blood, Tindall, Beresford, Campbell, Barlow, Fanshawe, Courtenay, Purcell, Pottinger, Broadbent. (F adds Purcell whom SM credits with Tindall's 2<sup>nd</sup> goal)

No Names: A. Pember (Capt.), G. Pember, H.J. Baker, A. Baker, W.F. Baker, C.M. Tebbut, J. Nicholas, H. Nicholas, S.T. Holland, H. Emmanuel, C.E. Pickard, Leach (Substitute). (F has N. Nicholas)

Check if WANDERERS v C.C.C. (See Wanderers History) was played and if so on this date

WED MAR 13<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1 (H. Murray-Mackenzie) CIVIL SERVICE 0 (At Under Green, Charterhouse) (Third Match)

N.B. Charterhouse Football History has Walford as the scorer.

Sportsman 14/3/67 P.4/Field 16/3/67 P.199/Sporting Gazette 16/3/67/Sporting Life 16/3/67 P.4 (No lineups in SL)

F: "The last match of the Carthusian season was played on Under Green, on Wednesday last, the 13<sup>th</sup> inst., when a team of Civil Servants contested against the School. This was the third occasion on which these clubs have met this season, the result of the two previous occasions being in each case a decisive victory for the boys. The Civil Servants were evidently determined to make a better fight of it in their third match, for they brought a much better team into the field than in their former engagements. The Civil Servants were unfortunate enough to lose the toss for choice of goals, which gave the Carthusians, who commenced the game from the Goswell-road goal, the advantage of a stiffish breeze which was blowing up the ground. Immediately the ball was kicked off by their Captain the Carthusians carried the ball up towards the Civil Service territory, from which, however, it was quickly returned, and then the fight commenced in earnest, both sides struggling hard to secure some lasting success, which was, however, for some time denied to each team alike, in consequence of the splendid style in which both goals were kept by the respective goal keepers of the opposing sides. Soon, however, a slight mistake of one of the Civil Service back players led to a general scrimmage in front of the strangers' goal, which eventually secured its fall. Playing with the wind appeared to suit the Civil Servants better, for they now began in their turn to besiege the Carthusian goal, which on several occasions narrowly escaped capture, though the slippery state of the ground rather impeded the movements of the Civil Service forwards. No success, however, attended the energetic attempts made by the strangers, for when time was called they had not succeeded in capturing their opponents' goal, the boys thus adding another leaf to the laurel crown they have won for themselves this season. For the Civil Service, C.G. Waudby and Q. Hogg played in good form, while for the Carthusians, C.E.B. Nepean and E.C.S. Gibson particularly distinguished themselves.

We cannot bid farewell to the Carthusians on the termination of their present football season without adding our mead of praise to the congratulations they have lately received for the exceedingly brilliant style in which they have repulsed the various teams (some of them very formidable) brought against them, and more especially for the really splendid manner in which their goal has been kept throughout the season. The successful issue of the various contests is, in our opinion, chiefly due to the excellent style in which they have been "coached" by their energetic Captain."

N.B.SG confirms E.A.Hammeck played:those whose names are in brackets normally played as Substitutes for the Absent players first named.

Charterhouse School:E.C.S.Gibson(Capt.),O.S.Walford,R.W.Macan(E.A.Hammeck), C.E.B.Nepean, W.L.Boreham,J.A.Foote,C.H.Wade,W.Wallace,E.E.Venables,A.S.Mammatt,H.Murray Mackenzie.

Civil Service:C.G.Waudby(Capt.),C.W.Alcock,R.Babington,H.F.Deacon,W.J.Dixon,E.Freeth, Q.Hogg,J.Kirkpatrick,J.Martin,C.Smith,C.F.Dunn(Substitute)

THURS MAR 14<sup>TH</sup> :

NOTTINGHAM 1 (J.C.Hodges) SHEFFIELD 0 (At Trent Bridge)(Return Match)

Sportsman 21/3/67 P.4:

Nottingham:A.Deedes(Capt.),A.B.Baillon,W.Goddard,J.Hack,J.C.Hodges,W.A.Hodges,T.Keely, J.Lambert,C.Rothera,F.C.Smith,C.S.Wardle.(Names slightly corrected and scorer added by Notts County History P.105)(SM/SL both have R.Rothera)

Sheffield:H.W.Chambers,A.Dixon,F.Knowles,J.C.Shaw,C.Percival,J.Knowles,J.Wild, F.S.Chambers,A.Wightman,A.Earnshaw,W.Turton.(SM)(This is not the correct lineup:see below)

SL /SI Sheffield team is completely different:

Sheffield:H.W.Chambers(Capt.),S.W.Earnshaw,C.Percival,J.Percival,J.Knowles,A.Dixon,F.S.Chambers, A.Earnshaw,+T.Elliott,+W.Ward,+H.Simons.+(the latter three being substitutes)(Have added last 2 initials from known Nottingham players)

Sheffield Independent 16/3/67 P.8:The Sheffield players ....were indebted to the Nottingham men for the assistance of two additional players,but were never more than nine to eleven."

However,SI 15/3/67 P.3 AND SI 16/3/67 P.10 give the above SM lineup which is probably the original lineup for the match,considered incorrect(SI for same date on P.8 gives the a more accurate lineup).

WED MAR 20<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER Match:Town Boys 1 (F.Miller) Queen's Scholars 1 (W.C.Davies) (At Vincent Square)

Field 30/3/67 P.240/Bell's Life 23/3/67 P.9:

Town Boys:A.G.Lee(Capt.),G.H.Lee,J.C.Smith,F.Miller,E.Eastwick,H.S.Curteis,H.Rawson,C.Flint, R.Curteis,W.Randall,W.Vidal.

Queen's Scholars:S.H.West(Capt.),E.C.Bovill,H.R.Dupré,C.E.Bickmore,W.C.Davies,R.Barker,E.Giles, S.Randolph,F.Saunders,F.A.O'Brien,W.C.Lefroy.

SAT MAR 23<sup>RD</sup> :

FOREST SCHOOL 2 (W.E.Gascoigne,F.Knight) OLD FORESTERS 1(A.L.Cutbill)

Field 30/3/67 P.239:

F: "The return match between the past and present of the above school was played on Saturday last, the 23<sup>rd</sup> inst., and resulted, after a hard fought game, in a second victory for the Present by two goals to one. The Old Foresters, in spite of the late severe weather, which has disheartened so many football players, made their appearance in strong force, their team comprising many names which are still remembered in the school. Undeterred by the state of the ground, which was more than usually slippery on the occasion, or by the rain, which fell without intermission during the course of the game, play was commenced at the appointed time, the boys being deprived of the services of their captain and of another player who has greatly distinguished himself this season. At the commencement of the game the boys exhibited a marked superiority over their opponents who, from the mixed nature of their composition, lacked the united play which was such a prominent feature of the game practised by the boys. Nothing daunted by the superior forces of their adversaries, the Old Foresters for some time defended their territory with great energy, vigorously repelling the assault of their juvenile foes. Again and again was the ball carried into the neighbourhood of the Old Foresters' goal only to be driven back by the defending goalkeepers once more into neutral ground. The energetic efforts made by the boys were destined soon to receive their reward, for, after an extremely well executed run-down, a goal was kicked for the School by W.E. Gascoigne. The goals were now changed, and the game continued, both sides struggling hard to secure some advantage from their opponents, the style of the Old Boys apparently improving with time. All the strategy and skill, however, of the Past proved unavailing to secure the capture of the School goal, the boys soon increasing their advantage by a second goal, which was well kicked for them by F. Knight. The contest now grew most exciting as the time for concluding the game drew nigh, and it appeared that no further score would be made by either; at last, however, just before the termination of the game, a well-executed run-down was made by A.L. Cutbill for the Old Foresters, which resulted in the fall of the School goal. Time was now called, and thus the boys remained the victors by two goals to one. For the present representatives of the School, C.H. Openshaw and W.E. Gascoigne played in very good style forwards, while J.H. Gascoigne was a tower of strength back. For the Old Foresters G.H. Edmonds, B.T. Stow, and Powell were especially conspicuous."

Forest School: S.C. Beauchamp (Capt.), C.H. Openshaw, C. Moore, A.E. Unna, E. Titley, T.H. Gascoigne, F. Knight, H.C. Shuttleworth, H. Longshaw, S.H. Carver, J.C. Cotton, W.E. Gascoigne. (F has J.H. Gascoigne)

Old Foresters: A.L. Cutbill, G.H. Edmunds, B.T. Stow, A.T. Turner, C.J. Bogue, J. Kolle, W.V. Charington, R. Cutbill, R. Chidley, R.B. Boswell, S. Rouquette, Powell.

SAT MAR 30<sup>TH</sup> :

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 2 (E. Burgess, Walker) ST PAUL'S SCHOOL 0 (Field 13/4/67 P.279) (First Fifteens) (At Brentwood)

Chelmsford Chronicle 5/4/67 P.5:

CC: "At two o'clock the ball was kicked off; soon after the Paulines, after a good run down, forced the ball behind their adversaries' touch line, and gained the first "touch down" of the afternoon, but failed in obtaining the goal. This intrusion seemed to wake up the Brentwoods, who now settled down to that brisk style of play which has won them so many victories and during the match they never again allowed the ball to enter their quarters. After some sharp play and several severe "scrimmages", a good kick from E. Burgess obtained the first goal for Brentwood. Bases were now

changed, but the Brentwoods still kept the ball on their adversaries' side of the ground till Hoyle, by a sharp piece of play, gained a "touch down". He, however, not being confident in his power to kick a goal at 25 yards' distance (the ball being heavy from the rain) waived his right in favour of Walker, who, with a strong straight kick, obtained the second goal. Shortly after the increasing rain and wind stopped the play, for the day, thus leaving the Brentwoods victorious by two goals to none." (No teams)

SAT APRIL 6<sup>TH</sup> :

FOREST SCHOOL 6 (T. Crowther, C. H. Openshaw 2, H. Tubb, E. Titley, F. O. Stow) UPTON PARK CLUB 0  
(At Forest School, Walthamstow)

Field 13/4/67 P.279 (MISSING FROM DOWNLOAD)

F: "The Uptonians are at present only novitiates in the art of football, their club having been but lately formed." "It is but fair to the representatives of the Upton Club to state that they were labouring under a great disadvantage on this occasion in playing the rules in vogue at Forest School, with which they were totally unacquainted, the Uptonians usually practising the laws published by the authority of the Football Association."

Forest School: H. Tubb (Capt.), S. C. Beauchamp, C. Capper, S. H. Carver, J. C. Cotton, T. Crowther, T. H. Gascoigne, W. E. Gascoigne, E. T. Gardom, H. Longshaw, C. H. Openshaw, T. G. Poole, H. E. Shuttleworth, F. O. Stow, E. Titley, A. E. Unna.

Upton Park: H. Barnett (Capt.), H. A. Alexander, T. Anderson, B. Barnett, C. E. Clutterbuck, J. C. Cobbold, S. Curwen, A. W. Evans, M. Gardner, W. Gardner, A. M. Jones, M. Jutsum, A. Morris, S. Morris, A. Stair, C. E. Wilson.

#### SEASON'S RESULTS:

Field 23/3/67 P.220: Harrow School, Eton College (At the Wall and In the Field), Charterhouse School and Westminster School (Have filled in scorers and missing results above)

Field 30/3/67 P.239-240: Winchester College Results

Field 30/3/67 P.239 has Forest School Results (see some insertions above)

Field 6/4/67 P.254 has Results for Cheltenham College, Marlborough College, Shrewsbury School, Rossall School, Radley College, Clifton College and Wellington College (plus a correction to Winchester College results)

Field 13/4/67 P.279 MISSING

Field 20/4/67 P.301 : Matches played at Cambridge and by Cambridge teams; Matches played by the Eton Cambridge Club; Matches played at and by teams from Oxford (NOT ANALYSED), Harrow Chequers Club, and Wellington College (previous list incomplete)

Other matches listed as played by the Eton Club Cambridge:

At Eton v Eton College: "Eton Club won by one goal to two rouges"

At Cambridge v Harrow Club:"The Club won by one goal to none."(See above 10/12/66)

At Cambridge v Christ's College:"Eton Club won by two goals to one.":

Eton:Lord E.Fitzmaurice,J.Yates,W.R.Griffiths,J.Rigden,S.Hervey,W.D.Rawlins,C.Knight,H.Rebow,  
C.H.Tuck,C.E.Cuthell,H.Faber,C.Royds.

Christ College:A.Pengelly,F.Field,E.Cartmell,F.Urburn,H.Jones,F.Carter,A.H.Hendwarick,R.Patterson,  
H.Buckley,E.M.Watkins,H.W.Page,W.C.Mathison.

At Eton v Eton College : "Eton College won by one goal and two rouges to nothing."

Field 20/4/67 P.301:"Thirteen matches were played by the Etonians,of which nine were won,one lost,and three were drawn.Sixteen goals were obtained by the representatives of the Club,while only three were scored against them.The club consists of all old Etonians who are or have been resident at Cambridge,and a few outsiders,who have been admitted into the club.The present officers are- Captains:Lord E.Fitzmaurice and A.F.Kinnaird.Committee:Hon. F.Pelham,G.H.Tuck and W.R.Griffiths."

Field 20/4/67 P.301:"The Harrow Chequers played seven matches,of which they won three,lost two and two were drawn.The Chequers obtained seven goals in their various contests,whilst five were scored against them.The limited number of matches played by the Chequers this season is doubtless attributable to the severe weather which prevailed during the greater part of the Christmas vacation ,at which time the Harrovians are usually most busily engaged.In their match with the Carthusians the Chequers were most feebly represented,which will doubtless account for the disastrous defeat they suffered on that occasion.The Harrow Chequers' Club is exclusively composed of present and past Harrovians."

N.B Also new Cambridge Rules to be published

SHEFFIELD ASSOCIATION CLUB MATCHES :

N.B.Sheffield Independent not on line for Oct-Dec 1866.

SAT OCT 20<sup>TH</sup> :

Norfolk 2 rouges Milton 1 rouge(1<sup>ST</sup> 14's) (At Norfolk Park)(SDT 23/10/66 P.8)

Pitsmoor 1 goal and 1 rouge Mechanics 0 (In Norfolk Park)(SDT 22/10/66 P.3)

SAT OCT 27<sup>TH</sup> :

Norfolk 1 goal Heeley 0 (At Norfolk Ground)(SDT 31/10/66 P.3)

MON OCT 29<sup>TH</sup> :

Pitsmoor 1 goal and 1 rouge Mechanics 0 (Return)(At Pitsmoor)(SDT 31/10/66 P.3)

Milton 1 goal Norton 0 (At Milton Ground,Cremorne)(SDT 31/10/66 P.3)

Norfolk 1 rouge Pitsmoor 0 (3<sup>RD</sup> 14's)(At Pitsmoor)(SDT 31/10/66 P.3)

N.B.Pitsmoor won the first match by the same score.



SAT NOV 3<sup>RD</sup> :

Norton 1 rouge Mackenzie 1 rouge (At Norfolk Ground)(SDT 5/11/66 P.3)

Broomhall 1 goal and 2 rouges +Heeley 0 (At Broomhall Ground,Eccleshall Road)(SDT 6/11/66 P.8)

+Short of players

MON NOV 5<sup>TH</sup> :

Norfolk 1 goal and 4 rouges +Pitsmoor 0 (2<sup>ND</sup> 14's)(SDT 6/11/66 P.8)

+Two men short

SAT NOV 10<sup>TH</sup> :

Pitsmoor 1 goal Norton 0 (At Pitsmoor)(SDT 12/11/66 P.3)

Mackenzie 2 rouges Hallam 0 (At Cremorne Ground)(SDT 17/11/66 P.10)

Norfolk 2 rouges Heeley 1 rouge (At Meersbrook Park)(2<sup>ND</sup> 14's)(SDT 17/11/66 P.10)

SAT NOV 17<sup>TH</sup> :

Garrick 1 rouge Wellington 0 (1<sup>ST</sup> 12's)( At Garrick Ground)(SDT 20/11/66 P.5)

Broomhall 2 goals and 2 rouges Fir Vale 0 (At Broomhall Ground,Eccleshall Road)(SDT 24/11/66 P.10)

Norfolk 1 rouge Pitsmoor 0 (2<sup>ND</sup> 14's)(At Pitsmoor)(SDT 24/11/66 P.10)

MON NOV 19<sup>TH</sup> :

Broomhall 1 rouge Milton 0 (2<sup>ND</sup> 14's)(At Broomhall Ground,Eccleshall Road)(SDT 22/11/66 P.3)

SAT NOV 24<sup>TH</sup> :

Norfolk 1 rouge Heeley 0 (Return)(At Meersbrook Park)(SDT 1/12/66 P.10)

N.B Norfolk won first game

SHEFFIELD CLUB 0 FIR VALE CLUB 0 (At Sheffield)

Sportsman 29/11/66 P.4:

SM:"When "half time" was called (according to a regulation established by the Sheffield Club)sides were changed,and during the remainder of the game the superiority was decidedly with the Sheffielders-the ball only being once taken behind their goal line-who kept their adversaries completely "penned".Just before the time appointed for termination of the game a splendid rush of the Sheffielders carried the ball through the Fir Vale "rouge" posts,when it was "touched down" by the Sheffield captain,but on the umpire being appealed to,he,after some hesitation,disallowed the "rouge",and no base being obtained by either side,the match consequently ended in a draw."

Sheffield:A.Wightman(Capt.),A.Dixon,F.S.Chambers,J.Linley,F.Knowles,J.Knowles,  
J.Wild,A.M.Wild,C.Percival,J.C.Shaw,H.W.Chambers(Goalkeeper)

Fir Vale:Gillott,Fowler,Bagshaw,Jarvis,Adsetts,Bradley,Ince,Nutt,Byron,Gorrill,Hewlett(Goalkeeper)

MON NOV 26<sup>TH</sup>

Norfolk 1 rouge Pitsmoor 0 (At Norfolk Park)(SDT 1/12/66 P.10)

TUES NOV 27<sup>TH</sup> :

Norfolk 1 rouge Pitsmoor 0(At Norfolk Park)(SDT 28/11/66 P.3)

WED NOV 28<sup>TH</sup> :

Pitsmoor 1 goal Hallam 0 (At Pitsmoor)

Mackenzie 1 Norton 0 (First Teams) and Mackenzie 1 Garrick 0(Third Teams) (SM 1/12/66 P.4)

Mackenzie Third Team 2 goals and 1 rouge Norfolk Third Team 2 goals (SM 1/12/66 P.4)

SAT DEC 1<sup>ST</sup> :

Broomhall 1 goal and 4 rouges +Pitsmoor 0 (2<sup>ND</sup> 14's)(At Broomhall Ground,Eccleshall Road)(SDT 1/12/66 P.10)

Heeley 0 +Broomhall(2<sup>ND</sup> 14's)(At Meersbrook Park)(SDT 1/12/66 P.10)

+Short of players

MON DEC 3<sup>RD</sup> :

Norton 1 rouge Milton 0 (At Norton)(SDT 1/12/66 P.10)

SAT DEC 8<sup>TH</sup> :

Sheffield 1 goal and 3 rouges Manchester 0 (15 a side)(At Newhall)(SDT 11/12/66 P.8)

Norton 0 Pitsmoor 0 (At Norton)(SDT 11/12/66 P.8)

Broomhall 1 goal and 2 rouges Hallam 1 goal(2<sup>ND</sup> 14's)(At Hallam Ground,Sandygate)(SDT 11/12/66 P.8)

MON DEC 24<sup>TH</sup> :

Broomhall 1 goal and 2 rouges Mackenzie 1 rouge(2<sup>ND</sup> 14's)(At Eccleshall Road)(SDT 29/12/66 P.10)

WED DEC 26<sup>TH</sup> :

Hallam 1 goal Heeley 0 (At Sndygate)(SDT 28/12/66 P.3)

Mackenzie 1 goal and 2 rouges Garrick 0 (At Cremorne Ground,Mackenzie Club)(SM 1/1/67 P.1

THURS DEC 27<sup>TH</sup> :

Mackenzie 0 Fir vale 1 rouge (At Cremorne Ground,Mackenzie Club)(SM 1/1/67 P.1)

FRI DEC 28<sup>TH</sup> :

Mackenzie 0 Wellington 0 (At Cremorne Ground ,Mackenzie Club )(SM 1/1/67 P.1)

Mackenzie 0 Hallam 0 (At Sandygate)(SM 1/1/67 P.1)(CHECK IN SI IF 2<sup>ND</sup> TEAM)

SAT DEC 29<sup>TH</sup>:

Pitsmoor 1 goal and 2 rouges Wellington 0 (2<sup>nd</sup> 14's)(At Pitsmoor)(SI 5/1/67 P.10)(SDT 1/1/67 P.8)

"The Pitsmoor Club have these holidays played four matches and secured in them five goals and three rouges,their opponents having only one rouge in all the four matches."

TUES JAN 1<sup>ST</sup> :

Hallam 1 goal and 2 rouges Norton 0 (At Sandygate)(SI 5/1/67 P.10)(SDT 3/1/67 P.3)

Broomhall 4 goals and 4 rouges Mechanics 0 (Norfolk Park)(Return)(SI 3/1/67 P.3)(SDT 3/1/67 P.3)

Pitsmoor 2 goals Mackenzie 0 (Cremorne Ground)(12 a side)(SI 3/1/67 P.3)(SDT 3/1/67 P.3)

SAT JAN 5<sup>TH</sup>:

Pitsmoor 2 goals and 2 rouges Wellington 2 rouges (At Wellington)(2<sup>nd</sup> 14's)(Return)(SI 8/1/67 P.8)(SDT 9/1/67 P.3)

SAT JAN 12<sup>TH</sup> :

Pitsmoor 0 Norfolk 1 goal(12 a side)(At Pitsmoor)(Return)(SI 15/1/67 P.8)(SDT 15/1/67 P.8)(Norton also won the 1<sup>st</sup> match)(SM 22/1/67 P.4:played in spite of the wind and snow)

Fir Vale 1 goal Hallam 2 rouges(At Fir Vale)(SI 19/1/67 P.10)

MON JAN 14<sup>TH</sup>:

Pitsmoor 0 Hallam 0 (Return) (At Sandygate)(SI 16/1/67 P.3)(SDT 16/1/67 P.3)

Broomhall 2 goals and 1 rouge Mackenzie 1 goal (Orphanage Road,Cremorne)(3<sup>rd</sup> 14's)(SI 16/1/67 P.3)(SDT 16/1/67 P.3)

SAT JAN 19<sup>TH</sup>:

Hallam 1 goal and 3 rouges Norton 0 (At Norton)(Return)(SI 22/1/67 P.8)(SDT 22/1/67 P.5)(Hallam won 1<sup>st</sup> match)

Fir Vale 1 goal and 1 rouge Mechanics 1 rouge (At Fir Vale)(Return)(SI 22/11/67 P.8)(Fir Vale won first match)

Heeley v Wellington (Meersbrook Park)(SI 19/1/67 P.8)

Pitsmoor 1 goal Broomhall 1 rouge(At Broomhall)(First defeat this season for Broomhall)(SI 26/1/67 P.10)

MON JAN 21<sup>ST</sup> :

Broomhall 1 goal and 4 rouges Mackenzie 0 (2<sup>nd</sup> 14's)(Orphanage Ground)(SI 22/1/67 P.8)(SDT 22/1/67 P.5)

SAT JAN 26<sup>TH</sup> : (SI 26/1/67 P.5)

Mackenzie v Norfolk(Cremorne Ground)

Heeley v Mechanics(Meersbrook Park)

Broomhall 2 goals and 4 rouges Hallam 1 goal(2<sup>nd</sup> 14's)(At Broomhall Ground,Ecclesall Road)(SDT 29/1/67 P.8)

MON JAN 28<sup>TH</sup> :

Broomhall 2 goals Mackenzie 1 goal (3<sup>RD</sup> 14's)(At Ecclesall Road,Broomhall)(SDT 29/1/67 P.8)

SAT FEB 2<sup>ND</sup> :

Milton 0 Norfolk 0 (At Orphanage,Milton Ground)(SI 5/2/67 P.8)

Pitsmoor Club 0 Broomhall Club 0 (At Pitsmoor) (SDT 9/2/67 P.10)(SDT 9/2/67 P.10)

Sportsman 5/2/67 P.3(Full report)/Sporting Life 6/2/67 P.4:

Pitsmoor:G.Fowler(Capt.),J.Peck,J.H.Bingham,G.Simpson,H.Ash,S.M.Walker,W.Armstrong,J.Bradley, W.J.Bingham,G.Baxter,W.Hutton,E.Osborne.(SL has J.F.Bingham and W.Kellton)

Broomhall:C.Mills(Capt.),S.Deakin,F.Hazlewood,J.West,F.Broadbent,G.Dodworth,W.Ellin,W.Ward, J.Turton,Josh.West,G.Stanyard.

Fir Vale +1 rouge Mackenzie 0 (At Fir Vale) +Disputed by one umpire

Sportsman 5/2/67 P.3(Full report)/Sporting Life 6/2/67 P.4: (At Roe Wood)(SI 4/2/67 P.3)(SDT 9/2/67 P.10)

Fir Vale:W.H.Jarvis,W.Green,J.R.Gorrill,B.Otley,G.Rodgers,T.France,W.Rustleing,W.Barracclough, R.Otley,J.Banks,J.W.Gillatt,F.Clark,J.Ulyett(Goalkeeper) Umpire:J.Pickergill

Mackenzie:T.Jenkinson,J.Jenkinson,H.Packerd,E.Birkhead,J.Linley,W.Wright,W.Hepworth,H.Webster, J.Righcroft,G.Powell,G.Powell(sen.),H.Bramhall,. Umpire: J.Hodgkinson

MON FEB 4<sup>TH</sup> :

Sportsman 12/2/67 P.3:

Pitsmoor 1 rouge Garrick 1 rouge (No teams)(In the cricket field)

SAT FEB 9<sup>TH</sup>:

Pitsmoor 1 rouge(by kicking the ball over the goal and touching down) Heeley 2 goals  
(Meersbrook Park on the borders of Derbyshire)

Sportsman 14/2/67 P.4/SI 12/2/67 P.8(Rouge not mentioned in SI):

Pitsmoor:G.Fowler(Capt.),J.F.Bingham,G.Simpson,J.Roberts,S.Heaton,W.Hutton,C.Marshall,  
E.Osborn,F.Clarke,W.J.Bingham,W.Carr,C.Fisher.

Heeley:J.Linley(Capt.),F.Morton,H.Butterley,A.Wood,H.Barton,J.Turner,R.Gillatt,C.Jackson,  
W.Connor,J.Beard,S.Needham,A.Pashley.

Hallam 3 rouges Fir Vale 0 (At Sandygate)(Return)

Sportsman 14/2/67 P.4(Full report)/SI 12/2/67 P.8/SDT 16/2/67 P.10:

Hallam:G.Jones,J.Bradbury,T.Armytage,H.Ash,J.Barnes,J.Dale,W.Walker,A.Hobson, G.Elliott,  
G.Frogmore,G.Shaw,S.Haywood,J.Turner,J.Gossaney(Goalkeeper).

Fir Vale:E.Ince,J.W.Gillatt,W.H.A(??)etts,W.Green,G.Rodgers,J.R.Gorrill,R.Otley,B.Otley(Goalkeeper),  
+W.Otley,+C.Dobson,+J.Buttery,+G.T.M.Rackstraw,+J.Westran,+S.Deakin.+Emergencies.

MON FEB 11<sup>TH</sup> :

Garrick (1<sup>st</sup> 14) 1 goal Broomhall(2<sup>nd</sup> 14) 2 rouges (At East Bank)(SI 12/2/67 P.8)(SDT 13/2/67 P.3)

SAT FEB 16<sup>TH</sup> :

First Series of matches in the Youdan Cup:For results see above

SI 16/2/67 P.1:

"The first series of games for the Cup presented by Thos. Youdan,Esq.,to the clubs of the town and  
neighbourhood will be played this day,as follows:

1.United Mechanics v Norton,at Norton.-Referee Mr W.I.Bingham.-A Bus will leave the Surrey  
Arms,Granville Street,at Half past One O'clock punctually.

2.Garrick v Mackenzie,at the Orphanage.-Referee Mr J.Frith.

3.Hallam v Mackenzie at Hallam.-Referee-Mr R.Dickenson.A Bus will leave Heeley Bridge about One  
o'clock,and call at the bottom of Eccleshall Road at Half past one.

4.Norfolk v Fir Vale,at Norfolk Park..-Referee-Mr J.Tomlinson.

5.Broomhall v Pitsmoor at Eccleshall Road.-Referee Mr J.Pinder.

6.Milton v Wellington at the Orphanage.-Referee Mr J.Crapper.

Every Game to commence punctually at Three O'clock.No waiting for Players allowed.

16<sup>th</sup> Feb 1867 FREDK. CORBETT

MON FEB 18<sup>TH</sup>

Norton 0 Broomhall 0 (Return)(At Norton)(SI 19/2/67 P.8)(SDT 19/2/67 P.8)

SAT FEB 23<sup>RD</sup> : :

FIR VALE CLUB Match : Heavy Division (13 men)3 rouges Light Division (19 men)1 goal

Sportsman 26/2/67 P.4:

SM:"This match was played on Saturday last,the 23<sup>rd</sup> inst.,in consequence of the unavoidable postponement of the club match with Milton,the Milton Club being engaged in the second ties for the Youdan's Cup.The game was most evenly-contested throughout,though the Light Division was much stronger in numbers than the Heavy uns.A goal was kicked for the light weights by R.Otley, who played extremely well throughout.The Heavy Division was only able to score three rouges,being represented by thirteen men,while the Light Weights numbered nineteen men."

Heavy Division:J.W.Gillatt,W.H.Jarvis,W.Bagshaw,B.Otley,G.Simpson,J.V.Nutt,T.Pickersgill,  
F.Clark,W.H.Vaughan,F.Jackmann,A.Firth,W.Walker,J.Buttery.

Light Division:W.Green,R.Otley,W.Otley,H.Seymour,J.Hurst,G.Ulyett,T.L.Bennett,H.Fitter, C.Hudson,  
D.Davy,W.Unwin,W.F.Pickersgill,J.Ulyett,J.Bradley,J.Walker,S.Bradley,C.Dobson,J.France,W.Gibson.

SHEFFIELD ASSOCIATION 1867 RULES:SEE SPORTING LIFE 13/3/67 P.4(NOT IN SHEFFIELD SOURCE BOOK)

SL:"The annual meeting of the various Sheffield Clubs forming the above association,which had been adjourned in order to allow time for consideration of the rules adopted by the metropolitan clubs,was held at the Adelphi Hotel,on Wednesday evening last,the 7<sup>th</sup> inst.;H.W.Chambers,Esq (honorary secretary of the Sheffield Club),president of the association in the chair.The clubs of Sheffield were well represented as many as thirteen clubs sending representatives.After the preliminary business,the rules as lately adopted by the London Association were taken into consideration,and the amendments proposed by the representatives of the thirteen clubs duly discussed.After a long and protracted discussion, a code of rules was formed,which we give below:-

- 1.The maximum length of the ground shall be 200 yards,the maximum breadth shall be 100 yards; the length and breadth shall be marked off with flags,and the goals shall be upright posts,four yards apart,with a bar across them nine feet from the ground,and two flags,to be called the rouge flags, shall be placed one on each side,and in a line with the goal,and four yards distance from it,with a bar across them nine feet from the ground.
- 2.The winners of the toss shall have the choice of goals.The game shall commence by a place-kick from the centre of the ground by the side losing the toss;the other side shall not approach within ten yards from the ball until it is kicked off.
- 3.After a goal is won the losing side shall kick-off,and goals shall be changed;but if in playing a match,half the specified time shall expire without a goal being obtained,the sides shall exchange goals,the kick-off being from the middle in the same direction as at the commencement of the game.

4.A goal shall be won when the ball passes between the goal-posts under the tape,not being thrown,knocked on,or carried.

5.When the ball is in touch a player on the opposite side to that which has kicked it out,shall throw it from the point on the boundary line where it left the ground,in a direction at right angles with the boundary line,and it shall not be in play until it has touched the ground,and the player throwing it in shall not play it until it has been played by another player.

6.Any player between an opponent's goal and goal-keeper(unless he has followed the ball there) is off-side and out of play.The goal-keeper is that player on the defending side who for the time being is nearest to his own goal.

7.When the ball is kicked behind the goal-line,or over the bars of the goal or rouge flags,it must be kicked off by the side between whose goal it went,within six yards from the limit of their goal.The side who thus kick the ball are entitled to a fair kick-off in whatever way they please,the opposite side not being allowed to approach within six yards of the ball.In case the ball is kicked between the rouge flags,under the bar the side kicking it shall be entitled to score one rouge and the ball shall be kicked out by the defending side as before mentioned.

8.A goal outweighs any number of rouges.Should no goal,or an equal number be obtained,the match is decided by rouges.

9.No player shall hold or carry the ball,or knock it or push it on with the hand or arm.The side breaking this rule forfeits a free kick to the opposite side,and the offending side shall not approach within three yards of the kicker,but nothing in this rule shall extend to drive them to stand behind their goal-line.

10.No goal or rouge shall be obtained by a free kick from a penalty.

11.Neither tripping nor hacking shall be allowed;and no player shall use his hands to hold or push an adversary.

12.A player shall not throw the ball,or pass it to another.

13.No player shall take the ball from the ground with his hands while it is in play,under any pretence whatever.

14.No player shall wear spikes,projecting nails,or iron plates on the soles or heels of his boots.

Definition of Terms:

A" place kick"is a kick at the ball while it is on the ground in any position in which the kicker may choose to place it.

A"free kick" is the privelege of kicking at the ball without obstruction in such manner as the kicker may think fit.

"Hacking" is kicking an adversary intentionally.

"Tripping" is throwing an adversary by the use of the legs.

“Knocking on” is when a player strikes or propels the ball with his hands or arms.

“Holding” includes the obstruction of a player by the hands or any part of the arm below the elbow.

“Touch” is that part of the field on either side of the ground which is beyond the line of flags.”

YODAN CUP (SHEFFIELD ASSOCIATION) Presented by Thomas Youdan

Sheffield Independent 19/2/67 P.3: THE FOOTBALL CONTEST FOR A SILVER CUP... The design for the cup caused some competition, as there was £2 awarded for the best design, in addition to the honour. The selection was left to a committee formed from each club, and the design sent in by Mr Jervis, of Roscoe Place was selected. The Broomhall and Pitsmoor match was well contested, the sides being pretty nearly equal, but Broomhall had slightly the best of it. Nothing was got by either side until they changed ends at half time, and then the Broomhall, having a slight advantage, in both the ground and wind, succeeded in getting a rouge, and soon after got another from a free kick. In the match, Norton v Mechanics, at Norton, J. Hadfield had the misfortune to get his collar one broken.” (Gave who won and lost, but no scores or lineups)

Sportsman 19/2/67 P.4:

1. The games to be played by twelve a side.
2. The games to commence punctually at three o'clock. No waiting for players allowed.
3. That each game be played one hour and a half, in the usual way, but if at the end of that time a draw takes place, the clubs again to toss for choice of goals, and play on, the first point scored to decide the game; but if after one hour's play the game still remains a draw, it is adjourned to Monday at three o'clock.
4. That for each match there be two umpires and one referee. The decision of the referee to be final.”

FIRST ROUND :

SAT FEB 16<sup>TH</sup> : Results taken from SDT 18/2/67 P.3 and 23/2/67 P.10

BROOMHALL 2 rouges PITSMOOR 0 (At Eccleshall Road, Broomhall)

Sportsman 21/2/67 P.4:

Pitsmoor: G. Fowler (Capt.), J. F. Bingham, J. Peck, G. Simpson, S. M. Walker, J. Clarke, G. Bradley, S. Heaton, E. Osborne, H. Peck, H. Fitter, G. Barnes.

Broomhall: C. Mills (Capt.), F. Hazlewood, John West, James West, J. Broadbent, S. Deakin, W. Ward, W. Furniss, W. Mills, S. Dungworth, J. White, J. Turton.

HALLAM 2 goals and 2 rouges HEELEY 1 rouge (At Sandygate, Hallam)

NORFOLK 2 goals and 4 rouges FIR VALE 0 (At Norfolk Park)

Sportsman 21/2/67 P.4:



Norfolk:J.Roberts(Capt.),H.Cauthorne,J.Pashley,J.P.Dowson,J.Pring,G.H.Proctor,  
J.Wildblood,T.Bell,T.Goodwin,T.Grayson,C.Marshall,G.Rodgers.

Fir Vale:W.Ulyett(Capt.),J.W.Gillatt,E.Ince,W.Jarvis,H.Clarke,W.Barraclough,S.Walter,  
R.Otley,W.Green,B.Otley,J.R.Gorrill,A.Bagshaw.

MILTON 2 goals and 5 rouges WELLINGTON 0 (At Orphanage,Cremorne Ground)

MACKENZIE 1 goal and 1 rouge GARRICK 0(At Orphanage ,Cremone Ground)

NORTON 2 goals 6 rouges UNITED MECHANICS 0 (At Norton)

SECOND ROUND:

SAT FEB 23<sup>RD</sup> :

NORFOLK 1 (J.P.Donovan) BROOMHALL 0 ( F.T. 0-0 Goal scored in extra time) (At Norfolk Park)

Sporting Life 27/2/67 P.3:/Sportsman 28/2/67 P.4:

SM:"The game commenced punctually at three o'clock.Norfolk winning the toss for choice of goals,decided to play downhill,the wind being against them.The strife now commenced in earnest ,both teams playing as if their lives depended on the match.Half time for changing goals was called without either club scoring,and after playing an hour and a half(the specified time) without scoring, the umpires tossed again for choice of goals.Norfolk again won the toss.Scarcely had they again commenced playing,when Mr J.P.Donovan,on behalf of the Norfolk Club,made a beautiful kick , securing a goal,therefore terminating one of the most exciting matches witnessed in Sheffield in favour of Norfolk."

N.B. Effectively this was a "golden goal' in extra time.

Norfolk:J.Roberts(Capt.),T. Sank Bell,J.Pashley,H.Cawthorne,J.Pring,J.P.Donovan, C.Marshall,  
J.Wildblood, G.Proctor,C.Grayson,T.Goodwin,G.Rodgers.

Broomhall:C.Mills(Capt.),John West,James West,J.Turton,J.Broadbent,W.Ward,W.Furness,  
W.Mills,G.Stanyard,C.Dodworth,S.Dungworth,F.Hazlewood.(SM has T.Broadbent)

NORTON 0 HALLAM 0 (after the full 2 ½ hours required by the Rules)

(Resumed on Monday Feb 25<sup>th</sup> at 3 o'clock) :Norfolk 0 Hallam 1 rouge(H.Ash)

Sportsman 28/2/67 P.4/Sporting Life 2/3/67 P.3(No lineups)/SDT 27/2/67 P.3:

SM:"The result of two and a half hours' hard play on Saturday was,that neither side had been able to score,a sufficient proof of the equality of the contest.According to the rules formed for the regulation of matches played for the Youdan's Cup,published in the Sportsman of the 19<sup>th</sup> inst.,play had to be renewed on Monday last,the 25<sup>th</sup>,at 3 p.m.After a second long-protracted fight,and another game as well contested as the first,the match was finally decided in favour of the Hallam by one rouge,cleverly scored by H.Ash."(SL "after an hour's very rough play")

Norton: F. Morton (Capt.), J. Linley, W. Jackson, J. Jackson, T. Birch, R. Kilner, S. Needham, H. Butterley, C. Mills, G. Osborne, John Shaw, James Shaw.

Hallam: J. C. Shaw (Capt.), H. Ash, W. Adsetts, J. Dale, J. Bradbury, G. Jones, T. Armitage, J. Bownes, S. Gilbert, A. Hobson, G. Elliott, H. Branwell (Goalkeeper)

Sheffield Independent 27/2/67 P.3: "THE YOUDAN FOOTBALL PRIZE-The match between Hallam and Norton which was adjourned from Saturday, was brought to a conclusion on Monday, in favour of Hallam, they succeeding after an hour of very rough play in scoring one rouge. The same evening the committee made arrangements for playing the two final matches as follows:- Hallam v Mackenzie, on Saturday next; the winner of the above, to be played, on Shrove Tuesday, by the Norfolk Club, for the prize, the latter having by good luck in the draw, been indulged with a walk over. Bramall Lane Ground has, we believe, been engaged for both matches."

MACKENZIE 1 rouge MILTON 0 (At the Orphanage): Sporting Life 2/3/67 P.3 (No lineups)

Sporting Life 2/3/67 P.3: "On the same evening (Mon Feb 25<sup>th</sup>) the committee made the arrangements for playing the two final matches as follows: Hallam v Mackenzie this day (Saturday). The winning club in this match will have to contend for the Cup on Shrove Tuesday against the Norfolk Club the latter having, by good luck in the draw, been indulged by a walk over. Bramall-lane Ground has, we believe, been engaged for both matches."

SEMI-FINALS:

NORFOLK, a bye

SAT MAR 2<sup>ND</sup>:

HALLAM 4 rouges MACKENZIE 0 (At Bramall Lane Ground)

Sportsman 7/3/67 P.3/Sporting Life 6/3/67 P.3/SDT 4/3/67 P.3:

SM: "These two clubs were the last two drawn together, the Norfolk men being indulged with a walkover. The contest, which was expected to be a very interesting one, took place on Saturday last, the 2<sup>nd</sup> inst., on the Bramall-lane Ground, the Hallam players, who were slightly the favourites, proving victorious by four rouges to nothing. The game was played throughout in a most energetic style, and perhaps never was there a contest more severe or a harder fight, several most unfortunate "spills" taking place amongst which was a rather serious accident which happened to a player of the Mackenzie Club. The Hallam players soon succeeded in obtaining a rouge, which after some further play they followed up with a second. Shortly after which "half time" was called, and goals were changed. The two teams now played up with renewed vigour. The Mackenzie men at one time threatened the Hallam goal, which was, however, saved in a rather lucky manner by Bramwell their goalkeeper. In spite of all the efforts made by the Mackenzieites they were not able to stay the onward course of the Hallam team, who eventually succeeded in obtaining two further rouges, and when time was called, victory remained with Hallam by four rouges to nothing. We have not received the names of the players." (i.e. no lineups)

SL: "From the commencement of the game the superiority of the Hallam Club was clearly apparent, its representatives being much fleet of foot and heavier than their opponents. The

Hallam players "up to half time" had succeeded in obtaining two rouges, and after ends had been changed they followed up their previous success by two further rouges. The game was well contested throughout, though the players seemed to care too much for charging, which often causes the sight of the ball to be entirely lost. The Mackenzie players almost succeeded in capturing their opponents' goal, the ball being kicked against the Hallam goalkeeper (Bramwell), off whom it rebounded. The most conspicuous player on either side appeared to us to be J. Marsh, who never missed a chance, and who appeared to us to be perfectly ubiquitous. We are sorry to have to record an accident which happened to one of the Mackenzie players (Linley Wright) who had his knee sprained so severely that he had to be assisted off the field." (No lineups)

FINAL : TUES MAR 5<sup>TH</sup> :

HALLAM 2 rouges (H. Ash, "Treacle") NORFOLK 0

Sportsman 12/3/67 P.4/Sporting Life 6/3/67 P.3/Bell's Life 9/3/67 P.9/\*Sheffield Independent 6/3/67 P.3/SDT 6/3/67 P.3/SDT 12/3/67 P.8 (No lineups in any of these papers):

\*Report reproduced on Page 20 of Early Sheffield Football, A Source Book, by Graham Curry

SM: "The final contest between these two clubs to decide the winner of the Cup was played on Tuesday last, the 5<sup>th</sup> inst., on the Bramall-lane Ground, when, after a hard fight, the Hallam players proved the victors by two rouges. The last struggle excited even more than ordinary interest among all football players, the spectators literally crowding all parts of the ground. The game proved vastly interesting, though the Norton players were not able to prevent the success gained by their opponents, who then won the cup by two rouges." (No lineups)

BL: "The Hallam and Norfolk Football Clubs played the final match for this prize at Bramall-Lane Cricket Ground, Sheffield, on Shrove Tuesday. The toss for choice of goals was won by Norfolk, who kicked with the wind, but were unable to score. After playing half time ends were changed, when it was soon evident the Hallamites had the game in their own hands. After half an hour's play the ball was kicked by Elliott, not through the goal, but just over it, and was touched down by Ash in splendid style, after running round two of his opponents before getting to the ball, thus securing a rouge. The Norfolk captain immediately kicked off, thus hoping to secure a goal for his side whilst his opponents were off their guard, but in their haste and confusion they left their goal unprotected, which was taken advantage of by one of the Hallam players securing another rouge, when time was called. Thus Hallam won, scoring two rouges to their opponents' nothing." (No lineups)

Sheffield Independent 6/3/67 P.3: "The Hallam and Norfolk Football Clubs met at Bramall Lane, yesterday to play off for this prize. The sides were very equal, both as to ability and size. Nothing was got up to half time, but after changing ends, and a short time before time was called, Hallam scored a rouge, the touch down being cleverly made by Ash, who is a fine sprinter. This riled their opponents, as they had only a few minutes more to play. Norfolk went in a bursty (?), and the players were floored in all directions. In doing this they exposed their goal and a player, to whom they have awarded the sweet name of "Treacle", secured a second rouge for Hallam, immediately after which time was called. As a whole the match was a capital one, and were they to play again, Hallam would only just have the call of choice. All played well, but more particularly, Dale, Donovan, and Ash. A vast concourse of spectators witnessed the match. We should think upward of 2,000."

N.B. Sheffield Independent 9/3/67 P.10 reports that Hallam won by 1 rouge only

SL: "The final game between the Hallam and Norfolk Clubs was played yesterday (Tuesday) at the Bramall-lane Ground, in the presence of about 2,000 spectators, who took the greatest interest in the match. After a severe struggle Hallam eventually won the cup by two rouges."

SECOND PRIZE MATCH: Sat Mar 9<sup>th</sup> :

NORFOLK 1 rouge MACKENZIE 0

Sporting Life 13/3/67 P.4/SDT 12/3/67 P.8 (No teams):

SL: "It having been arranged to provide a prize for the second in this competition, the Norfolk and Mackenzie clubs met on Saturday last to play for the same. There was not the amount of public interest for this as in previous matches; nevertheless, it was quite as well contested as the best of the others. Each side, in turn, appeared to have the best of the game, but eventually Norfolk won by one rouge, they having scored that point very early in the game. Roberts and Marshall played well on the Norfolk side; for Mackenzie, Marsh stuck well to his work, and was ably seconded by Broomhead and others. The ground was in a very heavy and greasy state from the late rains and snow."

Norfolk: J. Roberts (Capt.), T.S. Bell, J. Pashley, J.P. Donovan, H. Cauthorne, T. Goodwin, C. Grayson, C. Marshall, J. Wildblood, G. Rodgers, G. Proctor, J. Simmonite.

Mackenzie: W. Wright, T. Jenkinson, J. Marsh, J. Ellin, J. Broomhead, T. Hodgkinson, M. Hodgkinson, C. Webster, H. Packard, T. Rycroft, E. Birkhead, Bramall.

SAT MAR 16<sup>th</sup> :

HALLAM CLUB :

Sheffield Independent 23/3/67 : "The closing match of the Hallam Club was played at Sandygate, on Saturday. Sides were chosen by Messrs Adsetts and Lee. The game was continued for about an hour and a half (the new rules of the Sheffield Football Association were played), after which a substantial dinner was provided for the players and friends at the Plough Inn, to which ample justice was done. After the cloth was drawn, and the usual loyal and patriotic toasts were given, the silver cup, given by Mr Youdan, and won by the Hallam men, was presented to the club by Mr J.C. Shaw, on behalf of the players. The health of Mr Youdan was given with musical honours, and the evening spent in an agreeable manner."

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WESTMINSTER SCHOOL team for 1867/68: H. Curteis, E.S.L. Randolph, G.H. Lee, E. Giles, F.S. Haden, F.A. O'Brien, F.N. Saunders, H.G. Barron, W. Basham, W.C. Lefroy, J.C. Smith.

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL team for 1867-68: C.E.B. Nepean (Capt.), W. Wallace, E.E. Venables, E.A. Hammick, F.G. Paulson, R. Dunn, F.F. Brown, A.F. Russell, T.C. Hooman, H.J. Almond, C.C. Boyle.

ETON COLLEGE Field team for 1867: J.R. Sturgis, W.C. Calvert (Keepers), T. McClintock-Bunbury, M. Horner, T.F. Warburton, C. Tait, C.J. Thornton, F.J. Patton, H. Lees, J.M. Carr-Lloyd, R. Russell.

SAT SEPT 28<sup>TH</sup> :

C.C.C. 0 WANDERERS 2 (C.F.Reid,P.Rhodes)(At Clapham)(Association Rules)

Field 5/10/67 P.277/Pall Mall Gazette 30/9/67 P.7:

PMG:"The Wanderers inaugurated the football season of 1867-1868 on Saturday last,the 28<sup>th</sup> inst.,with a match against the C.C.C. on Clapham-common.The weather was rather warm for football,but the game was carried on with unceasing energy throughout.The Wanderers won the toss,and elected to kick from the upper goal,with a slight breeze in their favour.For the first half-hour the match was very evenly contested,neither side being able to obtain any advantage until a lucky kick by C.F.Reid proved successful in reducing the Clapham goal.The two sides then changed goals,and the superior play of the Wanderers became more apparent as time progressed,the Clapham men being besieged in their goal until just before five o'clock,the time appointed for retiring,a second goal was scored for the Wanderers by P.Rhodes,which decided the match in favour of the rovers by two goals to none.For the Wanderers-C.L.Tupper,G.G.Kennedy,and (J.)Kirkpatrick played well;for the C.C.C.,P.Stainforth,J.E.Tayloe,and C.C.Dacre."

CCC:J.E.Tayloe,C.C.Dacre,C.Davidson,H.Dealty,E.Edwards,R.Hanbury,C.Roxby,F.B.Soden,P.Stainforth,A.Townsend,P.Turner.

Wanderers:C.A.Alcock,G.G.Kennedy,J.C.Ker,J.Kirkpatrick,C.F.Reid,P.Rhodes,C.M.Tebbut,P.M.Thornton,R.C.Thornton,R.M.Thornton,C.L.Tupper.

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL Match: Eleven 4(E.E.Venables,C.Taylor,C.E.B.Nepean ,"general charge of the whole side") Twenty 0

Sportsman 1/10/67 P.1:

Eleven:J.A.Foote(Capt.),C.E.B.Nepean,W.Wallace,E.E.Venables,E.A.Hammick, H.J.Almond, R.Dunn,C.Taylor,C.C.Boyle,F.G.Paulson,A.F.Clark.

Twenty:J.M.Russell,W.Matthews,F.K.Povah,A.Russell,J.Inglis,W.Hulton,C.Matthews,E.Allan, T.C.Hooman,W.Walford,Poynder,F.Brown,H.J.Richmond,T.Huxley,A.Lloyd,J.P.Kingscote,A.R.Connell, Phillips,F.R.Byng,Pattinson.

MON SEPT 30<sup>TH</sup> :

Pall Mall Gazette 30/9/67 : "A meeting of the Football Association will be held this afternoon at five o'clock,to consider the most desirable plans for the extension of the game during the present season."

PMG 1/10/67 P.7:"A meeting of the committee of the Football Association was held yesterday afternoon at 3,King's Bench-walk,Temple.The following members were present:Mr E.C.Morley, President,Mr W.J.Cutbill,and Mr C.W.Alcock.After a long discussion it was at last resolved to postpone the contemplated county match,Middlesex v Surrey and Kent,until later in the season to allow more time for the secretaries of clubs to forward a full list of players desirous of taking part in the proposed series of county matches.A number of clubs had already signified approval of the rules of the association as revised at the end of last season,and from the satisfactory nature of the

communications which had been lately received from various quarters on the subject of the new rules, the committee were justified in expecting a successful reward of their efforts in behalf of football. The first of the series of county matches, contemplated to take place at intervals during the present season, will doubtless be played in the middle of October, and due notice will be given of the fixture."

WED OCT 2<sup>ND</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL Match :

First XI 4 Next 7 with 4 Strangers 0

Sportsman 3/10/67 P.4/Westminster School Football Ledger:

SM: "The game resulted in a very hollow victory for the Eleven, who obtained four goals to their opponents' none, a victory attributable partly to the beefy state of the strangers, and partly to the feeble assistance which their exertions received from the attendant Seven."

Eleven: H. Curteis (Capt.), E. S. L. Randolph, J. C. Smith, G. H. Lee, F. N. Saunders, E. Giles, F. Haden, W. C. Lefroy, D. Williams, J. Neill, (R. W.) S. Vidal.

Next Seven with Four Strangers: M. ? Dasent, H. Rawson, H. (E.) Rawson, H. Dixon, T. Wakley, H. Ellis, R. Curteis, + C. W. Alcock, + W. J. Dixon, + H. R. Du Pré, + J. E. Tayloe. + Strangers

SAT OCT 5<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS 2 (W. J. Dixon, J. E. Tayloe) OLD HARROVIANS 2 (E. E. Bowen, R. C. Thornton) (At Battersea Park) ("FA Rules in established form. Therefore can play")

N.B. This game replaced the Middlesex v Kent and Surrey match because of the unavailability of several of the best players for that match.

N.B. C. E. Nepean had an accident and was unable to play

Field 12/10/67 P.301/Sportsman 8/10/67 P.4:

SM: "The original fixture, Middlesex v Surrey and Kent, having been postponed till later in the month, a match between the above clubs was substituted for Saturday last, the 5<sup>th</sup> inst., at Battersea Park. Everything was in favour of a good game, the weather was as cold as could be desired, and the wind blew as frosty and keen as in the depths of winter. Battersea Park, by some special law, seems always to be afflicted with a severe breeze, and on this occasion it did not belie its character. The toss was won by the Old Harrovians, who commenced to kick from the goal adjoining the river. At first the superiority was with the Wanderers, the rovers taking to their work more quickly than their opponents, who seemed at first unable to get the ball out of the long grass, which caused the ground to be unusually slippery and heavy for going. The Old Harrovians, however, in spite of their apparent weakness, played up in good style until a very good run up by A. Baker, backed up by a well-aimed kick from the toe of W. J. Dixon, effected the fall of the Harrow goal. The ball was soon again kicked off, and with the change of goals the Old Harrovians seemed to improve in form, the dribbling and charging of R. C. Thornton being especially conspicuous, and seriously endangering the rovers' goal which was

destined to fall, for some good play on the part of C.L. Tupper and R.M. Thornton carried the ball down the whole length of the ground, immediately in front of the hostile goal, and a general scrimmage ensued, which, aided by the kicking of E.E. Bowen, resulted disastrously for the Wanderers. Again the goals were changed, and each side began with increased vigour. The Old Harrovians, however, showed in better form than their opponents, in the latter part of the game, their backing up being the most noticeable feature of the last half hour's play. The ball seemed determined to hug the neighbourhood of the rovers' goal, which was subject to a constant fire from the Old Harrovians, led by E.E. Bowen, C.L. Tupper, and E.C. Thornton, of whom the last mentioned, after many futile efforts, was at last successful in obtaining a second success for the Harrow team. Inspired by the conviction that there were but a few minutes left, to retrieve their late reverse, the Wanderers began to play more desperately, and their exertions were at last rewarded by an excellent opportunity which fell to the lot of J.E. Tayloe, who seized it to obtain a second goal for the Wanderers. Two goals to each side when time was called, and the match a tie. Thus ended a well contested game, which would have been doubtless more enjoyable had the ground been in better order. Amongst the Old Harrovians we noticed the play of R.C. Thornton and E.E. Bowen as being especially good; for the Wanderers, J.E. Tayloe, J. Kirkpatrick, and A. Baker were most prominent."

Wanderers: C.M. Tebbut, A. Baker, W.J. Dixon, S.T. Holland, J. Kirkpatrick, F.B. Soden, J.E. Tayloe, J. Rivett-Carnac, W.J.C. Cutbill (Absent), A. Lloyd (Absent), H. Lloyd (Absent).

Old Harrovians: C.W. Alcock, J.F. Alcock, E.E. Bowen, D. Rhodes, A. Thompson, R.C. Thornton, R.M. Thornton, C.L. Tupper, H.G. Phipps (Absent), R. Stephenson (Absent), C.W. Weber (Absent).

WED OCT 9<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1 (E.S.L. Randolph) AVENGERS 3 (F. Pownall, J.E. Tayloe, C.W. Alcock)  
(At Vincent Square)

N.B. Avengers formed just before the end of the 1866/67 Season

Field 12/10/67/Sportsman 10/10/67 P.4/Pall Mall Gazette 10/10/67:

F: "A dull, heavy looking sky, and a persistent downfall of rain, showing no symptoms of abatement, presented a very unpropitious prospect for the opening match, which the Westminsters had settled for this day. The heaviest weather, however, has now but little effect on football players, and the strangers made their appearance in good numbers, taking into consideration the cheerless aspect of the square, and the great difficulty always experienced in playing on turf the surface of which has been exposed to any recent moisture. The Avengers, who sprang into life just before the close of last season, were represented by a weighty and formidable team, and proved themselves too strong for an Eleven containing so many untried colts as that which bore the Westminster colours on this occasion. At three o'clock the game was commenced by the Westminster captain, the boys, who had been lucky enough to win the choice of goals, kicking from the lower end nearest the lodge. At first the fight exhibited but little spirit or energy, the players being unable apparently to turn, kick, or guide the ball with any degree of certainty, and sliding was more the order of the day than quick play. The Avengers were the first to show any signs of accommodating themselves to their unpleasant position, and the contest began to confine itself to the more immediate neighbourhood of the School goal, which was placed in a state of siege by the strangers, who at last seized the opportunity of a shot at

goal, which fell to F. Pownall from the centre of a general charge in front of the posts, to secure a first triumph. With the change of goals, the boys, by means of a united rush, carried the ball down to the territory of the Avengers, from which it seemed unwilling to depart, as each attempt of the hostile team only resulted in its being at once returned by the School back, W.C. Lefroy. Success at last smiled on the energetic efforts of the boys, who, owing to an accidental slip on the part of J. Kirkpatrick, were able to witness the fall of the Avengers' goal, which was chiefly due to some excellent play on the part of E.S.L. Randolph. Again the ball was started; the Westminsters encouraged by the victorious result of their late charge, played together in better style, and there appeared a very good chance of another goal crowning their exertions, as they kept their opponents for some time well on the defensive; but the strangers getting well hold of the ball, a very good run down by F. Pownall and +J.E. Tayloe, with some well-judged backing up by W.J. Dixon, resulted in another goal to the score of the Avengers. Time was now almost up, but the strangers were not yet content, for a good run down by C.W. Alcock succeeded in reducing the School goal for the third time, just as the game was on the point of termination. The Westminsters are an inferior team to that which represented them at the commencement of last season, but they were playing on this occasion under great disadvantages, so we must hope for better things. An eleven containing so many (young) players requires much coaching, and we would recommend their advisers to instill in their minds the utility of charging, which most of their team seem now completely to overlook. The goal keeping of their two backs is certainly the best feature in their game, but they want a little more union in their forward play. For the School, J.C. Smith, G.H. Lee, and D. Williams showed some useful style; while for the Avengers, W.J. Dixon and J.E. Tayloe worked hard and well."

SM: "Once more the ball was thrown up in the air, and now the Avengers following up seemed to grow a little brisker, the three Old Westminsters, J.E. Tayloe, W.J. Dixon, and F. Pownall working for the whole side, and backing each other up in good form; a fast run down by J.E. Tayloe and F. Pownall, and a well-directed side-kick from the former, had the effect of a second time reducing the School goal. The Avengers, however, were not yet satisfied, and they commenced again to besiege the hostile goal, which fell for the third time just before time was called, after a good run down, to the foot of C.W. Alcock." +It appears that under Westminster Rules the ball was thrown up after each goal as well as at the start of the game.

+PMG: ".....the winning kick being made by J.E. Tayloe"

Westminster School: H. Curteis (Capt.), E.S.L. Randolph, G.H. Lee, J.C. Smith, W.C. Lefroy, J.V. Neill, F.S. Haden, D. Williams, H. Barron, E. Giles, F.A. O'Brien, (R.W.) S. Vidal. (12)

Avengers: C.W. Alcock, E.C. Bovill, J.R. Dasent, W.J. Dixon, S.T. Holland, J.C. Ker, J. Kirkpatrick, P. Norman, F. Pownall, R. Curteis, J.E. Tayloe, C.L. Tupper (Absent) (12 but 1 absent): R. Curteis played for E.C. Bovill: WSFL

THURS OCT 10<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 1 (C.W. Walker) OLD HARROVIANS 0 (At Harrow) (Founder's Day match)

Field 12/10/67 P.301/Sportsman 12/10/67 P.3/Pall Mall Gazette 11/10/67 P.7/+Bell's Life 12/10/67 P.7/+Morning Post 11/10/67 P.6:(+Both have some wrong initials)



F: "This contest, which owes its origin to the energy of E.E. Bowen Esq., who planned and managed the whole affair, proved a decided success; and we sincerely trust, with its promoters, that match of Past and Present on Founder's Day may become an annual fixture. No better day could have been chosen, for the weather was a delicious change after the rain that fell at (Harrow) on the previous day. The sun remained in undisturbed possession of a cloudless sky; there was just enough wind to give a zest and spirit to the play, and the ground was, *mirabile dictu*, as dry and elastic as the turf of Vincent-square in fine weather. The number of players was limited to twelve a side, quite sufficient for the Harrow game, with the ground in good order; and the Old Harrovians having lost the toss, the match was commenced with a kick-off by the School captain, who had wisely elected to play from the upper goal, although it gave his opponents the benefit of the wind. The boys at once set to work, and the Old Harrovians, who played at first minus their goal-keeper, were compelled to remain strictly on the defensive, to resist the constant dashes of their adversaries, who played together in better form than we have witnessed at Harrow for some years. The speed of the School and their decided superiority in pace proved too much for the Old Boys, who appeared in very poor condition, and a series of catches and kicks at the lower goal was commenced, which owing to the inaccuracy of the School firing for some time proved entirely unsuccessful, some easy shots within a few yards of the poles being badly missed. It was evidently, however, only a matter of time, for the Boys kept their opponents completely penned in their own goal, which at last fell to a long kick from the toe of the School captain. No further result was obtained by either side, though the Old Boys' goal just escaped a second reverse, from a very good catch and kick by F. Carlisle, the ball just passing over the pole, and when time was called at 3.45, the match terminated in a victory for the School by one goal to none. A more spirited and interesting match it has never been our lot to witness, though the better practice and superior pace of the Boys proved too much for their less trained opponents, who worked, however, in very good style throughout, the forward play of J.A. Cruickshank being especially fine. For the School, S.W. Gore was most energetic, while B. Broadmead and W. Law were occasionally brilliant. For the Old Harrovians, W.B. Money, R.C. Thornton, and H.F. Pelham, played throughout the game with great judgment."

N.B. Harrow missed a 2<sup>nd</sup> goal at the end "following a catch and kick by F. Carlisle"

PMG: "After the termination of the match, Dr Butler, the head master, hospitably received about forty Old Harrovians at dinner."

Harrow School: C.W. Walker (Capt.), S.W. Gore, F. Carlisle, S. Carlisle, R. Ord, J. Parsons, A. Tabor, E.A. Magor, W. Law, M. Watney, A.W. Welch, J.B. Broadmead.

Old Harrovians: E.E. Bowen, C.W. Alcock, F.R.R. Broughton, J.A. Cruickshank, W.O. Hewlett, G.G. Kennedy, W.B. Money, J.H. Morgan, H.F. Pelham, H. Richardson, R.C. Thornton, C.L. Tupper.

FRI OCT 11<sup>TH</sup> :

ROYAL ENGINEERS Opening Match (At Outer Lines, Chatham):

BLOKES 0 ESTABLISHMENT 0 :

Bell's Life 19/10/67 P.2:

BL: "Owing to the unavoidable absence of several very efficient members the number of players on each side was remarkably small."

Blokes: Capt. F.A. Marindin (Capt.), Lieut Sir A. Mackworth Bart., Major Edwards, Lieut W. Merriman, Lieut. B. Blood, Lieut E. Stephens, Lieut. A.R. Puzey, Lieut. W.B. Hurst.

Establishment: Lieut. F.P. Washington, Lieut B.R. Pulford, Lieut. E.C. Fanshawe, Lieut. J. Brown, Lieut Purcell, Lieut Morris, Lieut Kensington, Lieut Denison.

SAT OCT 12<sup>TH</sup> :

FOREST SCHOOL 1 (H.C. Shuttleworth) WANDERERS 1 (R.M. Thornton) (At Walthamstow)

Field 19/10/67 P.326/Sporting Gazette 19/10/67:

F: "The first match this season between the above clubs was played on the School Ground, at Walthamstow, on Saturday, the 12<sup>th</sup> inst., and resulted in a tie, one goal having been obtained by each side. The Wanderers lost the toss, and at 3.45 the ball was kicked off by the rovers, who were playing uphill from the lower goal. Soon after the commencement of the game the Wanderers began to besiege the School goal, which had one or two narrow escapes, until at last R.C. Thornton, by rather a lucky kick, succeeded in directing the ball into the desired space. After the change of goals the Wanderers were for some time deprived of the services of R.C. Thornton, who retired with a damaged finger; but still the game was continued with great vigour, the Foresters warming to their work, and playing up in better style. Soon after his return R.C. Thornton made a splendid run down, which, with the assistance of good backing up, and a judicious kick by G.G. Kennedy, secured the second fall of the School goal; but the Wanderers' claim was not allowed in consequence of Kennedy's being "offside". Shortly after this disputed goal, the Foresters, who had been gradually working the ball down to their opponents' territory, succeeded in achieving their first success, from a goal which was kicked for them by H.C. Shuttleworth. The ball was once more kicked off, and for the rest of the game the Foresters kept their opponents well employed in defending their goal. Time was called at 5.45, and as no further score had been obtained by either team, the match terminated in a draw. The Foresters, who have lately adopted the association rules, play in very good style, and, although they have only four of their last year's team left in the school, they give every promise of rivalling the deeds of their predecessors, who, it will doubtless be remembered, during the whole of last season's campaign, never suffered a single defeat. For the Wanderers, R.C. Thornton, R.M. Thornton, and G.G. Kennedy exhibited the best style; while for the Foresters, H. Tubb and J.C. Cotton were the most conspicuous."

Forest School: H. Tubb (Capt.), E. Titley, T.H. Gascoigne, W.E. Gascoigne, H. Longshaw, H.C. Shuttleworth, J.C. Cotton, S.H. Carver, E.T. Gardom, R.H. Beauchamp, F.J. Poole.

Wanderers: C.M. Tebbut (Capt.), T.L. Brown, G.G. Kennedy, A. Lloyd, H. Lloyd, C.F. Reid, P. Rhodes, E.H.S.J. Shelton, R.C. Thornton, R.M. Thornton, H. Worrall.

CLAPHAM GRAMMAR SCHOOL 4 C.C.C. 0

Sportsman 15/10/67 P.4:

SM: "It may be seen from the above list that the C.C.C. were not playing in very strong form, and the absence of several of their men did not tend to improve the aspect of the game. It was not until half-past four that the ball was kicked off from the school end, and, after one or two rushes on the part of the boys, and two or three scrimmages, in which the ball was finally dragged out by one of the members of the School, who started off with it under his arm, and after a short run, kicked it between the posts of the strangers. This performance was repeated two or three times within the next half hour, when the arrival of three more of the C.C.C. materially changed the aspect of affairs, for, after this, no other goal was scored by either side, although the C.C.C., having fallen more into the rules (to describe which would be impossible), played up in better form, and once or twice were within an ace of securing a goal. The game was terminated by an accident which occurred to Mr Phillip Stainforth, who received a severe contusion on his right leg. The School were victorious by four goals to none.

We would strongly advise the School to relinquish playing a game which seems to be a jumble of all the football rules in England; let them adopt the dribbling or the running game, and then their matches will be without those disputes which are so disagreeable to all true lovers of football.

J.E. Tayloe, the captain of the C.C.C., played well for his side until he was disabled, and was fairly backed up by his brother, E. Tayloe, and by P. Stainforth. \*Mr C.C. Dacre showed more aptitude for dribbling than any of his comrades, and with practice will turn out to be a first-rate player; several others of the School team manifested great skill in butting, which is apt to disconcert those not accustomed to that scientific display of skill." \* He played in the County match on 2/11/67 :see below

Clapham Grammar School: C.J. Stansfield, C.C. Dacre, C. Gwatkin, R. Orr, H. Spitta, F. Cunningham, B. Bainbridge, H. Darwyn, W. Frere, M.A. Wargan, J. Ruck, C. Mann.

C.C.C. : J.E. Tayloe (disabled), J.C. Ker, P. Stainforth (disabled), P. Turner, H.M. Dealtry (very late), A. Duthie (very late), S. Field, E. Tayloe (damaged), A. Townsend, W.J. Dixon (couldn't run)

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 6 (Walker 3, J.W.B. Laurie, 2 "Rushes") MERCHANT TAYLORS SCHOOL 0

Chelmsford Chronicle 18/10/67 P.3:

CC: "On Saturday the first 16 of Brentwood School commenced their football season with a match against the first 16 of Merchant Taylor's School. The latter having won the toss, a place kick from the centre of the ground was given, but it was soon plain that the Brentwoods were by far the stronger team, for although the Merchant Taylors tried hard to protect their goal, it was captured six times in less than an hour and a half. Three of the goals were well kicked by Walker, and admirable forward player, and one by J.W.B. Laurie who distinguished himself by his good back play, the other two being gained by rushes, for the Brentwoods played capitally together, and well deserved the victory."

Brentwood: A.E. Francis (Capt.), Branfoot, Bunbury, Burgess, Dodd, Hacon, Holden, Laurie, P. Morgan, S. Morgan, S. Mumford, Nash, Ogilvie, Reed, St Quintin, Walker.

Merchant Taylor's : J. Shetton (Capt.), Alford, Brown, Coxhead, Dobbie, Christie, Gachers, Gregory, Hickin, Sarle, Steele, Stephens, Stockdale, Smith, Frevitt, Wells.

ETON COLLEGE (1 rouge:Carr-Lloyd) A.F.KINNAIRD'S XI 0 (FIELD GAME)

Pall Mall Gazette 14/10/67 P.7/Sportsman 15/10/67 P.4/Sporting Gazette 19/10/67/Eton College Chronicle 17/10/67 P.353:

Eton:J.R.Sturgis(Capt.),W.C.Calvert,T.Mc Clinton-Bunbury,J.M.Horner,E.Warburton,  
C.Tait,C.J.Thornton,R.Patton,J.M.Carr-Lloyd,G.J.Courthope,H.Lees.

A.F.Kinnaird's XI :A.F.Kinnaird(Capt.),C.W.Alcock,H.C.Bonsor,S.D.Headlam,Quentin Hogg, A.Locke,  
E.Lubbock, E.A.Owen,H.Weatherhead,and H.Reade and H.T.Hope (Emergencies).(B.Hope?)

MON OCT 14<sup>TH</sup> :

Meeting decided details of the Middlesex v Kent and Surrey game at Morley's King's Bench Chambers.

WED OCT 16<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 6 (C.E.B.Nepean 4,J.A.Foote 2) AVENGERS 0 (At Under Green,Charterhouse)

Field 19/10/67 P.326/Sportsman 17/10/67 P.4/Pall Mall Gazette 17/10/67/Sporting Gazette 19/10/67:

F."The opening match of the Carthusian season was played on Wednesday last,the 16<sup>th</sup> inst.,when the boys were opposed by a rather weak team of Avengers,who suffered a most inglorious defeat by six goals to none.A match at Under Green is always attended with considerable interest,more especially of late years,as the Carthusians have lately secured for themselves a position among football clubs equalled by few,and excelled by none.From this first contest it will be seen that the present generation of Carthusians give promise of rivalling the deeds of their predecessors,who it will be remembered preserved their colours through last year's unusually severe campaign untarnished by defeat.At about 2.45 the ball was started by a kick off from the centre of the ground,and with this commencement the two sides entered into the fray with great energy,the strangers using their weight at first to some effect.This was,however,but a momentary advantage,for,after the first rush the boys seemed to settle down into a more determined style of play,and the ball was soon carried down into the neighbourhood of the Avengers' goal,which was but feebly defended,until a united run down of the boys,and a general scrimmage just in front of the post, resulted in the first reverse of the Avengers,whose goal fell to the lot of C.E.B.Nepean.After their first success the Carthusians appeared to play more briskly,and their backing up was so superior to the play exhibited by their adversaries,that a second goal,kicked by J.A.Foote,was soon added to their previous score.From this point till the termination of the game the boys completely besieged the Avengers' goal,which was reduced afterwards three times by C.E.B.Nepean,and once by J.A.Foote.We must give all praise to the Carthusians who,for a first match,played in wonderfully effective style,and we must congratulate their captain on his fortune in possessing such a promising team.Their forward play is excellent,C.C.Boyle,E.E.Venables,and A.F.Clarke being the most conspicuous,while C.Taylor in time will doubtless prove a most effective goal-keeper.Nepean is as good as ever which will fully express to all who have ever witnessed the matches on Under Green his present form;while J.A.Foote and W.Wallace have lost none of the excellence for which they were so

distinguished last season. For the Avengers, whose defeat may chiefly be attributed to the absence of an attempt at goal-keeping, the most prominent performers were J. Rigden, A. F. Kinnaird, and Lord E. Fitzmaurice. The Carthusians, we were sorry to notice, have not materially altered their objectionable rule of throwing the ball from touch into play along the ground. Kicking it into the centre of the ground avoids all that unnecessary "fiddling" about the sides, which often results in the speedy return of the ball once more into "touch".

Charterhouse School: J. A. Foote (Capt.), C. E. B. Nepean, W. Wallace, E. E. Venables, E. A. Hammick, H. J. Almond, R. Dunn, C. C. Boyle, F. G. Paulson, A. F. Clarke, C. Taylor (Goalkeeper)

Avengers: C. W. Alcock, W. J. Dixon, G. Durnford, Lord E. Fitzmaurice, F. Pownall, J. Rigden, J. Taylor, C. M. Tebbut, A. F. Kinnaird, R. C. Thornton (Substitute), R. M. Thornton (Substitute)

THURS OCT 17<sup>TH</sup> :

ETON COLLEGE 10 shies LORD E. FITZMAURICE'S TEAM 0 (At the Wall, Eton)

Sportsman 19/10/67 P.4/Field 19/10/67 P.326/Eton College Chronicle 31/10/67 P.357:

Eton: F. E. Armistead, + B. Entwistle, + H. Wodehouse, walls; + T. K. Mc Clintock-Bunbury, W. C. Calvert, seconds; J. H. D. Goldie, third; J. R. Sturgis, fourth; H. Freeth, line; M. Horner, flying-man; C. J. Thornton, long behind; J. Maude, goals. + ECC Initials

N. B. T. G. Tindal was unable to play

Lord Fitzmaurice's Team: C. W. Alcock, R. V. Somers-Smith, A. F. Kinnaird, walls; E. Hamilton, J. Rigden, seconds; W. D. Benson, third; W. Hoare, fourth; Lord E. Fitzmaurice, line; + T. J. P. Carter, flying-man; C. H. Parry, long behind; E. A. Owen, goals. + ECC Initials

FRI OCT 18<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 2 (R. Curteis, H. Barron) J. KIRKPATRICK'S TEAM 2 ("general charge in front of the posts", C. W. Alcock) (At Vincent Square)

Field 19/10/67 P.326/Sportsman 19/10/67 P.4/Pall Mall Gazette 19/10/67 P.9/Bell's Life 26/10/67 P.9/Westminster School Football Ledger:

F: "The game was commenced at 3.15, the Westminsters kicking from the goal nearest the lodge. The two sides were most evenly matched, as for some minutes the ball was kept strictly in the centre of the ground, and it was some time before any advantage was apparent to either team. The Westminsters, whose arrangement of back-players has been altered since their first contest, have been showing better style, with their late practice, and they well deserved the goal which was soon kicked for them by R. Curteis, after one of the best runs we have witnessed this season. On the change of goals the strangers seemed bent on retrieving their late reverse; and they began gradually to press on the boys, whose goal was on several occasions splendidly saved by J. Neill, who certainly occupies his right position in the Eleven, and gives promise of becoming, with care, a first-class goal keeper. Some time elapsed, however, before the united exertions of the strangers took effect, and it was not until the ball, kicked by one of the Westminsters bounded back from the body of an opponent through the posts, that they achieved any score. With the game once more equalised the play

became more exciting as every player strove to secure some advantage for his side, and the ball visited the goal lines of the two teams without any decisive result, until H. Barron, after a short run, succeeded in once more landing it between the goal posts of the strangers. Again the ball was thrown into the air, and several dashing charges on the School goal were met with a brilliant resistance by the goal keeper, who in the most wonderful manner preserved his goal from a united and well-executed run down by P. Norman, E. Norman, and C. W. Alcock, which, however, was quickly followed by another unaided run by C. W. Alcock, who this time succeeded in securing second goal for the strangers, who thus finished the match in a draw. The Westminsters, we were glad to see, showed much better style in their forward play, and we think they will, as the season progresses, grow into a good team. The chief point in which they need improvement is in their back play, which is not half so energetic as we could wish, and in which they must constantly progress to hope for any success with their Carthusian rivals."

N.B. PG has R. S. Brown in JK team not Westminster team as in SM.

Westminster School: H. Curteis (Capt.), E. S. L. Randolph, G. H. Lee, J. C. Smith, F. S. Haden, J. Neill (Goal), H. Barron, F. A. O'Brien, + R. (W.) S. Vidal, R. Curteis, E. Giles. + WSFL has F. N. Saunders for R. (W.) S. Vidal

J. Kirkpatrick's Team: J. Kirkpatrick (Capt.) (Civil Service), J. Rivett-Carnac, R. Babington, C. L. Tupper, C. M. Tebbut, A. Thompson, C. W. Alcock, E. Norman, P. Norman, E. Freeth, \*J. E. Wearne (Absent).

\*R. Stephenson is listed as 11<sup>th</sup> man in BL

ETON COLLEGE 1 goal (converted from a rouge by C. Tait) and 2 rouges J. Russell, C. Tait)  
LORD FITZMAURICE'S TEAM 1 rouge (A. F. Kinnaird) (In the Field, Eton) (Field game)

Eton College Chronicle 7/11/67 P. 361/Sportsman 19/10/67/ P. 4/Pall Mall Gazette 19/10/67  
P. 9 (Some different initials):

Eton: J. R. Sturges (Capt.), W. C. Calvert, E. Warburton, C. Tait, M. Horner, T. K. Mc Clintock-Bunbury, C. J. Thornton, R. Patton, J. M. Carr Lloyd, + R. Russell, H. Lees.

Lord Fitzmaurice's team: Lord E. Fitzmaurice (Capt.), Rev. G. R. Dupuis, E. T. Durnford, J. Elliott, W. Hoare, S. Harvey, A. F. Kinnaird, C. H. Parry, Hon. F. G. Pelham, J. Rigden, W. C. Selwyn.

SAT OCT 19<sup>TH</sup> : :

FOREST SCHOOL 4 (T. H. Gascoigne, H. Tubb, H. Longshaw, H. C. Shuttleworth)

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 1 (J. W. B. Laurie) (At Walthamstow)

Sportsman 22/10/67 P. 1/Sporting Gazette 26/10/67/Field 26/10/67 P. 342:

SM: "For the first half hour the game was very evenly contested, the Brentwoods, if anything, rather having the best of it. The Foresters then gradually drove their opponents back, and, after a good run down, a goal was obtained for them by a long kick of T. H. Gascoigne's. Upon sides being changed the game was again carried on very equally. Walker and Laurie made some excellent runs down for Brentwood, which, however, did not meet with the success they deserved. The Foresters then made a good rush up, and, after a general scrimmage in front of the Brentwood base, a second goal was kicked for them by H. Tubb. A third goal was soon after kicked by H. Longshaw. The ball was again started and taken down to the Foresters' base, and a rather lucky kick of Laurie's secured a goal for

Brentwood, the Foresters having carelessly neglected to send another base-keeper in the place of E.T. Gardom, who was disabled. The Foresters, with the aid of H.C. Shuttleworth, soon after obtained another goal, and at five o'clock time was called, the Foresters claiming the victory by four goals to one."

Forest School: H. Tubb (Capt.), E. Titley, T. H. Gascoigne, W. E. Gascoigne, H. Longshaw, H. C. Shuttleworth, J. C. Cotton, S. H. Carver, E. T. Gardom, R. H. Beauchamp, F. J. Poole.

Brentwood School: A. Francis (Capt.), H. S. Branfoot, E. Burgess, R. S. F. Walker, P. St Quintin, R. B. Read, S. Mumford, C. W. Dodd, J. W. B. Laurie, J. C. Bunbury, R. Ogilvie.

FOREST SCHOOL 2<sup>ND</sup> ELEVEN 5 (T. W. Crowther, C. B. Cotton (2), J. B. Ridgway, H. Worrall) BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 2<sup>ND</sup> ELEVEN 0 (SM 22/10/67 P.1)

BARNES 1 (W. Nettleship) CCC 0 (At Barnes)

Sportsman 24/10/67 P.1/Field 26/10./67 P.342/Sporting Gazette 26/10/67:

SM: "The game commenced at half-past three, and it was agreed that play should cease at half-past four; when that time came, however, neither side seemed to have had enough, so it was settled that time should be called at a quarter to five. During the first half hour the C.C.C.'s seemed to have slightly the best of it, the ball being generally near the goal of the B.F.C. After a goal had been kicked for Barnes by Nettleship ends were changed, and from that time till the termination of the game, though no more goals were obtained, the C.C.C.'s, who played two men short, had the worst of the contest, in spite of the good play of Messrs Turner, Urlwin, and Porter. For Barnes Messrs C. Boyle, J. K. Barnes, and C. Warren distinguished themselves."

Barnes: E. C. Morley, R. G. Graham, R. Courtenay, M. Roberts, A. Dunnage, W. Collins, C. Boyle, Luff, L. Karlake, S. Le B. Smith, J. K. Barnes, Warren, W. Nettleship, Poupard, J. Mossendew.

CCC: Turner, Dewthey, Urlwin, Taylor, A. Townsend, Porter, Hewitson, Gordon, J. C. Ker, B. Ker, Field, Eliot, C. Davison, H. Dealtry.

MON OCT 21<sup>ST</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL Match : School 3 (S. Carlisle, S. W. Gore, W. H. Rodwell) The Sixth 2 (J. Parsons, Pryor) (Sportsman Harrow Summary 14/1/68 P.4) (No report traced) (No Harrovian available)

SAT OCT 26<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 WANDERERS 1 (C. W. Alcock) (At Undergreen, Charterhouse)

Sportsman 29/10/67 P.3/Field 2/11/67 P.369/London City Press 2/11/67 P.7/Sporting Gazette 2/11/67/Bell's Life 2/11/67 P.10/Sporting Life 30/10/67 P.3/Pall Mall Gazette 28/10/67 P7:

F: "A match between these two old opponents, the second appearance of the Carthusians against a foreign team, took place on Under Green, on Saturday last, the 26<sup>th</sup> ult., which terminated in favour of the Wanderers by one goal to none. The spell has at last been broken, the School goal which has for such a length of time, to the credit of the boys be it said, bravely resisted all the desperate attacks by

armies of eager foes has at last been compelled to surrender, after one of the most plucky and determined uphill fights we have ever witnessed. The signal victory achieved by the Carthusians in their opening match afforded but few hopes of success for the various clubs who annually visit Under Green, and their defeat on this occasion will awaken a heavy feeling of disappointment in the breasts of their numerous admirers. After all the preliminaries had been settled the game was commenced at about a quarter to three o'clock, the ball being started from the centre of the ground by the captain of the Wanderers, who, by winning the toss, and electing to kick down towards the Goswell-road goal, gained the assistance of a rather strong wind which was blowing down straight from the cloister end, the Carthusians also playing under the double disadvantage of having the sun in their faces. For the first half hour there was no apparent advantage to either team, though the Wanderers, fully alive to the value of a good start, carried the ball at once down to the School goal, which they at times closely besieged. Many good rushes were made by the forward players of the two clubs, of whom C.E.B. Nepean and C.C. Boyle showed to most advantage for the School, and G.G. Kennedy for the Wanderers; but, in spite of all the determined efforts made by each side, the two goals still remained undisturbed. Gradually, however, the Wanderers began to press still more closely on their opponents' lines, which were not so well defended as usual, and, after many unsuccessful attempts, a favourable chance was given to C.W. Alcock, who got the ball from the middle of a scrimmage, and succeeded in driving it between the posts of the Carthusian goal. After the change of ends, in spite of the disadvantages under which the Wanderers, in their turn, were compelled to labour, and the extra lines of defence which they planted round their goal, the Carthusians did not fare any better than before, and towards the conclusion of the game they were unable, except by the occasionally brilliant runs of C.E.B. Nepean, to keep the ball away from the immediate neighbourhood of their goal. The Wanderers were also unsuccessful in making any further impression upon the territory of their opponents, and when time was called the match was declared in favour of the Wanderers by one goal. A more spirited and pluckily contested game it has ever been our fortune to witness; for, though defeated, the Carthusians were certainly not disgraced. They played throughout in all the form for which they have lately gained such a reputation, and they may attribute this their first reverse, to the too apparent superiority of speed exhibited by the Wanderers. They also suffered a severe loss by the absence of their regular goal keeper, W. Wallace, who was laid up in hospital. A marked improvement was visible in the play shown by the Wanderers in this match, their backing up was very good, and they appeared to play together as if more at home on the limited area of Under Green. For the School, E.E. Venables, C.C. Boyle, C.E.B. Nepean, and J. Taylor were most energetic in a losing cause. For the Wanderers, who on this occasion introduced a goal keeper (W.O. Hewlett) new to Charterhouse, the most conspicuous were G.G. Kennedy, R.M. Thornton, E.E. Bowen, and A. Baker."

Charterhouse: J.A. Foote (Capt.), C.E.B. Nepean, W. Wallace (J. Matthews), E.E. Venables, E.A. Hammick, H.J. Almond, R. Dunn, C.C. Boyle, F.G. Paulson, A.F. Clarke, J. Taylor.

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock, A. Baker, E.E. Bowen, W.O. Hewlett (Goal), G.G. Kennedy, E. Norman, P. Norman, C.F. Reid, C.M. Tebbut, P.M. Thornton, R.M. Thornton.

BARNES 0 WORLABYE HOUSE 0

Field 9/11/67 P.387/Bell's Life 9/11/67 P.9:

F/BL: "On the 26<sup>th</sup> of October the annual football match between Barnes Club and Worlabye House was played at Barnes, and the game, as in former years, was very exciting and close from the



beginning to the finish. For, notwithstanding the superior weight of the Barnes men, and the excellent play of Messrs Barnes, Nettleship, Willis, Collins, and Rhodes, the game terminated, after a severe contest, in a draw, neither side obtaining a goal. The Worlabye Club were greatly indebted to the skill and exertions of Messrs Witt, Stephenson, and C. Boyle, who were ably seconded by the "back-play" of Mr Antrobus."

Barnes: R. Willis, S. Le B. Smith, Barnes, A. Dunnafie, Nettleship, Holt, Roberts, Collins, Mossendew, Poupord, Rhodes, R. E. Courtenay.

Worlabye House: F. Stephenson, C. J. Boyle, E. Witt, J. Witt, Hon. R. F. Villiers, Hon. G. Montgomery, J. Dunbar, W. Coryton, Antrobus, E. Gaskell, J. M. Grant, C. V. Verelst.

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 1 (Nash) RED ROVERS 0

Chelmsford Chronicle 1/11/67 P.8: No teams)

CC: "This match was played last Saturday over the School ground, when the former won the toss, and with the advantage of the wind gained a goal in less than 10 minutes. After that the game was warmly contested for two hours with no further result, and the School thus scored their second victory this season by one goal to none. On their behalf Nash, Laurie, and Meggy did well, Nash kicking the only goal of the day. For the Rovers, T. F. Arthur and R. M. Straight played remarkably well throughout.

WANDERERS' TOUR AT CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY ("University Rules")

Sportsman 26/10/67 P.4: "On Monday next the Wanderers will commence a series of matches against the chief clubs and colleges at Cambridge. The Wanderers' team will be selected from the following: - C. W. Alcock, F. R. Broughton, Lord E. Fitzmaurice, C. A. Absolom, W. B. Money, H. H. Montgomery, G. G. Kennedy, L. Ogden, A. F. Kinnaird, O. S. Walford, K. Muir-Mackenzie, M. Muir-Mackenzie, P. M. Thornton."

MON OCT 28<sup>TH</sup> :

ETON CLUB 3 touch-downs (C. Cuthell 2, C. R. Alexander) WANDERERS 0 (At Trinity Cricket Ground)

Sportsman 29/10/67 P.3/Pall Mall Gazette 30/10/67 P.9/Field 2/11/67 P.368/Cambridge Chronicle 2/11/67 P.5/Sporting Gazette 2/11/67/Sporting Life 30/10/67 P.3:

CC: "Eton won the toss, and began uphill, with the sun in their faces, in order that they might have the benefit of the reverse (on) change of goal. The ball was thrown at five minutes before three, and play commenced with great spirit, the Etonians closely besieging the Wanderers' goal. Indeed, they acted on the offensive throughout. After about twenty minutes' play a touch-down was secured by Cuthell for the Etonians; but he did not succeed in kicking a goal. After a severe battle across the field, the Wanderers succeeded in getting near the Eton goal, but were beaten back after a desperate struggle, guard being admirably kept at this end by Thompson, who kicked in most admirably each time there was any appearance of the hopes of the Wanderers being realised. The main struggle was always at the Wanderers' end. About ten minutes after the change of goals Cuthell scored another touch-down, but again missed his goal. The Eton goal was once, and only once more, in anything like danger, and then Fortune again sided with the Etonians. Just before "time" was called Alexander

secured another touch-down for the Eton side, and the Etonians were thus victorious by three touch-downs."

Eton Club: A.F. Kinnaird (Capt.) (Trinity), C.R. Alexander (King's), C.E. Cuthell (Downing), W. Durnford (King's), W. Elliot (Emmanuel), Lord E. Fitzmaurice (Trinity), W. Hoare (St John's), Hon. F.G. Pelham (Trinity), W.W. Radcliffe (King's), W.D. Rawlins (Trinity), A.C. Thompson (Trinity).

Umpire: Mr W.H. Hudson (St John's)

Wanderers: C.A. Absolom (Goal), C.W. Alcock, F.R. Broughton (Caius), S. Mason, W.B. Money, L. Ogden, T.E. Peel, A. Peel, J. Russell, F.G. Templar, O.S. Walford (All Trinity).

(CC/SL both have R.N. Russell and R. Mason)

Umpire: Mr Hodges (St John's)

TUES OCT 29<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW CLUB 1 (H.H. Montgomery-goal) WANDERERS 0 (W.W. Radcliffe-touch-down, no goal) (At Trinity Ground)

Sportsman 31/10/67 P.3/Field 2/11/67 P.368/Pall Mall Gazette 30/10/67 P.9/Cambridge Chronicle 2/11/67 P.5/Sporting Gazette 2/11/67 Sporting Life 30/10/67 P.3:

C.C.: "The scene of this match on Tuesday was again the Trinity Ground. Play was called at a little past three, the weather, which had been very "fishy" in the morning, cleared up a little. The Harrovians showed their superiority at the first burst; but no wonder, for strange to say, by some mistake, the Harrow side numbered "a round dozen" and but ten of the Wanderers had put in an appearance. To remedy this mistake Mr Pulteney changed his side; a gallant "run-up" ensued, and Mr Montgomery in his accustomed style, obtained a goal, but aided accidentally by the ball bounding off one of the opposite side-first goal to the Harrovians. The Wanderers, anxious to retrieve their laurels, played well up, and, after a brilliant display, Mr Radcliff scored a touch-down for the Wanderers. Owing to the good play of both sides, and especially of the goal-keepers, no other event "came off", and on time being called at half-past four the game stood as follows: - a goal for the Harrovians, and a touch-down for the Wanderers. For Harrow, Peel, Money, Montgomery, and Moncrieff played well; and Radcliff, Poulteney, Hon F. Pelham, and Kinnaird worked in their usual style for the Wanderers: the "Champion Football Player", however, appeared out of his element on this ground."

Harrow Club: F.R. Broughton, J. Holmes, W.H. Mason, R.C. Moncrieff, W.B. Money, H.H. Montgomery, T.E. Peel, A. Peel, J. Russell, Hon. J.A. St John, J. Stewart.

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock, W. Durnford (King's), Lord E. Fitzmaurice (Trinity), A.F. Kinnaird (Trinity), L. Ogden (Trinity), Hon. F.G. Pelham (Trinity), W. Poulteney (Trinity), W.W. Radcliffe (King's), H. Gurdon-Rebow (Trinity), A.C. Thompson (Trinity), O.S. Walford (Trinity).

(CC/SG /SL all have Absolom for Walford : Wanderers History has Walford)

(Colleges added from Field)

ROYAL ENGINEERS 5 (Lieut Beresford,Lieut Fanshawe,3 Others) ROYAL MARINES 0 (At the Lines,Chatham)

Bell's Life 2/11/67 P10:

BL:"This match,which had been looked forward to with considerable interest by both sides,was played on the Outer Lines,Chatham,on Tuesday,Oct 29.Play was commenced at 3.30.In a few minutes Lieut Beresford,by a well-timed kick,obtained the first goal for the R.E.The goals were now changed,and play proceeded for some time with great spirit until another goal was won for the R.E. by an excellent place-kick by Lieut Fanshawe.There was now no doubt as to which side was the stronger,and although the R.M.L.I. fought bravely to the last,three more goals were obtained by their opponents before the close of the match.We regret to say that Lieut Fanshawe,R.E.,received a very severe kick in a fair charge from one of his opponents,by which one of the small bones of the leg was broken.Through this unfortunate accident the R.E. club will lose the services of one of their best players for the season.For the R.M.L.I. the play of Lieuts Hulme,Eckford,and Bird was particularly good.As regards the R.E. team all played up well."

Royal Engineers:Capt. Marindin(Capt.),Major Edwards,Lieuts Brooke,Stevens,Pottinger,Morris,Washington,Pulford,Green,Puzey,Campbell,Barlow,Beresford,Fanshawe.

Royal Marines:Lieut Wilmott(Capt.),Capts.Poyntz,Willis,Haverfield,Lieuts.Way,Chapman,Eckford,Bird,Webb,Hulme,Gordon,Rumley,Sturt,Jekyll,

WED OCT 30<sup>TH</sup> :

ST JOHN'S COLLEGE 1 (E.A.Hoare) WANDERERS 2 (F.Gossett,A.Peel)(At St John's Ground)(Reference in the reports to touch-downs one of which by C.W.Alcock was ruled offside:rule criticised)(H.T. 1-1)

Field 2/11/67 P.368-369/Sportsman 31/10/67 P.3/Pall Mall Gazette 31/10/67 P.9/Cambridge Chronicle 2/11/67 P.5/Sporting Life 2/11/67 P.4:

CC:"The third match of the Wanderers' series was played on Wednesday against the Johnnians,who were defeated by two goals to one.The weather was a vast improvement on that of the previous day,although the surface of the turf was,perhaps,even more slippery.The Johnnians' ground was,of course,selected as the scene of action,and about three o'clock the ball was kicked off by the Johnnians,who had lost the toss,and started from the upper goal,nearest the racket court.For the first twenty minutes the two sides played a very even game,the ball being almost strictly confined to the centre of the ground,varied only by occasional visits to the neighbourhood of the two goals.Soon, however,in spite of the energetic efforts made by the Wanderers' goal-keepers,the Johnnians began to make frequent sallies towards their opponents' goal,which was subjected to some dashing attacks,but none were crowned with success until a well-executed run by E.A.Hoare resulted in the fall of the rovers' goal.With the renewal of the game,the Wanderers appeared to wake up into new life,and the game became most exciting as the ball travelled up to the Johnnians' goal,which was for some time luckily preserved from the hostile attacks of the Wanderers,gallantly lead by A.F.Kinnaird and H.H.Montgomery.The rovers were,however,bent on recovering their lost laurels,and,after several unsuccessful attempts at a touch-down,a good run up by H.H.Montgomery and F.Gossett proved fatal to the goal of the Johnnians,which fell to a kick by the latter gentleman.No further score was made by either side until "half-time",and when the goals were changed the game stood-

Wanderers one goal, St John's College one goal. With the hill in their favour during the latter portion of the game, the match was almost a certainty for the Wanderers, who now began to redouble their efforts, and many good shots were made at the hostile goal. Soon a good run down by L. Ogden, H.H. Montgomery, and C.W. Alcock drove the ball past the last goal-keeper of the Johnians, and their base was left entirely at the mercy of L. Ogden, who had an unopposed run at it, but appearing to lose his head at the last moment, he allowed this splendid opportunity to escape. The ball was again started without loss of time, and a run down was made for the Wanderers by H.H. Montgomery and C.W. Alcock; the latter-named, who had followed up the whole way, carrying the ball on and obtaining a touch-down immediately behind the centre of the Johnian goal; the touch-down, however, was not allowed by the umpire who, in response to an appeal made by the Johnians, gave his decision that C.W. Alcock was off-side when he started with the ball. Undeterred by this misfortune, the Wanderers again kept the Johnians well penned within their goal, which soon succumbed for the second time to a kick by A. Peel, well backed up by A.F. Kinnaird. There was even more out kicking than usual during the match, and at times the game was almost strictly confined to a succession of long kicks between the rival goal-keepers. The absurdity of the off-side was on this occasion clearly demonstrated by the fact of a player, following up his own side, being prevented from reaping any benefit from the assistance he renders to a fellow-player. We can only add that much regret was felt at the unavoidable absence of Rev C. Matheson, who, in consequence of his approaching nuptials, was unable to officiate at his usual post of umpire. For the Wanderers, H.H. Montgomery and A.F. Kinnaird were especially useful forwards, while C. Absolom was astonishingly brilliant in his new position of goal-keeper. For St John's College, W. Hoare, C.E. Hodges, and W.H. Hudson showed good form."

St John's : Rev. A.F. Torry, W.H. Hudson, W. Hoare, C.E. Hodges, E.W.M. Lloyd, H. Hallam, G. Levett, A. Low, T. Benson, S. Smith, A.A. Bourne.

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock, C.A. Absolom (Goalkeeper), A. Peel, H.H. Montgomery, A.F. Kinnaird, F. Gossett, J. Holmes, J. Russell, C.E. Cuthell, L. Ogden, G.G. Kennedy (absent).

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 4 (Nash, "scrimmage", o.g., Ogilvie) ST PAUL'S SCHOOL 0

Chelmsford Chronicle 1/11/67 P.8:

CC: "On Wednesday the Brentwood team played against their old opponents, St Paul's School. With their usual luck the Brentwood won the toss, and in less than a quarter of an hour a good run down by Nash gained the first goal. The Paulines now warmed to their work, and the game was most evenly contested for three quarters of an hour, but a severe scrimmage took place in front of their goal, and it was again captured by the combined good play of Mumford, Ogilvie, and S. Morgan. The third was a very lucky goal, for the Pauline goal-keeper kicked the ball against one of his adversaries and it bounded through the posts, the fourth goal being also won for the Brentwoods by a good kick from Ogilvie, so that victory was declared for them by four goals to none. The Paulines have much improved and played well together."

Brentwood : A. Francis (Capt.), Branfoot, Bunbury, Burgess, Hacon, Holden, Laurie, Meggy, P. Morgan, S. Morgan, Mumford, Nash, Ogilvie, Reed, St Quintin.

St Paul's: L.A. White (Capt.), Attenborough, Gilbert, Gregory, Helmore, Hermon, Illingworth, Kelly, Page, Roberts, Russell, Saunderson, Stenning, Stubbs, G.M. White.

THURS OCT 31<sup>ST</sup> :

KING'S COLLEGE 1 (G.Gosset)(W.W.Radcliffe-touch-down) WANDERERS 0 (L.Ogden-touch-down)

FA 1868 has F.H.Gosset for the goal.

Field 2/11/67 P.369(Faint copy)/Pall Mall Gazette 1/11/67 P.9/Sportsman 2/11/67 P.3(long report)/Sporting Life 2/11/67 P.4:

PMG:"The match between the above clubs was played at Cambridge, on the Trinity ground, yesterday, and resulted in favour of King's College by one goal and one touch down, to one touch down. The Wanderers won the toss, and elected to kick up the hill from the lower goal. With the first start the ball was taken down to the lower goal, which soon fell to a rather lucky run down by Gosset. A few minutes before half-time a touch down was obtained for King's by W.W.Radcliffe, who throughout played in the most brilliant style. After the change of goals the game appeared more in favour of the Wanderers, who shortly succeeded in securing a touch down, which was well obtained for them by L.Ogden. The place kick, however, did not prove successful, and as no further result had been achieved by either side at the expiration of time, the game was declared in favour of the King's College players by one goal. For the Wanderers, A.F.Kinnaird and R.C.Moncrieff played well; for King's College, W.W.Radcliffe and A.C.Thompson were most energetic."

King's College: W.Durnford (Capt.), W.W.Radcliffe, G.Gosset, A.J.Tuck, J.W.Foley, R.M.Tabor, T.H.Blakesley, E.S.Blakesley, C.R.Alexander, A.C.Thompson, W.Elliott.

(SM/SL both have G.H. for E.S.Blakesley)

Wanderers: C.W.Alcock, F.Holmes, E.Harvey, W.Hoare, Lord E.Fitzmaurice, A.F.Kinnaird, R.C.Moncrieff, Hon F.G.Pelham, E.W.M.Lloyd, L.Ogden, O.S.Walford.

FRI NOV 1<sup>ST</sup> :

CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY 3 goals and 3 touch-downs (Goals : Hon F.G.Pelham, W.C.Gibbs, H.H.Montgomery; Touch-downs : J.Russell, W.Hoare, R.C.Moncrieff) WANDERERS 0 (At Parker's Piece)

N.B. 2 of the 3 goals followed touch-downs and the 3 touch-downs had failed kicks at goal: the last goal was touched down and scored by Montgomery) (The Gibbs goal appears to be "by a random kick": SM without a touch-down)

Field 2/11/67 P.369/Cambridge Chronicle 9/11/67 P.5/Sportsman 2/11/67 P.3(long report)/Pall Mall Gazette 2/11/67 P.9:

CC:"The Wanderers were beaten again, partly, perhaps, owing to the fact that they mustered only nine, and also that the 'Varsity team was a strong one.' "This was the worst match of the week; only four genuine Rovers put in an appearance. The University, with their overpowering team, had it all their own way, and in consequence began scoring with a vengeance, and when time was called had obtained three goals and three "touch-downs", their opponents actually not scoring at all. Pelham, Moncrieff, Kinnaird, and Russell played up well for their University, while Peel and Radcliffe tried in vain to retrieve the former reputation of the Wanderers. Mr Alcock, the captain of the Rovers, seems

stale, and must try and get some more lessons from the "Football Association" before he rightly earns his self-dubbed title of "Champion Football Player".

Cambridge University: A.F. Kinnaird, H.H. Montgomery, R.C. Moncrieff, Hon. F.G. Pelham, W. Hoare, G. Gosset, J. Russell, C.E. Hodges, A.C. Thompson, W. Elliot, W.C. Gibbs.

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock, J. Holmes, Hon. T.H. Pelham, T.E. Peel, Lord E. Fitzmaurice, K. Muir-Mackenzie, S.K. Douglas, W.W. Radcliffe, E.R. Swainson (Emergency) (SM: "marred by the non-appearance of two well-known Harrow Oxonians") (Only "four genuine Rovers")

OLD CARTHUSIANS 1 (L. Skewer) PRESENT CARTHUSIANS 1 (J.A. Foote) (At Undergreen) (Annual match)

Sportsman 2/11/67 P.3/Pall Mall Gazette 2/11/67 P.9/Field 2/11/67 P.369 (Similar short reports):

SM: "This match was played at Charterhouse yesterday, and owing to the number of the Old that appeared, fourteen played on each side. The game was a most even one throughout, and eventually resulted in a draw, one goal being kicked by each side: that for the Present being obtained by J.A. Foote, and that for the Old by O.S. Walford and L. Skewer. For the Present, C.E.B. Nepean distinguished himself as usual, while C.C. Boyle did a great deal of work; for the Old, L. Skewer and F. Dorling played well."

N.B. Charterhouse History of Football states "second half in cloisters."

Past: C.P. Scott, W. Podge, O.S. Walford, E.C. Gibson, L. Skewer, W. Cooper, W.L. Boreham, C. Boreham, A.C. Seymour, T. Bittleston, G. Brodie, W. Blakesley, F. Dorling, C. Wade.

Present: J.A. Foote, C.E.B. Nepean, W. Wallace, E.E. Venables, E.A. Hammick, H.J. Almond, C.C. Boyle, F.G. Paulson, R. Dunn, A.F. Clarke, J. Taylor, W. Matthews, J.M. Russell, A.F. Russell. (F has 3 wrong initials)

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 2 (E.S.L. Randolph, F.N. Saunders) CIVIL SERVICE 1 (E. Freeth) (At Vincent Square)

Field 9/11/67 P.386/Sportsman 5/11/67 P.3/Sporting Gazette 9/11/67:

F: "The first match which has taken place this season between the above clubs was played at Vincent-square, on Friday, Nov 1, and terminated in favour of the Westminster, by two goals to their opponents' one. The game was commenced at about 3.15, and notwithstanding the sloppy state of the ground, was kept up with unabated vigour until time was called at 4.30. The Civil Service lost the toss, and consequently laboured under the disadvantage of playing up against the wind, and owing to a mistake on the part of their captain they were also compelled to carry on the fight with only ten men. The game throughout was very equal, and the result mainly attributable to the superior manner in which the Westminster goal was defended by J. Neill, who is certainly one of the coolest and best goalkeepers of the day. For the Civil Service, who have this year temporarily lost the services of two or three of their best players, Ward and Freeth particularly distinguished themselves; the former, who is a comparative stranger to the game as played at Westminster, making some of the best runs of the day, and twice nearly succeeding in securing a goal for his side. For the Westminsters, who showed a decided improvement upon the form exhibited by them at the commencement of the season, E. Giles, J.C. Smith, and G.H. Lee, forward, played remarkably well; whilst E.S. Randolph, very forward,

sustained his reputation by getting one of the goals for Westminster, the other being obtained by F.N.Saunders. E.Freeth kicked the only goal for the Civil Service, after a good run-down nearly the length of the ground."

Westminster School: H.Curteis (Capt.), E.S.L.Randolph, G.H.Lee, J.C.Smith, F.O'Brien, H.Barron, J.Neill (Goal), E.Giles, F.S.Haden, R.M.Curteis, F.N.Saunders.

Civil Service: J.Kirkpatrick (Capt.), E.Freeth, R.Babington, C.Ward, E.Fairfield, J.Wearne, A.Bateman, G.Turner, W.J.Dixon, E.Eastwick, G.C.Waudby (Absent, ill),

SAT NOV 2<sup>ND</sup> :

MIDDLESEX 0 SURREY AND KENT 0 (At Battersea Park)

Field 9/11/67 P.386/Sportsman 5/11/67 P.3/Pall Mall Gazette 4/11/67 P.7/Sporting Gazette 9/11/67/Bell's Life 9/11/67 P.9/Sporting Life 6/11/67 P.3:

F: "A bone fide county match is such a complete novelty in the football world, that we can hardly wonder as to the numbers who thronged to Beaufort House on Saturday last, the 2<sup>nd</sup> inst., to witness the inaugurating contest between the above teams, which was advertised to take place on the scene of the last inter-University athletic sports; and we can cordially sympathise with the disappointment they must have felt when they discovered on their arrival that, in consequence of some unaccountable disagreement between Lord Ranelagh and the hon secretary of the Amateur Athletic Club, who had let the ground for this occasion, the promoters of the match were, at the eleventh hour, compelled to seek refuge in the wilds of Battersea Park. Shortly after three o'clock the representatives of the rival parties had mustered in good force, and about half past three o'clock all the preliminaries for the commencement of the game had been settled. The Middlesex men were unfortunate in losing the toss, by which they were compelled to play against the wind; without loss of time, however, the ball was kicked off by the Middlesex captain and the fight was opened in real earnest. The ground was in a most objectionable state, and totally unfit for football purposes, and the grass, which was several inches in length, and extremely thick, effectually prevented all attempts at dribbling or any exhibition of the quick play we might have expected from the reputation of many of the players engaged in this contest. Notwithstanding the great difficulty experienced in moving, the game was carried on from the start to the finish with unabated vigour. For the first half hour the two teams appeared so evenly matched that it was difficult to decide in favour of either, as the ball travelled backwards and forwards with each successive rush of the rival players; but during the latter portion of the game the forward play of the Middlesex men exhibited a marked improvement, and the ball, well worked up by J.B.Martin and G.G.Kennedy was kept up for some time hovering in dangerous proximity to the goal occupied by the United Counties, which was throughout well defended by J.Cockerell and R.W.Willis. In consequence of the length of the grass, which was naturally all in favour of a defensive game, the fire of the Middlesex men proved of no avail, and a well judged kick by one of the defending goalkeepers carried the ball to P.Rhodes and P.M.Thornton who by a splendid run down placed the Middlesex goal in great danger, P.Rhodes, by superior speed of foot having outstripped the last goalkeeper of Middlesex and driven the ball down in front of the hostile goal, which, but for a little over-anxiety and eagerness to score his prize, must have fallen. The game was soon recommenced, and from this time till the conclusion of the game, the men of Surrey and Kent were closely besieged within their own lines by their opponents, who were, however, unable

to achieve any decisive result;and when time was called,the match terminated in a draw neither side having obtained a goal.This inaugurating contest produced such an exciting game,and proved such a decided success,that we may look forward to a series of similar friendly meetings between the various counties during the winter months.Football has lately increased to such gigantic dimensions, that it needs something more than ordinary club matches to bring out the rising talent.The names of the players who were engaged in this first contest are a sufficient guarantee that the promoters-who,we are informed,are the officers of the Football Association-desire impartially to perform their duties to select the best players without regard to public schools or especial cliques,and we must congratulate them on the efficient manner in which they have commenced their work.For Middlesex the most conspicuous players were G.G.Kennedy,C.E.B.Nepean,and W.J.Dixon;for Surrey and Kent, P.Rhodes,P.M.Thornton,R.G.Graham(forward),and J.Cockerell and R.W.Willis in defence of goal did good service."

Middlesex :C.W.Alcock(Wanderers),A.Baker(No Names),W.J.Dixon(Old Westminster),G.G.Kennedy (Harrow Chequers),G.H.Lee(Westminster School),J.B.Martin (Crusaders),C.E.B.Nepean(Charterhouse School),J.C.Smith(Westminster School),E.W.Wylde(Old Westminster),H.Emanuel(No Names), R.C.Thornton(Wanderers)

Surrey and Kent:J.Cockerell(Crystal Palace),W.J.C.Cutbill(Crystal Palace),C.C.Dacre(Clapham Grammar School),R.G.Graham(Barnes Club),J.Kirkpatrick(Civil Service),J.K.Barnes(Barnes Club), P.Rhodes(Wanderers),F.B.Soden(C.C.C.),P.M.Thornton(Wanderers),R.M.Thornton(Eton College), R.W.Willis(Barnes Club).

F:"W.B.Money,owing to an accident,was unable to leave Cambridge,and C.J.Thornton arrived too late,in consequence of the change of ground,to take part in the game"

BL:"J.K.Barnes played instead of W.B.Money(Harrow Chequers) ,who was unable to leave Cambridge, because of an accident,while R.M.Thornton played in place of C.J.Thornton(Eton College),who arrived too late in consequence of the change of ground to take part in the match."

HERTFORDSHIRE RANGERS 0 WANDERERS 0 (At Watford)

Field 9/11/67 P.386/Sportsman 5/11/67 P.3/Sporting Gazette 9/11/67:

F:"A match was played between these clubs on Saturday last,the 2<sup>nd</sup> inst.,which,after a well-contested game terminated in a draw,neither side having been able to wrest a goal from their opponents.The Wanderers lost the toss,and thereby were compelled to kick up the hill,which,as the Watford ground is situated on the crest of a slight slope,proved a great disadvantage to them.At 3.30 the ball was kicked off by the captain of the roving band,and the game was opened with great spirit. The Wanderers,who were a very fast and heavy team,soon began to take the lead,and,in spite of the desperate resistance offered by the Rangers,to closely besiege the home goal,which,however, remained proof against the heavy fire poured upon it by the Wanderers' artillery.Several good runs were made for the Wanderers by J.A.Cruikshank and S.T.Holland,but all their attempts were completely frustrated by the excellent goalkeeping of the home team.Occasionally the Rangers emitted some flashes of a brilliant style,and the Wanderers' goal was once seriously jeopardised by their attacks,but there was not sufficient unison and backing up in their game to secure any material success.Play was continued with unceasing vigour until a quarter to five o'clock,when time was



called, and neither side having obtained any score the match was declared drawn. For the Hertfordshire R. Barker displayed the best style, while J. Searancke and E. L. Chadwick worked most energetically throughout the match. For the Wanderers, S. T. Holland, H. Curteis, and J. A. Cruickshank strove hard to secure the honours of victory."

Herts Rangers: R. Barker, C. Blenkinsop, W. Blenkinsop, H. Blenkinsop, E. L. Chadwick, H. Hartshorne, J. Searancke, E. G. Sutton, C. Tomson, M. Wagstaffe, R. Warwick.

Wanderers: C. F. Reid (Capt.), E. E. Bowen, J. A. Cruickshank, H. Curteis, R. Curteis, W. O. Hewlett, S. T. Holland, C. C. Parr, J. Rivett-Carnac, C. M. Tebbut.

UPTON PARK 3 (F. Wilton, A. W. Evans, W. J. Smiles) \*RED TAPES 0

Sportsman 5/11/67 P.3/Bell's Life 9/11/67/P.9/Sporting Gazette 9/11/67:

SM/BL: "The first match of the Uptonians was played on Saturday, Nov 2, in Upton Park, against the Red Tapes, \*a scratch team from the Civil Service. The ball was kicked off at half past three, the strangers having previously won the toss, and secured the lower goal, a position, however, of which they did not long remain in enjoyment, for after a short scrimmage in front of the goal, the ball was landed between the posts by a kick of F. Wilton. From this time it became evident that this advantage would remain with the Uptonians, for, partly in consequence of their superior backing up (the Tape was never found in knots), and partly for their being in better shape than the majority of their opponents, the ball constantly hovered about the Tapes's goal, which several times was in the most imminent danger of capture. Before time was called at a quarter past five, two more goals had been scored to the Uptonians, the one falling to a kick by A. W. Evans, the other being due to the efforts of W. J. Smiles. The Uptonians played a very plucky game throughout, and they may congratulate themselves upon their victory over Red Tapes."

Upton Park: H. Barnett (Capt.), W. H. Bailey, C. C. Baily, F. Barnett, C. Capper, J. Capper, J. C. Cobbold, S. Curwen, A. W. Evans, W. Gardner, A. M. Jones, M. Jutsum, W. J. Smiles, C. E. Wilson, H. Wilton, F. Wilton.

Red Tapes: E. N. Alpe (Capt.), A. W. Browne, E. Cleave, E. Freeth (ing), G. T. Messervy, O. Minchin, General J. Murker, S. Platt, O. Radford, F. Rickards, A. Stair, W. H. Davey, E. Waller, F. Sweet, Boy Bill and an Emergency. SM/SG have no F. Sweet but has Boy Bill and 2 Emergencies.

HATFIELD 1 (W. Wallace) HITCHIN 0 (At Hatfield: Ground provided by Hon. and Rev. W. C. Talbot)

Field 9/11/67 P.386/Sportsman 5/11/67 P.3/ +Hertfordshire Express & General Advertiser 9/11/67 P.3 (Very short report): "The names of the players have not been furnished to us"

F: "A match between these two clubs was played at Hatfield, on Saturday last. The ground was kindly lent by the Hon and Rev W. C. Talbot. Play commenced at about 3.40, and from that time till the church bell struck five, at which time it was settled that the game should end, a most spirited and well-contested battle was kept up. Many times did W. Wallace and C. Gaussen for Hatfield, and E. Lowen and F. Taylor for Hitchin, take the ball up to their opponents' goal, only to be repulsed. As the game proceeded the ball was kept dangerously near the Hitchin goal, but no game was obtained for either side, till a good run down by W. Wallace and A. F. Clarke, closely backed up by E. V. Pryor and

F.G.Paulson,carried the ball past all the Hitchin back-players,when W.Wallace,by a well-directed kick gained a victory for his side by one goal to none."

Hatfield Team:H.Wells,G.Coventry,E.V.Pryor,W.Wallace,F.G.Paulson,E.Pember,J.Lloyd,C.Gaussen,A.C.Talbot(Capt.),Penryce,A.F.Clarke.

Hitchin Team included E.Lowen and F.Taylor.

FOREST SCHOOL 2(o.g.,E.Titley) Mr F.O.STOW'S TEAM 0(At Walthamstow)

Sportsman 7/11/67 P.4/Sporting Gazette 9/11/67:

SM:"A match between the above teams came off at Walthamstow,on Saturday last,which ended in a victory for the Foresters by two goals to none.The game commenced at 2.45,the Foresters,who had lost the toss,kicking from the lower goal with a slight breeze against them.The two sides were evenly matched,as for the first twenty minutes the ball was kept strictly in the centre of the ground.Soon after this a good rush was made by the Foresters,which resulted in the fall of the strangers' goal,the ball having been accidentally kicked through by one of the strangers.With the change of goals the strangers appeared bent on retrieving their late reverse,but all their attempts to capture the School goal proved fruitless,as the Foresters drove them back,and for the last half hour completely penned them in their own base,and after many unsuccessful attempts,a second goal was gained for them by E.Titley.After this no further advantage was gained by either side,and the Foresters were therefore victorious by two goals to none.For the Strangers,who seemed very unaquainted with the School rules,Messrs E.Gower,+F.Powell,G.A.Brown,and F.O.Stow especially distinguished themselves,and for the Foresters E.Titley,H.C.Shuttleworth,and J.C.Cotton were the principal performers."

Forest School:H.Tubb(Capt.),E.Titley,T.H.Gascoigne,W.E.Gascoigne,J.C.Cotton,H.Longshaw,H.C.Shuttleworth,F.J.Poole,S.H.Carver,E.T.Gardom,H.Worrall,J.B.Morgan,G.C.Capper,T.W.Crowther,T.L.Browne.

Mr F.O.Stow's Team:F.O.Stow,E.Gower,F.Gower,+H.Powell,G.A.Browne,T.Moore,A.H.Oliver,S.Milne,A.Kinder,G.Layton,W.V.Charrington,J.C.Green,J.H.Starey,O.E.Part,A.Lius.

WALTHAMSTOW CLUB 1 (P.G.Rouquette) TOTTENHAM & EDMONTON CLUB 0 (At Tottenham & Edmonton )

Sportsman 9/11/67 P.3/Chelmsford Chronicle 8/11/67 P.8:

SM:"Play commenced at half-past three by a kick off by the captain of the Walthamstow team,and shortly afterwards one of the Tottenham effected a touch-down,but failed to secure a goal.The next event was also a touch-down,this time behind the Tottenham posts,admirable executed by S.Bouquette,the goal being well kicked by his brother."

CC:"This club began its career on Saturday last against Tottenham & Edmonton on the ground of the latter,and in a short time a goal was secured by P.G.Rouquette.Sides were now changed,and the Walthamstowians kept the ball well down at their adversaries' goal,but without any further advantage,victory remining to them by one goal to none."

Walthamstow:P.G.Rouquette(Capt.),A.Borwick,J.Borwick,M.Hudson,H.S.Rouquette,E.Parry,G.Inglis,  
J.Inglis,H.McLeod,Grey,H.Lichfield,W.Serle,E.Manico,C.Hibbert,F.S.Walker.

N.B.Have corrected Bouquette to Rouquette.

+Tottenham & Edmonton:E.Bell(Capt.),V.Weber,P.Wallow,J.Williams,J.Fowler,Finney,S.Grene,  
W.Smith,C.Shultz,C.Jones,G.Burton,J.Matthews.+SM:"who were,as usual,short of their number"

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 4 (G.Holden 2,A.Francis,P.St Quintin) 21<sup>ST</sup> ESSEX E.R.V. 0

Chelmsford Chronicle 8/11/67 P.8:

CC:"On Saturday the eleven of Brentwood School layed their fifth match against fifteen of the 21<sup>st</sup>  
E.R.V. Although the boys were in the minority as to numbers,they had the game entirley in their own  
hands.The 21<sup>st</sup>,having won the toss,kicked with the wind,ut the Brentwoods played so admirably  
together that in less than an hour they gained four goals to none,two being kicked by G.Holden,the  
others by A.Francis and P.St Quintin."

LINCOLN CLUB Match 2/11/67(At Monks Leys:twice postponed):Seniors 0 Juniors 1

Sportsman 9/11/67 P.3:

SM:"Previous to the commencement of the play,a general meeting was held for election of  
members on the field when six new members were made."

Seniors:D.J.Garnham(Capt.),J.B.Mawer(Goal-keeper),Bell,H.C.Chambers,Elwick,Thropp,  
Wikins,Ramage,A.S.L.Melville,Hartwell,Rainforth,Blakey,Parham,Plummer.

Juniors:A.Padley(Capt.),F.Padley(goal-keeper),Mantle,F.Dalton,Stallibrass,Ruston,  
W.Bainbridge,Runton,Foster,Thornton,Marsland,Saunders,Woodcock,W.Dalton.

ETON COLLEGE 2 Rouges MR FERGUSON'S ELEVEN 1 Rouge

Eton College Chronicle 14/11/67 P.366/Other sources not looked for

Eton College:J.R.Sturgis,W.C.Calvert,T.Mc Clintock-Bunbury,E.Warburton,C.Tait,R.Patton,  
C.J.Thornton,H.Lees,T.M.Carr-Lloyd,R.Russell,G.J.Courthope.

Mr Ferguson's Eleven:R.R.N.Ferguson,A.F.Kinnaird,P.Norman,E.Norman,C.Bonsor,  
Rev G.R.Dupuis,Rev H.Brandreth,Langley,Hartopp,A.Locke,+A.G.Tindal.+Emergency

MON NOV 4<sup>TH</sup> :

ROYAL ENGINEERS 2 (Lieut Pottinger,Lieut Beresford) DEPOT BATTALION 0 (At Chatham)

Bell's Life 9/11/67 P.9:

Royal Engineers:Capt. Marindin(Capt.),Major Harrison,Lieuts Stephens,Brown,Beresford,  
Campbell,Barlow,Purcell,Broadbent,Boyle,Seton,Courtenay,Pottinger,Home,Morris.

Depot Battalion: Capt. Boycott(29<sup>th</sup> Regt)(Capt.), Capt. Tanner(8<sup>th</sup>), Lieuts Stevens(17<sup>th</sup>), Nicholson(82<sup>nd</sup>), Blane (22<sup>nd</sup>), Elphinston, and Bridge(10<sup>th</sup>), Ensigns Hare (Royals), Ward(82<sup>nd</sup>), Oakley(8<sup>th</sup>), Gordons(W.I.), Hamer (8<sup>th</sup>), Mallandaine(106<sup>th</sup>)(2 short)

TUES NOV 5<sup>TH</sup> :

ETON CLUB 2 Goals :C.E.Cuthell,A.; 8 touch-downs:W.W.Radcliffe,2,A.F.Kinnaird,2, A.Stevens,Hon F.G.Pelham,C.E.Cuthell,E.Gossett) CHRIST'S COLLEGE 0 (At Cambridge)

Field 9/11/67 P.386/Sportsman 9/11/67 P.4:

Eton Club:W.W.Radcliffe,Hon. F.G.Pelham, Lord E.Fitzmaurice,C.E.Cuthell,C.R.Alexander, G.Gossett,A.B.Locke,A.J.Tuck,S.H.Hervey,A.C.Thompson,J.W.Foley,Hon F.G.Pelham,W.Walpole, A.Stevens,A.F.Kinnaird.

Christ's College:J.W.Cartmell(Capt.),W.L.Boreham,G.H.Damant,S.W.Dawkes,J.Davis,Ewbank, F.D.Fitzgerald,G.Forbes,P.K.Fyson,A.H.Hamilton,R.Haughton,J.A.Reeve,J.Sharpe,H.Smith,F.J.Young.(F has J.W.Dawkes and J.F.Young)

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 1 (W.D.West) ESSEX CLUB 0 (At Brentwood)

Sporting Gazette 9/11/67:

SG:"This match was played at Brentwood, on Nov 5, and resulted in a victory for the boys by one goal. The play of Overbury(captain) and of McCleod was very good. The goal for Brentwood was kicked by W.D.West. For the Essex Club Bramson and Poole played a really first rate game, but the team wants a little more practice."

Brentwood School:N.Overbury(Capt.),W.Hall,B.T.Craig,T.A.Howe,F.McCleod,A.Crush,W.D.West, F.Nott, T.Savile,B.Crush,T.Moss.

Essex Club:Bramston,Poole(Capt.),Marriott,Arnold, Lee,Hoskins,Gascoigne,Tubb,Meggy, Silcoxon,Watt.

WED NOV 6<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 4(E.E.Venables,F.G.Paulson,J.A.Foote,C.E.B.Nepean) CRUSADERS 1 (J.Round)(At Under Green, Charterhouse)

Field 9/11/67 P.387/Pall Mall Gazette 8/11/67 P.9/Sporting Gazette 9/11/67:

F:"The first match which has taken place this season between these ancient rivals was played on Under Green, on Wednesday last, and terminated in an easy win for the Carthusians, who scored four goals to one obtained by their opponents, a result which it was not difficult to foresee, by the evident weakness displayed by the Crusaders in back play and goal keeping. The weather was most enjoyable for football, the wind was deliciously keen and bracing, and the ground nicely crisped by the slight frosts of the last two or three nights, made the going better than we have ever experienced on Under Green. In consequence of the late arrival of several prominent Knights of the Cross, the game was not commenced until shortly before three o'clock, when the ball was kicked from the centre of the ground by the captain of the Crusaders, the Carthusians, who had lost the toss, playing down from the

Cloister goal. The superior weight of the strangers soon drove the boys back to their own goal, which was for some time closely besieged by the forward players of the Crusaders' team, who by a constant succession of attacks, kept the School goal for some time in imminent danger until it was rescued from all perils by E.E. Venables, who got well hold of the ball within a few yards of his own posts, and after a very cleverly executed run-down the whole length of the ground, by a good side kick landed it securely between the posts of the Crusaders' goal. After this first success the boys played up in more determined style, and after several runs down the wall side by H.J. Almond and E.A. Hammick, F.G. Paulson by a very fluky kick succeeded in reducing the Crusaders' goal for a second time. Fortune had, as yet, been decidedly adverse to the Crusaders, who had on several occasions been dangerously near the School goal posts, but without any decisive result. At last their efforts were crowned with success, as the ball was taken down by E.W. Wylde and W.J. Dixon into the front of the School goal, whence, after a short scrimmage, J. Round shot it straight between the posts. Again the Crusaders worked energetically to secure some further triumph, and a regular Eton bully, which lasted several minutes, and in which E.A. Hammick did good service for the School, took place within a yard of the Carthusian goal. After a very hard struggle the ball was at length extricated by F.G. Paulson, who had an unopposed chance at the Crusaders' goal, but the ball was badly directed, and was kicked back by the goal keeper onto the body of a Carthusian, from whom it rebounded between the posts. The Charterhouse rules, however, provide that the ball "must not be hit or otherwise impelled through by the attacking party", and consequently the claim for goal was at once given up. The better training of the boys showed conspicuously towards the conclusion of the game, and a run-up by C.C. Boyle carried the ball into the centre of the ground, whence a well-aimed kick by J.A. Foote drove it once more into the centre of the goal of the Crusaders. Time was now almost up, but still the Carthusians appeared bent on scoring, as, just before the termination of the game, C.E.B. Nepean got the ball out of the middle of a scrimmage a few yards in front of the posts, and sent it rolling along the ground, thanks to a very poor exhibition of fielding on the part of the goal-keeper, for the fourth and last time into the goal defended by the Crusaders. The boys played an excellent game throughout, though they owe their victory, without doubt, to the want of real goal-keeping, so visible in the play of their adversaries. For the Crusaders, W.J. Dixon, E.W. Wylde, J. Round, and C. Dowdeswell were chiefly conspicuous; while for the boys, whose goal-keeping (by R. Dunn and J. Taylor) has vastly improved of late, C.C. Boyle, E.E. Venables, and F.G. Paulson worked most energetically."

SG: "On their own ground, which is of very limited area, the boys will always possess an advantage, and on the present occasion their back play showed a marked improvement."

Charterhouse: J.A. Foote (Capt.), C.E.B. Nepean, E.E. Venables, W. Wallace, C.C. Boyle, H.J. Almond, R. Dunn, A.F. Clarke, F.G. Paulson, J. Taylor, E.A. Hammick.

Crusaders: E.O. Berens (capt.), C.W. Alcock, W.J. Dixon, C. Dowdeswell, E. Giles, E. Norman, E.S. Randolph, J. Round, A. Thompson, E.W. Wylde, J.M. Yates.

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 15 (Walker 4, Burgess 2, Ogilvie 2, Holden 2, P. Morgan 2, Nash, Mumford, St Quintin) GRANGE COURT, CHIGWELL 0

Chelmsford Chronicle 8/11/67 P.8:

Brentwood School: Nash (Capt.), Burgess, Holden, Meggy, P. Morgan, S. Morgan, Mumford, Ogilvie, Reid, St Quintin, Walker.

Grange Court:Morice(Capt.),F.Davenport,R.Davenport,Tanner,Mechi,F.Francis,A.Francis,  
Landon,Ince,Fricker,Smyth.

THURS NOV 7<sup>TH</sup> :

CIVIL SERVICE 1(A.E.Bateman) WANDERERS 3 (E.O.Berens,F.B.Soden,E.Norman)(At Civil Service  
Ground,Battersea)

Sportsman 9/11/67 P.3/Field 9/11/67 P.386/Pall Mall Gazette 8/11/67 P.9:

F:”A match between the above clubs,the first played by the Civil Servants this season on their own ground,took place at Battersea Park,on Thursday last ,the 7<sup>th</sup> inst.,which terminated in favour of the Wanderers by three goals to one.The game was to have commenced at half past two,but the Civil Servants,true to their principles of circumlocution,did not arrive until well after that hour,and it was nearly a quarter past three before the ball was kicked off by the captain of the Wanderers,who, having lost the toss,were compelled to kick up from the pavilion goal.The play at first was rather slow,as the ground-the grass on which had been but partially mown-was very heavy,and studded with objectionable holes.The ball,too,provided by the Civil Servants,was of a very pulpy nature,in consequence of the non-arrival of the various blown balls which were expected from the stores of the fickle Wisden.But the weather at all events was favourable,and the park,which was by special request freed from the attendance of the chill wind which usually sweeps over it,looked quite bright and cheerful.With the first kick off the ball was carried backwards and forwards between the two goals without any perceptible advantage to either party,but the dribbling of the rovers soon proved too much for their adversaries,and in spite of the fleetness of foot displayed by their captain,and the fine long kicks of H.Martin,the goal defended by the Civil Servants soon fell to a well-directed shot by E.O.Berens.Several good runs up were now made for the Civil Service by A.E.Bateman and E.Fairfield ,but the ball was soon travelling back towards the Service goal,which soon succumbed the second time to a side kick by F.B.Soden.”

“At last a good run down by E.Fairfield and C.Ward ,and a general scrimmage in front of the posts resulted in the downfall of the Wanderers’ goal,which was obtained by A.E.Bateman.Some pretty play on the part of J.R.Carnac for the Wanderers,and some desperate efforts by C.Ward for the Service,kept the ball rolling very evenly between the two goals until a run down on the tree side carried it into touch.The ball was thrown out well in front of the posts,and F.B.Soden,who had been waiting his opportunity,made a good attempt,but the ball,which was well saved by the goalkeeper, fell close to E.Norman,who took advantage of the chance offered to him to score the third goal for the Rovers.4.15,and a remonstrance from those obnoxious park officials put an untimely end to the game just as the play was commencing to assume a lively aspect.The Civil Servants have this year to regret the temporary absence of several of the most useful members of their team,who suffer a heavy loss through the most unfortunate illness of their captain,C.G.Wandby.For the Civil Service, E.Fairfield,A.E.Bateman,and C.Ward worked most energetically;while for the Wanderers the most conspicuous performers were J.R.Carnac and G.G.Kennedy.Both teams were afflicted with the too prevalent mania for absenteeism,which shows itself more conspicuously in matches played “in the inside of the week”.”

Wanderers:G.G.Kennedy(Capt.),J.Rivett-Carnac,F.B.Soden,A.Baker,E.Norman,E.O.Berens,  
W.P.Thornton,W.J.Thompson,C.M.Tebbut(absent)(A.Lemun),R.D.Elphinstone(absent),  
E.W.Wilde(absent)

Civil Service:J.Kirkpatrick(Capt.),R.Babington,A.E.Bateman,E.Fairfield,P.Herbert,H.Lavies,J.Martin,  
C.Ward(8 men)

ETON CLUB 1(G.Gossett got a goal from his touch-down and A.F.Kinnaird a touch-down)  
ST JOHN'S COLLEGE 0 (At St John's Ground,Cambridge)

Field 9/11/67 P.386/Sportsman 9/11/67 P.4:

Eton Club:W.W.Radcliffe,Hon F.G.Pelham,Lord E.Fitzmaurice,W.Durnford,C.E.Cuthell,  
S.H.Hervey,G.Gossett,A.J.Tuck,C.R.Alexander,A.C.Thompson,A.F.Kinnaird.

St John's:W.Hoare(Capt.),C.E.Hodges,E.W.M.Lloyd,H.Hallam,G.Levett,A.Lowe,T.Benson,S.Smith,  
H.Osbourne,A.A.Bourne,W.H.Hudson.

FOREST SCHOOL Match:

Patriarchs(4 ½ years) 2 (H.Tubb,H.C.Shuttleworth) The School 0

Field 16/11/67 P.398:

Patriarchs:H.Tubb(Capt.),H.C.Shuttleworth,J.C.Cotton,S.Carver,E.T.Gardom,R.H.Beauchamp,  
G.Capper,E.H.Shelton,E.B.Beauchamp,C.Gosnell,E.Knight.

School:E.Titley(Capt.),T.H.Gascoigne,W.E.Gascoigne,H.Longshaw,F.G.Poole,T.Crowther,H.Worrall,  
R.Abbott,C.B.Cotton,T.Jobson,J.Bowers.

SAT NOV 9<sup>TH</sup>

WANDERERS v Eton (Fixture in Bell's Life but no trace of result,teams,or report in BL/SM as per  
Wanderers History)CHECK FOOTBALL ANNUAL (NOT IN ECC )

NO NAMES 1 (Alfred Baker) BARNES 0 (At Kilburn)

Sportsman 16/11/67 P.3/Field 16/11/67 P.397:

SM:"A match between these clubs was played at Kilburn on the Nov 9<sup>th</sup> inst.,which proved a very  
interesting and friendly game.The Barnes team came up with a great reputation,but were  
unfortunately only represented by twelve players(the game was to have been played fifteen a  
side);the N.N's played a fifteen,but had been disappointed of half a dozen of their best men.The  
ground was heavy,which told against Barnes,they being accustomed to a light soil;to the N.N.'s it was  
not a serious difficulty,having for three seasons rejoiced in a field unusually muddy.The game was  
well-contested throughout.A goal was obtained for the N.N.'s at about half-time by Arthur Baker,  
after a splendid run down and +fight just before the Barnes' territory;a second one ought to have  
been kiicked,but was badly muddled,and two good shots by Morton and Holland were equally  
unsuccessful.The Barnes representatives made several determined rushes,in which that club showed  
far superior backing up abilities to their opponents,but on each occasion managed to lose the ball

just before the desired end had been attained, and time being called at a quarter to five, the N.N.'s were acknowledged the victors by one goal to none. Of individual play on both sides there was no lack, but playing together was put rather on one side. For the N.N.'s, A. Baker and A. Fleet were chiefly conspicuous; while for the Barnes Club, R.W. Willis, R.G. Graham, Adams, W.R. Collins (back), and Barnes, who, despite his continued assertions that he could do nothing, did a great deal—were the most successful." +F: "after a good run down and scrimmage in front of the Barnes goal"

No Names: S.T. Holland (Capt.), A. Baker, J. Nicholas, A. Fleet, A. Bird, W.F. Baker, Green, H.N.B. Good, Collins, A.J. Schwabe, W. Bird, J. Sharp, Dr. Morton, C. Morrice, Borrodale.

Barnes: R.W. Willis (Capt.), E.C. Morley, W.R. Collins, J. Mossenden, Adams, A. Holt, P. Evetts, S. Le B. Smith, L. Karslake, Mortimer, J.K. Barnes, R.G. Graham.

HARROW SCHOOL 0 AMATEUR ATHLETIC CLUB 0 (At Harrow)

Sporting Gazette 16/11/67/Sportsman 12/11/67 P.3/Bell's Life 16/11/67 P.7/Field 16/11/67 P.398:

SG: "On Saturday, the Amateurs, under the captaincy of Mr P.M. Thornton, played at Harrow against the School. At 2.30 the ball was kicked off, and for about three quarters of an hour it was in dangerous proximity to the Harrow goal, but the boys' superior condition told its tale, and as the game advanced the ball was frequently in the neighbourhood of the Amateurs' goal. When the signal to stop play was given at 3.45, the teams retired from the field, neither being able to claim a victory. The day was fine."

Harrow School: C.W. Walker (Capt.), S.W. Gore (E.S. Carlisle), F. Carlisle, A.W. Walsh, R. Ord, S. Carlisle, W. Law, J.B. Broadmead, J. Parsons, A.R. Watney, A. Taber.

Amateur Athletic Club: +P.M. Thornton (Capt.), E.E. Bowen, E.J. Colbeck, A.K. Finlay, C. Goldney, G.G. Kennedy, J.B. Martin, C.F. Reid, C.J. Thornton, R.C. Thorton, Lord Kilmarnock (Substitute from the School) + "the well-known runner": SM

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 2 (J. Neill, E. Giles) MR DIXON'S XI 2 (J.A. Foote, E.E. Venables) (At Vincent Square)

Sporting Gazette 16/11/67/Sportsman 12/11/67 P.3/Bell's Life 16/11/67/Field 16/11/67 P.397 :

F: "This match was played at Vincent-square on Saturday last, and proved one of the most exciting contests witnessed on the Westminster Ground this season. The weather was afflicted with the damp unwholesome moisture specially prescribed for November, and the heavy fog which hung over the surface of the ground proved a very unfavourable contrast to the keen and bracing atmosphere in which football players have been rejoicing since the commencement of the month. It was almost three o'clock when the tardy arrival of a usually punctual performer brought Mr Dixon's team to its full complement, and but little time was lost in arranging the formalities requisite for a proper commencement of the contest. The toss was won by the Westminsters, who started from the lodge end goal, and almost immediately the ball was thrown up into the air by G.H. Lee. Determined to take advantage of their first chance, the Strangers made a desperate rush towards the School goal, and a very busy scrimmage took place in front of the School posts, which resulted in the boys gradually falling back before their heavier opponents, for whom, J.A. Foote, the captain of Charterhouse School



Eleven, succeeded in obtaining a goal. Again the ball was thrown up, and now the Westminsters seemed to awake to a more determined style, the contest being carried on for some time in strictly neutral ground, varied occasionally by the dashing sallies of E.S. Randolph, J. Neill and E. Giles, three very prominent Westminsters, all of which, however, were frustrated by the good play of H. Stephenson, acting as "post captain" for Mr Dixon. The lines of the Strangers were not defended by sufficient numbers to cope successfully against the united forces of the Westminsters, who at last saw their efforts rewarded by a goal which was well kicked for them by J. Neill. With the game once more in a state of equality, the play of the two teams appeared to tone down into a more steady and less flashy style, some excellent runs being made for the Strangers by W.J. Dixon and J. Round, and by R. Curteis, H. Barron and F.N. Saunders for Westminster. Luck, however, again favoured the Strangers, whose goal had on several occasions been endangered by the rapid rushes of the more forward Westminsters, for whom the Carthusians again came to the fore, a run down by C.C. Boyle and E.E. Venables, resulting in the overthrow of the School goal, which fell to a kick by E.E. Venables. The Strangers now kept the ball well in the School territory, and it appeared as if they were about to make a further addition to their score; but all such hopes were speedily dashed to the ground by a very fine run down made by E.S. Randolph, for Westminster, from which E. Giles again contrived to equalise the game by a second goal placed to the School account. From this time until the first note of a quarter past four o'clock notified the cessation of play, the two sides strove hard to achieve some further result, but, during the last few moments of the game, the contest assumed a still more even aspect, and when at last time was called, this well-contested match terminated in a draw, two goals having been obtained by each party. We were glad to notice a detailed improvement in the forward play of the Westminsters which has been considerably strengthened by the removal of J. Neill from goal. They also introduced on this occasion a very promising back player (W. Basham), who, with a little coaching, will doubtless prove a very useful addition to their team. For Dixon's team, who received invaluable assistance from their emergency (H. Stevenson), who was very useful between the poles, W.J. Dixon, J. Round, and C. Dowdeswell, played in excellent form; while for the Westminsters, J. Neill, G.H. Lee, E. Giles, F.N. Saunders, and E.S. Randolph, did good service."

Westminster School: H. Curteis (Capt.), E.S. Randolph, G.H. Lee, J.C. Smith (+W. Basham), J. Neill, H. Barron, F.N. Saunders, F.A. O'Brien, W.C. Lefroy, R. Curteis, E. Giles. + Played as per F

Mr Dixon's Team: W.J. Dixon (Capt.), W.F. Charles, W. Rivett-Carnac, C. Dowdeswell, C.C. Boyle, J.A. Foote, W.T. Huggins, J. Round, E.E. Venables, E. Whittaker, H. Stephenson (Emergency Goalkeeper lent by the School)

N.B. BL has C.W. Alcock for W.F. Charles

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 3 (G. Holden, A. Nash, 2) C.C.C. 0 (At Brentwood)

Sporting Gazette 16/11/67/Sportsman 14/11/67 P.3/Field 16/11/67 P.398:

F: "On Saturday last, the 9<sup>th</sup> inst., the above clubs met on the Brentwood ground. The Brentwoods won the toss, and elected to kick from the pavilion end. For the first three quarters of an hour the game was most evenly contested, the ball travelling backwards and forwards with great rapidity, owing to the fine forward play of J.E. Tayloe, A. Dealtry, and P. Turner for the C.C.C., and A. Nash, G. Holden, and R. Ogilvie for Brentwood. After some hard play by the two teams a scrimmage at last took place in front of the goal defended by the C.C.C., which resulted in G. Holden driving the ball between the

posts, and thus securing the first goal for Brentwood. After the change of goals the C.C.C. tried hard to recover their lost ground, and it appeared at first as if their efforts would prove successful; but A. Nash, after some very fine forward play, made a splendid run-down, which resulted in the second fall of the C.C.C. goal. Undaunted by these two reverses, the C.C.C. continued the fight with great vigour, but still without any success, as A. Nash succeeded in outpacing his leading adversaries and, by some very skilful doubling past the back players, kicked the third goal for the Brentwoods. When time was called after two hours' hard play, the game was declared in favour of Brentwood School, whose representatives played very well together, by three goals to none."

Brentwood School: A. Francis (Capt.), E. Burgess, G. Holden, J. W. B. Laurie, P. Morgan, S. Morgan, A. Nash, S. Mumford, R. Ogilvie, R. Reed, P. St Quentin.

C.C.C. : J. E. Tayloe (Capt.), H. Cloete, C. Davison, A. Dealtry, E. P. Edwards, J. C. Ker, B. Ker, F. B. Soden, A. Townsend, P. Turner, J. Urlwin.

FOREST SCHOOL 1 (E. Titley) WALTHAMSTOW 0 (At Forest School, Walthamstow)

Field 16/11/67 P.397/Sporting Gazette 23/11/67/Sportsman 19/11/67 P.3:

F: "A match between the first sixteen of the above clubs was played on the School ground at Walthamstow, on Saturday last, the 9<sup>th</sup> inst., and, after a well-contested fight of an hour and a quarter, terminated in a victory in favour of the Foresters by one goal to none. Play was not commenced, in consequence of the late arrival of the Walthamstow team, until 3.45, at which hour the ball was kicked off, the Foresters, who had won the toss, kicking down the hill from the School goal. At the very commencement of the game the superiority of the Foresters was clearly manifested by the repeated attacks made on the Walthamstow goal. At length a very well-executed run-down by E. Titley, T. L. Browne, and E. T. Gardom, for the Foresters, resulted in the capture of the Walthamstow goal, which fell to a goal kick by E. Titley. Play was kept up until five o'clock, when darkness put an end to the game, which accordingly resulted in favour of the Foresters by one goal. For the Foresters, whose backing up was extremely good, H. C. Shuttleworth, R. H. Beauchamp, and E. Titley were very conspicuous forwards, while J. C. Cotton did good service behind. For the Walthamstow Club, H. Lloyd, A. Lloyd, T. J. Chidley forwards, and P. G. Rouquette back, especially distinguished themselves. "

Forest School: H. Tubb (Capt.), E. Titley, T. H. Gascoigne, W. E. Gascoigne, H. Longshaw, H. C. Shuttleworth, J. C. Cotton, S. H. Carver, R. H. Beauchamp, E. T. Gardom, F. J. Poole, T. W. Crowther, T. L. Browne, H. Worrall, G. C. Capper, E. H. S. J. Shelton.

Walthamstow: P. G. Rouquette (Capt.), A. Borwick, J. Borwick, T. J. Chidley, M. Hudson, G. Inglis, H. Inglis, H. Lloyd, A. Lloyd, E. Masterman, H. A. D. M'Leod, E. Parry, H. S. Rouquette, W. Wilkins, R. A. Willis, H. S. M. Vince.

SHEFFIELD 1 rouge (from a scrimmage in front of the Lincoln goal 20 minutes before time) LINCOLN 0 (Newhall Ground, Sheffield)

Sportsman 14/11/67 P.3/Field 16/11/67 P.398:

The first match of the Sheffield Club season was played at Newhall Ground, Sheffield, on Saturday last, the 9<sup>th</sup> inst. The toss was won by the Lincoln Club, who commenced with the wind in their favour. Throughout the game there was but little to choose between the two teams, as the ball

visited the two goals with strict impartiality."Half-time" was called without any score having been made by either side.This want of success stimulated the Sheffielders to further exertions,and after about twenty minutes' play a scrimmage in front of the Lincoln goal resulted in a rouge.From this time till the conclusion of the game,the play was slightly in favour of Sheffield,but no further score was obtained,and the match resulted in a victory for Sheffield by one rouge to nothing."

Sheffield:B.Shepherd(Capt.),Denton,Dixon,Wightman,Chambers,F.Knowles,J.Knowles,  
Turton,J.Wild,J.Swift,Baker.

Lincoln:Garnham(Capt.),Shipley,Mantle,Padley,Ramage,Thornton,Bell,Woodcock,  
Mawer,Dalton,Mitchell.

BRIGHTON COLLEGE 1 Kicked goal (C.Newton) 2 Rouge Goals (+W.W.Strode 2) BRIGHTON SCHOOLS  
0 (At Brighton College Ground) +1 Touched down by W.L.C.Baddeley

Bell's Life 30/11/67 P.9:

Brighton College Fifteen:W.A.Soames,H.Enfield,H.Griffith,W.L.C.Baddeley,W.W.Strode,  
M.Richardson,A.E.Abney,R.H.Deane,C.Newton,C.Maile,Adams,E.A.Baker,Elliott,J.L.Cotton,Mason.

Brighton Schools:Not listed

WED NOV 13<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 WANDERERS 1 (J.B.Martin) (At Vincent Square)

Sportsman 14/11/67 P.3/Sporting Gazette 16/11/67/Pall Mall Gazette 14/11/67 P.7/Bell's Life  
16/11/67 P.9/Field 16/11/67 P.398:

F:"No matches of the season are perhaps more popular with the Westminsterers than those in which they compete with their old Wandering opponents;and on no occasion on which the two clubs have met have we witnessed a more spirited and even contest,the boys playing up more pluckily and with greater energy than they have displayed as yet this season.The game was commenced at about three o'clock,the Wanderers,who had won the toss,electing to kick up to the goal at the lodge end of the square.There was no wind,however,in favour of either party,and the ground was dry,rendering the going especially lively.At the first start the ball fell in the very midst of the rovers,who in their usual determined style carried it down to the Westminster line,and,resolved if possible to secure a first advantage,commenced to direct a heavy fire against the School goal,which was on this occasion wisely entrusted to the care of J.Neill.Notwithstanding the persistent attempts made by the Wanderers to reduce the hostile goal,the defence of the School for some time kept the rovers completely at bay,until J.B.Martin,after a general scrimmage in front of the goal,succeeded in driving the ball between the posts,and thus scoring a goal for the Wanderers.The goals were soon changed, and,with the ball once more thrown up into the air,the fight was resumed.The boys now appeared to play up with greater vigour,as if to regain their lost laurels and several excellent runs,exhibiting a decided improvement in backing up and general style were made by G.H.Lee and E.S.Randolph.On several occasions the ball was taken up dangerously close to the (Wanderers)goal,the entrance to which was guarded by C.M.Tebbut and C.W.Alcock,but with each successive rush the Wanderers rescued their goal from its perilous position,and carried the fight away once more into neutral

ground. Towards the end of the game the contest was kept up with the strictest impartiality, and desperate efforts were made by the forward players of each team to secure some decisive result. More than once did the speedy rushes for the Wanderers made by J.B. Martin and R.M. Thornton seem certain of success, as the ball flew over the tape and on each side of the posts, but the excellent back play of and long kicking displayed for the Westminster by W. Basham stoutly defied all the attacks of the rovers, who, at times, also saw their own territory seriously imperilled by the rapid movements of the School forwards, of whom H. Haden and F.N. Saunders were especially conspicuous during the latter portion of the game. Play was kept up with unceasing vigour until almost half past four o'clock, at which hour time was called, the Wanderers being proclaimed the winners of this stoutly-contested match by one goal."

Westminster School: H. Curteis (Capt.), E.S. Randolph, G.H. Lee, J.C. Smith, F.A. O'Brien, J. Neill (Goal), E. Giles, H. Barron, H.S. Haden, W. Basham, F.N. Saunders.

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock, W. Rivett-Carnac, W.J. Dixon, J.B. Martin, C.M. Tebbut, W.J. Thompson, R.C. Thornton, R.M. Thornton, E.W. Wylde, J.M. Yates, R.D. Elphinstone (+R. Curteis).

+N.B. F/BL both have R. Curteis playing

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 5 (C.E.B. Nepean 3, C.C. Boyle, o.g.) CIVIL SERVICE 0  
(At Under Green, Charterhouse)

Sportsman 14/11/67 P.3/Pall Mall Gazette 14/11/67/Sporting Gazette 16/11/67/Field 16/11/67 P.398:

F: "The first match of the present season was played on Under Green, on Saturday last, the 13<sup>th</sup> inst., and terminated in a very hollow victory for the Carthusians, who scored five goals to none. The clerk of the weather proved very untrue to his character on this occasion, the rain which had threatened during the morning to greet the visit of the Civil Servants to Charterhouse, as it has done regularly of late years, with a heavy downfall, had disappeared, and given way to an unclouded sky, and the servants of the Crown for once revelled in the full consciousness of a fair field on which to exhibit their powers. The Civil Servants won the toss, and elected to occupy the goal at the Cloister end. At 2.45 the ball was kicked off, and by a united rush of the Carthusians was at once taken down to the Civil Service goal. For the first quarter of an hour the sides appeared so evenly matched that hopes were excited of a close and spirited contest, but these were soon dispelled, as the ball, which was taken up by a general rush of the boys, was carried in front of the Civil Service goal, which at last fell to a somewhat lucky kick by C.E.B. Nepean. After the change of goals the game appeared still more in favour of Charterhouse, as in a very short time A.F. Clarke, after a good run down, brought the ball once more in front of the goal defended by the Civil Servants, and here it was well carried on by C.C. Boyle, who succeeded in safely landing it between the two posts. The Civil Servants now tried hard to recover their lost ground, and some brilliant rushes were made for them by J. Kirkpatrick and C. Guy Pym, ably backed up by the excellent play and good kicking of their goal keepers. In spite, however, of all the determined efforts made by the Civil Service, they were utterly powerless to resist the onward march of the Carthusians, whose play appeared to improve in proportion as the game progressed. Soon afterwards a third goal was added to the School score, as E.E. Venables, after a well executed run up into the Service territory, judiciously kicked the ball into the immediate front of the hostile goal, which yielded a second time to the attacks of the wary Nepean. The game was again

recommenced, but no better luck greeted the efforts of the Civil Servants, who soon again witnessed the overthrow of their goal, which fell as before to a kick from the toe of C.E.B. Nepean, after a short run. Time was now nearly up, but still another disaster was reserved for the Civil Servants, as in consequence of an unfortunate mistake of one of their own team, who kicked the ball through his own goal, a fifth goal was added to the heavy score already obtained by the Carthusians, who when time was called consequently remained the victors by five goals. The match, in spite of its apparently one-sided aspect, produced some exciting play, although the boys throughout were vastly superior at all parts of the game to their less practised opponents, whose ranks have been seriously weakened of late by the debility of several of their most prominent players. The Civil Servants, however, must collect a more formidable team than that which represented them on this occasion, before they can hope to compete successfully with such well skilled adversaries as the Carthusians, animated as their play becomes with the recollection of their recent brilliant victories. For the Civil Service, J. Kirkpatrick, C. Guy Pym, and H. Fitzroy Langley worked most energetically throughout the match, while for Charterhouse School, C.E.B. Nepean and E. Venables played well forwards, and J. Taylor lent most valuable assistance back."

Charterhouse School: J.A. Foote (Capt.), C.E.B. Nepean, W. Wallace, E.E. Venables, E. Hammick, H.J. Almond, C.C. Boyle, J. Taylor, F.G. Paulson, A.F. Clarke, R. Dunn.

Civil Service: J. Kirkpatrick, H. Fitzroy Langley, C. Guy Pym, E. Fairfield, A.E. Bateman, R. Babington, J.W. Martyn, P.V. Turner, E. Freeth (absent), J. Russell and C. Allen (Substitutes)

SAT NOV 16<sup>TH</sup> :

FIFTEEN OF UPTON PARK 0 WANDERERS 1 (E.E. Venables) (At Upton Park)

Field 23/11/67 P.424/Bell's Life 30/11/67 P.9/Sporting Gazette 23/11/67/Sportsman 19/11/67 P.3:

F."The first match between these two clubs was played on Saturday last, the 16<sup>th</sup> inst., at Upton Park, the seat of Lady Buxton—a ground endeared to myriads of cricketers by memories of the hard hitting and long scores which have been made on its well-levelled turf, of delicious matches, occasionally enlivened by the introduction of ambrosial coloured cups quaffed under the shade of the grand old trees, opposite to which the well-known stripes of the Cricket Company gracefully wave in the breeze. The Upton Club is now only in the second year of its existence and has been but lately converted from the tenets of the Rugby Code to the laws published by the authority of the Football Association; and it was natural, from the short time allowed its members to comprehend a game new to them, that they should be unwilling to meet a club like the Wanderers, well versed in all the arts and mysteries of football, on equal terms. The game was commenced at about (3).30, the Wanderers, who had been extremely fortunate in winning the toss for choice of goals, which assured them the assistance of the wind, kicking down from the Pavilion end. The Wanderers laboured under two great disadvantages in the length of the grass which made the going heavy for the small band of rovers, and the power of the wind, which gradually rose into a perfect hurricane, and effectually prevented any accuracy in long kicking, or any security in dribbling. At 3.30, however, the Uptonians having arrived, the ball was kicked off by the club captain, and the Wanderers immediately drove it down to the neighbourhood of the home goal, which was for some time exposed to the attacks of the Wandering troupe. After several ineffective attempts to reduce the home goal by means of high kicks, in which a well-known player completely surpassed the most lofty attempts ever made by the

roving high kicker, the Wanderers at last settled down into a more even and healthy style, several good runs down being made by G.G. Kennedy and J.A. Foote, none of which resulted in any decisive success, until E.E. Venables succeeded in directing the ball between the posts. After the change of goals there was but a poor prospect that the Wanderers would be able to resist successfully the attacks of their more numerous adversaries, emboldened by the assistance which they were now in their turn to receive from the wind. For some time the Rovers appeared unable to make much headway against the heavy tide of their opponents, who occasionally made some brilliant rushes against the hostile goal; but superior science enabled the Wanderers successfully to resist the energetic efforts made by the enemy, and even at times to carry the ball into the very heart of the Upton goal. The game was kept up with unabated vigour by the two parties until a quarter to five o'clock put an end to the play, over which, towards the conclusion, darkness had already cast its shade, the Wanderers accordingly being proclaimed the victors by one goal to none."

Upton Park: H. Barnett (Capt.), C.C. Bailey, B. Barnett, F. Barnett, C. Capper, J.H. Capper, J.C. Cobbold, S. Curwen, A.W. Evans, W. Gardner, S.W. Smiles, F. Sweet, F. Wilton, H. Wilton, C.E. Wilson.

Wanderers: W. Rivett-Carnac, W.F. Charles, H. Emmanuel, J.A. Foote, S.T. Holland, G.G. Kennedy, G.H. Lee, J.C. Smith, C.M. Tebbut, P.M. Thornton, E.E. Venables.

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 4 (G. Holden 2, A. Nash, R.S.F. Walker) FOREST SCHOOL 0 (Brentwood Rules) (Return) (At Brentwood)

Field 23/11/67 P.424/Sporting Gazette 23/11/67/Sportsman 19/11/67 P.3/Chelmsford Chronicle 22/11/67 P.8:

F/CC: "Play began in a strong wind blowing nearly straight across the play, but slightly in favour of the Brentwoods, who won the toss. A well-contested game followed for an hour, both sides playing up well, till at length the Foresters were hemmed into their own goal, and the Foresters obtained their first goal through the joint efforts of Laurie and Holden, the latter having the honour, which his play throughout the game deserved, of kicking the ball through. The Brentwoods now had to face the wind, but this appeared to have little effect on them, for the ball being again near their opponents' goal, was well kicked in by Nash, a tower of strength to his side. After this the Foresters appeared to lose much of their wonted spirit, and before the expiration of two hours and a quarter, two more goals were obtained, one by Holden and Walker, and the other by Walker and Nash."

SM: "The Foresters did not seem to play so well together on this occasion as they usually do, which may perhaps be attributed to the fact that they played with Brentwood rules, with which they are totally unacquainted."

Brentwood School: A. Francis (Capt.), +G. Holden, A.W.B. Laurie, +R.S.F. Walker, P. Morgan, S. Morgan, A. Nash, S. Mumford, R. Ogilvie, R. Reid, P. St Quintin, E. Burgess, J.C. Bunbury. +Both Masters: SM

Forest School: H. Tubb (Capt.), E. Titley, T.H. Gascoigne, W.E. Gascoigne, H. Longshaw, H.C. Shuttleworth, J.C. Cotton, S.H. Carver, R.H. Beauchamp, E.T. Gardom, F.J. Poole.

BARNES 0 ROYAL ENGINEERS 0 (At Barnes)

Bell's Life 30/11/67 P.9/Field 23/11/67 P.423 (No teams)

BL: "This match, which resulted in a very good game, was played at Barnes on the 16<sup>th</sup> inst. Play commenced at 3.30, and continued till five o'clock, when the darkness rendered it necessary to leave off. Neither side succeeded in obtaining a goal, the sides being very evenly matched. The Barnes men played one short, but had the advantage of the wind at their backs. Notwithstanding this the ball was generally nearer the Barnes goal than that of their opponents, and had the Royal Engineers won the toss, it is probable they would have obtained at least one goal. For the Barnes side the play of Messrs Graham, Collins, and Barnes was very good, especially that of the last-named player. For the Royal Engineers the whole team played very evenly throughout."

Barnes: R.W. Willis (Capt.), R.G. Graham, J.K. Barnes, S. Le B. Smith, W.R. Collins, G de Castro, Antrobus, J. Mossendew, J. Adams, Lieut. G.H. Marshall (R.A.), Poupard, C.H. Warren, P. Rhodes, P. Pointer.

Royal Engineers: Lieuts. W. Merriman (Capt.), R. Athorpe, E. Stephens, R.R. Pulford, J. Brown, H.S.F. Haynes, F.P. Washington, C.F.C. Beresford, D.M.N. Campbell, D.C. Courtenay, M.H. Purcell, J.E. Broadbent, J.C. Pottinger, A.O. Green, W.G. Morris.

HARROW SCHOOL 3 (J.R. Broadmead, E.S. Carlisle, J. Parsons) OXFORD HARROVIANS 1 (C.L. Kennaway)

Field 23/11/67 P.423/Sporting Gazette 23/11/67/Sportsman 21/11/67 P.4:

F: "The Oxonians, who were commanded by H.F. Pelham, won the toss, and wisely elected to kick up from the lower goal, thus securing the assistance of a strong wind, which was blowing up the ground. The Harrovians in a very short time commenced scoring, as a goal was speedily kicked for them by J.B. Broadmead. Goals were then changed, but still the Oxonians were unable to resist the dashing play of the boys, for whom E.S. Carlisle, by a very good kick, obtained the second goal. From this time the game appeared to me pretty evenly balanced, and on several occasions the Oxonians were dangerously close to the School goal. Their efforts were, however, rewarded by a goal, which fell to C.L. Kennaway, after a very lucky kick along the ground. After this the Harrovians play(ing) up with renewed vigour, succeeded in obtaining another goal, which was kicked for them by J. Parsons; no further score was obtained, and thus the match terminated in favour of the School by three goals to one.."

Harrow School: C.W. Walker, S.W. Gore, F. Carlisle, A.W. Welch, R. Ord, S. Carlisle, A.R. Watney, E.S. Carlisle, J.B. Broadmead, A. Tabor, J. Parsons.

Oxford Eleven: H.F. Pelham, W.J. Robinson, F.J. Greenham, C.L. Kennaway, J.A. Ainslie, J. Thomas, A.W. St Maur, W. St Maur, H. Sibthorpe, S. Higgins, E. Worsley.

ETON COLLEGE 1 rouge MR C.H.H. PARRY'S TEAM 0

Field 23/11/67 P.432/(Not in Eton College Chronicle)

Eton College: W.C. Calvert, T.K. Mc Clintock-Bunbury, M. Horner, E. Warburton, C. Tait, C.J. Thornton, R. Patton, J.M. Carr-Lloyd, H. Lees, R. Russell, Hon A.R. Parker.

Mr C.H.H. Parry's Team: C.H. Parry (Capt.), Kenyon-Slaney, S.K. Douglas, E. Freemantle, K.A. Muir Mackenzie, M.J. Muir Mackenzie, A. Walter, W.D. Benson, F. Johnson, W.J. Frere, A.G. Tindal (Emergency).

WED NOV 20<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 3 (W.Wallace,E.A.Hammick,C.E.B.Nepean) AVENGERS 1(J.M.Yates)  
(At Under Green,Charterhouse)(2<sup>ND</sup> Match)

Sporting Gazette 23/11/67/Field 23/11/67 F.423/Pall Mall Gazette 22/11/67 P.9/Sportsman  
21/11/67 P.4:

F:"The game was not commenced until three o'clock In consequence of the late arrival of two over-tardy members of the Avenging team,who even at that hour could only muster eight representatives,and were consequently compelled to solicit the aid of three substitutes from the School.Shortly after three o'clock the ball was kicked off from the centre of the ground by the Carthusian captain,the Avengers playing up from the Goswell-road goal with a slight wind in their favour.For the first quarter of an hour the fight was kept up chiefly in the upper half of the ground, and the ball on several occasions was driven along by the Strangers almost into the very front of the School goal,which was as usual entrusted to the care of J.Taylor,R.Dunn,and W.Wallace,a very formidable trio of back players.Numerous speedy rushes were also made by the Carthusians,of whom C.E.B.Nepean,C.C.Boyle,and E.E.Venables played with all their wonted energy,but still,in spite of the dangers to which each goal had been exposed,no material advantage was obtained by either team until about twenty minutes after the commencement of the game,when a good run up by W.J.Dixon,J.M.Yates,and A.Baker resulted in the fall of the School goal,which fell to a very well-executed kick by J.M.Yates.After the change of goals the Avengers appeared for some minutes totally unable to cope with their adversaries,who at once worked the ball up to the Avengers' goal near which a constant scrimmage was kept up,varied by the occasional flying kicks at the goal by the watchful Carthusians.The ball was,however,once more carried into neutral ground,and the game was kept up without any apparent advantage to either side,until the Carthusians succeeded in balancing the score already obtained by the Avengers,whose goal fell to a well-directed kick by W.Wallace.Invigorated by this first success,the boys played up in improved form and with redoubled energy,against which the Avengers appeared totally unable to struggle,their play being limited almost strictly to the defence of their goal.Their back play,however,was too uncertain and insecure to stem the onward tide of the Carthusians,who bore down in grand style on the hostile goal.A good run-down by C.C.Boyle,who was,however,overthrown at the very moment of success,and the ball was at once driven along by E.A.Hammick,who safely landed it between the posts.Goals were soon changed and the game,but the energy displayed by the leading Avengers had already commenced to tell its own tale,the Strangers gradually dying away before the ceaseless attacks of the boys,who soon witnessed the third fall of their opponents' goal,which fell to a kick by C.E.B.Nepean,after some good play by H.J.Almond and F.G.Paulson.Only a quarter of an hour now remained for play,and during this short space of time many good attempts were made on the strangers' goal,which was, however,preserved from any further reverse,and when time was called at a quarter past four o'clock the game terminated in favour of the Carthusians by three goals to one.The Avengers appeared greatly distressed by the absence of any competent goalkeeper to defend their goals,as their forward play throughout,more especially in the earlier portions of the game,was excellent.For the Carthusians,C.C.Boyle,E.E.Venables,E.A.Hammick,and H.J.Almond showed good form;while for the Avengers,A.Baker,W.J.Dixon,and R.M.Thornton appeared the most energetic."



Charterhouse School:J.A.Foote(Capt.),C.E.B.Nepean,W.Wallace,E.E.Venables,C.C.Boyle,E.A.Hammick,  
J.Taylor,A.F.Clarke,F.G.Paulson,H.J.Almond,R.Dunn.

Avengers:C.W.ALcock,A.Baker,W.J.Dixon,A.K.Finlay(+A.F.Russell),W.J.Thompson,C.M.Tebbut,C.F.Reid  
,R.C.Thornton,R.M.Thornton(+F.Brown),W.Rivett-Carnac(+W.Walford),J.M.Yates.(SG/F /SM are  
missing Yates in lineup but give as scorer) +Substitutes

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 WEST KENT 0 (At Vincent Square)

Sporting Gazette 23/11/67/Field 23/11/67 P.424/Sportsman 21.11.67 P.4/Pall Mall Gazette  
22/11/67 P.9/Bell's Life 23/11/67:

SM:"Westminster won the toss,and kicked from the upper goal with the wind.The ball was thrown  
up in the air at 3.15,and was kept in the middle of the ground throughout the match.There were  
some good runs down made by J.B.Martin and E.Norman for West Kent and by E.S.Randolph and  
E.Giles for Westminster.For the West Kent Eleven,J.B.Martin,and the brothers Norman(forwards),  
and J.Round and R.Ferguson(backs) played well.For the School,E.S.Randolph,E.Giles,G.H.Lee,and  
F.S.Haden did good service,as did W.Basham back."

Westminster School:H.Curteis,E.S.Randolph,G.H.Lee,J.C.Smith,F.A.O'Brien,J.Neill,H.Barron,  
E.Giles,F.N.Saunders,W.Basham,F.S.Haden.

West Kent:P.Norman,E.Norman,J.B.Martin,J.Round,G.Gurdon,R.N.Ferguson,H.S.Ferguson,  
R.M.Curteis,H.G.Norman,R.(W.)S.Vidal.

THURS NOV 21<sup>ST</sup> :

FOREST SCHOOL Match:North 4 (T.W.Crowther,E.T.Gardom,S.H.Carver,H.Worrall)South 0

Sportsman 28/11/67 P.4/Sporting Gazette 7/12/67 :

North:E.Titley,T.H.Gascoigne,W.E.Gascoigne,H.Longshaw,S.H.Carver,E.T.Gardom,F.J.Poole,  
T.W.Crowther,H.Worrall,H.Smythe,J.Bowers,P.W.Kessler,J.Holt,G.Jobson,F.S.Creswell.

South:H.Tubb(Capt.),H.C.Shuttleworth,J.C.Cotton,R.H.Beauchamp,T.L.Brown,G.Capper,  
E.H.S.J.Shelton,J.B.Ridgway,A.D.Manby,C.B.Cotton,M.V.Huggins,R.W.Abbott,E.B.Beauchamp,  
C.F.Gosnell,J.T.Duncan.(SG has C.P.Gosnell)

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE CLUB 1 (J.C.Hodges) ROBIN HOOD VOLUNTEERS 0 (Meadows Cricket  
Ground,Nottingham)

Sportsman 3/12/67 P.3:

SM:"The Nottinghamshire Club commenced the season on Thursday last,the 21<sup>st</sup> inst.,by playing a  
friendly game with eleven gentlemen connected with the Robin Hood Volunteers,on the Meadows  
Cricket Ground,at Nottingham.The Club,having won the toss,elected to kick off with the wind,and  
after some capital play,Mr J.C.Hodges,on its behalf,scored the first goal.A second game then began,  
but when time was called it remained unfinished,consequently the Club take the credit of winning  
the first."

Notts Club:W.A.Hodges(Capt.),A.B.Baillon,F.Baillon,B.Richard,J.S.Shaw,C.F.Elliott,C.Rothera,  
C.S.Wardle,G.Hine,J.C.Hodges,W.Ward(absent).(Last player added from Notts County History )

R.H.V. :Capt. Deeds(Capt.),Lieut Yates,Ensign Elliott,Sergeants H.Brown and Woodhouse,Privates  
Bevis,M'Craith,Radford,J.Lambert,J.Hack,V.Edwards.

SAT NOV 23<sup>RD</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 3 (S.W.Gore,C.W.Walker 2) WANDERERS 1(G.G.Kennedy)

Field 30/11/67 P.457/Pall Mall Gazette 25/11/67 P.9/Sportsman 28/11/67 P.4:

SM:"The day was gloriously fine,and the ground was unusually dry and lively.The Wanderers were unfortunate in losing the toss,which gave their opponents the advantage of playing down the hill, with the sun at their backs.The ball was kicked off by the School captain at 2.30,and for some time the game appeared most evenly contested,the strangers making some dashing sallies,none of which, however,owing to the absence of perfect backing up,proved successful in achieving the desired result.The boys,however,proved more fortunate,as S.W.Gore got well away with the ball which,after a good run-down,was missed,but falling again into his hands,was at last driven between the posts of the rovers' goal.With the hill to aid them,and the sun to dazzle their opponents,the Wanderers appeared bent on recovering their lost goal,but still,in spite of the attacks made in the very heart of the School territory,fortune declined to smile on their exertions and a series of catches,passed on from one Harrovian to another,at last resulted in the colours of the Wanderers being lowered for the second time,the goal falling to a kick from the toe of C.W.Walker.The ball was,after these two very questionable goals,again kicked off,and after some very good play by the two teams,the star of the School once more appeared in the ascendant,a third goal being added to the School score,the successful kick being made,as in the former case,by C.W.Walker.Undeterred by the succession of reverses which had attended their efforts,the Wanderers kept up a plucky game,and a well-executed run-down by J.A.Cruikshank,followed up by a fine kick into the centre of the ground,carried the ball into the hands of G.G.Kennedy,who,after a good catch,succeeded in scoring a goal for the Wanderers.Play was kept up till 3.45,but the Wanderers were unable to obtain any further score,and thus the match resulted in a victory for the School by three goals to one.The services of an umpire would have been of great value on this occasion,as the first two goals obtained by the School were both questioned by the Wanderers.For the School,C.W.Walker,S.W.Gore,and J.Parsons were the most conspicuous;while for the Wanderers,E.E.Bowen,J.A.Cruikshank,and J.M.Young especially distinguished themselves."

Harrow School:C.W.Walker(Capt.),S.W.Gore,F.Carlisle,R.Ord,S.Carlisle,A.W.Welch,A.R.Watney,  
W.Law(J.Parsons),A.Tabor,E.S.Carlisle(W.H.Rodwell),J.B.Broadmead.

Wanderers:C.W.Alcock,A.Baker,E.E.Bowen,W.Rivett-Carnac,A.J.Crompton,J.A.Cruikshank,  
G.G.Kennedy,C.F.Reid,R.C.Thornton,R.M.Thornton,J.M.Young.

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 6 (S.Morgan,A.E.Francis,Hacon,G.Holden,R.Reid,P. St Quintin)  
21<sup>ST</sup> ESSEX VOLUNTEERS 1 (E.Burgess) (Return Match)(At Brentwood)

Field 30/11/67 P.457/Sportsman 3/12/67 P.3:

F: "The return match between these two clubs was played at Brentwood, on Saturday last, the 23<sup>rd</sup> inst., and resulted in an easy victory for the School. The Brentwoods having won the toss, commenced with the wind and the two teams kept up a well contested fight for half an hour, shortly after which some good play by S. Morgan resulted in the first goal for the Brentwoods. With the wind now in their favour the Rifles drove their opponents to their lines, and E. Burgess seizing his opportunity succeeded in forcing the ball between the posts of the School goal. From this period the game was entirely in the hands of the Brentwoods, who appeared to awake from the listless style in which they had been playing to more vigorous efforts, and goal after goal was added to the School score, until when time was called the game was - Brentwood School, six goals, 21<sup>st</sup> Essex Rifles one goal. The goals for Brentwood were kicked by A. E. Francis, Hacon, G. Holden, R. Reid, and P. St Quintin."

Brentwood School: A. E. Francis (Capt.), Hacon, T. Holden, W. B. Laurie, J. C. Bunbury, Paul, S. Morgan, A. Nash, R. Reed, S. Mumford, P. St Quintin.

21<sup>st</sup> Essex Volunteers: W. Burgess (Capt.), C. Burgess, E. Burgess, J. S. Simmons, D. Moses, F. Penson, B. Cooper, J. Burrell, T. Chalk, S. Pepper, R. Cutts.

CIVIL SERVICE 1 (A. E. Bateman) C.C.C. 0 (At Clapham Common)

Field 30/11/67 P.457/Sportsman 28/11/67 P.4:

F: "These two clubs played a match on Saturday last, the 23<sup>rd</sup> inst., on Clapham Common. The Civil Service, who were on this occasion commanded by R. S. Babington, won the toss, and thus at the commencement secured a slight advantage in playing with the wind. After some spirited play, during which the Civil Service made repeated attacks on the Clapham goal, a very fine run down was made by A. E. Bateman, who again got hold of the ball out of a scrimmage in front of the Clapham posts, and finally succeeded in scoring a goal for the Service. After the change of goals, the C.C.C., led by J. E. Tayloe, who was well backed up by the rest of his team, kept up a heavy fire on their opponents' goal, which, however - thanks to the fine goalkeeping displayed by P. V. Turner, was safely preserved from all hostile attacks, and when time was called, darkness having already for some time been fast closing in, this pleasant and well-contested match was declared in favour of the Civil Service by one goal to none. For the C.C.C., J. E. Tayloe, H. Dealtry, and F. B. Soden worked energetically throughout the game."

Civil Service: R. S. Babington (Capt.), P. V. Turner, A. E. Bateman, E. Fairfield, J. Peat, F. Evelyn, E. Tayloe, S. Townsend and A. Kerr (Substitutes).

C.C.C.: J. E. Tayloe (Capt.), F. B. Soden, H. Dealtry, A. French, J. C. Kerr, B. Hanbury, J. Urlwin, S. Field, J. Elliott, F. Hartung.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 CAMBRIDGE ETONIANS 2 (A. F. Kinnaird, J. M. Yates) (At Vincent Square)

Field 30/11/67 P.457/Pall Mall Gazette 26/11/67 P.9/Sporting Gazette 30/11/67:

F: "At first the Westminsters appeared to have a decided advantage, so many good attempts were made by their forward players on the strangers' lines, none of which however were fraught with any lasting success. Gradually, the Cantabs, warming to their work, began to drive the boys before them, and several good runs were made, which, but for the excellent back play exhibited by F. O'Brien and

W.Basham must have secured the desired result.Eventually,after several swift rushes by F.G.Pelham and A.F.Kinnaird had been cleverly frustrated,a very long and somewhat lucky kick (PMG:"by A.F.Kinnaird") drove the ball between the posts of the Westminster goal.After change of goals some very determined play was shown by the Westminsters,of whom E.S.Randolph and G.H.Lee were the most conspicuous,but all their efforts could not achieve the fall of the coveted goal,in spite of the constant dangers to which it was exposed by the threatening attacks of the boys.Again the Cantabs came to the fore,and a good run down by J.M.Yates,who was ably backed up by W.J.Dixon,resulted in a second goal for the strangers.The game was kept up for a short time longer,but the Westminsters were unable to recover any portion of their lost ground,and thus the match terminated in favour of the Cambridge team by two goals to none."

Westminster School:H.Curteis(Capt.),J.C.Smith,G.Lee,E.S.Randolph,H.Barron,E.Giles,F.Saunders, J.Neill, F.A.O'Brien,W.Basham,F.S.Haden.

Cambridge Etonians:A.F.Kinnaird,Hon.F.G.Pelham,W.Hoare,H.F.Langley,C.Hankey,A.C.Thomas, Hon.T.H.W.Pelham,G.Gossett,J.M.Yates,W.J.Dixon,A.Saunders.

FOREST SCHOOL 18 (H.Tubb 3,T.W.Crowther 3,H.C.Shuttleworth 3,E.T.Gardom 2,E.Titley 2, T.H.Gascoigne,W.E.Gascoigne,S.H.Carver,F.J.Poole) MERCHANT TAYLOR'S SCHOOL 0 (At Walthamstow)

Field 30/11/67 P.457/Sportsman 28/11/67 P.4/Sporting Gazette 7/12/67:

Forest School:H.Tubb(Capt.),E.Titley,T.H.Gascoigne,W.E.Gascoigne,H.C.Shuttleworth,H.Longshaw, J.C.Cotton,S.H.Carver,E.T.Gardom,R.H.Beauchamp,F.J.Poole,T.W.Crowther,H.Worrall,T.L.Brown.

Merchant Taylors' School:F.G.Stratton(Capt.),H.G.Brown,W.H.Chater,C.Capper,F.C.Coxhead, W.H.Dobby, H.D.E.Elam,L.C.Giles,A.T.Goodfellow, H.C.Laycock,L.A.Smith,A.F.Stevens, J.F.Trevitt,A.E.Wells.

ROYAL ENGINEERS 3(Lieut.Pottinger,Lieut Merriman,Lieut Jacob)  
ROYAL MILITARY ACADEMY,Woolwich 0 (15 a side)

Field 7/12/67 P.484/Bell's Life 30/11/67 P.9:

F:" :The match between these clubs was played on Chatham Lines on Saturday,Nov 23.The Engineers having won the toss,the Cadets kicked off from the lower goal;the latter had never before played the rules of the Association,and made in consequence but a poor stand against their opponents,for whom Lieut Pottinger,after a good run-up,soon kicked a goal.The Cadets,now beginning to understand the game better,played up with more spirit,but in vain,for,after some resistance,a second goal was obtained for the R.E. by Lieut Merriman,and soon after a third by Lieut Jacob, Lindsay having previously made a good though unsuccessful try for the Academy.Play continued until nearly dark,when time was called.The Cadets were most hospitably entertained after the match by their antagonists.For the Engineers Major Harrison and Lieuts Barlow,Merriman,Jacob,Pottinger and Morris:and for the Academy Ponsonby,Hill,and Lugard particularly distinguished themselves."

Royal Engineers:Lieut Pottinger(Capt.),Lieut Barlow,Major Harrison,Lieuts Merriman,Washington, Jacob,Broadbent,Seton,Campbell,Green,Morgan,Bogle,Morris,Beresford,Purcell.

Royal Military Academy: Messrs Yerbury, Cotton, Darton, Ponsonby (Capt.), Hill, Lugard, Nicolson, Ord, Lindsay, Davis, Crompton, Rich, Brookes, Law, Hammond.

WINCHESTER SCHOOL 9 LONDON WYKEHAMISTS 7

The Wykehamist Dec. 1867 P. 7 / Field 30/11/67 P. 458:

W: "This match was very exciting throughout, the school being in a minority several times during the game. For the London Wykehamists, Rooke and Hall kicked in very good form, and all the "ups" played well. For the School, Birley and Smith were very successful as behinds; Birley especially kicking very dodgily. Of the "ups", Helme and Strutt were the most conspicuous."

School: H. Helme (1), Hon. C. H. Strutt (2), F. H. Birley (4), A. Brierley, A. K. Cooke (1), E. Durrant, H. B. Gray (1), H. Smith, T. M. Todd, R. W. Wordsworth.

London Wykehamists: C. B. Dimond, A. J. Berger (2), J. Crawley-Boevey, G. Hall (1), J. D. Nairne (1), T. Latham, S. R. Tatham (1), P. C. Tatham, W. P. Thornton, A. W. Rooke (2)

BRIGHTON COLLEGE 2 kick goals and 4 rouge goals (W. A. Soames 4, W. W. Strode, E. Abney)  
LANCING COLLEGE 0 (At Brighton)

Field 30/11/67 P. 458 / Sportsman 3/12/67 P. 3 (Similar reports):

F: "This annual match was played at Brighton, on Saturday. The ground was in good condition, and the day beautifully fine, although a slight shower had fallen in the morning. The toss was won by the Brighton team, who commenced kicking with the wind, and obtained a rouge goal immediately, the ball being touched down by Mr Adams. The goals were then changed, but although the Lancing players had now the advantage of the wind, it was very evident that they were no match for their opponents, and after a determined but short resistance they were compelled again to yield to a kick by Mr Soames. The game was kept up for three quarters of an hour without any further score falling to either team, but at the expiration of that time another rouge goal was added to the score of Brighton College, and this again was soon followed by another. The goals now changed a second time, but still no better luck attended the Lancing players, for when the game was concluded Brighton had gained two kick-goals and four rouge goals to nothing. The Brighton goals were obtained by Mr Soames (4), and Messrs. Strode and Adams."

Brighton College: W. A. Soames, H. Griffith, H. Enfield, M. Richardson, W. W. Strode, W. L. C. Baddeley, (A.) E. Abney, E. A. Rücker, C. Newton, T. Maile, A. Adams, J. L. Cotton.

Lancing College: Not listed.

ETON COLLEGE 1 Goal (J. M. Carr-Lloyd) MR HALL'S ELEVEN 1 Rouge (P. Norman)

Eton College Chronicle 12/12/67 P. 373 / No other source looked for

Eton College: J. R. Sturgis, W. C. Calvert, T. Mc Clintock-Bunbury, M. Horner, E. Warburton, C. Tait, C. J. Thornton, H. Lees, J. M. Carr-Lloyd, R. Russell, G. J. Courthope.

Mr Hall's Eleven: E. Hall, E. Lubbock, P. Norman, E. Norman, Rev G. R. Dupuis, E. C. A (usten-) Leigh, H. W. Mozley, Hon A. Parker, R. C. L. Reade, G. W. Norner, Manley.

TUES NOV 26<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 1(R.Ord) HARROW CHEQUERS 0 (At Harrow)

Field 30/11/67 P.457/Pall Mall Gazette 27/11/67 P.9/Sportsman 28/11/67 P.4:

SM:"This match was played at Harrow,on Tuesday last,the 26<sup>th</sup> inst.The Harrovians were again successful in winning the toss,by which they secured the privelege of playing down the hill,and they also gained the assistance of a stiffish breeze which was blowing down the ground.For some time the two sides appeared to be nicely weighted,as,though the ball was kept chiefly in the neighbourhood of the goal occupied by the boys,still their back play was good enough to resist all the impetuous onslaughts of the enemy.Again and again the ball was driven up that fearful hill by the energetic rushes of C.L.Tupper and R.M.Thornton only to be swiftly returned into the hands of the first line of the Chequers' back players.A good shot at goal fell to J.Parsons after a fine catch,but the kick proved unsuccessful,and the ball was soon kicked off from behind.All the resolute efforts made by the Chequers-and the play of their team was throughout especially good-proved unavailing, as the wind against which they had to contend prevented their long kicks taking effect,and the struggle up against the hill proved too much for the limited amount of steam at their command.At last after several rushes by the boys had been cleverly frustrated,a catch was given to R.Ord some yards distance from the centre of the posts,and a very lucky kick,in which the ball bound off at a tangent,succeeded in securing the overthrow of the Chequers goal.From this period until the expiration of time the Chequers strove hard to recover their lost laurels,and on several occasions the ball approached dangerously close to the School goal,but no success crowned their efforts,and shortly after an easy shot by J.Parsons had carried the ball just over one of the Harrow posts,time was called."

Harrow School:C.W.Walker(Capt.),S.W.Gore,F.Carlisle,R.Ord,S.Carlisle,A.R.Watney,A.W.Welch, E.S.Carlisle,W.Law,A.Tabor,W.H.Rodwell.

Harrow Chequers:C.L.Tupper(Capt.),C.W.Alcock,E.E.Bowen,J.A.Cruikshank,G.G.Kennedy, R.C.Thornton, R.M.Thornton,J.M.Young,+Lord Kilmarnock,+J.B.Broadmead,+J.Parsons.(+last 3 are School Substitutes)

WED NOV 27<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW CHEQUERS 1 (C.L.Tupper) WANDERERS 0 (At Oxford University)

Field 30/11/67 P.457/Pall Mall Gazette 28/11/67 P.9/Sportsman 30/11/67 P.3:

SM:"On Wednesday last the Wanderers journeyed down to Oxford to try conclusions with their old opponents,the Harrow Chequers.Play was commenced at two o'clock,the Wanderers,having won the toss,kicking down from the upper goal.The rules played on this occasion were those now usually adopted in College matches at Oxford-the Harrow Rules without catching.The Wanderers were at the commencement of the game much pressed by their opponents,who kept up an incessant fire on the Rovers' goal,though for some time without success.The forward play of the Chequers,which was throughout superior to that displayed by the Wanderers,kept the ball well in the neighbourhood of the upper goal,which on several occasions narrowly escaped a fall.Notwithstanding the very occasionally brilliant attempts made by the Wanderers to force the ball away from their lines,the

excellent back play of P.Milbanke and A.F.Pelham was too good to allow any decided success, and nothing eventful occurred until a run down by J.F.Gibson carried the ball into the immediate front of the rovers' goal posts, between which, in consequence of an untimely fall which happened to the goal-keeper, it was successfully driven by C.L.Tupper. After the change of goals, the Wanderers played up in better form, and several well-executed runs were made up to the Chequers' goal, against one of the poles of which the ball was once carried by a kick from the toe of A.C.Johnson. In spite, however, of the resolute style in which both teams worked towards the conclusion of the game, and the numerous scrimmages which took place in front of the Harrow goal, no further score was achieved by either party, and thus, when time was called at 3.15, victory rested with the Harrow Chequers by one goal to none. Some good play was shown during the match, but there appeared to be too much charging on the part of the Harrow men, and the game was thus less lively than we usually witness in the matches played according to the rules of the Football Association. Football appears to us to have a higher aim than can possibly be gained by the pushing and charging which so disfigures many of the chief styles. For the Wanderers, S.K.Douglas, C.E.Bickmore, and K.Muir-Mackenzie were the most prominent. For the Chequers, W.T.Langford, E.Greenham, and C.L.Tupper, forward; and P.Milbanke and H.Pelham, back, especially distinguished themselves."

Harrow Chequers: C.L.Tupper (Capt.), P.Milbanke, C.L.Kennaway, H.F.Pelham, W.T.Langford, E.Greenham, R.Digby, J.F.Gibson, W.C.Eaton, W.G.Robinson, H.Waldo-Sibthorp, H.J.Scovell.

Wanderers: C.W.Alcock, E.Henry, S.T.Holland, C.E.Bickmore, K.Muir-Mackenzie, J.Thomas, W.Wallace, S.H.West, E.C.Bovill, S.F.Lucas, S.K.Douglas, A.C.Johnson.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1 (F.S.Haden) AMATEUR ATHLETIC CLUB 1 (L.De Michele) (At Vincent Square)

Sportsman 3/12/67 P.3/Pall Mall Gazette 28/11/67 P.9/Bell's Life 30/11/67 P.9/Sporting Life 30/11/67 P.4:

SL: "The Amateurs were unfortunately disappointed at the last moment in some of their best players and had recourse to substitutes who were scarcely up to the required standard, otherwise the result would probably have been different. The School won the toss, and commenced kicking down. For the first quarter of an hour the Amateurs did not appear to warm to their work, while the boys played vigorously and worked well together, and their efforts were rewarded by a well-earned goal, which, however, might have been saved by a little more exercise of judgment on the part of the goal-keepers. On changing sides, the Amateurs showed a decided improvement on their previous form, and kept the ball continually in dangerous proximity to the School goal, and although the boys occasionally made good and effective rushes, the ball was immediately carried back by the speedy athletes, who at length succeeded in driving it through the desired space. After this the Amateurs continued to have the best of the game until its termination, and once or twice were within an ace of scoring a second goal; however, when time was called the honours of victory rested with neither side. For the Amateurs, Pym and Kennedy worked energetically throughout, while Randolph and Smith did good service for the School."

SM: "Play began at 3.15, and soon a goal was got for the School by F.S.Haden after a good run down. Sides were now changed, and the Westminsters had slightly the best of it, and kept their adversaries on the defence till, after a run down by Kennedy, there was a scrimmage in front of the School goal, Michle kicking the ball through the goal."

Westminster School:H.Curteis,E.S.L.Randolph,G.H.Lee,J.C.Smith,J.Neill,F.A.O'Brien,  
H.Barron,E.Giles,F.N.Saunders,W.Basham,F.S.Haden.

Amateur Athletic Club:A.K.Finlay(Capt.),C.F.Reid,C.Guy Pym,G.G.Kennedy,J.T.Goldney,T.Milvain,  
W.J.Dixon,H.W.Lawrence,J.B.Martin(+R.M.Curteis),W.Collett(+H.E.Rawson),L.De Michele.  
+Substitutes

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL Match :Gown Boys 1 (C.E.B.Nepean) School 1 (H.Cameron)(At Under  
Green)

Field 7/12/67 P.483:

Gown Boys:J.A.Foote,C.E.B.Nepean,E.E.Venables,E.A.Hammick,H.J.Almond,C.C.Boyle,F.G.Paulson,  
A.F.Clarke,R.Dunn,A.F.Russell,J.Inglis.

School:W.Wallace,J.Taylor,J.M.Russell,C.Allan,W.Matthews,H.Cameron,G.Poynder,W.Walford,  
C.Pattinson,J.C.Horman,E.Richards.

THURS NOV 28<sup>TH</sup> (2<sup>nd</sup> game at Oxford University)

OXFORD UNIVERSITY 1 (W.W.Phipps) WANDERERS 0

Field 30/11/67 P.457-458/Sporting Gazette 30/11/67/Sportsman 30/11/67 P.3:

F."The match between these teams-the second and more important of the two contests in which the Wanderers have taken part at Oxford during the present week-was played on Thursday last,the 28<sup>th</sup> inst.The scene of action was a piece of ground in the parks devoted to the Eton and Harrow games,as in the match of the previous day,but this was the only point of similarity between the two matches,as on this occasion the heavy cheese of Harrow had given place to the light and tiny ball of Eton,and the hybrid mixture of the Harrow and Westminster Codes,used in the contest with the Harrow Chequers,had been wisely superseded by the laws of the Football Association.The Oxonians, though not perhaps represented by the best team at their command,were nevertheless sufficiently formidable to insure a good match,as several of the most prominent players from the different colleges had responded to the call of their captain.Two o'clock had been fixed as the hour of commencement,but in consequence of the late arrival of many of the principal performers,it was nearly half-past two before the two parties divided to occupy their respective positions.The Wanderers were once more successful in winning the toss,though there was an entire absence of any wind to render this stroke of fortune of any material advantage to them.The ball was kicked off by C.H.H.Parry for the Oxonians,who occupied the upper goal.At first the game was carried on chiefly in neutral ground,neither side apparently being able to exhibit any proofs of superiority.The first event of any importance was an excellent run down made for the Wanderers by K.Muir Mackenzie,who dribbled the ball successfully from the lower goal past all his opponents,and almost forced it into the heart of the Oxonian lines.This was speedily followed by another good rush by C.E.Bickmore,R.S.Bridges,and R.Digby,the last of whom all but secured the fall of the Varsity goal,the ball unfortunately passing directly over one of the posts.After the kick off from behind the aspect of affairs underwent a decided change,as the plucky charges and good dribbling of A.F.Walter and R.W.Howard for Oxford gradually forced the Wanderers back into their own lines,in which several severe scrimmages took place,from one of which a good kick by S.G.Freemantle proved almost fatal



to the Wanderers. After this the play once more assumed an even aspect, and as the game progressed the strengths of the two teams appeared nicely balanced, and but for a piece of bad luck, which prostrated the Rovers' goalkeeper at an important crisis, no doubt we should have had to chronicle a drawn match. At length a good kick by one of the Oxford back players drove the ball over the heads of the main body of players into the front of the Wanderers' goal keeper, who unfortunately fell in the act of kicking, and therefore gave an easy chance to W.W. Phipps, who after a short though well executed run, succeeded in landing the ball in the little gateway between the post of the Rovers' goal. Play was continued until half-past three o'clock, but the Wanderers were never able to again approach in any dangerous proximity to the Oxford goal, and when time was called the honours of victory fell to the University. The absence of all the charging which so marred the contest of the previous day, made the play very spirited, and rendered the match most enjoyable. For Oxford, A.F. Walter, S.G. Freemantle, and W.W. Phipps, forward; C.H.H. Parry and P. Milbanke, back, especially distinguished themselves; while for the Wanderers, K. Muir Mackenzie and H. Richardson did good service."

Oxford University: W.W. Phipps (Capt.), C.H.H. Parry, S.G. Freemantle, C.E. Buckland, E.B. Michell, R.W. Howard, F. Holland, A.F. Walter, P. Milbanke, S.K. Douglas (A. Wadeson). (SM/F have last player in brackets but not SG)

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock, C.E. Bickmore, R.S. Bridges, R. Digby, E. Henry, H.F. Pelham, K. Muir Mackenzie, E. Greenham, H. Richardson, M. Muir Mackenzie (absent), E.C. Bovill (absent)

SAT NOV 30<sup>TH</sup> :

C.C.C. 1 (Fanshawe) BARNES 0 (At Clapham)

Field 7/12/67 P.483/Sportsman 7/12/67 P.4:

F: "This match was played at Clapham, on Saturday last, Nov 30. At the commencement of the game the Barnes men kept ball well up towards their adversaries' goal. This advantage was, however, but momentary, as the C.C.C., with the wind in their favour, soon drove the ball back into the vicinity of the Barnes goal, where it remained until a kick by Fanshawe achieved a score for Clapham. The goals were now changed, but notwithstanding the advantage derived from the wind, Barnes, when time was called, had not scored, and thus the match was declared in favour of the C.C.C. by one goal. The weather was most unpropitious, a heavy rain falling throughout the game; but, in spite of this unpleasant adjunct, both sides played well."

C.C.C. : J.E. Tayloe (Capt.), H. Dealtry, C. Davison, Fanshawe, P.V. Turner, J. Urlwin, F.B. Soden, A. French, Eliot, F.M. Hartung, C.C. Dacre. (SM has P.O. Turner and Elliott)

Barnes : R.W. Willis (Capt.), R.G. Graham, A. Wooton, H. Adams, W.R. Collins, S. Le B. Smith, H.D. Marshall, A.M. Roberts, Carr, E. Weston, J.K. Barnes. (SM has D.M. Roberts)

UPTON PARK 0 FOREST SCHOOL 1 ("after a short scrimmage") (At Upton Park)

Field 7/12/67 P.482/Sportsman 7/12/67 P.3:

F: "The ball was started at 3.15 in a drizzling rain, which kept on incessantly throughout the game. For the first few minutes the sides seemed very evenly matched, the ball being kept in the centre of the

ground; soon, however, a brilliant rush down of the Foresters brought the ball close in front of the Upton posts, between which, after a short scrimmage, it was successfully driven. With the change of goals each side worked with renewed vigour, and again and again was each goal in turn endangered by the repeated attacks of the forward players. Towards the end of the game, however, the Foresters completely penned their opponents, whose goal was greatly endangered by their constant fire."

Upton Park: H.W. Barnett (Capt.), H.A. Alexander, F. Barnett, C. Capper, J.H. Capper, J.C. Cobbold, A.W. Evans, A.M. Fell, W. Gardner, A.M. Jones, M. Jutsum, A. Sweet, F. Wilton, H. Wilton, C.E. Wilson.

Forest School: H. Tubb (Capt.), E. Titley, T.H. Gascoigne, H. Longshaw, H.C. Shuttleworth, J.C. Cotton, S.H. Carver, R.H. Beauchamp, E.T. Gardom, F.J. Poole, T.W. Crowther, T.L. Brown, H. Worrall, E.H.S.J. Shelton, J.B. Ridgway.

NO NAMES 1 (A. Bird) WANDERERS 0 (At Kilburn)

Field 7/12/67 P.482/Sportsman 3/12/67 P.3:

F: "A match between the above clubs was played at Kilburn, on Saturday last, Nov 30. After having endured for years the odium attached to the occupation of their first ground in Edgware-road, which secured them the unenviable title of the "mudlarks", and having for some time endeavoured to cast themselves in more pleasant places, the "No Names" have at last found for themselves a local habitat in the neighbourhood of St Mark's Church, Priory Road, Kilburn. A worse ground it has never been our lot to witness, as in addition to the long grass, which completely defeats all attempts at dribbling, the goals are judiciously placed with a ditch intersecting the very centre of the space devoted to play, and we fancy, after a first hand experience, such as the Wanderers must have suffered on Saturday last, few clubs will be venturesome enough to attempt a match attended with such unfavourable surroundings. At three o'clock only seven members of the Roving team had appeared at the appointed rendezvous, and with the assistance of an emergency, attracted to the scene of action no doubt by the auspicious weather, the seven Wanderers, who had lost the toss, and consequently had to play against the wind, opened the fight against eleven of their opponents. For some time, in spite of the discouraging dampness of the atmosphere, the soaking rain which fell throughout the entire course of the game, the heaviness of the ground, and the great difficulty experienced extricating the ball from the depths of the "N.N.'s" ditch, the play was kept up with great spirit, several players exhibiting a totally unlooked for proficiency in sliding. The numbers of the "N.N.'s" soon began to take effect, and the ball was gradually driven towards the Rovers' goal, which was well defended throughout by J.M. Yates. A good run down the side of the ground by A. Baker, a vain attempt made by one of the Wanderers to keep his footing, and the ball sped along into the centre of the Rovers' goal, whence a good kick by A. Bird safely landed in the desired space between the posts. From this period until the conclusion of the game the N.N.'s kept up a constant fire on the Rovers' goal, which, however, thanks to good keeping, survived all the attacks made against it, and darkness shortly afterwards put an end to the game, the N.N.'s being proclaimed the victors by one goal to none. For the N.N.'s, C.J. Morrice, H.N.B. Good, A. Fleet, and S.T. Holland played well; while of the Wanderers, J.M. Yates, G.G. Kennedy, and A. Thompson appeared most at home on a slippery surface."

No Names: S.T. Holland (Capt.), A. Bird, A. Baker, C.M. Tebbut, A. Fleet, V. Borradaile, H.N.B. Good, C.M. Green, Dr. Morton, C.J. Morrice, H. Emanuel.

Wanderers:G.G.Kennedy,E.Giles,W.J.Dixon,J.M.Yates,W.Rivett-Carnac,A.Thompson,A.W.Charles,  
R.C.Thornton(absent),R.M.Thornton(absent),E.W.Wylde(absent),P.Rhodes(absent),J.D.Collins(Substitute)

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 3 (C.E.B.Nepean 2,J.A.Foote) AMATEUR ATHLETIC CLUB 1(P.M.Thornton)  
(At Under Green,Charterhouse)

Field 7/12/67 P.483/Sporting Gazette 7/12/67/Sportsman 3/12/67 P.3/Bell's Life 7/12/67/Pall Mall Gazette 3/12/67 P.9:

F:"The first match in which these two clubs have been pitted against each other took place on Under Green,on Saturday last,Nov 30.The result was an easy victory for the Carthusians,who scored three goals to one kicked by their opponents.At the hour appointed for a meeting only six Amateurs had put in an appearance,and after a quarter of an hour's delay,no further reinforcements having arrived,the strangers resolved to commence operations with the assistance of four substitutes lent by the School.At three o'clock the fight began with a kick off by the Charterhouse captain,who having won the toss,elected to kick from the upper end of the ground towards the chapel goal.At first the play of the two teams appeared strictly even,as the ball was driven to and fro by the forward players of each party without any partiality to either end,and several well-executed runs up were made into the neighbourhood of the rival goals.The Carthusians,however,were the first to score,as after some good play C.E.B.Nepean obtained a goal for the School.After the change of sides the Amateurs redoubled their efforts,and P.M.Thornton,who worked most energetically for his side throughout the game,succeeded in passing the ball past the last goalkeeper of the Carthusians,and safely landed it between the posts of the School goal.With affairs thus equalised an interesting contest was expected,but fortune proved adverse to all such hopes,as the rain which had threatened during the morning now began to fall heavily,considerably dampening the ardour of the players,and causing the turfless surface of Under Green to assume the aspect of one gigantic greasy and slippery slide.The boys,however,appeared more at home under these unpropitious circumstances than their opponents,whose attempts at running,or even standing,proved wholly unsuccessful,and the game was during the remainder of the play entirely in the hands of the Carthusians,who obtained two more goals,kicked by J.A.Foote and C.E.B.Nepean,and,but for an absence of the dash so conspicuous in their usual style,might have considerably increased the score they achieved.How the match would have terminated had the weather continued fine throughout,it is very difficult to say;but the Amateurs appeared at a great disadvantage after the rain,which rendered them totally unequal to the task of struggling successfully against the slippery state of the ground.For the Carthusians C.E.B.Nepean exhibited all his usual excellence of style,while J.A.Foote and C.C.Boyle also lent valuable assistance.For the Amateur Athletic Club P.M.Thornton and A.W.T.Daniel were most conspicuous;the substitutes also did good service."

Charterhouse:J.A.Foote(Capt.),C.E.B.Nepean,W.Wallace,E.E.Venables,J.Taylor,  
E.A.Hammick,C.C.Boyle,H.J.Almond,R.Dunn,A.F.Clarke,F.G.Paulson.

Amateur Athletic Club:P.M.Thornton(Capt.),A.W.T.Daniel,C.F.Reid,T.Williams,A.D.Clark,F.W.Brown,  
+C.Allan,+W.Matthews,+F.Brown,+T.C.Hooman.(+School substitutes)

HARROW SCHOOL 1 (O.G.) CAMBRIDGE HARROVIANS 2(L.Ogden,E.E.Bowen) (At Harrow School)

Sportsman 3/12/67 P.3/Field 7/12/67 P.483/Bell's Life 7/12/67/Pall Mall Gazette 2/12/67 P.9:

SM:"The Cantabs appeared in great force, and proved the most formidable team against which the boys have had to contend this season. The toss was won by the School, who elected to kick down the hill from the upper goal. The ball was quickly taken up to the School goal, in the neighbourhood of which it was kept for some time, the boys apparently being unable to repel the attacks of their opponents. At last a united rush down drove the ball away from the vicinity of the School goal, and a good catch was made by J. Parsons, in front of the goal occupied by the Cambridge party. The kick, however, only proved a "poler" and the ball was again kicked off. The Cantabs now played up with great energy, and their efforts were rewarded by the fall of the School goal, the successful kick being made by L. Ogden. After the change of goals no better luck awaited the boys, as after a few minutes' more play a second goal was added to the score of the Cantabs, through the agency of E. E. Bowen. The School now worked with redoubled energy to avert the defeat which appeared imminent, and several runs-up attested to the superior style of backing-up exhibited by the boys, who soon succeeded in obtaining a goal, after a good run by S. W. Gore, the Cambridge goalkeeper, owing to an unfortunate mishap, slipping in front of the posts, and kicking the ball through his own goal. For the Cambridge team, H. H. Montgomery was most conspicuous, while R. N. Russell and W. B. Money also did good service. For the School, S. W. Gore and A. R. Watney played in their usual form. We may add that this is the first defeat suffered by the Harrovians during the present season."

Harrow School: C. W. Walker (Capt.), S. W. Gore, F. Carlisle, A. W. Welch, R. Ord, S. Carlisle, A. R. Watney, W. Law, A. Tabor, W. H. Rodwell, E. S. Carlisle, J. B. Broadmead, J. Parsons.

Cambridge Harrovians: R. N. Russell (Capt.), H. H. Montgomery, W. B. Money, E. E. Bowen, Sir W. H. R. Folkes, F. G. Templar, J. S. Holmes, J. E. Peel, A. Peel, P. Bourne, F. R. Broughton, F. Moore, L. Ogden. (PMG has P. Bouverie for P. Bourne)

CRYSTAL PALACE Match: First XI 0 The Club (22) 1 (Scott: long shot in the absence of goalkeeper)

Field 7/12/67 P.482/Bell's Life 7/12/67 Sportsman 3/12/67 P.3:

First XI: W. J. C. Cutbill (Capt.), A. C. Cutbill, C. Huggins, J. Cockerell, D. Allport, W. Allport, H. Lloyd, A. Lloyd, J. Sharland, Butterfield, W. F. Parr.

HARROW CHEQUERS 1 (P. Milbanke) RADLEY COLLEGE 1 (A. E. Ommanney) (At Radley)

N.B. Football Annual 1868 has Harrow Chequers 1 (P. Milbanke) Charterhouse School 0 : cannot trace in History or elsewhere.

Field 7/12/67 P.483/Sportsman 7/12/67 P.4/Bell's Life 14/12/67 P.9:

SM:"There was a strong wind blowing "all anyhow", which gave no great advantage to either goal, but the strangers, who won the toss, chose the Oxford end of the ground. There was a good deal of loose play on the part of the Chequers at the beginning, and indeed throughout the game, of which the Radleians took advantage, and several times endangered their opponents' goal. A well-aimed kick sent the ball just over the pole, and roused the Chequers to the sense of their position. Some spirited play on the part of Langford and Thomas conveyed the ball to the opposite end of the ground, and several good kicks by Digby were admirably stopped by Evans, the Radley goal-keeper, who, not

satisfied with serving his own goal,seldom parted with the ball until he encountered the Chequer back players.At last a very fine kick by Milbanke secured the long-coveted result,and a goal was scored against the School.After some good rushes,and general all-together play,where it was hard to distinguish individual performances on the part of Radley,Ommaney ran the ball well down the centre,the goal-keeper slipped down,and so the game was once more even.The rain,which had been coming down steadily all the game,now redoubled its fury,and the ground got very slippery,and no further goal was obtained."

Harrow Chequers:C.L.Kennaway(University),H.F.Pelham(Trinity),E.K.Long(Christ Church),  
+T.Greenham(University),R.Thomas(Magdalen),A.Surtees(C.C.C.),W.T.Langford(University),  
R.Digby(New),P.Milbanke(Christ Church),H.Richardson(C.C.C.)(Capt.),J.H.Morgan(Trinity),  
W(C.).Eaton(Magdalen),H.(Waldo-)Sibthorpe(Magdalen),C.L.Tupper(C.C.C.)(absent).

(+SM has J.Greenham and BL has W.Greenham)BL has slightly different HC team

Radley College:E.S.Roscoe.A.E.Ommaney,W.H.Young,K.E.Barrow,H.E.Burgess,T.H.Houblon,  
H.Chadwick, C.E.Yard,H.C.Maul,S.H.Ackroyd,J.Mair,E.M.Prothero,H.M.Evans,B.N.Akroyd,A.Tyler.(BL)

BRAMHAM COLLEGE 6 THE HULL CLUB 0 (At Bramham College)

Field 7/12/67 P.483:

F:"This match was played on Saturday,the 30<sup>th</sup> ult.,on the ground of the latter,and resulted in an easy victory for Bramham,who scored six goals in the short space of two hours.The game was played according to the Association Rules.Hull won the toss,and chose to kick in the direction of the house goal.Play commenced at 12.45 pm.Bramham soon ran the ball up to their opponents' goal,and after a struggle of about half an hour's duration,kicked their first goal.After each kick off the ball was rapidly taken down to the Hull goal,whose defenders laboured in vain against the superior numbers of their opponents,who had fifteen to their twelve,the superior activity of Bramham made the weight of their adversaries of no avail.

T.Plint and E.Hill were excellent backs;and Potts,Sager,and R.Plint,as half-backs,successfully resisted almost every attempt to carry the ball through them;the rest as ups displayed considerable activity. This is the second match which the Bramham Club has played this season,the former one,with the Leeds Grammar School,terminated in an easy victory for Bramham,who secured three goals to their opponents none."

Bramham College:T.Plint(Capt.),R.Plint,R.C.Richards,G.Hill,A.Ballance,J.Burneyeat,H.C.Waud,W.Lang,  
C.H.Potts,A.E.Mellor,G.L.Batley,A.L.Knight,W.Sager,A.Turner,G.A.Milligan.

Hull Club:E.Waltham(Capt.),R.J.Wade,A.Spratt,F.Brodrick,F.H.Galloway,H.Saxelby,E.Bromley ,  
R.E.Turnbull,E.A.Wade,F.S.Kelsey,J.R.W.Eldridge,G.Jackson.

WINCHESTER Game:

SCHOOL 7 OXFORD WYKEHAMISTS 6

Wykehamist Dec 1867 P.8/Field P.484:

W: "The match began about twelve o'clock, and the School soon obtained the first goal. To this they added a second; and soon after the game was 4-1. After "time to change", however, the Old Wykehamists, by the aid of the wind, succeeded in reaching the score of their opponents, notwithstanding the desperate efforts of the latter. The School soon after obtained their seventh goal, the last kicked. The Old Wykehamists were within an ace of getting a goal several times after this, but they never quite succeeded. We were surprised to see the School carry a large number of the "hots" against the great weight of their opponents."

School: S.H. Gatty, H. Helme(2), Hon. C.H. Strutt, F.H. Birley(3), F.C. Barnes, A. Brierley, A.K. Cook, E. Durrant, H.B. Gray, F.T. Green, C.H. Jopp, J.W. Lyte, H. Smith, T.M. Todd(1), R.W. Wordsworth(1).

Oxford: J.C. Adams(1), T.L. Bullock(2), F.R.S. Bowen(1), H.B. Deane, S.K. Douglas(1), A.G. Hastings, F. Haygarth(1), A. Kemble, J.N. Pyke, C.B. Phillips, W.R. Randall, E.A. Robinson, C.F. Rogers, R.B. Schomberg, L.L. Shadwell.

ETON WALL Game:

COLLEGERS 1 shy OPPIDANS 2 shies

Upon St Andrew's Day 1841-1901 P.27/Sportsman 3/12/67 P.3/Eton College Chronicle 12/12/67 P.372:

USAD: "Notwithstanding the disadvantage under which the Collegers were labouring, having lost Armitstead, their best wall, their play was most excellent throughout the match, and though the Oppidans obtained two shies to their opponents' one, they cannot be said to have had the best of it, as many bullies were formed near the Oppidan calx during the last half hour. The play of Horner, Thornton, and the seconds, Calvert and Bunbury, for the Oppidans, was most worthy of note; while Goldie, Freeth, Wynne-Jones, and Dowding did all they knew to avert defeat from their side."

Collegers: H.W. Wodehouse, W.M. Carter, W.M. Browne(Walls), J.W. Wynne-Jones, F.T. Dowding (Seconds), J.H.D. Goldie, H. Freeth, T.H. Gould(Outsides), J. Maude, A.G. Tindal, G.W. Prothero(Behinds), (F.E. Armitstead)(12<sup>th</sup> Man).

Oppidans: M. Horner, C. Entwisle, G.J. Courthope(Walls), T. Mc Clintock-Bunbury, W.C. Calvert (Seconds), J.R. Sturgis, R. Russell, Hon A.R. Parker(Outsides), C.J. Thornton, H. Lees, R.C.L. Reade (Behinds), W.F. Tritton((12<sup>th</sup> Man).

WED DEC 4<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 2(F.G. Paulson, C.E.B. Nepean) WEST KENT 1 (A. Baker)  
(At Under Green, Charterhouse)

Sportsman 5/12/67 P.3/Field 7/12/67 P.484/Pall Mall Gazette 5/12/67 P.9/Sporting Gazette 7/12/67:

SM: "A match was played at Charterhouse yesterday between the above clubs, which terminated in favour of the Carthusians by two goals to (one). The weather was far from favourable, an unwholesome fog covering the Green, while the ground, hardened by the late frosts, presented a slippery surface fatal to all hopes of turning or dribbling the ball. In spite, however, of the dismal

surroundings, the two teams prepared for the contest, and about ten minutes to three o'clock the ball was kicked off by the Carthusian captain, whose forces occupied the Cloister goal. Shortly after the commencement of the game the boys made a desperate attack on the Kentish goal, which finally succumbed to a kick by F.G. Paulson. After the change of goals the game resumed, but the play seemed somewhat tame and uninteresting as the difficulty experienced in travelling militated considerably against the exhibition of any form worthy of especial notice. R. Dunford occasionally made some good runs for the men of West Kent, and E. Norman and A. Baker also at times drove the ball into the immediate neighbourhood of the School goal, which was as usual well defended by J. Taylor. The difficulty of turning appeared to tell considerably on the less sturdy Carthusians, and their forward play from this cause lacked something of its wonted excellence, but C.E.B. Nepean never showed in better form than on this occasion. At last a little delay on the part of one of the School goal-keepers left the ball in the possession of A. Thompson, by whom it was kicked into the centre of the ground, and thence by A. Baker safely landed between the posts of the School goal. Again goals were changed, and several good runs up by P. Norman and R. Durnford almost secured the overthrow of their opponents' goal, but still the game was carried on with great equality until a very fine run by C.C. Boyle, C.E.B. Nepean, and E.E. Venables, followed by a well-aimed kick by C.E.B. Nepean, resulted in the fall of the strangers' goal. Shortly after the call of time announced the conclusion of the game, the Carthusians thus securing a well-earned victory by one goal. For the West Kent, R. Durnford, P. Norman, A. Baker, and C.M. Tebbut played well. For the Carthusians, C.E.B. Nepean was especially conspicuous, while E.E. Venables and J. Taylor also did good service."

Charterhouse: J.A. Foote (Capt.), C.E.B. Nepean, W. Wallace, E.E. Venables, C.C. Boyle, H.J. Almond, E.A. Hammick, J. Taylor, F.G. Paulson, A.F. Clarke (A.R. Russell), R. Dunn.

West Kent: P. Norman (Capt.), E. Norman, H.G. Norman, E.O. Berens, R. Durnford, A. Thompson, H. Morris, R.N. Ferguson, E. Henry, C.M. Tebbut, A. Baker.

N.B. WANDERERS v HITCHIN (At Hitchin) was postponed (See Feb 20<sup>th</sup> Field report on rearranged game below).

SAT DEC 7<sup>TH</sup> : :

NO NAMES 1 (C.M. Green) C.C.C. 0 (At Kilburn)

Field 14/12/67 P.503/Sportsman 10/12/67 P.1:

F: "At the time appointed only eight members of the C.C.C. had put in an appearance, and with this number the Clapham party were compelled to play throughout. The Clapham captain won the toss, and elected to kick down from the upper goal with the wind in his favour. Owing doubtless to the numerical weakness of their opponents, the N.N.'s were able to keep the ball constantly in the neighbourhood of the upper goal, upon which several dashing though unsuccessful attempts were made. Many good runs were made by the forward players of the C.C.C., but their paucity of numbers here again effectually prevented their success, and they were soon forced back to their own lines. No material advantage was obtained until just before time was called when a kick by C. Green secured the fall of the Clapham goal, and a victory for the N.N.'s."

N.N.'s : H. Baker (Capt.), S.T. Holland, C. Green, E.N.B. Good, C. Morice, A. Fleet, O. Trinder, J. Nicholas, C. Tebbut, P. Trower, L. Sweeting.

C.C.C. :J.E.Tayloe(Capt.),F.B.Soden,P.V.Turner,H.Wilkinson,G.C.Gordon,A.Townsend,  
F.M.Hartung,M.Elliott.

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 0 WALTHAMSTOW CLUB 1 (S.Roquette) (At Brentwood)

N.B.Not Dec 14<sup>th</sup> as stated in FA 1868

Bell's Life 21/12/67 P.9/Sportsman 21/12/67 P.3/Field 21/12/67 P.525/Chelmsford Chronicle  
20/12/67 P.5:

CC:" .....it was agreed that seven of Walthamstow should play eight of Brentwood."

SM:"For some time no material advantage was gained by either side-the play being most even-but  
the long kicks of Mr Laurie,combined with the excellent dribbling of Nash and Holden,told well for  
the School.All to no purpose,however,for their adversaries evidently meant business,being well on  
the alert and full of dash;they kept well together,and at length,after a brilliant run down by M'Leod  
and Richfield,a goal was well kicked for Walthamstow by S.Rouquette."

Brentwood School:Rev. E.Francis(Capt.),Laurie,Holden,Nash,Burgess,Ogilvie,Mumford,St Quintin.

Walthamstow Club:P.Roquette(Capt.),S.Roquette,A.Borwick,J.Borwick,Lichfield,M'Leod,C.Hibbert.

WED DEC 11<sup>TH</sup> :

BRIGHTON COLLEGE 4 goals 2 rouges HARROW XII 0 (At Brighton)

Sportsman 14/12/67 P.3/Field 14/12/67 P.503(See reports for scorers):

Brighton College:Soames,Griffith,Enfield,Abney,Newton,Adams,Cotton,Maile,Mason,  
Elliott,Greig,Balfour.

Harrow 12 included:Walker,Rodwell,Reid,Wood(short:therefore filled up from 2<sup>nd</sup> 12 of the College).

THURS DEC 12<sup>TH</sup> :

NOTTS CLUB Match:Town 1(Ward plus 1 disputed) Country 0 (Meadows Cricket Ground,Nottingham)

N.B. Referred to as an 11 (in fact 9)a side Practice match in Notts County History(No lineups)

Sportsman 14/12/67 P.3(Some initials might be wrong):

Town:A.Deedes(Capt.),J.C.Hodges,W.A.Hodges,C.Rothera,E.B.Steegman,J.C.Wardle,W.Ward,  
R.S.Wild,C.Lambert.

Country:Richard Daft(Capt.),W.Elliott,C.J.Elliott,J.Hack,S.Stafford,A.B.Baillon,F.Baillon,  
F.Wright,G.Yates.

FRI DEC 13<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS 0 AN ETON XI 0 (At Battersea Park)

Field 14/12/67 P.503/Sportsman 14/12/67 P.3/Eton College Chronicle 23/1/68 P.377:



F:"The game throughout was most even,as the ball rarely visited the neighbourhood of the two goals." "Once the ball was carried right up to the poles of the Rovers' goal,but the fine back play of E.Lubbock saved the honour of his side;and during the latter portion of the match the play was confined chiefly to the centre of the ground,varied only by the occasional dashing rushes of E.Freeth,W.J.Dixon,and J.B.Martin into the Eton lines.The ground was in very good order,and the wind was just keen enough to infuse spirit into the game.The Etonian team comprised several of the most prominent members of this year's Eton eleven,and in spite of the difficulties in falling into rules comparatively new to them,played in good style throughout."

Wanderers:C.W.Alcock,A.Baker,W.J.Dixon,E.Freeth,Q.Hogg,E.Lubbock,J.E.Tayloe,E.Henry,J.B.Martin, J.M.Yates,A.N.Other.

Eton XI :A.F.Kinnaird,W.W.Radcliffe,S.D.Headlam,G.J.Courthorpe,(G.H.E.)Warburton, C.Tait, C.J.Thornton,R.C.L.Reade,R.Russell,H.J.Hope,A.Warburton(No A.Warburton in Eton Lists)

GITANOS 2 (A.Thornton,H.Stephens) YVERDON HOUSE 0 (At Blackheath)

Sporting Gazette 21/12/67/Sporting Life 18/12/67 P.4/Bell's Life 21/12/67 P.9 :

BL:"This match was played on Friday week at Blackheath.For the first three-quarters' of an hour the match was extremely well contested by both sides,till a well-effected run down of A.Thornton placed a goal to the credit of the Gitanos.Soon after a second goal was got by Stevens,who had before made two tries,and at the close of the match the Gitanos won by two goals to nothing."

Gitanos:H.Stephens(Capt.),H.Manners,Lord Lewisham,L.Henry,A.C.Marriott,C.Daly,Lord Naas, A.Thornton,T.Gibbons,T.Duckett,C.Whitmore.

Yverdon House:Jeffrey(Capt.),T.Elwes,Dixon,Murray,Tagart,Stokes,ma,Durant,Rawson,Stokes, mi,Slade,Russell,Green,Hall,Weber,Jones,Melhuish,Whitehead,Gow-Stewart ,Bean,Stutfield, Vernon,Phipps.

SAT DEC 14<sup>TH</sup> :

FOREST SCHOOL 4 (E.Titley 2,H.Tubb 2) OLD FORESTERS 1 (W.J.C.Cutbill)  
(At Forest School Ground,Walthamstow)

Sportsman 17/12/67 P.1/Field 21/12/67 P.525/Bell's Life 21/12/67/Sporting Gazette 21/12/67:

SM:"At the commencement the School had rather the advantage,as their opponents,knowing little of each other's play,had hardly settled down to their work,but in their turn they gradually drove the boys back,and the play seemed very equal on both sides for upwards of an hour,when a good piece of play between S.H.Carver and E.Titley secured the fall of the goal occupied by the Past,Titley making the final kick.Sides were changed,but the boys who now had the advantage of the hill,quickly obtained another goal,which was kicked by H.Tubb,well backed up by H.Longshaw.For some time after this the play was again very equal,and each side worked up well,W.Cutbill,Bogue,and Barnett making some dangerous onslaughts on the School goal,which,however,was well guarded by F.J.Poole,the School-back.E.Titley now succeeded in securing another goal for the School,the ball being badly missed by the Past goal-keeper.The old boys now seemed bent on partially retrieving their lost ground,and W.J.Cutbill,their captain,by a splendid run-up and well-judged kick obtained for

them their only goal. The ball was once more started, and the boys tried hard to get another goal, which H. Tubb succeeded in doing for them about two minutes before time was called (4.30)."

Forest School: H. Tubb (Capt.), E. Titley, H. Longshaw, H. C. Shuttleworth, J. C. Cotton, S. H. Carver, R. H. Beauchamp, E. T. Gardom, F. J. Poole, J. W. Crowther, T. L. Brown, H. Worrall.

Old Foresters: W. J. C. Cutbill, A. L. Cutbill, R. Cutbill, E. T. Bogue, H. Barnett, H. L. Shelton, T. J. Chidley, H. S. Rouquette, A. F. Turner, R. B. Boswell, F. Knight, C. Capper.

NO NAMES 3 (A. Baker 2, A. Fleet) HERTFORDSHIRE RANGERS 0 (At Kilburn)

Sportsman 17/12/67 P.1/Field 21/12/67 P.525:

SM: "This match was played at Kilburn, on Saturday, December 14, and resulted in a victory for the N.N.'s by three goals to none. The rain, that bete noir of football, besides rendering the ground heavy, was no doubt accountable for the absence of several players, each side beginning with only seven, the N.N.'s being reinforced after a quarter of an hour by an eighth. The N.N.'s having won the toss, chose the lower goal, with the wind in their favour, and a spirited game began, neither side having much advantage, till after a good run up A. Baker secured the first goal for Kilburn. Goals were now changed and the N.N.'s, warming to their work, began a series of assaults on the Rangers' position, who, although they struggled hard and made some dashing runs, were again compelled to succumb to a well-executed attack by A. Fleet. The ball once more set going, still lingered round the Rangers' goal, which, despite their determined efforts, had one or two narrow escapes. Daylight was now fast waning, when, after a splendid run-up by S. T. Holland, the third goal for the N.N.'s was kicked by A. Baker, and a very pleasant game was brought to a close."

N.N.'s: S. T. Holland (Capt.), C. M. Tebbut, A. Baker, A. Fleet, C. J. Morice, J. Nicholas, H. Sharpe, C. M. Green.

Hertfordshire Rangers: R. Barker (Capt.), F. N. Searancke, S. C. Wise, M. M. Wagstaffe, P. Keir, F. Maclean, C. Kidson.

TUES DEC 17<sup>TH</sup> :

FOREST SCHOOL 2 (E. Titley, H. Tubb) Mr A. F. KINNAIRD'S TEAM \*1 (B. Hope) (At Walthamstow)

Sportsman 24/12/67 P.4/Field 21/12/67 P.526:

\*SM: Goals by A. F. Kinnaird and C. W. Alcock were disallowed

SM: "A. F. Kinnaird, Esq., according to his annual custom, took a team down to Walthamstow, on Tuesday last, to contend against the Foresters." "The toss was won by the strangers, who elected to kick down from the School goal, and at 2.40 the ball was started by the School captain. The strangers appeared at first somewhat abroad, and the ball was taken down to the lower goal, in the neighbourhood of which it was kept for some time by the boys, who, however, were unable to elude the vigilance of C. M. Tebbut, goal-keeper for Mr Kinnaird's team. At length E. Titley proved successful in getting the ball within a few inches of the strangers' goal, and by a good kick driving it straight between the posts. After the change of goals the game assumed a more even aspect until a mistake of judgment on the part of the strangers' goal-keeper in kicking the ball from behind straight across the centre of the posts, gave an easy chance to H. Tubb, who took advantage of it, to score the second

goal for his side. The boys once more had to kick up the hill, and, after a good run down by G.G. Kennedy, A.F. Kinnaird got the ball well out of the scrimmage, and safely landed it between the poles, but the claim was disallowed on the plea that Kinnaird was in front of his side. Again the play was resumed, and a few minutes had hardly elapsed before a well-executed run-down the whole length of the ground by B. Hope resulted in an unmistakeable goal for the strangers' team. Darkness was already fast closing in, but the strangers, who appeared to improve with time, now commenced to besiege the territory occupied by the boys, and another goal was added to their score by C.W. Alcock, but this was also disallowed, the captain of the School pleading that he was held when in the act of kicking the ball, and shortly afterwards time was called."

Forest School: H. Tubb (Capt.), E. Titley, H. Longshaw, H.C. Shuttleworth, J.C. Cotton, S.H. Carver, E.T. Gardom, R.H. Beauchamp, F.J. Poole, T.W. Crowther, T.L. Brown.

Mr Kinnaird's Team: A.F. Kinnaird (Capt.), C.W. Alcock, B. Hope, S.T. Holland, G.G. Kennedy, J.T. Goldney, C.M. Tebbut (Goalkeeper), A. Littleboy, + E.H.S.J. Shelton, + H. Smythe, + J. Bowers. + Emergencies

WED DEC 18<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS 2 (W.J. Dixon, J.K. Barnes (o.g.)) LONDON ATHLETIC CLUB 2 (J.K. Barnes, J.B. Martin) (At West London Running Grounds, Brompton) (Nr Fulham Road)

Sportsman 21/12/67 P.3/Field 21/12/67 P.525/Pall Mall Gazette 19/12/67 P.9:

SM: "The first match between the above clubs was played on Wednesday, on the West London Running Grounds, Brompton; the result was a very well contested game, which finally terminated in a draw, two goals to each party. Play was not commenced until a few minutes past three o'clock, when the game was opened by a kick from the toe of the captain of the Athletes, the Wanderers, who had won the toss, playing up from the Fulham-road goal. In spite of their paucity in numbers the Wanderers had decidedly the best of the start, and the ball hovered dangerously close to the Athletic goal, which surrendered after a few minutes hard play to a neat run up by W.J. Dixon. The Athletes, who at first played without any energy, choosing to concentrate in one united body in front of their posts, instead of spreading over the ground in the manner of their opponents, soon suffered a second reverse, as after a general scrimmage in front of their poles, the ball was unfortunately kicked through by J.K. Barnes; goal No 2 for the Wanderers. After this the Athletic team appeared to wake up to the necessity of more united action, and, inspired by the dashing example set them by their captain, on one or two occasions worked the ball up to the immediate neighbourhood of the rovers' goal. Now the Wanderers began to feel the full effect of the absence of their expected goal-keepers, as their back play was, perhaps, the only feature of their game capable of improvement. At length J.K. Barnes got the chance of a clear run with the ball, and thus redeemed his former error by securing the first goal for his fellow Athletes. In spite of the energetic efforts of P. Norman, E. Norman, W.J. Dixon, and A. Baker for the Wanderers, their opponents still held their own, several rather easy chances being missed by the roving players. The best run of the game was, however, yet to come, as just before the expiration of time J.B. Martin worked the ball well away from his adversaries, and by a splendid long kick, landed the second goal for his side. Thus this first meeting of the two clubs resulted with a drawn battle."

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock, A. Baker, W.J. Dixon, E. Henry, S.T. Holland, P. Norman, E. Norman, E.W. Wyld, + E. Freeth (absent), J.E. Tayloe (absent)

London Athletic Club: J.B. Martin (Capt.), J.K. Barnes, A.K. Finlay, P. Halkett, W.G. Woolston, H.J. Chinnery, A. King, F.M. Hartung, A.G. Webster, W.M. Chinnery.

FOREST SCHOOL 0 CRYSTAL PALACE 0 (At Forest School)

Sportsman 21/12/67 P.3/Bell's Life 21/12/67 P.5/Field 28/12/67 P.526:

SM: "The Palace, winning the toss, had the pleasure of kicking down-hill, and play was commenced at 2.45, by the Foresters kicking off. The sides were very evenly matched, both sides having put in an appearance with a good team, and all being pretty fast players the game was spirited throughout. If a choice could be made between the two, we would give the palm to Palace, for although they certainly had a great advantage in kicking down hill, the Foresters' goal was at times in most serious danger from repeated runs down by the Palace forwards. But at the same time we must bear testimony to the play of the School, under their able captain, H. Tubb, who has now as good a team as the School has had for a long time, and has trained them to work very well together; and it may not be out of place to remark, that throughout the whole of the season they have only been beaten once, and have had two draws, and in the rest of their matches have been victorious."

Forest School: H. Tubb (Capt.), E. Titley, H. Longshaw, H.C. Shuttleworth, S.H. Carver, J.C. Cotton, E.T. Gardom, R.H. Beauchamp, F.J. Poole, T.W. Crowther, T.L. Brown, H. Worrall.

Crystal Palace: W.J.C. Cutbill (Capt.), A.L. Cutbill, R. Cutbill, D. Allport, R. Allport, J. Sharland, H. Lloyd, A. Lloyd, C. Farquhar, T.J. Chidley, J.A. Kolle, J. Ellis.

N.B. It appears that Wanderers v Old Etonians scheduled for Thursday Dec 19<sup>th</sup> did not take place.

FRI DEC 20<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 OLD WESTMINSTERS 0 (At Vincent Square)

Sportsman 21/12/67 P.3/Pall Mall Gazette 21/12/67 P.7/Field 21/12/67 P.526:

SM: "The ground was in a wretchedly slippery state, and the surface was hard enough to render the prospect of a spill very uninviting. At first the School were closely penned by their weightier opponents, for whom J.M. Yates and W.J. Dixon worked most energetically, but the ball, as rapidly as it approached the School goal, was as rapidly returned by the excellent play of the Westminster backs, W. Basham and F.A. O'Brien. The play during the earlier portion of the game proved very flat and uninteresting, as the ball rarely visited the centre of the ground, the Old Westminsters apparently having an especial predilection for runs down the side, on the very skirts of the touch line. Towards the conclusion, however, the players warmed to their work, and became more accustomed to the state of the ground; the contest assumed a livelier aspect, and the boys worked together in a vastly improved style."

Westminster School: H. Curteis (Capt.), + H. Stephenson, G.H. Lee, J.C. Smith, ++ R. Curteis, F.N. Saunders, H. Barron, H. Haden, W. Basham, F.A. O'Brien, E. Giles.

+Played for E.S.Randolph. ++Played for J.Neill

Old Westminsters:J.M.Yates(Capt.),W.J.Dixon,A.G.Lee,H.M.Marshall,E.O.Berens,E.W.Wylde,  
A.J.Mackay,E.C.Bovill,F.Pownall,S.H.West,G.Dowdeswell.

SAT DEC 21<sup>ST</sup> :

OLD WESTMINSTERS 1 (J.C.Smith ) OLD ETONIANS 1(A.F.Kinnaird)(At Vincent Square)(First ever meeting)

N.B. Played instead of Westminster School v Eton College

Sportsman 24/12/67 P.4/Pall Mall Gazette 24/12/67 P.9/Bell's Life 28/12/67 P.6/Sporting Gazette 28/12/67/Eton College Chronicle 23/1/68 P.377/Field 28/12/67 P.546:

SM:"In lieu of the proposed match between the Present Elevens of Westminster School and Eton College,which was found impossible of accomplishment,a contest was arranged between the Past representatives of the above schools,which took place on Saturday last,the 21<sup>st</sup> inst.,at Vincent-square.The Etonian team was found to be less formidable than had been expected,and this,combined with the general excellence of the Old Westminsters,gave great hopes of an exciting struggle between the two parties.A few minutes after three o'clock the ball was thrown up in the air,and for some time the equality of the two sides was clearly apparent.At length J.C.Smith made an excellent run down,which,followed by a well-aimed kick,secured a goal for the Old Westminsters. Gallantly led by A.F.Kinnaird,the Etonians now struggled hard to recover their lost ground,though for some time their efforts were not crowned with success.The Eton goal was again seriously endangered by a dashing attempt of G.Dowdeswell,but the pink colours were not landed as successfully as before,and shortly afterwards the energetic efforts of A.F.Kinnaird were at last rewarded by a goal.Now the struggle for mastery became hotter and hotter,but neither side obtained any further success,and thus the match was declared drawn."

Old Westminsters:W.J.Dixon(Capt.),J.P.Nichols,F.Pownall,J.E.Tayloe,A.G.Lee,G.Dowdeswell,  
C.E.Bickmore,E.W.Wylde,E.Whitaker,J.C.Smith.

Old Etonians:A.F.Kinnaird(Capt.),J.R.Sturgis,C.J.Thornton,C.Tait,R.C.L.Reade,H.F.Langley,  
S.D.Headlam,R.Ferguson.

C.C.C. 0 HERTFORDSHIRE RANGERS 0 (At Clapham)

Sportsman 24/12/67 P.4/Sporting Gazette 28/12/67/Sporting Life 24/12/67 P.4/Field 28/12/67 P.546 :

SM:"The Hertfordshire Rangers were lucky enough to win the toss,and so had the wind-what there was of it-in their favour.Six of their side,true to their engagement,appeared at the appointed time, and with an emergency given them by the C.C.C. played eight of the latter.The game was very evenly contested,the H.R. having rather the advantage,but it resulted in no goal being obtained by either side."

C.C.C. :Dealtry(Capt.),P.V.Turner,F.B.Soden,Hartung,Duthey,Field,Tayloe,Davison,Cloete(absent),  
Eliot(absent).

Hertfordshire Rangers:R.Barker(Capt.),M.M.Wagstaffe,C.Kidson,Keir,Slaughter,R.Judd,  
+Townsend(emergency),Searancke(absent),Warwick(absent),Castle(absent),M'Clean(absent).  
+given to HR by C.C.C.

SAT DEC 28<sup>TH</sup> :

HERTFORDSHIRE RANGERS Club Match (At Watford) :

Mr Barker's Side 2 (Stretton,M.M.Wagstaffe) Mr Searancke's Side 0

Sportsman 31/12/67 P.1/Sporting Gazette 4/1/68/Bell's Life 4/1/68 P.8/Field 4/1/68 P.12:

Mr Barker's Side:R.M.Barker(Capt.),M.M.Wagstaffe,Keir,W.Smith,Stretton,Smith,Merry,Emergency.

Mr Searancke's Side:Searancke(Capt.),C.Kidson,S.C.Wise,H.Finch,Richard Day,Ralph Day,  
H.Mackenzie,Gape,Emergency.

NOTTINGHAM FOREST 0 SHEFFIELD NORFOLK 0 (At Forest Cricket Ground)(Nottingham Rules)

Sportsman 31/12/67 P.1/Bell's Life 4/1/68 P.8/Sporting Life 1/1/68 P.1/Sporting Gazette 4/1/68:

SM:"These clubs met on the Forest Cricket Ground,at Nottingham,on Saturday,and played a drawn game.The weather was miserably cold,which evidently affected the attendance of visitors.Both clubs played excellent;men and the match were both characterised,with great vigour and excitement.The Forest Club won the toss,and at 3.00pm handed over the ball to their opponents.For a few minutes the former held the lead,but the Sheffield men,shortly becoming more composed,and better acquainted with the Nottingham rules,began to play in better form.At half time,however,neither side had scored a goal,and,according to the rules,the players changed ends;but when time was called at 4.30 pm,the score remained unaltered,consequently the match was a drawn one."

Nottingham Forest:W.Lymberry(Capt.),W.Brown,J.S.Shaw,C.Daft,W.Lambert,C.Rothera,F.Baillon,  
J.Milford,G.Seaton,W.Revis,G.Richardson,A.Barks,C.Wardle,H.Ford,W.Howitt.

Sheffield Norfolk:H.Gawthorne(Capt.),J.P.Donovan,G.Proctor,F.Corbett,H.Ash,T.Armitage,J.Dale,  
T.Goodwin,C.Marshall,W.Barrowcliffe,G.Rogers,C.Mills,J.Pring,C.Lee,J.Roberts.

N.B. SL:Goalkeepers for Nottingham were Lymberry and Richardson and for Sheffield were Ash and Marshall

SANDBACH 1 (Woolley) CONGLETON 0 ("the first that has ever been attempted here")(At Wheelock Road,Sandbach)

Congleton & Macclesfield Mercury 4/1/68 P.8(No teams)WHERE TEAMS LISTED?

Sandbach:J.M.Yates(Capt.),Hartley,H.Yates,Remer,Lees,Woolley,Davies,Patton,Latham,  
Macdonald,Grindley,Venables,Farr,Ryder.

Congleton:Harrison(Capt.),H.Harrison,W.Reddish,Davenport,Bayley,Bratby,Jackson,  
Benlow,Latham,E.Royds,Solly,A.Royds,Hammond,A.Jackson.

TUES DEC 31<sup>ST</sup>

ETON & HARROW 0 THE WORLD 1(M.J.Muir-Mackenzie)(At Vincent Square)

Field 4/1/68 P.12/Sportsman 2/1/68 P.4/Bell's Life 4/1/68 P.8/Pall Mall Gazette 1/1/68 P.9/Morning Post 1/1/68 P.6(Unreadable on line):

SM:"On Tuesday last,Dec.31,a match was played at Westminster between a team composed of representatives from the two great schools of Eton and Harrow,and a select band from the other homes of football,under the captaincy of W.J.Dixon,of Westminster renown.At the commencement the Schools were placed at a great disadvantage,only nine of their body appearing at the appointed time,while their adversaries "came to the scratch" with a full team of thirteen.The Schools having won the toss,elected to kick up to the Lodge goal,with a slight breeze in their favour,and at ten minutes to three o'clock the ball was thrown into the air.The superior weight of the World team at once drove the Schools back to their lines,and a desperate rush in which J.E.Tayloe and W.J.Dixon were chiefly conspicuous,carried the ball down to the edge of the Schools' goal,the defence of which was entrusted to A.F.Kinnaird and Q.Hogg.Speedily kicked off from behind,the ball travelled once more into the centre of the ground,where it was kept by the resolute efforts of the two Schools for some time,until a well-judged kick by C.M.Tebbut,who,after a good run down the side,gave the chance to M.Muir-Mackenzie,who passed unmolested into the heart of the Schools' goal.The claim of "offside" by the Schools was too just to admit of any dispute,and the goal thus did not prove of any benefit to the World.The Schools,who had up to this time shown some first-class back play,now made an unfortunate slip,and the ball,which could easily have been stopped by the goal-keeper from a long kick by C.M.Tebbut,was at length landed between the poles.After the change of goals the fight was recommenced,but although the runs of J.R.Sturgis and C.Tait occasionally approached the neighbourhood of the World goal,the numbers against which they had to contend proved too great to admit of any success,and when time was called at four o'clock neither party had been able to secure any further score,the victory resting with the World by one goal to none.For the Schools, whose representatives played throughout a most plucky uphill game, J.R.Sturgis, Q.Hogg, A.F.Kinnaird,and J.B.Martin were most prominent.For the World,W.J.Dixon and J.E.Tayloe (forward), and J.P.Nichols and S.H.West(back) did good service."

Eton and Harrow:A.F.Kinnaird(Capt.)(Eton),J.R.Sturgis(Eton),C.Tait(Eton),Q.Hogg(Eton),  
C.W.Alcock(Harrow),J.B.Martin(Harrow),V.K.Shaw(Harrow),A.Tabor(Harrow),  
R.N.Ferguson(E.Whittaker) .

The World:W.J.Dixon(Capt.)(Westminster),J.P.Nichols(Westminster),E.W.Wylde(Westminster),  
S.H.West(Westminster),J.E.Tayloe(Westminster),N.P.Eastwick(Westminster),  
(J.R.)Dasent(Westminster),K.A.Muir-Mackenzie(Charterhouse),M.J.Muir-Mackenzie(Charterhouse),  
C.M.Tebbut(Wanderers), A.Baker(Wanderers),J.M.Hartung(C.C.C.),J.Cloete(C.C.C.).

The Field 4/1/68 P.12 "WINTER SEASON OF 1867:"The annual winter exodus from the various public schools has caused a temporary lull in the football war which has been kept so fiercely waging during the last months of the old year,and the snow,which is even now falling heavily,furnishes us with additional weighty reasons for believing that,for some few days at least,any active participation in the winter game will be out of the question."....."Much of the success that has been achieved of late years is due to the unselfish efforts of the various officers of the Football Association,who,in

endeavouring to concentrate the extensive array of clubs under one general standard,are taking the wisest course to promote the common weal.I learn from the secretary of the association that upwards of thirty-five clubs-of which Westminster School,Charterhouse School,Wanderers,Civil Service,and the Amateur Athletic club form a brilliant nucleus-have already espoused the good cause,and that many others are expected shortly to swell the ranks of those who desire the establishment of a universal non-hacking code of rules."

N.B It appears that many games scheduled for January did not take place or were abandoned due to frost and snow(see first part of the Field report of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Eton and Harrow v The World game below).These included:

4/1/68: Wanderers v Old Etonians (At Westminster),Harrow Chequers v Civil Service (At Battersea Park) and Herts Rangers v Hatfield

8/1/68:Old Etonians v Westminster Holiday Team (At Vincent Square)

11/1/68:Wanderers v Harrow Chequers (At Vincent Square) and Crystal Palace First XI v The Club

15/1/68 Old Westminsters v Old Carthusians (At Vincent Square)

16/1/68 Wanderers v Westminster School Holiday Team(At Vincent Square):it appears that the 2<sup>nd</sup> Eton and Harrow v The World game took the place of this match(see below)

N.B. School Results in Sportsman 14/1/68 P.4,21/1/68 P.3 and 23/1/68 P.3

Football Notes :Field 18/1/68 P.45:

"Important changes have taken place at Eton and Charterhouse since the end of last term,which are worthy of record.At Eton W.C.Calvert occupies the post of captain,just vacated by J.R.Sturgis; J.A.Foote,whose term of office was marked by a series of successes almost as brilliant as those achieved by his predecessor,late captain of Charterhouse,has retired from the spot which his all-round play adorned,and his mantle has fallen on a worthy successor.C.E.B.Nepean now marshalls the forces of the Carthusians,whose connections,by the way,with those rare old walls,which have echoed the voices of such men as Havelock,John Leech,and William Makepeace Thackeray,is so soon to be finally severed.At Radley,I hear that T.B.Houblon will most probably be captain,vice E.S.Roscoe, left;while at Harrow and Westminster C.W.Walker and H.Curteis still retain command." C.W.

THURS JAN 16<sup>TH</sup> :

ETON & HARROW 0 THE WORLD 0 (At Vincent Square)

Field 18/1/68 P.45/Sportsman 18/1/68 P.3:

SM:"The second match of the season between the above parties was played at Westminster,on Thursday last,the 10<sup>th</sup> inst.,and terminated in a draw,neither side having been able to secure the fall of the hostile goal.The weather was somewhat unpropitious,a drizzling rain falling throughout the course of the game,but the ground was in excellent order,and the play of the two parties was most spirited and energetic.The captain of the Schools had succeeded in collecting a very formidable team to aid him on this occasion,and the persevering style in which the forward players of the School



worked to recover the goal, which they had lost in the previous match, cannot receive a too favourable notice. The captain of the World team was fortunate in winning the toss for choice of goals, which enabled him to secure the assistance of a rather stiffish breeze which was blowing down the ground towards the Lodge goal. A furious spurt of the Schools at the start drove their opponents back behind their goal lines, on which a constant fire was kept up for some time, but without any decisive success. Several good attempts were made by A.F. Kinnaird, E. Norman, and P. Norman, but the back play of J.P. Nichols, C.M. Tebbut, and S.H. West proved fully equal to the emergency, and still the little gateway defended by the World remained uncaptured. C.J. Thornton, by a long and extremely well-directed kick, caused a severe scrimmage to take place in the very centre of the World goal, but the ball was at length extricated by W.J. Dixon, and well backed up by E.C. Bovill, the two Westminsterians carried the fight for the first time into the territory occupied by the Schools. From this time until the cessation the game assumed a more even aspect, though the rushes of the Schools at times placed the World goal in great danger. Some good runs for the World were made by W.J. Dixon, A. Baker, and G.H. Lee, but at no time was the Schools' goal seriously imperilled by hostile attacks. Play was kept up with great spirit for an hour and a quarter, but the call of time found neither party able to claim any score, and thus the match resulted in a draw. For the Schools, A.F. Kinnaird, J.B. Martin, and the brothers Norman were most energetic, while Q. Hogg and E. Lubbock did good service behind. The most conspicuous forward players on the side of the World were W.J. Dixon and A. Baker; the long kicking, too, of the three back players whose names are mentioned above also merits great praise."

F: "A welcome sight to see the ball, which has been for so many days lying idle on the lodge shelf, once more set in motion, and to football players the change from the restless state of uncertainty consequent on the rapid transitions from frost to snow from snow to frost, which necessitated the postponement of all, and the actual abandonment of many of the first-class matches to more spirited action, must be almost a priceless boon. This match, which is the second played this season between the two parties, the first played on the last day of the departed year having resulted in favour of the World by one goal, formed the inauguration of the football season for the present year of grace, and from the exciting nature of the struggle and the high repute of the players engaged was well worthy of the distinction of opening the spring campaign. Nettled by their previous defeat, the Schools brought a very formidable team on to the field, and indeed both sides were well represented, the names of Q. Hogg, E. Lubbock, and C.J. Thornton for the Schools; and J.P. Nichols, C.M. Tebbut, and S.H. West for the World, presenting a combination of back players but seldom witnessed in a match. Shortly after three o'clock the spin for choice of goals having resulted in favour of the World, preparations were made for the commencement of play; and the two sides having separated, the captain of the World team having elected to kick up to the Lodge goal, with a rather stiffish breeze at his back, about ten minutes past three o'clock the ball was thrown up in the air. The superior weight of the Schools' forwards at once drove their opponents back to their lines, and some spirited firing was kept up on both sides of the World goal, the ball passing now just outside the posts, and now just over the tape. At times the rushes of P. Norman, A.F. Kinnaird, and J.B. Martin carried the ball almost into the heart of the goal; but the defence of the World, whose goal-keeping was perfect throughout the game, proved fully equal to the calls made on it, and in spite of the resolute manner in which the Schools hemmed in their opponents, no success greeted their efforts. A long kick by C.J. Thornton dropped the ball into the immediate front of the World posts; but the dashing play of W.J. Dixon again extricated it from its dangerous proximity, and from this time the men of the World played up with more fire and energy. Several well-executed runs by W.J. Dixon,

A.Baker, and G.H.Lee, who seemed to have once more returned to his old form, caused the game to assume a more even aspect, and on one or two occasions the ball approached dangerously close to the goal defended by the Schools. In spite of the desperate exertions made by the forward players of each side, when time was called at twenty minutes past four o'clock, neither party had been able to secure any decisive advantage, and thus the second contest between the rival teams terminated in a draw. The forward play of the Schools was throughout the game most excellent, and ought to have commanded the success which it so well deserved. Great credit is also due to all members of the World party for the resolute style in which they resisted the onslaughts of their opponents, and too much praise cannot be awarded them for not succumbing to the almost irresistible team brought against them on this occasion. For the Schools, A.F.Kinnaird, J.B.Martin, and the brothers Norman (forwards), and E.Lubbock (back), did especial service; for the World, A.Baker was most energetic, while W.J.Dixon and E.C.Bovill (forwards), and J.P.Nichols, C.M.Tebbut, and S.W.West (back) deserve prominent notice."

Eton and Harrow: A.F.Kinnaird, P.Norman, E.Norman, J.T.Goldney, E.Lubbock, C.J.Thornton, E.Hall, J.B.Martin, C.W.Alcock, Q.Hogg.

The World: W.J.Dixon (Westminster), J.P.Nichols, S.H.West, J.R.Dasent, E.C.Bovill, A.Baker, C.M.Tebbut (Wanderers), A.P.Shaw, +A.Tabor (Harrow), G.H.Lee. (SM has Shaw and Tabor as Substitutes and F has West as a Substitute)

SAT JAN 18<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS 2 (C.W.Alcock, E.W.Wylde) ROYAL ENGINEERS 0 (At Westminster)

Field 25/1/68 P.66/Sportsman 21/1/68 P.3/Pall Mall Gazette 20/1/68 P.9/Bell's Life 1/2/68 :

SM: "Undeterred by the hurricane of wind and rain which prevailed on Saturday last, the Engineers appeared at Westminster at the appointed time, to play a match against the Wanderers. Shortly after three o'clock the game was commenced by a kick off from the captain of the Wanderers, who, having lost the toss, was compelled to play up to the lodge goal, with the wind and rain in their faces. The Wanderers soon opened the score, as after a short run up C.W.Alcock placed a goal to the credit of his fellow-rovers, the ball glancing off the person of the Engineers' goal-keeper. After the change of sides the play was kept for some time in the centre of the ground, dribbling being in the then slippery state of the turf, excessively difficult. After several good attempts by E.W.Wylde and A.Baker had been well stopped by the admirable back-play of Lieut Pottinger, a run down the side of the ground, followed up by a well-directed kick by E.W.Wylde, resulted in the second fall of the Engineers' goal. From this time until the conclusion of the contest the game requires but little description, as all attempts at fast play were effectually prevented by the insecurity of the footing."

Wanderers: C.W.Alcock, A.Baker, +Lieut (B.) Fellowes, +Lieut (A.) Purcell, S.H.West, E.W.Wylde, J.M.Yates, Q.Hogg (Absent), W.J.Dixon (Absent), G.G.Kennedy (Absent), C.M.Tebbut (Absent)

(+SM/PMG has initials as above but F has A.Fellowes and B.Purcell; BL has them as Lieuts (R.E.) Substitutes with no initials)

Royal Engineers: Capt. Marindin, Lieut. Barlow, Lieut. Campbell, Lieut. Broadbent, Lieut. Pottinger, Lieut. Merriman, Lieut. Pulford.

N.B.Civil Service v West Kent and Barnes v Crystal Palace were scheduled games for this day.

THURS JAN 23<sup>RD</sup> :

WANDERS 0 CIVIL SERVICE 0 (At Westminster)

Sportsman 30/1/68 P.3/Field 8/2/68 P.66/Pall Mall Gazette 24/1/68 P.9:

F: "The Civil Servants did not appear in full force, and their team was hardly worthy of the reputation they have gained, the names of Waudby, Deacon, Freeth, and many other brilliant stars of the Service Football Club being especially conspicuous by their absence; while the Wanderers had been singularly fortunate in being able to collect a more than usually formidable band of representatives. The weather was all in favour of a good game, as the wind was cold enough to invigorate the least ardent performer, and the ground was so elastic and springy, as to cause the play throughout to wax fast and furious. The Wanderers were unlucky enough to lose the toss, and their opponents were thus enabled to secure the aid of the wind, which was blowing down from the Lodge goal. At a quarter-past three o'clock the ball was sent on its travels, and for the first few minutes the fight was strictly confined to the immediate centre of the ground. The superior forward play, however, of the Wanderers soon began to tell its own tale, and a speedy run up by J.B. Martin carried the ball for the first time behind the line of the Civil Service goal. In the neighbourhood of this goal, indeed, the ball remained for the rest of the game, as there was apparently an entire want of power on the part of the Civil Service forwards to remove the fight away from their own territory, and the powerful resistance offered by the first line of the Wanderers, as represented by such well tried players as J.B. Martin, W.J. Dixon, E. Norman, P. Norman, and E.W. Wylde, on the occasion of any attempt at a run, afforded their opponents but little hope of any ultimate success. The Service goal was subjected to a never-ending succession of attacks, none of which, however, took effect, in consequence of the wild and flurried style of kicking in which the Wanderers appeared determined to indulge; and when time was called at half-past four o'clock, the Wanderers were compelled to retire without having secured any ultimate success."

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock, A. Baker, W.J. Dixon, J.T. Goldney, J.B. Martin, E. Norman, P. Norman, C.M. Tebbut, A. Thompson, E.W. Wylde, J.M. Yates.

Civil Service: J. Kirkpatrick (Capt.), R. Babington, A.E. Bateman, H.H. Batten, J. Rivet-Carnac, H.R. Dupré, J. Elliott, (J.H.) Giffard, Quentin Hogg.

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE CLUB 0 ROBIN HOOD RIFLES 0

Sportsman 25/1/68 P.3/Bell's Life 25/1/68 P.10:

SM: "This match was played on the Meadows Cricket Ground, at Nottingham, on Thursday afternoon last. The weather was highly favourable for the occasion, and a considerable number of persons visited the ground. The kick-off took place at 3.30 when the club having won the toss, handed over the ball to their opponents. Better play has not been witnessed for some time past, in fact the players on either side acquitted themselves so creditably that it was found impossible to make a goal, and consequently the match terminated in a draw."

Notts Club:A.Baillon,R.F.Baillon,C.Rothera,J.C.Hodges,W.A.Hodges, L.Melville,A.Lambert,  
W.Bell,W.Ward,J.H.Stafford,C.S.Wardle,L.Rothera.

(Notts County History has J.Rothera for L.Rothera)

Robin Hood:Capt. A.Deedes,Lieut. Yates,Ensign W.Elliott,Colour-Sargeant Cumberland,Colour-  
Sergeant Brookhouse,Seargeant H.Browne,Corporal Draycott,Privates Edwards ,W.Gamble,  
J.Lambert, ,J.Hack,J.White.

SAT JAN 25<sup>TH</sup> :

KENT 0 SURREY 0 (West London Running Grounds,Brompton)

N.B 1 hour and a quarter played,then it was agreed to play a further quarter of an hour.

Sportsman 28/1/68 P.3/Bell's Life 1/2/68 P.8/Field 1/2/68 P.83/Sporting Life 29/1/68 P.4:

SM:"The first match which has yet taken place between the above counties was played on the West London Running Grounds,Brompton,on Saturday last and produced a contest as exciting and full of interest as any witnessed during the present season.Both counties were well represented,the Surrey team being captained by R.G.Graham,Esq.,hon.secretary of the Football Association,under whose auspices the match was played,while the commnad of the Kentish team was entrusted to A.F.Kinnaird,Esq.,of Trinity College,Cambridge.At 3.15 the twenty-four players deputed to represent the two parties had assembled,and shortly afterwards the ball was kicked off by the Surrey captain, the men of Kent,having won the toss,occupying the upper goal,with the additional advantage of a stiffish breeze at their backs.The Kentish players,who were unusually strong forwards,soon carried the ball down to their opponents' goal,around which for some time the fight was hotly contested;on several occasions the Surrey goal seemed doomed fo fall,but the number of back players deputed by the captain to defend his territory defied all the efforts of the attacking party,and,in spite of the frequent and unceasing rushes of the Kentish players,the first hour and a quarters' play found neither party able to claim any advantage.By mutual consent of the two captains the fight was kept up for another quarter of an hour,and during this latter portion of the game the play waxed fast and furious.Towards the conclusion of the game the Surrey men played up in better form,and several good rushes were made on the Kentish goal,which throughout was defended by E.Lubbock in most brilliant style.Time was called at 4.50,when neither party having been able to secure a goal,the match,accordingly,was declared drawn.For Surrey the most conspicuous players(forwards) were R.G.Graham,C.C.Dacre,H.Richardson,A.Thompson,and J.E.Tayloe,and R.W.Willis and J.Cockerell (back).For Kent A.F.Kinnaird,W.J.C.Cutbill,J.B.Martin,and A.Baker worked most energetically,and the long kicking of E.Lubbock,and A.J.Chamberlain also deserves especial praise."

Kent:A.F.Kinnaird(Trinity College,Cambridge)(Capt.),E.Lubbock(West Kent),J.B.Martin(Wanderers),  
F.G.Paulson(Charterhouse School),E.O.Berens(Crusaders),A.Baker(No Names),W.J.C.Cutbill(Crystal Palace),D.Allport(Crystal Palace),A.C.Chamberlain(Crystal Palace),P.Norman(Old Etonian),  
E.A.Hoare(St John's College,Cambridge), J.T.Goldney(Old Harrovian).

N.B. There were 3 changes from the advertised Kent team for the match in Sportsman 25/1/68 P.3 in that the last 3 above-named players,P.Norman,E.A.Hoare and J.T.Goldney,replaced E.W.Wylde(Old

Westminsters), W. Collins (Barnes), and A. Chislehurst (West Kent) (BL / F both also have the updated team: Q. Hogg (Wanderers was also in the available for selection list in Field 25/1/68 P.66).

Surrey: R. G. Graham (Barnes) (Capt.), J. Cockerell (Crystal Palace), C. C. Dacre (Clapham Grammar School), P. Rhodes (Wanderers), H. Richardson (Reigate Hill), F. B. Soden (C. C. C., Clapham), J. E. Tayloe (C. C. C., Clapham), A. Thompson (Wanderers), R. W. Willis (Barnes), E. C. Morley (Barnes), J. Turner (Crystal Palace), W. Collins (Barnes).

(F has J. K. Barnes (Barnes) (also mentioned in the F report), as does SL, for J. Turner (Crystal Palace) (H. Lloyd (Crystal Palace) was also in the F available for selection list)

SHEFFIELD 1 (J. Knowles) LINCOLN 0 (Return) (At Lincoln)

Field 1/2/68 P.83/Sportsman 6/2/68 P.3/Bell's Life 8/2/68 P.9:

SM: "The ball was thrown up punctually at a quarter-past two and from that time until ends were changed, no advantage was gained by either side, the ball favouring both goals with its presence with remarkable impartiality. The Sheffield goal had one very narrow escape from a good "run and drop" by Mantle. The "off-side" appeared to puzzle the Sheffield men, most of whom were strangers to the Lincoln rules. At half-time ends were changed, and in a few minutes a remarkably neat and quick piece of play on the part of K. Smith, Denton, and J. Knowles, resulted in a goal for Sheffield, the final kick being given by J. Knowles."

Sheffield: Shepherd (Captain and Goalkeeper), J. Knowles, H. W. Chambers, Whelan, F. C. Wild, Denton, Fernell, L. Hoole, Kirk, K. Smith, Peace.

Lincoln: Mawer (Captain and Goalkeeper), Lowe, Mantle, Dalton, Bell, Elwick, Padley, Mitchell, Marsland, Bainbridge, Ramage.

WALTHAMSTOW 2 (Willis, Roy) SOUTH PARK (Ilford) 0 (At South Park Ground) (Return)

Bell's Life 1/2/68 P.9/Sportsman 6/2/68 P.3:

SM: "Several good scrimmages soon ensued, although at times so much use was made of the "hands" for "knocking on" &c, that it became doubtful if the game being played could really be styled football. The ball, seemed, moreover, to have a strange predilection for the centre of a pond, which was on one side of the field. However, at the end of one hour and twenty minutes' play, the Ilford goal - which during this time had been frequently threatened - succumbed to a well-directed kick by Willis. As there still remained ten minutes for play, no time was lost in once more getting to work, and in six minutes a second goal was secured by Roy."

Walthamstow: P. G. Rouquette (Capt.), H. S. Rouquette, A. Borwick, M'Leod, G. Inglis, Haslehurst, Willis, Roy, Twining, F. S. Walker, Chidley. (BL has White for Willis and Twiny for Twining)

Ilford: F. Graves, A. Nash, Rev. H. Jones, H. W. Fry, J. E. Fry, H. P. Fry, W. Fry, R. P. Fry, J. M. Parker, R. Cook, W. Sheppard, Cowell.

N.B. Field 25/1/68 P.66 has a letter under "REMOVAL OF CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL" and stating that there was "unsightly woodwork extending down the very centre of the Green, running parallel with

Wilderness-row to Goswell-road ,the width of a few yards being all that was left of the ground on which the Carthusians were wont to decide the numerous matches in which they were engaged,and which moreover was the only place available for purposes of football practice."

WED JAN 29<sup>TH</sup> :

FLYING DUTCHMEN 4 (+A.F.Kinnaird 4) MR H.R.DUPRÉ'S XI 1 (H.R.Dupré)(At Vincent Square)

+Plus fifth disallowed for "off-side"

Field 1/2/68 P.83/Sportsman 6/2/68 P.3:

F:"A match between these teams was played at Vincent-square on Wednesday last,the 29<sup>th</sup> (January),which terminated in a very hollow victory for the flyers,who obtained four goals to (one). This was the first appearance of the lately-formed club,yclept Flying Dutchmen,and it must be admitted that they represented a very formidable combination of talent,despite the limited number of players who showed up to represent the club on this occasion.The original fixture had been Flying Dutchmen v Westminster School,but several of the most prominent members of the School Eleven were unable,by means of important engagements-rumour credited the Drury Lane pantomime with the non-appearance of the absent Westminsters on this occasion-to represent the School,and thus the match was somewhat shorn of its original splendour.Still the team to which the Dutchmen,who were only seven in number,were opposed,contained several prominent pink-capped performers,and there was every reason to expect a close contest.At about twenty minutes to three the ball was thrown into the air,the Dutchmen,who had given their opponents choice of goals,playing up to the Lodge end,with the wind in their faces.The very commencement of the game attested the very evident superiority of the Dutchmen,as the ball was speedily seen wending its way towards the posts of their opponents' goal,which was not defended with that judgment that we are accustomed to witness at Vincent-square.The seven Dutchmen playing together and backing up in excellent style soon began to pour a heavy fire on the hostile goal,which,after several ineffectual attempts by A.Baker and C.W.Alcock,at length surrendered to a good run up by A.F.Kinnaird.The change of goals afforded but little hope for the Dupré party,as the Dutchmen,now aided by the wind,soon recommenced their attack on the enemy's goal,which was shortly afterwards again captured by A.F.Kinnaird.A third time the ball was driven between the posts of the adverse goal by the same player;but the claim of "off-side" made by some of Mr Dupré's followers,and allowed by the victorious side,prevented any score being added to the Dutchmen's account by this success.The ball,quickly kicked off from behind now fell into the arms of H.R.Dupré,who,after a brilliant run down the whole length of the ground finally planted it between the posts defended by the Dutchmen.Stimulated by this reverse,the seven played up with fresh vigour,and a third time the goal of their opponents was compelled to lower colours to a good side kick by A.F.Kinnaird.From this time until the conclusion of the game,the play was all one-sided,as the Dutchmen kept up a constant succession of runs on the lines of the Dupré team;and a fourth and last goal,in addition to several "posters",was secured for them by A.F.Kinnaird a few minutes before the call of time.The play of the defeated party was throughuot most tame and uninteresting,as there appeared to be a total absence of any attempt at backing up or working together;but some excuse may be made for the want of condition painfully visible in the languid style exhibited by some of the performers.The goal keeping was noticeable for the lack of all pluck and dash,and presented a very unfavourable contrast to the fine defence shown by J.M.Yates and C.M.Tebbut for the Flying Dutchmen.R.W.Vidal,a rising

Westminster, played coolly and with great judgment throughout, and gives every promise of being a valuable acquisition to the School team. For the Flying Dutchmen, W.J. Dixon and A. Baker worked energetically forwards, while especial praise must be given to A.F. Kinnaird, for the brilliant style which he displayed on this occasion. H.R. Dupré strove hard to avert defeat, and received at times most valuable assistance from G.H. Lee and R. Curteis."

Flying Dutchmen: W.J. Dixon (Capt.), C.W. Alcock, A. Baker, A.F. Kinnaird, C.M. Tebbut, E.W. Wylde, J.M. Yates.

Mr Dupré's XI: H.R. Dupré (Capt.), H. Curteis, R. Curteis, J.A. O'Brien, H. Stephenson, W.C. Lefroy, E.C.S. Randolph, E. Wakley, R.W.S. Vidal, G.H. Lee, F. Saunders.

THURS JAN 30<sup>TH</sup>

ETON COLLEGE 2 Rouges (W.C. Calvert, R. Russell) LORD E. FITZMAURICE'S ELEVEN 2 Rouges (Lord E. Fitzmaurice, W.W. Radcliffe) (Masters' Field, Eton)

Eton College Chronicle 6/2/68 P.381/Sportsman 6/2/68 P.3:

Eton College: W.C. Calvert (Capt, flying man), C.J. Thornton (short-behind), T. Mc Clintock-Bunbury (long-behind), A.G. Tindal (goals), (G.H.E.) Warburton, M. Horner, R. Russell, R. Patton, H. Freeth, Hon A. Parker, G.J. Courthope.

Lord Fitzmaurice's Eleven: Lord E. Fitzmaurice (flying man), R.N. Ferguson (short-behind), A.F. Kinnaird (long-behind), Rev H. Brandreth, W.T. Durnford, E.P. Rouse, C. Tait, C. Edwards, J. Rigden, W.W. Radcliffe, +J.E. Moss. +Emergency

SAT FEB 1<sup>ST</sup> :

C.C.C. 2 (C.C. Dacre, H.M. Dealtry) WANDERERS 1 (H.J. Almond) (At Clapham)

Field 8/2/68 P.110/Sportsman 6/2/68 P.3:

F: "At twenty five minutes to four o'clock the ball was thrown up in the air by the Clapham captain, and a long kick by one of the home players sent it flying down behind the Wanderers' goal line, borne by the wind almost to the extreme corner of the common."

SM: "The Wanderers were at once placed on the defensive, as the ball was soon speeding down to their lines, from which it appeared utterly impossible to remove it. Only a few minutes elapsed, however, before C.C. Dacre got a clear run, and planted the leather straight between the Wanderers' posts, thus securing the first goal for the home party. The Wanderers, now backed up by the wind, carried everything before them, though the excellent defence of the Clapham goal-keepers kept them for some time at bay. A run down the side by F.G. Paulson and E.A. Hammick, followed up by a good kick by H.J. Almond, at length secured the fall of the Clapham goal, and again the two sides changed ends. Some resolute attempts were now made by the Wanderers to carry the ball up into the territory occupied by their opponents, but the adverse wind rendered all their attempts utterly powerless, and the ball was again borne down close to the rovers' goal, which soon surrendered to H.M. Dealtry. Play was kept up till 4.50, but the Wanderers failed to achieve any further score, and thus the C.C.C. remained victors by one goal."

C.C.C. :J.E.Tayloe(Capt.),C.C.Dacre,H.M.Dealtry,F.B.Soden,F.M.Hartung,J.C.Ker,P.V.Turner,F.Cloete,  
M.Eliot,W.Duthie.

Wanderers:C.W.Alcock,C.C.Boyle,H.J.Almond,E.A.Hammick,F.G.Paulson,J.Kirkpatrick,J.M.Yates,  
+R.Ker,+E.Tayloe.+Emergencies lent by C.C.C.

BARNES 0 NO NAMES 2 (A.Fleet,A.Baker)(At Barnes)(Return)

Field 8/2/68 P.110:

F:"The return match between these clubs was played last Saturday,the 1<sup>st</sup> inst.,at Barnes,the result proving the superiority of the N.N.'s,as in the first contest.The wind caused nearly all the play to take place on one side of the ground,and frequently unaided drove the ball beyond the boundaries.At the commencement of the game the Barnes club seemed to have a slight advantage,but the ball having been suddenly rescued from a scrimmage at the bottom of the ground,was quickly run down towards their goal posts by A.Fleet and S.T.Holland,who passed their opponents very successfully, and secured a well-deserved goal,the former giving the final kick.After some half hour or so of equal play A.Baker secured a second goal for the N.N.'s,which,however,would probably not have been obtained without the assistance of the wind,the ball taking an eccentric curve over the goal-keeper's head.The game was played fifteen a side-rather too many,we think,for the Association rules.Those who principally distinguished themselves were,for the N.N.'s,A.Fleet,C.J.Morice,and C.M.Tebbut;for Barnes,W.Collins(back)."

Barnes:R.W.Willis(Capt.),W.Collins,R.G.Graham,C.Warren,S. Le Blanc Smith,W.Nettleship,L.Karslake,  
J.K.Barnes,G.Wootton,M.Roberts,W.Routh,C.Adams,J.Sugden,J.Carr.

No Names:S.T.Holland(Capt.),C.M.Green,C.M.Tebbut,A.Baker,A.Fleet,L.Sweeting,F.S.Bone,  
A.Bird,C.J.Morice,J.D.Collins,G.C.Gordon,J.Nicholas,H.Sharpe,C.Waithman.

REIGATE 0 CRYSTAL PALACE 4 (C.J.Huggins 2,W.J.C.Cutbill,,A.L.Cutbill) (At Reigate)

Field 8/2/68 P.110:

F:"A match between the above clubs was played at Reigate,on Saturday last,which resulted in a victory for the Crystal Palace by four goals to none.The Reigate Club was not represented by a full team,but two players were transferred to them from the ranks of their opponents,and thus the two parties were placed on an equal footing in terms of numbers.The Reigate players were fortunate in winning the toss,and thereby secured the assistance of an unusullay high wind.At about three o'clock the ball was started,and gradually the Crystal Palace team,despite the force of the wind against which they had to contend,succeeded in driving their opponents back,until a good run down by C.J.Huggins won for them their first goal.After the change of ends the Reigate men struggled gamely,but their opponents proved irresistible,and a second goal was added to the score of the Palace from a kick by W.J.C.Cutbill.At this point of the game some good runs down were made by the Reigate men on the Palace goal,but the back play of A.L.Cutbill was too good to offer any hopes of success.The Crystal Palace captain once more got hold of the ball,and after a run along the side judiciously "middled" it to C.J.Huggins,who kicked the third goal for the Crystal Palace.With the wind again in their favour,the Crystal Palace players soon recommenced their attacks,and a fourth goal was soon placed to their credit,a good run down the entire length of the ground by A.L.Cutbill



securing the desired result. The game was kept up until five o'clock, but no further advantage was obtained by either party, and thus victory remained with the Crystal Palace by four goals."

Reigate: N.W. Clutton (Capt.), W.S. De Mattos, W.S. Field, F. Clutton, W. Clutton,  
B. Akroyd, R. Heskett, Wright, +D. Allport, +T.J. Chidley. +Emergencies from Crystal Palace

Crystal Palace: W.J.C. Cutbill (Capt.), J. Turner, C.J. Huggins, W. Allport, A. Lloyd,  
A.L. Cutbill, R. Cutbill, Butterfield, C. Farquhar, W. Parr.

WED FEB 5<sup>TH</sup> :

AVENGERS 2 (G.G. Kennedy 2) WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 1 (H. Curteis) (At Vincent Square)

Field 8/2/68 P.110/Sportsman 6/2/68 P.3/Bell's Life 8/2/68 P.9/Sporting Gazette 8/2/68 (Missing):

SM: "This match was played at Vincent-square yesterday, Wednesday, and terminated in a victory for the Avengers by two goals to one. The toss was won by the captain of the Avengers, who commenced kicking from the lodge goal with the wind. For some time the contest proved very even, both teams playing up with great energy, but at length a run down by H. Curteis resulted in the fall of the Avengers' goal. At times the speedy rushes of J.B. Martin and W.J. Dixon seriously endangered the School goal, but the excellent goal-keeping of W. Basham successfully resisted all the attacks made by the Avengers, until some sound play by J.M. Yates, down the side of the ground, brought the ball into the centre, whence it was finally kicked by G.G. Kennedy into the space between the School posts. The Westminsters, playing well together, now made some well-directed attempts on the Avengers' territory, but their efforts were not crowned with any decisive success, and shortly after they witnessed the second fall of their goal, which fell as before to a kick by G.G. Kennedy. No further score was made and the match accordingly terminated in favour of the Avengers by one goal. For the Avengers, J.M. Yates, J.B. Martin, and G.G. Kennedy were especially prominent, while G.H. Lee, F.S. Haden, and E. Giles worked hard for Westminster."

Avengers: C.W. Alcock, W.J. Dixon, G.G. Kennedy, J.B. Martin, A. Laurence, C.M. Tebbut,  
E.W. Wylde, E. Whittaker, F.B. Soden, J.M. Yates.

Westminster: H. Curteis (Capt.), E.S. Randolph, E. Giles, G.H. Lee, H. Barron, F.N. Saunders,  
W. Basham, J.A. O'Brien, F.S. Haden, E.P. Cope, H. Stephenson.

N.B. Wanderers v Eton Club scheduled for 5/2/68 did not take place (See SM 6/2/68 P.3)

THURS FEB 6<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 2 (E.A. Hamick, E.E. Venables) MR C.W. ALCOCK'S TEAM 0  
(In the Cloisters, Charterhouse)

Field 8/2/68 P.110/Pall Mall Gazette 7/2/68 P.9 (Some errors):

F: "On Thursday last, the 6<sup>th</sup> inst., a match was played between the above teams which resulted in a victory for the Carthusians by two goals to none. The game was played in cloisters, and, as an experimental contest, proved of a most exciting nature. The ball was kicked off by the School captain at a quarter past four o'clock, and for some time both parties kept up a most vigorous game, the

Strangers, from their ignorance of the technicalities of cloister war, and their want of practice on the hard pavement, being placed at a great disadvantage. The boys at length eluded the vigilance of the opposing back players, carried the ball well down towards the Strangers' goal, into which it was finally kicked by E.A. Hammick. After the renewal of play the charges became less frequent, several good rushes being made by J.E. Tayloe and A. Baker of Mr Alcock's team, from one of which the School goal was placed in a position of imminent peril; but the boys were irresistible, and by a united rush just before the conclusion of the game, drove the Strangers well before them, and a second goal was added to the School score, E.E. Venables giving the final kick. The Strangers appeared well satisfied with their first introduction to the cloister game; and doubtless, now that experience has proved a match can be played without any grievous injury to wind or limb, we shall hear of more clubs engaging in this style of football contests. For the Carthusians W. Wallace was the most conspicuous, while C.E.B. Nepean, E.A. Hammick, and E.E. Venables also showed good form. For Mr Alcock's team, J.E. Tayloe, A. Baker, and E. Tayloe were most useful."

Charterhouse School: C.E.B. Nepean (Capt.), W. Wallace, E.E. Venables, C.C. Boyle, E.A. Hammick, J. Tayloe, H.J. Almond, F.G. Paulson, R. Dunn, T.C. Hooman.

Mr Alcock's Team: C.W. Alcock, A. Baker, W. Brown, Quentin Hogg, S.T. Holland, J. Kirkpatrick, R. Russell, H. Emanuel, E. Tayloe, J.E. Tayloe.

SAT FEB 8<sup>TH</sup> :

HARROW SCHOOL 4 (C.W. Walker, R. Ord, E. Giles, S.W. Gore) WANDERERS 1 (J.T. Goldney) (At Harrow)

Field 15/2/68 P.134/Pall Mall Gazette 10/2/68 P.9:

F: "The return match of the season between these ancient rivals-usually the only football contest in which the Harrovians indulge during the spring term-was played at Harrow, on Saturday last, the 8<sup>th</sup> inst., and terminated in a rather easily won victory for the boys, who scored four goals, their opponents only obtaining one. The School ground, which last quarter was in such excellent condition, was on this occasion true to its old character, and presented a vast expanse of heavy mire, from which extrication appeared utterly hopeless. The toss was won by the School captain, who thereby gained a valuable ally in the shape of a very strong wind, which was blowing up the hill from the lower goal. At half-past two the ball was kicked off, and evidently bent on an immediate score, the boys with a united rush carried it well up into the centre of the Wanderers' goal, in front of which commenced the usual Harrow system of catch giving. After several vain attempts, C.W. Walker, the School captain, at length got hold of the leather, and finally succeeded in depositing it between the posts of the adverse goal. With the wind to aid them, the Wanderers in their turn assumed the offensive, and the School goal was subjected to a series of long shots, all of which, however, proved unsuccessful in securing the desired result. A fine run by A.K. Finlay up the hedge side of the field now carried the ball beyond the last line of defence presented by the School, and drove it well into the middle, whence, after a very fine catch, J.T. Goldney succeeded in landing it in the centre of the School posts. After the change of sides some brilliant attacks on the School lines were made by J.A. Cruikshank and A.K. Finlay; but the excellent defence of the Harrow goal-keepers, A.W. Welch and A.R. Watney, proved an insurmountable barrier to the Wanderers, who were soon destined to suffer a further reverse, some fine play by R. Ord, who cleverly eluded the vigilance of the Wanderers' back players, adding another goal for the School. The game now presented a more even aspect, each player working with

the greatest vigour, though the Wanderers apparently found it a matter of most serious difficulty to force their way through the mass of mire which commanded the entrance to their goal. For some time no further score fell to either of the contending parties, the Wanderers at times almost dashing into the heart of their opponents' goal, and at times forced back to their innermost lines by the rushes of the boys, for whom R. Ord played an excellent game throughout. After a rather easy chance had been missed by one of the School team, a well-directed kick by E. Giles caused the goal occupied by the Wanderers to surrender for the third time. The game was kept up with unabated spirit until a quarter to five o'clock, S. W. Gore, a few minutes before the call of time having credited the School account with another score, which thus placed the Harrovians in a majority of three goals. The heavy state of the ground militated sadly against any chances which the Wanderers might have possessed, as many of the most prominent and weighty members appeared all abroad, and were placed at a great disadvantage on this occasion. The boys played, taking into consideration the few opportunities most of their representatives have for practice at this time of the year, surprisingly well together, although they did not seem to possess the same excellence of individual form, which was so conspicuous in the ranks of their opponents. Since the last quarter the School have lost the services of the three brothers Carlisle, all players of great renown, their retirement causing a gap in their ranks, which they have attempted to fill by the introduction of Lord Kilmarnock, E. Giles, and F. Crake, the former of the three only showing any signs of future promise. For the Wanderers, F. P. Barlow, J. T. Goldney, E. E. Bowen, J. A. Cruikshank played well throughout, and at times A. K. Finlay showed good style. For the Harrovians, C. W. Walker, R. Ord, and W. H. Rodwell, played up well, and A. W. Welch and A. R. Watney showed great judgment in defence of the School goal."

Harrow School: C. W. Walker (Capt.), S. W. Gore, A. W. Welch, J. B. Broadmead, W. H. Rodwell, R. Watney, G. Law, R. Ord, Lord Kilmarnock, E. Giles, A. Crake.

Wanderers: C. W. Alcock, F. P. Barlow, E. E. Bowen, W. Rivett-Carnac, J. A. Cruikshank, R. D. Elphinstone, E. Fairfield, A. L. Finlay, J. T. Goldney, W. O. Hewlett, J. Parsons (Substitute)

FLYING DUTCHMEN 1 (J. M. Yates) CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 (Middlesex County Cricket Ground, Islington)

N.B. Not recorded in Charterhouse Football History.

Field 15/2/68 P.134/Pall Mall Gazette 10/2/68 P.9:

F: "The first match between the above clubs was played at the Middlesex County Cricket Ground, Islington, on Saturday last, the 8<sup>th</sup> inst., and resulted in a victory for the Flying Dutchmen, who obtained one goal, their opponents failing to score. This was the first occasion on which the Carthusians have contended against any team since the erection of the unsightly hoarding on Under Green; and much interest was felt to see how they would succeed on a more extensive space of ground, the general body of football players agreeing that the boys, on their new field of action, would not be able to continue the succession of victories which they have for some time past achieved against the most formidable combination of talent against which they have found themselves opposed, and the result of this first contest proved that the general opinion was right. At three o'clock only nine players had appeared to represent the Flying Dutchmen, the two absentees, Quentin Hogg and E. W. Wylde occupying conspicuous positions in the world of football. Five minutes more found the expected ones not yet arrived, and the Flyers at last determined to commence the

match without the two recreants, and thus they were throughout placed at a great disadvantage in point of numbers. The nine Dutchmen, however, seemed well capable of holding their own and their goal, the defence of which was entrusted to E. Lubbock, did not appear to be placed in a position of imminent peril. The first ten minutes found the Dutchmen, who were playing with the wind, working in good form, the charging of J.E. Tayloe being especially conspicuous at this early period of the game. At length the ball fell into the hands of J.M. Yates, who, after a well-executed run down more than half the length of the ground, finally landed the leather in grand style under the tape which surmounted the School posts. The Carthusians now reaped the advantage of the wind, and, headed by E.E. Venables and C.C. Boyle, on several occasions advanced so far as to seriously endanger the safety of the Dutchmen's goal. All the efforts made by the Boys, however, proved unsuccessful, the gallant resistance offered by E. Lubbock, whose foot appeared to have lost none of its wonted cunning, and the judicious play of G.H. Lee, proving insuperable obstacles to the success of the opposing team. Several well-directed attempts were made on the School goal by A. Baker, but in the face of the energetic defence showed by C.E.B. Nepean, the Charterhouse captain, the hopes of any further score for the Dutchmen were apparently but small. The game was continued until four o'clock, at which hour the Carthusians, in spite of the most strenuous exertions, had not been able to obtain any score, and the Flying Dutchmen remained the victors by one goal. The boys now begin to experience the effects resulting from the only weak point which was discernable in their play even in the heyday of their triumphs, to wit, their habit of leaving the centre of the play altogether unguarded, and thus presenting an opening which in the narrow limits of Under Green was not so fraught with danger as on a wider expanse of ground. The backing up and (w)ide play the boys in this match showed that they had lost none of their pristine brilliance, and had they only seen the necessity of playing two men well up in the centre to take advantage of the numerous chances which were offered at the Dutchmen's goal, they would doubtless have proved their ability worthily to maintain the reputation which their predecessors have won for them on the football field. The Flying Dutchmen have only lately been added to the list of football clubs, this match representing their second appearance, and it may be of interest to know that they are composed solely of Etonians and Westminsterers, and that they intend to confine themselves as much as possible to these two sections. There is ample room for many more recruits to the ranks of football, and we gladly welcome this young fledgeling, feeling convinced that under the able management of its worthy captain its life will be a long and merry one. For the School, C.E.B. Nepean, E.E. Venables, and J. Taylor were the most conspicuous; J.M. Yates, G.H. Lee, and E. Lubbock lent most valuable assistance to the Dutchmen."

Flying Dutchmen: W.J. Dixon (Capt.), J.M. Yates, Edgar Lubbock, S.V. Gibbs, J.E. Tayloe, G.H. Lee, W.G. Lefroy, W. Stephenson, A. Baker. Absentees: Quentin Hogg and E.W. Wylde.

Charterhouse School: C.E.B. Nepean (Capt.), W. Wallace, E.E. Venables, E.A. Hammick, H.J. Almond, C.C. Boyle, J. Taylor, F.G. Paulson, R. Dunn, T.C. Hooman, A.F. Russell.

ROYAL ENGINEERS 3 (No scorers recorded) NO NAMES 0 (Outer Lines, Chatham)

Sportsman 13/2/68 P.3/Field 15/2/68 P.135/Bell's Life 15/2/68:

F: "The No Names mustered in full force from London, and a capital game ensued for an hour and a half. The Royal Engineers, who have much improved since we last saw their gallant team, had considerably the best of the game throughout, scoring three goals to the No Names none, and never letting the ball go beyond their goal line. The No Names played most pluckily, making one or two

good rushes, but were not strong enough to resist the attacks of their opponents. Owing to the ground being greasy, several "croppers" occurred, and we are sorry to say that the collar-bone of Mr Fleet, who played most gamely throughout, was broken; he, however, was able to return to London, after being carefully "wound up" by the skilful hands of Dr Cockburn, R.E."

Royal Engineers: Lieut. Pottinger (Capt.), Major Harrison, Capt. Marindin, Lieuts. Barlow, Broadbent, Campbell, Fellowes, Merriman, Morris, Pulford, Purcell.

No Names: C.M. Tebbut (Capt.), H. Emanuel, A. Fleet, J. Nicholas, A. Bird, C. Gordon, C.J. Schwabe, J. Bone, A. Trinder, A. Clarke, C.M. Green. (F has O. Trinder)

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 6 (S. Morgan 3, 3 Others) 21<sup>ST</sup> ESSEX RIFLES 0 (Return)

Sportsman 13/2/68 P.3/Field 15/2/68 P.134/Chelmsford Chronicle 14/2/68 P.8:

F: "The return match between these two clubs was played at Brentwood on Saturday last, the 8<sup>th</sup> inst. The ball was kicked off by the Brentwood captain at half-past two o'clock, and for two hours the contest was carried on with great vigour. The Brentwoods gained six goals, their opponents failing to score, three of which were kicked by S. Morgan, who throughout the match especially distinguished himself. The Brentwoods since last term have lost many of their most brilliant performers, but the present representatives of the School Football have no reason to fear comparison with any past teams."

Brentwood School: A. Francis (Capt.), Branfoot, Dodd, Holden, Laurie, C. Lawrence, P. Morgan, S. Morgan, M. Mumford, Ogilvie, St Quintin.

21<sup>ST</sup> Essex Rifles: Not traced

HERTFORDSHIRE RANGERS 1 (C. Kidson) C.C.C. 0 (At Watford)

Field 15/2/68 P.134:

F: "These two clubs played their return match on Saturday last, the 8<sup>th</sup> inst., on the grounds of the Rangers at Watford. Neither side mustered in full force, only sixteen players appearing to represent the contending parties. The Rangers secured the choice of goals, and thereby gained the assistance of the wind, which was blowing direct from goal to goal. Play was commenced at half past three o'clock, the Clapham players, in spite of the wind against they laboured, working in good form, though the good goal-keeping of the Rangers prevented their efforts meeting with any decisive success. Several excellent runs were made for the Rangers by C. Kidson and R. Barker, none of which produced the desired result until a few minutes before the call of time. C. Kidson, after a well-executed run down, succeeded in landing the ball between the Clapham (posts), and thus finished the match in favour of the Rangers by one goal to none. For the Hertfordshire Rangers R. Barker and C. Kidson showed the most brilliant style; for the C.C.C. H.M. Dealtry and A. Fanshawe were most energetic."

Hertfordshire Rangers: R. Barker (Capt.), Keir, Searancke, C. Kidson, R. Warwick, Chadwick, D. Wood, Thompson.

C.C.C. : H.M. Dealtry, F.B. Soden, P.V. Turner, A.V. Fanshawe, R. Ker, F.M. Hartung, E. Tayloe, M. Elliott.

FOREST SCHOOL 2 (H.C.Shuttleworth,T.W.Crowther) KING'S COLLEGE 1 (C.D.Smith) (At Walthamstow)

Field 15/2/68 P.134:

F:"Shortly after three o'clock the ball was kicked off by the Foresters,who had lost the toss,and thus had to play up against a strong breeze.During the earlier portion of the game the ball was kept in the middle of the ground;but at length,after about a quarter of an hour's play,a long kick by C.D.Smith,of King's College School,resulted in the fall of the Foresters' goal.The Foresters now aided by the wind,made several good rushes,from one of which H.C.Shuttleworth succeeded in driving the ball through the posts of the King's goal.On change of sides the Foresters still seemed determined to take the lead,as the ball was kept well in the vicinity of the King's goal,in spite of the determined efforts made by W.H.Bossano and C.Wroughton to remove the fight from the neighbourhood of their lines.After some very hard play by both parties a general scrimmage took place in front of the King's posts,from which the ball was extricated and kicked into goal by T.W.Crowther.Play was continued after this for upwards of an hour,but no other advantage had been obtained by either party at five o'clock,when time was called."

Forest School;:F.J.Poole(Capt.),W.E.Gascoigne,H.C.Shuttleworth,J.C.Cotton, W.Cotton,E.T.Gardom, H.Worrall,E.H.St J.Shelton,T.L.Brown ,T.W.Crowther,H.Holt,H.Smith, J.B.Ridgeway,E.B.Beauchamp, M.V.Huggins.

King's College:W.H.Bassano(Capt.),W.Battye,Field,E.Walker,J.Walker,C.Wroughton,G.Ackland, J.Hutchins,J.R.Kemp,E.Carline,C.D.Smith,D.Hubert,E.Lowe,F.Mason.

NOTTINGHAM CLUB Match:Public School Members 0 The Rest 0 (No teams in Notts County History)

Field 15/2/68 P.135:

F:"The return match between these two sides was played on the Meadows ground,at Nottingham, on Saturday last,the 8<sup>th</sup> inst.The game was most even throughout,and terminated in a draw,neither party achieving any score.During the first half hour the goal occupied by the Schools was several times placed in imminent peril by their adversaries,who had a strong wind at their backs.After half time the game was carried on with great spirit,and though the Public School men played up most resolutely they were unable to obtain any score,and when time was called the match was declared drawn."

Public Schools:A.Deedes(Winchester)(Capt.),C.E.Wylde(Winchester),J.Patterson(Charterhouse), Lieut.Thackeray(Rugby),C.Elliott(Repton), J.Lambert(Rugby),C.Rothera(Rugby), G.Fellowes(Repton),Simon(Uppingham),E.Dallas(Uppingham),F.Morse(Marlborough).

The Rest:A.B.Baillon(Capt.),W.A.Hodges,W.Waud,J.Scrimshawe,F.Baillon, J.C.Hodges, R.Stafford,C.S.Wardle,H.Pfungst,G.Yates,J.Hack.

TUES FEB 11<sup>TH</sup> :

CIVIL SERVICE 0 ROYAL ENGINEERS 0 (At Outer Lines,Chatham)

Field 15/2/68 P.134/Bell's Life 15/2/68 P.9/Pall Mall Gazette 12/2/68 P.9:

BL: "On the 11<sup>th</sup> instant a most spirited and evenly-contested game between the above-named clubs came off at Chatham. The "Civilians" brought a good team down from London to tackle their military opponents, who mustered also in strong force. Play lasted for an hour and a half. No goal being obtained by either side, the match resulted in a draw. The Civil Service won the toss, and a light breeze in their favour, which influenced the long kicking; nevertheless, the Royal Engineers played up in good form, making some determined rushes, and twice nearly succeeded in planting the ball between the goal posts. Their adversaries, however, did not allow the ball to remain very long in the neighbourhood of their goal, and made some clever "runs through" towards the end of the game, which required all the military tactics of their gallant opponents to resist their vigorous onslaughts."

Civil Service: C.G. Waudby (Capt.), C.W. Alcock, H.H. Batten, A.E. Bateman, E. Fairfield, E. Freeth, J. Kirkpatrick, J.(H). Giffard, H Bence Jones, H.F. Langley, C. Ward. (F has J. Langley and M. Ward)

N.B C.W. Alcock in both BL/PMG as playing (but not in F as has C.G. Waudby twice) and he is not recorded in the Wanderers Biography as having played for Civil Service.

Royal Engineers: Lieut Pottinger (Capt.), Capt. Marindin, Lieuts. Barlow, Broadbent, Green, Fellowes, Merriman, Morris, Campbell. Purcell, Pulford.

WED FEB 12<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 2 (H. Stephenson (o.g.), E.S. Randolph) FLYING DUTCHMEN 1 (W.J. Dixon)  
(At Vincent Square)

Field 15/2/68 P.134/Sportsman 13/2/68 P.3/Sporting Gazette 15/2/68/Bell's Life 15/2/68 P.9:

F: "The Dutchmen appeared with only six representatives; but their team was finally augmented to ten by the addition of four rising Westminsters, all of whom did good service to their side. The ball was thrown up into the air about twenty minutes past three o'clock, the Westminsters, who had won the toss and elected to occupy the lodge goal, playing with the wind. During the earlier portion of the game the two parties appeared to be most evenly matched, though the non-appearance of their expected goal-keeper, Quentin Hogg, caused their back play to be less sure than usual. For some time neither side could lay claim to any material advantage, though several well-directed attacks were made on the Dutchmen's goal, which was twice well saved by the excellent fielding of W. Stephenson, one of the four recruits enlisted by the captain of the Dutchmen. Good luck at length enabled the Westminsters to gain the first success, as the ball was kicked from behind his lines by the Dutchmen's goal keeper, and owing to an injudicious kick, was unfortunately driven against the person of one of his own side, from whom it rebounded smartly into the gateway between the Strangers' posts, thus causing the boys to achieve a goal, in the capture of which none of their players had any share. After the recommencement of play the Dutchmen worked with increased vigour, and a series of attacks, in which J.M. Yates and W.J. Dixon figured most conspicuously, were made on the School lines, none of which, however, in consequence of the dearth of active forward players on the side of the Strangers, were attended with any decisive result. A run up by E.S. Randolph, now placed the second goal to the credit of the Westminsters, who were indebted for this success to a very bad miss which was made by one of the Dutchmen's back players. After this, the score remained for some time unaltered, in spite of several good runs made by the forward players of the two parties. At last the

Dutchmen found their efforts crowned with success,as a good run down the side of the ground by C.W.Alcock,drove the ball well into the centre,whence it was carried on by the ever watchful W.J.Dixon,who succeeded in planting it safely between the posts.Towards the conclusion of the game the Dutchmen showed great resolution,and on several occasions dashed almost into the heart of the enemy's goal;but no further score rewarded their exertions,and the call of time at twenty-five minutes to five o'clock,found the Westminsterians in the possession of victory by one goal.The Westminsterians played in very good style,though it is but fair to them to state that on this occasion they were deprived of the services of their most useful back player.The Dutchmen,though they struggled most pluckily,were contending against too heavy odds,and they may be congratulated on the good fight they made during this match."

Westminster:H.Curteis,E.S.L.Randolph,G.H.Lee,E.Giles,+F.A.O'Brien,F.N.Saunders,H.Barron,  
W.C.Lefroy, E.P.Cope,R.M.Curteis,H.E.Rawson.

+CHECK NO J.A.O'Brien

Flying Dutchmen:W.J.Dixon,J.M.Yates,C.W.Alcock,C.M.Tebbut,E.W.Wylde,E.Whittaker,  
+T.Wakley,+R.W.S.Vidal,+H.B.Dixon,+W.Stephenson(goal).(BL has F.Whittaker and  
H.Stephenson)+Westminster Substitutes

SAT FEB 15<sup>TH</sup> :

FLYING DUTCHMEN 5(W.J.Dixon,J.C.Smith,J.M.Yates 2,E.W.Wylde) OLD HARROVIANS 0  
(At Middlesex County Cricket Ground,Islington)

Field 22/2/68 P.148/Sportsman 18/2/68 P.3/Pall Mall Gazette 17/2/68 P.9:

F:"A first match was played between these teams at the Middlesex County Cricket Ground,Islington, on Saturday last,the 15<sup>th</sup> inst.,when the Flying Dutchmen gained an easy victory by five goals to none. At three o'clock,the hour appointed for the commencement of the game,there was only a scant attendance of players,the extreme difficulty experienced in discovering the exact locale of the ground causing many of the combatants to be unusually late in arriving at the scene of action.At half-past three o'clock,however,it was decided to open the fight,and accordingly a few minutes afterwards the ball was kicked off by the captain of the Flying Dutchmen,the Old Harrovians,who had won the toss,playing up from the lower goal with a slight breeze in their favour.Some heavy showers which had fallen in the morning had rendered the surface of the ground extremely slippery,which apparently proved throughout a considerable disadvantage to the Old Harrovians, who were the heavier and slower team.For the first half hour the two sides appeared very equally matched,the crushing charges of J.Porter,the occasional brilliant runs of G.G.Kennedy and J.T.Goldney,and the excellent goal-keeping of H.O.Hewlett enabling the Old Harrovians effectually to resist the speedy attacks of the Flyers,for whom A.Baker was,during the earlier portion of the game,especially active.The unavoidable retirement of their goal-keeper now proved fatal to the Harrovians,who had previously numbered only one player less than their opponents,whose goal at last surrendered to a short run by W.J.Dixon.The change of ends proved of little service to the Harrovians,who,in spite of some energetic attempts to recover their lost ground,one run down by E.Fairfield and P.Rhodes,deserving especial praise,soon witnessed the second fall of their goal,which fell to a very lucky long kick from the toe of J.C.Smith.The severity of their exertions now evidently



began to tell on the small band of Harrovians, as they appeared totally unable to drive the ball away from the neighbourhood of their goal; a quick kick off by the Dutchmen, followed up by a very speedy rush by J.M. Yates, found the ball once more travelling between the posts of the Harrovians' goal. The sides had hardly been changed before J.M. Yates again took advantage of the inactivity displayed by the Harrovians to obtain another success, thus placing the fourth goal to the credit of the Flying Dutchmen. Time was now called, but by mutual consent of the two captains, play was continued for another quarter of an hour, during which time the Flying Dutchmen scored their fifth and last goal, a good run up by A. Baker, E.W. Wylde, and W.J. Dixon, followed up by a well-directed kick by E.W. Wylde securing this final success. The Harrovians appeared out of form, their play throughout exhibiting none of the good style which we should expect from players of such acknowledged repute, although undoubtedly their defeat may be attributable chiefly to the superior speed of their opponents, and also to the retirement of their goal-keeper (W.O. Hewlett), who played with all his accustomed skill and precision. The Flying Dutchmen were an unusually formidable team, and they showed throughout an excellent backing up and general dribbling powers which well deserved the victory gained on this occasion. For the Old Harrovians, G.G. Kennedy, J.T. Goldney (forwards) and W.O. Hewlett (back) did especial service. For the Flying Dutchmen, J.C. Smith (late of Westminster School) deserve prominent notice, and J.M. Yates, W.J. Dixon, and A. Baker also exhibited good style."

Flying Dutchmen: W.J. Dixon (Capt.), A. Baker, E. Lubbock, H.J. Almond, J.C. Smith, W. Stephenson, E.W. Wylde, J.M. Yates.

Old Harrovians: C.W. Alcock, E. Fairfield, J.T. Goldney, W.O. Hewlett, G.G. Kennedy, J. Porter, P. Rhodes, A.K. Finlay (Absent).

FOREST SCHOOL 2 goals (T.L. Browne 2) and 11 rouges ILFORD CLUB 0

Field 22/2/68 P.148/Sportsman 18/2/68 P.3:

SM: "A match was played between the above clubs on Saturday last at Walthamstow, which resulted in a victory for the Foresters by two goals and eleven rouges to nothing. The goals for Forest School were both obtained by T.L. Browne. For Ilford, J.E. Fry, J.A. Ratford, G. Cowell, and J.M. Parker; for Forest School, W.E. Gascoigne, H.C. Shuttleworth, E.B. Beauchamp, and J.C. Cotton played well."

Forest School: F.T. Poole (Capt.), W.E. Gascoigne, H.C. Shuttleworth, J.C. Cotton, E.T. Gardom, H. Worrall, T.L. Browne, H. Holt, H. Smith, J.B. Ridgway, E.B. Beauchamp, M.V. Huggins.

Ilford: J.M. Parker (Capt.), R. Cook, W. Cotton, G. Cowell, J.E. Fry, H.W. Fry, R.P. Fry, H.P. Fry, A. Nash, R.W. Parker, J.A. Ratford, D. Woodhams.

BARNES 1 (C. Warren) CRYSTAL PALACE 0 (At Barnes)

Sportsman 4/3/68 P.3:

SM: "This match was played at Barnes on Saturday, the 22<sup>nd</sup> ult., and resulted in a victory for the Barnes Club by one goal to none. For the Crystal Palace, Chidley, Daukes, and Lloyd; for Barnes, Adams, Sugden, Butler, and Collins, specially distinguished themselves. The goal for Barnes was kicked by Warren, after a fine piece of play by J.K. Barnes." + Incorrect as playing R.E. on that date

Barnes:R.W.Willis(Capt.),J.K.Barnes,Adams,Sugden,W.R.Collins,W.Nettleship,D.M.Roberts,C.Warren, Wootton,C.Routh,Butler,R.Courtenay,Green,Antrobus.

Crystal Palace:J.Turner(Capt.),W.Allport,E.Allport,R.Allport,J.Sharland, J.Cockerell,T.J.Chidley, W.Parr,C.Farquhar,A.L.Cutbill,R.Cutbill,H.Dankes,H.Lloyd,C.Huggins.

WED FEB 19<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 2 (E.S.Randolph,G.H.Lee) CIVIL SERVICE 0 (At Vincent Square)

Sportsman 22/2/68 P.3/Field 22/2/68 P.149/Pall Mall Gazette 20/2/68 P.9:

F:"Neither party appeared in full strength,only nine representatives of the Civil Servants mustering at the appointed hour,while the Westminsters had to play two substitutes in lieu of W.Basham,and F.N.Saunders,both of whom were prevented from assisting the School on this occasion.The weather was unpleasantly damp,a drizzling rain falling throughout the course of the game;while the ground appeared very greasy and slippery from the very heavy falling of wet to which it had been subjected during the morning.At twenty minutes past three o'clock a movement was made from the lodge,and almost immediately the ball was thrown up into the air,the Civil Servants who had gained the choice of goals occupying that at the lodge end,with a strong breeze in their favour.For some time the Civil Servants succeeded in keeping their opponents away from the immediate neighbourhood of their posts,but gradually they were driven back to their lines,near which the fight waxed fast and strong, the attacks of the Westminsters at times driving the ball dangerously close to the tape of the Service goal.In spite of the wind,against which they had to struggle,the Westminster back players found the defence of their goal a very easy task during the earlier portion of the game,the forward play of the Civil Servants exhibiting its accustomed want of organisation.After several unsuccessful attempts by the Westminsters,amongst whom H.Barron figured very prominently,some excellent play by E.S.Randolph,E.Giles,and G.H.Lee carried the ball into the centre of the Service goal,where a scrimmage took place,from which E.S.Randolph cleverly extricated the leather,and landed it safely between the posts.The change of ends proved fatal to the hopes of the Civil Servants,who were powerless to resist the force of the wind which now came to the aid of their adversaries,and it was soon apparent that the Service goal would again be compelled to surrender to the superior forces of the School.R.Babington and E.Fairfield in vain attempted to endanger the safety of the Westminster lines,but each run was frustrated without calling into requisition the powers of the School goal-keeper,and the state of the game remained unaltered,until a rush down the edge of the ground, followed by a long and well-directed side kick by G.H.Lee enabled the Westminsters to score a second goal.From this point until the conclusion of the game the play was continued without any further success to either party,the wind,which during the last few minutes appeared to have increased in force,blowing across the ground and effectually dispelling any hopes of a third score for the boys,who,when time was called at half-past four o'clock,remained the victors by two goals.The greasy state of the ground prevented the exhibition of any individual style worthy of especial notice;but it is just to the Westminsters to say that they worked together in excellent style throughout the match."

Westminster School:H.Curteis(Capt.),E.S.Randolph,G.H.Lee,H.Barron,F.A.O'Brien,W.C.Lefroy, R.Curteis,E.P.Cope,R.W.S.Vidal,H.E.Rawson,E.Giles.

Civil Service:C.G.Waudby(Capt.),R.Babington,A.E.Bateman,W.Bailey,E.Fairfield,R.N.Ferguson,  
J.(H.)Giffard,J.Kirkpatrick,M.T.Martin,H.Dixon,+W.Saunders.+Emergency(F lists all the last 3 as  
Emergencies)

THURS FEB 20<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS 2 (C.W.Alcock,H.Emanuel) HITCHIN 0 (At Hitchin)

Sportsman 4/3/68 P.3/Field 22/2/68 P.148/Pall Mall Gazette 21/2/68 P.9:

F:"On Thursday last,the 20<sup>th</sup> inst.,the Wanderers travelled down to Hitchin to play their annual match,which was postponed from December last in consequence of the hard frost,against their old opponents the Hitchiners;the result of the contest was a victory for the Wanderers,who scored two goals to nothing.The weather proved a delicious contrast to the dull,damp atmosphere which prevailed throughout the previous day,a bright sun,which influenced an unusually large concourse of fair spectators to visit the ground,a cloudless sky,and a breath of wind just strong enough to infuse spirit into the play,all combined to render the match one of the most enjoyable we have ever witnessed.The arrival of the Cambridge contingent,which comprised the stronger portion of the Wandering band,caused the play to be rather late in commencing,the ball being kicked off by the captain of the Wanderers a few minutes after half-past three o'clock,the Hitchin players,who had won the toss,kicking down from the upper goal.The first ten minutes were sufficient to prove the decided superiority of the Wanderers,as the ball was constantly hovering in dangerous proximity to the Hitchin goal,which on several occasions narrowly escaped capture from the kicks of L.Ogden and W.Rigden.At first the Wanderers appeared unable to comprehend the difficult nature of the ground,which is situated just on the slope of a hill,but with time their play showed a visible improvement,and their efforts were at last rewarded by the fall of the Hitchin goal,which was achieved by C.W.Alcock.The change of ends found the Wanderers assisted by wind and hill,and the ball was speedily driven along the upper side into the immediate neighbourhood of the home posts, on all sides of which the Wanderers kept up a constant fire.For some time the score remained unaltered,although C.W.Alcock once seriously imperilled the goal of the home party,which,however, once again was compelled to surrender to a finely-directed side kick by H.Emanuel,whose good play was thus crowned with well-merited success.The game was kept up till ten minutes to five o'clock; but the Wanderers at the call of time had not achieved any further score,the match thus terminating in their favour by two goals.The Hitchiners fought a plucky up-hill game,and the want of practice which appeared evident in their style of play,alone proved fatal to their chances of coping successfully with the formidable band of players to whom they were opposed on this occasion.For the Wanderers,L.Ogden,W.Rigden,and H.Emanuel exhibited the best form;while for the Hitchin team,who have lately been somewhat crippled by losing the active co-operation of their energetic secretary,the Rev J.Pardoe,F.Shillitoe,Rev J.Parker,and "Jack the Box" were especially active."

Wanderers:C.W.Alcock,H.Elliot,H.Emanuel,H.Head,A.F.Kinnaird,L.Ogden,Hon.T.W.H.Pelham,  
W.Rigden,C.M.Tebbut.

Hitchin:F.Shillitoe(Capt.),Rev. J.B.Parker,W.Hill,G.Lewin,E.Logsdon,T.Mainwaring,W.O.Atkinson,  
F.Lucas,G.A.Passingham,L.Thompson.(F has S.Thompson)

SAT FEB 22<sup>ND</sup>:

ROYAL ENGINEERS 2 (Lieut. Green,"rush of forwards":Purcell-FA 1868) BARNES 0 (At Outer Lines,Chatham Lines)(Return)

Sportsman 5/3/68 P.3/Bell's Life 29/2/68 P.9/Field 29/2/68 P.171/Pall Mall Gazette 24/2/68 P.9:

F:"The return match between the above clubs was played on the outer lines at Chatham,on Saturday last,the 22<sup>nd</sup> inst,and produced a most closely contested game.At a quarter to four o'clock the two parties mustered on the ground,the Engineers,who numbered two more than their opponents, transferring Lieut Broadbent,R.E.,to the Barnes Club,in order to equalise the sides.The Engineers were favoured by fortune in winning the toss,as a strong wind was blowing down from goal to goal.The ball was kicked off by the Barnes captain,and speedily driven down by the Engineers into the neighbourhood of the Barnes goal,where for some time the contest was carried on without any decisive result.At length,after half an hour's play,Lieut Green,by a well directed kick,scored a goal for the Engineers.The Barnes team now had the wind in their favour,and so tested the powers of their military opponents that a most desperate game ensued,the scrimmages being both frequent and of long duration.The Engineers made some splendid rushes to secure another goal;but all their efforts were frustrated by the excellent back play of R.W.Willis and J.Cockerell for Barnes,until after a well planned run up by Lieuts Purcell,Campbell,and Brown,backed up by the whole of the forward players of their team,the ball was successfully planted between the posts of the Barnes goal,thus placing a second goal to the credit of the Engineers.Time was called at five o'clock;but,by general consent, the game was continued until 5.30.During this last half hour no alteration was made in the score, although the Engineers appeared to have decidedly the best of the fight,and when the game terminated victory rested with the Engineers by two goals to none."

Royal Engineers:Lieut. Pottinger(Capt.),Lieuts.Barlow,Browne,Campbell,Chambers,Courtney, Green,Johnstone,Fellowes,Fanshawe,Morgan,Morris,Pulford,Purcell.

Barnes:R.W.Willis(Capt.),R.G.Graham,P.Rhodes,W.Wootton,W.F.Nettleship,D.M.Roberts, C.Routh,H.Butler,J.Cockerell,W.G.Collins,J.K.Barnes,C.Warren,Lieut. Broadbent(Substitute)(BL has H.Wootton)

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 NO NAMES 0 0 (Middlesex County Cricket Ground,Islington)

Field 29/2/68 P.171/ Sportsman 5/3/68 P.3/Pall Mall Gazette 24/2/68 P.9/Bell's Life 29/2/68 P.9(Spelling Errors in BL):

F:"The first match of the present season between the above clubs was played at the Middlesex County Cricket Ground,Islington,on Saturday last,the 22<sup>nd</sup> inst. The result was a game most closely contested throughout,when time was called neither party having achieved any score.At about three o'clock the coin was spun for choice of goals;but this preliminary success,which fell to the Carthusians,proved of little advantage,as the wind at the commencement of the game was blowing straght across the line of play.During the earlier portion of the game the N.N.'s appeared to have the best of the fight,as the ball was contually hovering round and assailing the posts of the School goal,in spite of the energetic style in which E.E.Venables and C.C.Boyle struggled to remove the fight away from the neighbourhood of their lines.A.Baker and C.J.Morrice at times almost overpowered the resistance offered by the enemy's goal keepers,but still for some time all the efforts made by the

forward players of the N.N's team were unattended with any decisive success. At length, however, a general rush of the Strangers forced the ball under the tape and between the posts of the School goal, but being caught on the bound by the School goal keeper, it was speedily driven back into the centre of the ground. The success thus achieved by the N.N.'s in consequence of their claim being disallowed, did not prove of any advantage to the Strangers. From this point until the conclusion of the game, the superior training of the Carthusians enabled them to assume the offensive, the last few minutes proving apparently of more service to the Boys than to their less practised opponents."

No Names: S.T. Holland (Capt.), A. Baker, W. Bird, A. Bird, V. Borradaile, W.J. Dixon, H. Emanuel, G. Gordon, C.J. Morrice, C.M. Tebbut, J.M. Yates.

Charterhouse School: C.E.B. Nepean (capt.), W. Wallace, E.E. Venables, E.A. Hammick, H.J. Almond, C.C. Boyle, J. Taylor, F.G. Paulson, R. Dunn, T.C. Hooman, A.F. Russell.

FOREST SCHOOL 0 UPTON PARK 1 (M. Jutsum) (At Walthamstow)

Sportsman 4/3/68 P.3/Field 29/2/68 P.170:

F: "This match was played at Walthamstow on Saturday, Feb 22, and resulted after a most closely-contested game, in a victory for the Uptonians by one goal to none. Owing to the late arrival of the Strangers, the game did not commence till four o'clock, when the game was started by the Foresters; the Uptonians, who had won the toss, playing downhill. At the start the Uptonians, by dint of their superior weight, drove the ball to the home goal, and after about ten minutes' play, M. Jutsum succeeded in kicking a goal, although a doubt existed whether he was off-side or not. Goals were now changed, the Foresters, who seemed determined to retrieve their lost ground, working with renewed vigour, in their turn driving their opponents down to their lines. For the next three quarters of an hour the Foresters certainly had the best of the game, although several good rushes were made by H.W. Barnett and F. and H. Wilson, which, however, were repelled by J.C. Cotton and E.H. Shelton, the School backs. The goal of the Strangers was several times endangered by the attacks of the Foresters, twice in particular by E.T. Gardom, and S.H. Carver, but all to no purpose; thus, when time was called, after an hour's play, which just gave the Foresters time to warm themselves, the Uptonians remained the victors by one goal. For the Strangers H.W. Barnett, H. Wilton, F. Wilton, and C.E. Wilson were most conspicuous; and for the Foresters H.C. Shuttleworth, J.C. Cotton, E.T. Gardom, and E.H. Shelton played most energetically."

Forest School: F.J. Poole (Capt.), W.E. Gascoigne, H.C. Shuttleworth, J.C. Cotton, S.H. Carver, E.T. Gardom, H. Worrall, E.H. St. J. Shelton, T.L. Browne, T.W. Crowther, J.B. Ridgway, H. Holt, H. Smith, E.B. Beauchamp, M.V. Huggins.

Upton Park: H.W. Barnett (Capt.), W.H. Bailey, C.C. Bailey, B. Barnett, F. Barnett, J.C. Cobbold, S. Curwen, A.M. Fell, W. Gardner, A.M. Jones, M. Jutsum, A. Sweet, C.E. Wilson, F. Wilton, H. Wilton.

BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 1 (Walker) C.C.C. 1 (J.E. Tayloe)

Sportsman 5/3/68 P.3/Field 29/2/68 P.171:

F: "The return match between the above clubs was played at Brentwood on Saturday, Feb 22. The C.C.C. were very well represented, so a good game was expected by those who had assembled to

witness the contest, and those hopes were in no way disappointed. There was a strong wind blowing almost direct from goal to goal, so that the toss was of considerable advantage; this was gained by the captain of the C.C.C., by whom the ball was started at half-past two. Now commenced one of the best contested games that could possibly have been played. The Brentwoods, with the wind against them, set to work most resolutely, and were once within an ace of gaining the first goal. This intrusion into their territory appeared to rouse the members of the C.C.C., and they set to work in real earnest, some splendid play being exhibited by Fanshawe, Duthie, Dealtry, and Tayloe; the last-named, after the game had been contested for three-quarters of an hour, gained the first goal for the C.C.C. Goals were now changed, and the Brentwoods, with the wind in their favour, in less than ten minutes, gained the second goal, which was well kicked by Walker. After this neither side gained any further advantage, although the game was contested with great vigour for two hours."

Brentwood School: A. Francis (Capt.), Burgess, Holden, Laurie, Lawrence, P. Morgan, S. Morgan, Nash, Ogilvie, St Quintin, Walker.

C.C.C. : J. E. Tayloe (Capt.), C. Davison, H. Dealtry, C. W. Dodd (Substitute), R. Duthie, M. Elliott, J. Fanshawe, F. Hartung, R. Ker, F. B. Soden, P. Turner.

MON FEB 24<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 OLD CARTHUSIANS 2 (L. Ogden, Hon. F. O'Grady) (In Cloisters, Charterhouse)

Sportsman 5/3/68 P.3/Field 29/2/68 P.171/Pall Mall Gazette 25/2/68 P.9/Sporting Life 26/2/68 P.4:

F: "On Monday last, the 24<sup>th</sup> inst., the annual match between the past and present scholars of Greyfriars was played in the cloisters at Charterhouse. A well-fought and spirited game was the result, the old Carthusians carrying off the honours of victory by two goals to none. The Old Boys were represented by an unusually formidable team, and presented a concentration of heavy weight, against which it appeared utterly impossible for the Boys to contend with any hopes of ultimate success. +Twelve Old Carthusians appeared in the cloisters at the time appointed, stripped, and ready for the fray, mustering in their ranks many of the most celebrated football players who have during past seasons represented the School at Under Green. Shortly before three o'clock the ball was kicked off from the School goal by C. E. B. Nepean, the present captain of Charterhouse football, and for some time the scrimmages were kept up with great spirit, the charging powers of the Past enabling them to effectually resist the occasional rushes made by the Boys. For twenty minutes the game was confined chiefly to the centre of the ground, the Boys, for whom W. Wallace and H. J. Almond charged with deadly effect, struggling with undiminished resolution to prevent the advance of their opponents. A good rush by the School drove the ball close to the goal of the Old Boys, in front of which a long scrimmage took place, which resulted in the extrication of the ball by L. Ogden, who made a splendid run down the length of the cloisters, and finally succeeded in handing the leather in the desired space. After the change of ends the superior powers of the Old Boys became even still more apparent, and the Boys were compelled to play all they knew to preserve their goal from a further fall. The game was kept up without any alteration until five minutes before four o'clock, when a general rush of the Old Carthusians drove the ball down into the centre of the School goal, and a kick by the Hon. F. O'Grady placed a second goal to the credit of the Old Carthusians. Only a few minutes were now left of the time devoted to play, and the match thus terminated in favour of the

Old Carthusians by two goals. The School were placed at a great disadvantage on this occasion, as the limited and confined area of the cloisters afforded them no opportunities of exhibiting the dribbling powers for which they are so justly famed, and prevented them from competing with any fair chance of success against the superior weight of their opponents. For the Old Carthusians, L. Ogden and the Hon. F. O'Grady played with all their wonted skill, and J. Lant and W. W. Cooper were conspicuous in the scrimmages. For the School C. E. B. Nepean, W. Wallace, E. E. Venables, and H. J. Almond worked most energetically in a losing cause."

+Have consequently assumed that it was 12 a side and have kept extra names in both teams: CHECK CAPTAIN'S BOOK

Charterhouse School: C. E. B. Nepean (Capt.), W. Wallace, E. E. Venables, E. A. Hammick, H. J. Almond, C. C. Boyle, J. Taylor, (A.) E. Wix, F. F. Brown, R. Dunn, T. C. Hooman, A. F. Russell.

Old Carthusians: W. Podge, L. Ogden, Hon. F. S. O'Grady, J. P. Girdlestone, T. P. Abraham, Rev. A. H. Cripps, W. W. Cooper, G. E. Smythe, E. L. Pearson, J. Lant, A. S. Mammatt, C. H. Wade.

TUES FEB 25<sup>TH</sup> :

ROYAL ENGINEERS 2 (Major Harrison, Lieut. Johnstone) WANDERERS 0 (Outer Lines, Chatham) (Return)

Sportsman 29/2/68 P.8/Bell's Life 29/2/68 P.9/Field 29/2/68 P.170:

SM: "The above named clubs met on the Outer Lines at Chatham on the 25<sup>th</sup> instant to play their return match, which resulted in favour of the Engineers by their obtaining two goals to one, after a very exciting and closely-contested game, which lasted for an hour and a half. The Wanderers numbered only eight men, their side being considerably weakened by the absence of those celebrated rovers +A. Baker, +C. W. Alcock and +E. W. Wyld who did not put in an appearance at the appointed hour to complete their playing team. Lieutenants Brown and Hewson, R. E., having been summoned to the assistance of the rovers, at 3.45 p.m., the ball was dispatched from the foot of their able captain, J. M. Yates. The ground was in splendid order, and, owing to the mildness of the weather, a large and fashionable concourse of spectators assembled to witness the game. After ten minutes' play the Wanderers' goal fell to a kick by Major Harrison, R. E., after a good "run down" by Lieuts Pottinger and Barlow. At this early period of the game the R. Es lost the valuable services of Lieut Morris, R. E., who was placed hors de combat with a sprained ankle. On the change of goals the rovers went to work in a truly energetic style, giving the R. Es plenty to do to prevent the ball being driven down towards their goal, which was once placed in serious jeopardy through the excellent forward play of Messrs Emanuel, Dixon, and Tayloe. The R. Es in their turn, however, made three or four successive desperate rushes on their opponents' goal, but their efforts were as often frustrated by the capital back play and goal-keeping of Messrs Tebbut and Yates. For an hour the game was kept up by both teams with increasing vigour and great spirit; although the Engineers, after their gallant rushes, appeared fairly "pumped out" for a while, but, being "called on" by their captain, they soon pulled themselves together, and after a well-played and determined "run up" by Lieuts Pulford, Merriman, and Johnstone, terminating in a terrific scrimmage in front of the rovers' goal, the ball was propelled between their posts by the toe of the last-named officer. J. M. Yates now came to the front and showed some brilliant dribbling play, once carrying the ball right through his opponents, and

landing it within a yard of the military goal. Both sides appeared glad to hear the call of time, and agreed that the match was the hardest-fought contest in which they had played this season."

+Absent: see below for 2 Emergencies

Royal Engineers: Lieut. Pottinger (Capt.), Major Harrison, Lieuts. Barlow, Broadbent, Campbell, Fanshawe, Johnstone, Merriman, Morris (retired hurt), Pulford, Purcell.

Wanderers: J.M. Yates (Capt.), C.M. Tebbut, J.E. Tayloe, J. Fanshawe, W. Duthie, P.V. Turner, W.J. Dixon, H. Emanuel, +Lieuts Brown and +Hewson. +Emergencies (BL has Henson)

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL Match: The 6<sup>th</sup> 1 (E. Cope) The School 0 (At Vincent Square)

Sportsman 3/3/68 P.3/Field 29/2/68 P.170:

F: "After an hour's hard play, E. Cope secured a goal for the Sixth." "The Sixth lost the services of E.S. Randolph, their captain; while the School were deprived of the assistance of W. Basham, their goal-keeper, both absent through illness."

The Sixth: E. Giles, F.A. O'Brien, F.N. Saunders, F.S. Haden, H. Barron, J. Dasent, W.C. Lefroy, D. Williams, E.P. Cope, W. Gilbertson, E.U. Eddis. (F has B.U. Eddis)

The School: H. Curteis, G.H. Lee, R.W. Vidal, R.M. Curteis, H.E. Rawson, W. Randall, T. Wakley, H. Stephenson, H. Dixon, A.E. Saunders, W. Whitmore.

SHEFFIELD NORFOLK 1 goal and 2 rouges NOTTINGHAM 0 (At Bramall Lane)

Sportsman 5/3/68 P.3:

S: "On Shrove Tuesday a match was played at Bramall Lane, Sheffield, between the above teams, and over 800 persons were present to witness the game. Nottingham appeared with only nine representatives, and the Sheffielders very kindly found them five good players to make up their complement. Play began at nearly half-past three, and for some time the game was very slow, Notts kicking towards Bramall Lane. The Notts players soon showed a weak point by separating themselves to follow the ball, and Sheffield managed a goal in fifteen minutes. The ends being changed, Notts did not acquit themselves any better, and in the end Norfolk won by one goal and two rouges to nothing."

Norfolk: H. Cawthorne (Capt.), Roberts, Banks, Ash, Marsh, Barraclough, Marshall, Armitage, C. Lee, Goodwin, J.P. Donovan, Proctor, F.R. Corbett, C. Mills. Umpire: Mr J. Pashley.

Nottingham: W. Lymbery (Capt.), Milford, C. Daft, Reeves, Howitt, Richardson, W. Brown, Barks, Verdier, and the following substitutes of Sheffield-Whelan, Rodgers, White, Wildblood, J. West. Umpire: Mr H. Biggin.

THURS FEB 27<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS 3 (J.B. Martin, +A. Baker, 2) WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 0 (At Vincent Square)

+SM has P. Norman for one of the A. Baker goals; PMG: "both of which were kicked by A. Baker"



Field 29/2/68 P.170/Sportsman 3/3/68 P.3/Pall Mall Gazette 28/2/68 P.9/London Standard 28/2/68 P.3:

F: "These two clubs met for the second time this season at Vincent-square on Thursday last, the 27<sup>th</sup> inst., the Wanderers obtaining an easy victory on this occasion by three goals to none. The Westminsters were considerably weakened by the loss of three of their most useful players, E.S. Randolph, W. Basham, and J.C. Smith, while the Wanderers had collected an unusually formidable team of representatives. The Wanderers were somewhat late in arriving, and it was twenty minutes past three o'clock before the two parties were mustered on the ground, the Westminsters, who had lost the toss, starting the ball from the lower goal. Immediately after the kick off the superiority of the Wanderers became apparent, as the ball was speedily driven into the neighbourhood of the School goal, which throughout was exposed to an unceasing fire by the forward rovers. After about ten minutes' play J.B. Martin got well away with the ball, and succeeded in landing it between the School posts. The change of ends proved for a short time of benefit to the Westminsters, as they now had a slight wind in their favour, and the strong kicks of H. Curteis and F.A. O'Brien enabled the Westminsters to resist the constant attacks of their opponents. The Wanderers, however, were not to be denied, and the ball again commenced to hover dangerously close to the School posts, which were at times placed in imminent danger by the liong kicks of J.M. Yates and Quentin Hogg. Three-quarters of an hour had elapsed with the score still at one goal, but the Wanderers soon obtained a second success, A. Baker working the ball well down the side and finally driving it into the School goal. G.H. Lee and R.W.S. Vidal in vain struggled to carry the fight into the territory of the Wanderers, as the excellent defence of the Rovers' back players, Quentin Hogg and C.M. Tebbut proved an insurmountable obstacle, and the ball at no period of the game approached the immediate vicinity of the Strangers' posts. A few minutes before half-past four o'clock, a well-judged kick by G.G. Kennedy drove the ball from the side into the centre of the ground, whence A. Baker easily forced it into the centre of the School goal. When time was called at 4.40, the Wanderers score remained three goals, the School (none) the Wanderers thus achieving an easily won victory. The forward play of the Westminsters was not so good as usual, and their backing up exhibited none of the judgment for which we have lately had occasion to praise their team. The Wanderers presented such a concentration of good all-round play that the Westminsters, we think, have no cause to consider themselves disgraced by this defeat. For the Wanderers J.M. Yates and Quentin Hogg kicked with great precision, and A. Baker and J.B. Martin were most energetic forwards. For the School D. Williams and F.S. Haden worked hard, and R.W.S. Vidal showed some excellent dribbling powers."

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock, A. Baker, W.J. Dixon, Quentin Hogg, G.G. Kennedy, J.B. Martin, P. Norman, C.M. Tebbut, E.W. Wylde, J.M. Yates, C. Tait (absent)

Westminster School: H. Curteis (Capt.), E.S. Randolph (D. Williams), G.H. Lee, E. Giles, F.S. Haden, F.N. Saunders, J.C. Smith (R.W.S. Vidal), W. Basham (H. Stephenson), H. Barron, W.C. Lefroy, F.A. O'Brien.

+N.B. The 3 players' with names in brackets played in the game in the place of the 3 players whose names precede them in the F lineup, and who are also mentioned as absent in the SM Report.

SAT FEB 29<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1 (E.E. Venables) CAMBRIDGE TEAM 2 (A.C. Thompson, W. Hoare) (At Middlesex County Cricket Ground, Islington)

N.B. Charterhouse History gives wrong date of 13<sup>TH</sup> Feb 1868

Sportsman 3/3/68 P.3/Field 3/3/68 P.195/Pall Mall Gazette 2/3/68 P.9:

F:On Saturday last, Feb 29, A.F. Kinnaird, Esq., according to his annual custom, brought a team of Cantabs, the majority of whom were old Etonians, to London to contend against the Carthusians. The match was played at the Middlesex County Ground, Islington, and terminated in a victory for the Cambridge players, who scored two goals to one obtained by their opponents. The captain of the Cantabs won the toss, and elected to kick from the upper goal towards the tavern, with a strong wind in his favour. The ball was kicked off by the Carthusian captain, and the Boys playing with great determination soon carried it up into the neighbourhood of the Cambridge goal; and in spite of the force of the opposing wind, a quick rush, followed by a well-directed kick from the foot of E.E. Venables, enabled the Carthusians to obtain a well-merited success. The change of goals transferred all the advantages of wind to the Carthusians, who now appeared to have the best of the game; but the superiority in weight of their opponents effectually prevented any immediate success attending the efforts made by the Boys. For some time the state of the game remained unaltered, the forward players of the Cambridge team occasionally dashing up into the very heart of the School lines. Fortune at length favoured the Strangers, as a long kick by A.C. Thompson, who was playing back for Cambridge, from the side of the ground adjoining the pavilion, drove the ball straight into the centre of the School goal, this unexpected success placing the parties once more on an equal footing. With the wind again to aid them, the Cantabs speedily assumed the offensive, and a fine run down by W. Hoare drove the ball into the hands of the School goal keeper, who, by an injudicious kick, enabled his opponent to have another easy shot, of which he took advantage, and easily landing the ball between the posts, thus placed the second goal to the credit of his brother Cantabs. From this point till the conclusion the Carthusians strove hard to recover their lost ground, but all their efforts to command success proved unavailing, and, when time was called, the victory remained with the Cambridge team by one goal. The Cantabs owed their victory on this occasion more to good luck and the inferior goal-keeping displayed by the Carthusians, who ought easily to have prevented the double success gained by the Strangers, than to any superiority of style. The game was played throughout under great disadvantages, as the ground was unusually slippery, a heavy fall of rain continuing from the commencement until the conclusion, and the boisterous state of the wind prevented the exhibition of any brilliant dribbling form. The Cambridge men did not bring a full team into the field, two of their most noted players, doubtless disheartened by the cheerless aspect of the weather, failing to put in an appearance. For Charterhouse School, C.E.B. Nepean, E.E. Venables, and C.C. Boyle set an excellent example to their side; for the Cambridge team, W.W. Radcliffe, L. Ogden, and W. Rigden were conspicuous forwards, and J.M. Yates, A.F. Kinnaird, and A.C. Thompson did good service back."

Charterhouse School: C.E.B. Nepean (Capt.), W. Wallace, E.E. Venables, E.A. Hammick, H.J. Almond, C.C. Boyle, J.W. Taylor, F.G. Paulson, R. Dunn, A.F. Russell, T.C. Hooman, W. Brown.

Cambridge Team: A.F. Kinnaird, Hon. T.H. Pelham, Lord E. Fitzmaurice, A.C. Thompson, J.M. Yates, A.J. Tuck, W.W. Radcliffe, J. Rigden, L. Ogden, W. Hoare, T. Hammond. Absent: +Q. Hogg and Hon. F.G. Pelham (as per F: +Q. Hogg did not go to Cambridge but went to Eton and was a friend of A.F. Kinnaird so not P. Hogg).

AMATEUR ATHLETIC CLUB 0 ROYAL ENGINEERS 0 (At Beaufort House, Waltham Green)

Sportsman 3/3/68 P.3/Field 7/3/68 P.195/Bell's Life 7/3/68 P.10/Pall Mall Gazette 2/3/68 P.9:

F:"A match between the above clubs,the first,we believe,in which they have been engaged,took place on Saturday last,the 29<sup>th</sup> of February,at Beaumont House,Waltham Green;the play throughout was of the most exciting description,each side at times appearing to gain some temporary advantage ,but the call of time found neither of the two clubs able to lay claim to any decisive success,and the match consequently terminated in a draw.The time appointed for commencement was half-past one o'clock,but at that hour only a few Amateurs had put in an appearance,the Engineers being conspicuous by their absence,and it was a few minutes past two o'clock before any movement was made from the dressing room.The aspect of the ground was far from favourable,as the surface appeared very slippery from the recent falls of rain to which it had been subjected being also in many parts very uneven;and the match was played in a perfect storm of wind and rain,which effectually prevented the exhibition of any of that brilliant style of play which we should have expected from the names of the various players engaged.The captain of the Engineers was fortunate in winning the toss,thereby securing for his side the assistance of the all-powerful wind,which was blowing straight down the ground from the upper goal.The first kick off drove the ball down to the vicinity of the Amateur goal,the defence of which was entrusted to E.Lubbock and J.Porter,and for some time the Engineers kept up a heavy fire on the lines occupied by the Amateurs.The arrival of two well-known performers to swell the ranks of the Amateurs,who had hitherto been playing short, caused the game,however,to assume a somewhat different aspect,and gradually the energetic efforts made by P.M.Thornton,G.G.Kennedy,and A.Baker forced the ball up the hill to the Engineers' posts,which were once placed in serious danger by a kick from the foot of the Amateur captain.The wind proved an insuperable obstacle to the success of the Athletic team,as the ball was constantly flying out far into the space beyond the side boundaries,notwithstanding the judicious style in which the back players strove to keep it in the centre of the ground.Several runs down were made by the forward players of the Engineers' team,Lieut Green playing throughout with especial energy, none of which,however,seriously imperilled the safety of the Amateur goal,until a united rush,in which Lieuts Purcell and Campbell,and Major Harrison,were the most prominent performers, completely overpowered the opposing "backs" and drove the ball behind the line within a yard of the Amateurs' posts.From this point until the cessation of play,the game was kept up with varying success by the two parties,the Amateurs during the last few minutes exhibiting a visible improvement in their style of backing up,and when time was called at a quarter past three o'clock, no score having been obtained by either side,the match was declared drawn.The Engineers did not appear at all at home on this ground,their play lacking the united form we have noticed so conspicuous in the various games they have played at Chatham;there was a pleasant absence on this occasion too of the charging powers which their numerous opponents have of late been troubled with such painful recollections.The Amateurs,taking into consideration the little knowledge they possessed of each other's style of play,and the wind against which they had to contend,may fairly be congratulated on the success which attended their exertions in this "unequal match".For the Engineers,who were deprived of the services of two of their most useful players,Lieuts Morris and Pulford,Lieuts Pottinger,Merriman,and Chambers chiefly distinguished themselves.For the Amateur Athletic Club,G.G.Kennedy,J.Porter,E.Lubbock,and A.Baker deserve especial praise."

Amateur Athletic Club:P.M.Thornton(Capt.),J.G.Chambers,C.W.Alcock,A.Baker,W.Gerald,  
G.G.Kennedy,E.Lubbock,W.Mundell,C.L.Parr,J.Porter,E.W.Wylde,W.J.Dixon.

(SM has 11 players :missing W.Gerald)(BL has 12 players :as above)(F/PMG has 11 players :as above but without W.J.Dixon)

Royal Engineers:Lieut. Pottinger(Capt.),Major Harrison,Lieuts. Barlow,Broadbent,Campbell, Chambers,Fanshawe,Fellowes,Green,Merriman,Purcell.

BARNES 0 CRYSTAL PALACE 0 (At Barnes)(Return)(Also at Barnes)

Sportsman 3/3/68 P.3/Field 3/3/68 P.195/Bell's Life 7/3/68 P.10:

F:"The Crystal Palace players won the toss,and thereby gained the advantage of a very high wind, which was blowing straight across the ground.In spite of the unfavourable state of the ground,which was extremely wet and slippery,and the heavy fall of rain which continued throughout the game, some very good play was exhibited by the representatives of the two clubs.The vigorous efforts made by the forward players of the two parties were not,however,attended with any decisive success,as at the end of the game neither goal had fallen,and accordingly the match was declared drawn.The Crystal Palace players suffered a heavy loss by the absence of their captain and secretary, J.Turner and W.J.C.Cutbill."

Barnes:R.W.Willis(Capt.),Adams,Antrobus,J.K.Barnes,W.Butler,H.Foster,W.Nettleship, D.M.Roberts,C.Routh,S.Le B.Smith,C.Warren.

Crystal Palace:D.Allport,A.C.Chamberlin,J.Cockerell,A.L.Cutbill,R.Cutbill,H.Lloyd,A.Lloyd, A.Morten,A.Saward,J.Sharland.

ST PAUL'S SCHOOL 6 Touch Downs BRENTWOOD SCHOOL 0 (At Battersea Park)

Sportsman 7/3/68 P.3/Field 7/3/68 P.195:

F:"This match was played at Battersea Park,on Saturday last,the 29<sup>th</sup> Feb,in weather which was wretched enough to dishearten the ardent votary of football.The Brentwoods won the toss,and gained thereby the advantage of the wind,which blew from corner to corner.The Paulines were,however,fully compensated for losing the toss by the superior knowledge they had of their own rules.The middle play was well contested,but the Brentwoods were weak in goal,and allowed their opponents to score six touch downs.No goals were obtained by either party,and after playing for an hour in a very heavy rain,"ball up" was called.For Brentwood,Holden and Nash played well;for the Paulines L.A.White,Gregory,and Murray greatly distinguished themselves."(No lineups)

BRAMHAM COLLEGE 3 (Batley,A.Mellor,Lang) HULL CLUB 0 (On College Ground)(Return)

Field 7/3/68 P.195/Sportsman 5/3/68 P.3:

F:"The return match between the above clubs was played on the College Ground,on Saturday last, the 29<sup>th</sup> Feb,when the Collegians proved the victors by three goals to none.The toss was won by the Hull captain,and the ball consequently kicked off by the Bramham party,who kicked for the "Ash tree" goal.For the first half hour the game was most evenly contested,but after this point the want of condition began to tell on the Hull players,who were not in such good practice as their younger opponents.The first goal for Bramham was secured by Batley,and before the call of time two more, obtained by Mellor and Laing,were placed to the College account.Thus the return match,like the first

contest between the two clubs, resulted in a victory for the Bramham team. Where all played so well it is difficult to select any individual form for especial praise; but we cannot overlook the excellent long kicking displayed by the Hull captain."

Bramham College: T. Plint (Capt.), G. Hill, J. Burnyeat, W. Sager, Wand, A. Mellor, Laing, Batley, R. Plint, Knight, C. Schofield.

Hull Club: J. F. Waltham (Capt.), R. Wade, E. Wade, Lambert, F. Scott, Saxelbye, Spratt, Maclaren, Armytage, Ayre, Mr Turnbull (A. Ormerod).

WED MAR 4<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS 0 CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 (At Middlesex Cricket Ground, Islington) (Return)

Sportsman 5/3/68 P.3/Field 7/3/68 P.195:

F: "The return match between the above clubs was played at the Middlesex County Cricket Ground, Islington, on Wednesday last, the 4<sup>th</sup> inst., the second meeting of the two parties resulting in a draw; the first, which was played on Under Green, on Saturday, the 26<sup>th</sup> of October, 1867, terminated in a victory for the Wanderers, who, it is worthy of mention, thus achieved the distinction of defeating the Carthusians on their own ground, a success unattained by any other club since the season of 1866-7. The Wanderers were very late in arriving, and it was twenty minutes past three o'clock before their captain had mustered a sufficient number of representatives to justify him taking the field. The toss was won by the Carthusians, whose captain chose the upper goal, with the wind at his back, and (SM: "...the Carthusians kicking towards the tavern..") the ball was immediately sent travelling down towards the lines defended by the Wanderers. The earlier portion of the game appeared all in favour of the Carthusians, who at first showed some very good forward play, and by some well-directed kicks, drove the ball at times well into the front of the Wanderers' goal. A well-aimed side kick by T. C. Hooman seriously imperilled the safety of the Rovers' goal, straight into the centre of which the ball must have passed but for the excellent defence of C. M. Tebbut. A few minutes afterward an equally good attempt was made by H. J. Almond from the centre of the ground; this was splendidly saved by J. M. Yates, who, by a long kick, carried the ball far back into the territory of the School. From this point the Wanderers played up with more spirit and determination, and until the conclusion of the game a constant fire was kept up in the neighbourhood of the School posts. A. Barker, P. Norman, W. J. Dixon, and J. M. Yates were not to be denied, and the Carthusians were at times completely overpowered by the energetic following up shown by these rovers. J. M. Yates, on one occasion, got the ball into the centre of the School goal, which was frequently placed in imminent peril during the last few minutes; but, when time was called, fortune had not favoured either party with a score, and the match accordingly was declared drawn. The ground, though somewhat slippery, was in very fair order, especially at the upper side. The Carthusians are evidently becoming more accustomed to their new arena, as their play showed a vast improvement on the form they have shown in their late matches, though they require more individual excellence than they possess in their present team to achieve the eminent position they gained for themselves on Under Green. The Wanderers played throughout in very good form, their forward and back play being equally worthy of praise. For the Carthusians C. E. B. Nepean, E. E. Venables, C. C. Boyle, and H. J. Almond showed the best style; for the Wanderers P. Norman, J. M. Yates, W. J. Dixon, C. M. Tebbut, and the young

Carthusian F.C. Povah, who played very pluckily, did good service. The Carthusians sadly missed the services of W. Wallace, who was unable to play, the man between the poles proving very inefficient."

Wanderers: C.W. Alcock, A. Baker, W.J. Dixon, J. Kirkpatrick, P. Norman, C.M. Tebbut, H. Emanuel, E.W. Wylde, C.M. Yates, + F.C. Povah + Substitute provided by Charterhouse.

Charterhouse School: C.E.B. Nepean (Capt.), W. Wallace (W. Brown), E.E. Venables, E.A. Hammick, C.C. Boyle, J.W. Taylor, F.G. Paulson, H.J. Almond, R. Dunn, T.C. Hooman, A.F. Russell.

ROYAL ENGINEERS 0 ROYAL MILITARY ACADEMY (Woolwich) 0 (Outer Lines, Chatham) (Return)

Field 7/3/68 P.195/Sportsman 5/3/68 P.3/Bell's Life 7/3/68 P.10 (Muddled and with names missing):

F: "Both clubs were represented by full teams, the Cadets exhibiting a vastly superior style of play to that shown by them on the occasion of the first contest." "The Cadets, who are a fine, smart lot of players, showed some very good style during the course of the match, although there seemed a too prevalent fancy for tripping and charging in the play of some of their representatives. The Engineers hardly played up to their usual form, their forward style exhibiting a lack of energetic backing up which we have so often noticed in their matches at Chatham."

Royal Engineers: Lieuts. Fellowes, Merriman, Pulford, Campbell, Day, Brown, Dennison, Chambers, Pottinger (Capt.), Purcell, Morgan, Johnstone, Harrison, Barlow, Athorpe.

Royal Military Academy: Cotton, Darton, Lugard, Hyslop, Davidson, Ponsonby (Capt.), Nicolson, Law, Rich, Crompton, Hammond, Hill, Walker, Sykes, Selfe.

SAT MAR 7<sup>TH</sup> :

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL 2 (H. Barron 2) OLD HARROVIANS 0 (At Vincent Square))

Sportsman 11/3/68 P.3 and 14/3/68 P.2/+Field 14/3/68 P.214/Pall Mall Gazette 9/3/68 P.9/London Standard 9/3/68 P.3: +Longer report

SM: "A match was played between the above teams on Saturday last, the 7<sup>th</sup> inst. The result was a victory for the Westminsters, who obtained two goals, the Harrovians failing to achieve any score. The ball was started, as usual, by G.H. Lee for the Westminsters, who, having lost the toss, were compelled to occupy the lower goal, with the wind in their faces. The Harrovian team, at the commencement of the game, only numbered seven, and a few minutes found the Westminsters in possession of a score, an injudicious kick by one of the Harrow players driving the ball straight in front of the goal, whence an easy shot by H. Barron safely landed it between the posts. After the change of ends the Harrovians played with more spirit, two fresh players having arrived to swell their ranks, and for some time the game was severely contested, the School being at times threatened by the numerous scrimmages which took place in the neighbourhood of the posts. Two good side-kicks by J.B. Martin just escaped the School tape, and a good kick by G.H. Lee for Westminster drove the ball within a yard of the Harrow goal. No decided success was, however, gained by either side until a quarter of an hour before the conclusion of the game when another easy chance was given to H. Barron, who took advantage of it to score the second and last goal for the School. For the Westminsters, J.C. Smith played in excellent form throughout, and G.H. Lee and H. Barron also did good service. For the Old Harrovians, J.B. Martin, E.E. Bowen, and J. Porter were the most conspicuous."

Westminster School:H.Curteis(Capt.),E.S.Randolph,G.H.Lee,E.Giles,J.C.Smith,F.N.Saunders,  
H.Barron,F.A.O'Brien,W.C.Lefroy,H.Stephenson,R.W.S.Vidal.

Old Harrovians:C.W.Alcock,E.E.Bowen,H.Clark,P.Rhodes,E.Fairfield,W.A.B.Hamilton,  
J.Porter,A.W.Lawrence,J.T.Goldney(Absent),J.B.Martin(Added by PMG)

RANGERS 2 UPTON PARK 0 (At Wimbledon using Rugby Rules)

Sportsman 11/3/68 P.3 and 14/3/68 P.2/Field 14/3/68 P.214:

SM:"The first match between these clubs was played at Wimbledon on Saturday, March 7, and resulted in a victory for the latter by two goals to none. The ball was kicked off at four o'clock, but as the Uptonians were totally ignorant of Rugby rules, by which the game was played, they fell an easy prey to their most practised opponents."

Upton Park:H.W.Barnett(Capt.),W.H.Baily,C.C.Baily,B.Barnett,F.Barnett,J.C.Cobbold,  
Capel Court,A.M.Fell,A.M.Jones,M.Jutsom,A.Stair,A.Sweet,C.E.Wilson,F.Wilton,H.Wilton.

HERTFORDSHIRE RANGERS 0 NO NAMES 1 (A.Baker) (At Watford)(Return)

Sportsman 12/3/68 P.4 and 14/3/68 P.2/Field 14/3/68 P.214:

SM:"The return match between these clubs was played at Watford, on Saturday last, March 7, and resulted in a victory for the N.N's, who scored one goal to their opponents' none. Five of the N.N.'s team, deceived by the brightness of the morning, made the journey down to Watford by road, and arrived there, thanks to the rain, about half an hour after the game had begun. Up to that time the play had been pretty even, although A.Baker had several times placed the Rangers' goal in jeopardy. Reinforced, the N.N.'s began a series of assaults, which were carried on, till A.Baker, after a good scrimmage in front of the Rangers' goal, finally drove the ball between the posts. This brought the game to a close. The Rangers chiefly contented themselves with standing in a circle round their goal, and looking on, and although their captain, goal-keeper, and one or two others struggled hard, they never succeeded in getting in sight even of the N.N.'s posts. For the N.N.'s, A.Baker, S.T.Holland, and C.J.Morice were most conspicuous." (F Report almost identical)

No Names :C.M.Tebbut,S.T.Holland,A.Baker,C.J.Morice,G.C.Gordon,A.Bird,W.Bird,  
H.Sharpe,C.Waithman,J.Nicholas,C.M.Green.

Hertfordshire Rangers:R.Barker(Capt.),C.S.Wise,P.Keir,E.G.Sutton,E.Grain,A.Davison,  
F.Barlow,H.Curteis,R.M'Farland,A.Merry,C.C.Chadwick.(F)

FOREST SCHOOL 5 (H.C.Shuttleworth 3,J.C.Cotton,J.B.Ridgway) ILFORD 0 (At Walthamstow)(Return)

Sportsman 12/3/68 P.4 and 14/3/68 P.2/Field 14/3/68 P.214:

SM:"The return match between these two clubs was played at Walthamstow, on March 7. Owing to the late arrival of the Ilfordians, the game did not commence till 3.45, when the ball was started by the captain of the Ilford Club, who had lost the toss. For the first twenty minutes the ball hovered about the School goal, but a length a determined rush by the boys carried it down to the Ilford posts, through which it was soon kicked by H.C.Shuttleworth. After this the Foresters quickly gained three

more goals, which were kicked by H.C.Shuttleworth, J.C.Cotton, and J.B.Ridgway respectively. Owing, however, to the rain, which fell unceasingly through the game, the ball became so slippery that no sure kicks could be made, and although the play was confined exclusively to the strangers' goal, the Foresters were unable for nearly an hour to obtain their fifth goal, which again fell to the lot of H.C.Shuttleworth, well backed by W.E.Gascoigne and E.T.Gardom. Play was continued for a short time, but no further advantage was gained by either side, the boys remaining victors by 5 to 0. For Ilford, J.M. and R.W.Parker and H.Jones played best; and for the Foresters, J.C.Cotton, W.E.Gascoigne, and (S.H.)Carver were especially conspicuous."

Forest School: F.J.Poole (Capt.), W.E.Gascoigne, H.C.Shuttleworth, J.C.Cotton, S.H.Carver, E.T.Gardom, E.H.Shelton, T.L.Browne, T.W.Crowther, H.Holt, H.Smith, J.B.Ridgway.

Ilford: J.M.Parker (Capt.), R.W.Parker, E.Haslehurst, W.Pelly, H.P.Fry, E.Fry, G.Cowell, H.Fry, R.P.Fry, B.Cook, D.Woodhams, Rev. H.Jones.

WED MAR 11<sup>TH</sup> :

CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 1 (F.C.Povah) ROYAL ENGINEERS 1 (Lieut Fellowes) (At Middlesex County Cricket Ground, Islington)

Sportsman 12/3/68 P.4 and 14/3/68 P.2/Field 14/3/68 P.214/Bell's Life 14/3/68 P.10/Pall Mall Gazette 12/3/68 P.9:

SM: "These clubs met for the first time yesterday (Wednesday), at the Middlesex County Cricket Ground, Islington. A well-contested game ensued, which eventually terminated in a draw, one goal falling to each party. Play was commenced shortly after half-past two o'clock, the Carthusians occupying the upper goal, with a strong wind in their backs. For the first quarter of an hour the play of the two sides appeared very even, the wind enabling the boys to keep the ball well away from their lines. At length a good run-down drove the ball into the centre of the Engineers' goal, where a short scrimmage took place, from which F.C.Povah succeeded in extricating the leather and landing it between the posts. A well-executed run by Lieut Pottinger, after the change of ends, seriously endangered the safety of the School goal, in the neighbourhood of which the Engineers kept up a series of assaults, all of which proved unavailing, until Lieut Fellowes came to the rescue of his side, and secured a goal for the Engineers. From this point until the termination of the game both parties strove hard to obtain some further success, but the score remained unaltered when time was called at four o'clock, the match consequently ended in a draw for the Carthusians, who suffered heavily in losing the services of their captain, C.E.B.Nepean. H.J.Almond, E.E.Venables, and F.C.Povah were chiefly conspicuous; while for the Engineers, Lieuts Pottinger, Campbell, Purcell, Fellowes, and Johnston especially distinguished themselves."

F: "Both parties were weakened by the absence of some of their most distinguished representatives, the Engineers losing the services of "the Major", Lieutenants Morris and Pulford, while the Carthusians sadly missed the valuable assistance of their captain, C.E.B.Nepean." "The contrast between the heavy weights of the Engineers' team, and the slim, light built Carthusians, was especially striking, and the boys must be congratulated on the plucky resistance they offered throughout to the attacks of their more powerful adversaries."



Royal Engineers:Lieuts. Pottinger(Capt.),Blair,Broadbent,Campbell,Chambers,Fellowes,  
Green,Hewson, Johnston,Merriman,Purcell.

Charterhouse School:W.Wallace(Capt.),E.E.Venables,E.A.Hammick,C.C.Boyle,  
J.W.Taylor,F.G.Paulson,R.Dunn,H.J.Almond,F.C.Povah,W.Brown,A.Barry.

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL Match(At Vincent Square):

Queen's Scholars 3 (H.Barron,E.S.L.Randolph,F.N.Saunders)Town Boys 1 (H.Curteis)

Sportsman 12/3/68 P.4 and 14/3/68 P.2/+Field 14/3/68 P.214/Pall Mall Gazette 12/3/68 P.9:

+Full report

Queen's Scholars:E.S.L.Randolph(Capt.),E.Giles,F.A.O'Brien,F.N.Saunders,H.Barron,F.S.Haden,  
J.Dasent,W.C.Lefroy,E.P.Cope,W.Gilbertson,H.E.Rawson.

Town Boys:H.Curteis(Capt.),G.H.Lee,R.W.S.Vidal,H.Stephenson,W.Randall,R.L.Pemberton,  
J.Lock,M.Short,H.Haden,T.Busk,S.Rawson.(SM has C.Stephenson)

SAT MAR 14<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS 1(F.G.Paulson-) FIFTEEN OF UPTON PARK 1(H.W.Barnett) (At Upton Park)

Sportsman 19/3/68 P.4 and 21/3/68 P.6/Field 21/3/68 P.232/Pall Mall Gazette 17/3/68 P.9:

SM:'On Saturday last,the Wanderers made their second appearance in Upton Park,to play the return match with the Uptonians,the Rovers mustering ten men to their opponents' fourteen.A fine morning was succeeded by the usual football afternoon;the drizzling rain which fell during the greater part of the play only affording further proof of the eccentricities of the climate.The toss was won by the Rovers,who elected to kick from the pavilion goal.Soon after three the the teams got to work,but for some time the energetic play of the Uptonians kept the ball well in the neighbourhood of the Rovers' goal,where,however,it was usually met by Tebbut,whose merciless kicks sent it flying back into safer ground.During one of these rushes C.C.Baily kicked a "poster"some few inches above the tape,the ball in falling going beneath it;the goal,however,was disallowed.Soon afterwards,in a scrimmage in front of the home goal,and owing apparently to the decision of the goal-keepers,the ball was sent through the posts by F.G.Paulson,the first goal thus falling to the attack of the Rovers. This advantage,however,was not destined to remain with them,for shortly afterwards,H.W.Barnett was enabled after a good run-down,to elude the vigilance of its defenders,and recapture the lost goal.Play continued for half an hour afterwards,but no further advantage was gained by either side,the match thus resulting in a draw.The play was very spirited throughout,and it required the utmost exertion on the part of the dauntless few to prevent other goals falling to the determined attacks and superior numbers of their opponents.Among the Wanderers their captain was most conspicuous,the long kicking of C.M.Tebbut,and the excellent form exhibited by F.C.Povah forming also prominent features of the game.For the Uptonians,H.W.Barnett was most effective,and C.E.Wilson signalled himself by the pluck and dash with which he played."

Wanderers:+W.E.Forster(Capt.),C.M.Tebbut,F.C.Povah,J.W.Taylor,E.A.Hammick,A.F.Russell,  
F.G.Paulson,H.J.Almond,E.Sharland,P.Rhodes.

(+PMG has W.E.Forster as first named and no George Rex(assume a pseudonym).

Upton Park:H.W.Barnett(Capt.),H.A.Alexander,W.H.Bailey,C.C.Bailey,B.Barnett,F.Barnett,  
J.C.Cobbold,S.Curwen, A.M.Fell,W.B.Gardner,A.M.Jones,M.Jutsum,A.Sweet,C.E.Wilson.

WEST KENT 2 (E.Norman,P.Norman) CIVIL SERVICE 0 (At Chislehurst)

Sportsman 19/3/68 P.4 and 21/3/68 P.6/Field 21/3/68 P.232/Pall Mall Gazette 17/3/68 P.9:

SM:"These clubs met for the first time this season at Chislehurst,on Saturday last,the 14<sup>th</sup> inst.The result was a victory for the West Kent players,who scored two goals to none.The ball was kicked off at 4.30,and for an hour the two sides seemed most evenly matched,but after this point their want of condition began to tell on the Civil Servants,whose play towards the conclusion of the game lacked the spirit and energy which had distinguished their efforts during the earlier portion of the match. Time was called at 5.30,one goal having been obtained by West Kent,but by mutual consent play was continued for another quarter of an hour,during which space of time the home players were successful in achieving another success,West Kent thus securing the victory by two goals.For West Kent,E.Norman,P.Norman,J.B.Martin,and R.E.Gower particularly distinguished themselves.For the Civil Service,A.P.Short,R.Babington,W.A.B.Hamilton,and A.E.Batemen did good service.Goals for West Kent were kicked by E. and P.Norman."

F:"The home team was brilliantly represented on this occasion,the team comprising several performers of acknowledged prowess in all parts of the game,whereas the Civil Servants were both weak in numbers,and weak in the absence of some of their most prominent representatives." "The Civil Servants,who,during the last quarter of an hour were deprived of the valuable services of their most energetic forward player,A.E.Bateman,were well penned throughout the game;the superior skill shown by their opponents enabling them to secure an easy victory."

West Kent:E.O.Berens(Capt.),R.E.Gower,E.Lubbock,P.Norman,E.Norman, J.B.Martin,B.F.Stow,  
H.W.Powell,F.O.Stow,F.Slade,B.White.

Civil Service:J.Kirkpatrick(Capt.),P.V.Turner,A.E.Bateman,W.A.B.Hamilton,R.Babington,  
J.H.Giffard,A.P.Short,W.Bee,W.H.Bailey,+Richardson,+Gilmour(Substitutes)

ROYAL ENGINEERS 3 (Lieut. Johnstone,Lieut. Green 2 ) FLYING DUTCHMEN 0 (At Outer Lines,Chatham)

Sportsman 19/3/68 P.4 and 21/3/68 P.6/Bell's Life 21/3/68 P.9/Field 21/3/68 P.232:

F:"This,the first match between the above clubs,was played on the Outer Lines at Chatham on Saturday last,the 14<sup>th</sup> inst.,when the Engineers secured an easy victory,scoring three goals to none,a result which may chiefly be attributed to the absence of J.M.Yates,J.E.Tayloe,E.Lubbock,and C.M.Tebbut,all of whom failed to put in an appearance on behalf of the Flying Dutchmen.The weather was most disagreeable,as a drizzling rain fell throughout the game,and the ground towards the conclusion of the play became very slippery.The ball was kicked off at a quarter to four o'clock, three Engineers having been summoned to the aid of the Dutchmen,who,having won the toss, elected to occupy the upper goal,the wind proving of no great advantage to either party.For ten minutes the game was contested without any result to either side,but at length the Dutchmen's goal

was compelled to succumb to the individual good play of Lieut Johnstone, who, after a long and well-executed run up, succeeded in judiciously depositing the ball in the centre of the Strangers' posts. After the change of goals the ball was speedily driven down again by the Engineers into the neighbourhood of their adversaries' lines, the Dutchmen offering a determined resistance to the attacks of the Military. The Strangers, however, were finally overcome by the superior weight of their opponents, and their goal soon surrendered a second time, Lieut Green, who played throughout the game in the most approved style, making the successful kick. The play was kept up for some time without any further result, W.J. Dixon, J. Tyler-Smith, and G.H. Lee making the most strenuous efforts to drive the ball through their more sturdy opponents, but without success. Shortly before the conclusion of the game Lieut Green was fortunate in securing a further goal for the Engineers, who, when time was called, remained the victors by three goals to none. The play lasted for one hour and a half, and the Dutchmen were compelled to play one man short throughout. The Strangers were sorely pressed during the entire game, all the efforts of their forward players to pass the barrier presented by the hostile back players proving unsuccessful. The Dutchmen were unfortunately deprived of the services of their expected goal keepers, one of their most conspicuous forwards, A.J. Baker, having to occupy the position of chief goal keeper on this occasion. The Engineers were also weakened by the loss of several well-known performers, their team being especially weak; notwithstanding they played together and backed up in good style, Lieuts Barker, Campbell, Green, and Johnstone, doing good service forwards. The half-back play and long-kicking of Lieut Fanshawe for the R.E.'s also deserves prominent notice. For the Flying Dutchmen W.J. Dixon, E.W. Wylde, A.J. Baker, G.H. Lee, and J. Tyler-Smith, were the most conspicuous."

Royal Engineers: Lieuts. Merriman (Capt.), Barlow, Broadbent, Campbell, Chambers, Denison, Fanshawe, Fellowes, Green, Johnstone, Kensington.

Flying Dutchmen: W.J. Dixon (Capt.), E.W. Wylde, A.J. Baker, G.H. Lee, + J.C. Tyler-Smith, J. Hammond, C. Stephenson; Lieuts. Seton, Morgan and Nugent substitutes. (BL has Hewson for Nugent) + correct for J.C. Tyler, J.C. Smith)

FOREST SCHOOL 3 (S.H. Carver, E.T. Gardom, H.C. Shuttleworth) CRYSTAL PALACE 1 (W. Allport) (At School Ground, Walthamstow)

Sportsman 19/3/68 P.4 and 21/3/68 P.6/Field 21/3/68 P.232/Bell's Life 21/3/68 P.9:

F: "The return match between the above clubs was played at Walthamstow on Saturday last, the 14<sup>th</sup> inst., and, after an exciting contest, terminated in a victory for the Foresters, who obtained three goals to one scored by their opponents. The ground was in wretched order, owing to the heavy and continuous fall of rain which had taken place during the morning. The ball was kicked off at half-past three o'clock by the captain of the Strangers, who had lost the toss, and an immediate rush by the Foresters carried it down into the neighbourhood of the Crystal Palace goal. For the first twenty minutes the game was kept up without any score falling to either party, in spite of the unceasing attacks made by the boys on their opponenets' goal, which was well defended by the excellent play of A.L. Cutbill. At last a good run up by S.H. Carver drove the ball into the front of the Strangers' goal, and, sticking to it very pluckily, the same player, after a long scrimmage, finally succeeded in landing it between the posts. After the change of goals some brilliant play was shown by both parties, the fine defence of J.C. Cotton and H. Smith for the Foresters meriting especial praise. A well-executed run up by C. Higgins, ably backed up by H. Lloyd and W. Allport, now resulted in the fall of the School goal,

W.Allport making the successful kick.From this point both sides played up most energetically,the state of the game remaining unaltered for nearly an hour,although the ball was chiefly kept in the neighbourhood of the Strangers' goal.The Foresters,however,after some excellent play by H.Worrall and E.T.Gardom,reduced the Palace goal a second time,a good drop by E.T.Gardom driving the ball between the posts.The Strangers now worked with the utmost vigour to recover their lost goal,but all their efforts to pass the School goal-keeper,E.B.Beauchamp,proved unavailing.A few minutes before the call of time a united rush of the Foresters up the side carried the ball to their opponents' lines,and being judiciously muddled by E.T.Gardom,a kick by H.C.Shuttleworth drove it a third time between the posts of the Strangers' goal.For the Crystal Palace team,who were playing two men short,C.Huggins,A.Lloyd,and W.Allport(forward),and A.C.Chamberlain and A.L.Cutbill(back) were chiefly conspicuous.For the Foresters,who worked together in splendid style throughout,the forward play of S.H.Carver,H.Worrall,and E.T.Gardom deserves prominent notice.H.Smith and J.C.Cotton also defended the School goal in fine form."

Forest School:F.J.Poole(Capt.),W.E.Gascoigne,H.C.Shuttleworth,J.C.Cotton,S.H.Carver, E.T.Gardom, H.Worrall,E.H.St.J.Shelton,T.L.Browne,T.W.Crowther,H.Smith,E.B.Beauchamp,J.B.Ridgway, M.V.Huggins,A.D.Manby.

Crystal Palace:A.L.Cutbill(Capt.),R.Cutbill,A.Butterfield,D.Allport,R.Allport, W.Allport, A.Chamberlain,H.Lloyd,A.Lloyd,C.Huggins,B.Scott,R.Dawkes,H.Saward.

TUES MAR 17<sup>TH</sup> :

WANDERERS 0 FOREST SCHOOL 0 (At School Ground,Walthamstow)

Sportsman 19/3/68 P.4 and 21/3/68 P.6/Field 21/3/68 P.232/Bell's Life 21/3/68 P.9:

SM:"The return match between the above clubs was played yesterday(Tuesday),on the School ground,at Walthamstow.The Wanderers appeared with only seven representatives,but four substitutes were kindly lent to them by the Foresters,and thus the two parties were placed on an equal footing in point of numbers.The ball was kicked off by the School captain at 2.45,the Wanderers,who had won the toss,occupying the upper goal,with a slight wind in their favour.The game was well contested throughout,the play of each party being especially spirited,but in spite of the strenuous efforts made by the forward players,when time was called at 4.45 neither goal had fallen,and thus the match terminated in a draw."

F:"The forward play of the Foresters formed the most conspicuous feature of the match,their efforts proving unsuccessful mainly through want of speed.On several occasions the ball was carried into the very heart of the Rovers' goal,but in each instance the boys were frustrated,and driven back into the neighbourhood of their lines.W.E.Gascoigne,E.T.Gardom,S.H.Carver,and H.C.Shuttleworth kept the roving goal-keepers well employed throughout;their attempts to elude the vigilance of C.M.Tebbut,who kicked with all his wonted brilliance of style,meeting with ill success.Towards the conclusion of the game the superior training of the boys gave them a great advantage;but still,when time was called at a quarter to five o'clock,neither party could lay claim to any score.."

Wanderers:C.W.Alcock,J.T.Huggins,J.M.Hartung,W.J.C.Cutbill,F.B.Soden,C.M.Tebbut,W.Cotton, A.L.Cutbill(+D.A.Manby),+E.B.Beauchamp,+M.V.Huggins,+L.E.Pownall.+Substitutes lent by School

N.B.F has C.R.Huggins for J.T.Huggins.

Forest School:F.J.Poole(Capt.),W.E.Gascoigne,H.C.Shuttleworth,J.C.Cotton,S.H.Carver,  
E.T.Gardom,H.Worrall,E.H.St. J.Shelton,T.L.Browne,T.W.Crowther,H.Smith.

SAT MAR 21<sup>ST</sup> :

OLD HARROVIANS 1 (C.W.Alcock) CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 0 (At Middlesex County Cricket  
Ground,Islington)

Sportsman 25/3/68 P.4 and 28/3/68 P.3/Pall Mall Gazette 23/3/68 P.9/Field 28/3/68 P.253:

F:"A match between the above teams was played at the Middlesex County Cricket Ground on Saturday last,the 21<sup>st</sup> inst.,when the Harrovians proved victorious after a hard fight,by one goal to none.The weather,contrary to expectation,was extremely favourable,the dark clouds which threatened a heavy fall of rain during the morning,had given place to a bright and glorious sunshine, and the ground was in better condition than we should have expected from the soakings to which it had been exposed during the past week.Shortly after half-past two o'clock the toss for choice of goals was decided in favour of the Old Harrovians,who elected to kick down from the upper goal,but in consequence of the late arrival of several members of the Harrow team,the ball was not started till a quarter to three o'clock,the Harrovians at that time only mustering eight players.The superior numbers of the Carthusians enabled them during the earlier part of the game to drive their opponents back to their lines,to the vicinity of which for the first quarter of an hour the contest was almost entirely confined,notwithstanding the energetic style in which J.T.Goldney and G.G.Kennedy strove to remove the ball into neutral ground.An excellent chance was given to T.C.Hooman,of the Carthusians,who had an unopposed run up on the Harrow goal,but the final kick was badly misjudged,and the ball quickly started from behind was carried along the upper-side by the Harrovians,a judicious kick by W.Hulton-a substitute lent by the School-driving it into the centre of the ground,whence after a short run,C.W.Alcock safely landed it between the posts of the Charterhouse goal.Sides were changed,and the game resumed,the Carthusians setting to work with increased vigour,and keeping their opponents for some time completely penned.Two well-directed kicks by F.G.Paulson were well fielded by J.Courteney,goalkeeper for the Harrovians,whose goal appeared on several occasions to be placed in jeopardy by the attacks of F.C.Povah,C.C.Boyle, E.E.Venables,and H.J.Almond.A few minutes before the cessation of play a long scrimmage took place in the very centre of the Harrow posts,but the ball was finally extricated;and when time was called at four o'clock the Carthusians found themselves defeated by one goal.The Harrovians, although their success may in some measure be attributed to the ill-fortune which attended the strenuous efforts made by their adversaries,all exhibited individual excellence of style,their back play perhaps being the worst feature of their game.The Carthusians on this occasion were playing under great disadvantages-the loss of their captain,C.E.B.Nepean,and their chief goalkeeper,proved a serious drawback to their chances of success.For the Old Harrovians E.E.Bowen played in good form throughout;and E.E.Porter,J.T.Goldney,and G.G.Kennedy also did good service to their side.For the Carthusians E.E.Venables,F.C.Povah,C.C.Boyle,and H.J.Almond (forwards) and W.Wallace and R.Dunn(back),especially distinguished themselves."

Old Harrovians:C.W.Alcock,E.E.Bowen,E.Fairfield,J.T.Goldney,G.G.Kennedy,A.W.Laurence,  
E.F.Porter,P.Rhodes,W.Hulton(Substitute lent by School),A.J.Courteney(Substitute).(F has E.E.Porter)

Charterhouse School:W.Wallace(Capt.),E.E.Venables,E.A.Hammick,C.C.Boyle,F.G.Paulson,  
H.J.Almond,R.Dunn,F.C.Povah,T.C.Hooman,W.Brown,H.Barry.

NO NAMES 1 (A.Baker) ROYAL ENGINEERS \*0/1 (At the Eton and Middlesex Cricket  
Ground)(Hampstead)

\*The ball landed on the N.N. goal line(i.e. tape) which was loosely suspended,and it could not be  
decided whether the ball passed over or under the line.

Sportsman 25/3/68 P.4 and 28/3/68 P.3/Bells Life 28/3/68 P.11/Field 28/3/68 P.253:

BL:"The Engineers,who for the first half appeared to have the best of the game,were now gradually  
forced back to protect their territory from the steady forward play of A.Baker and S.Holland,and the  
ball being well thrown in from touch,a few yards in front of the Royal Engineers' goal,it was quickly  
worked up by A.Baker,and by a lucky kick deposited between the goal posts of the R.E.'s,just evading  
the uplifted arms of the R.E. goalkeeper.A change of goals now took place,and the R.E.'s tried hard  
to score,but could not work the ball past +E.M.Yates,who quickly returned it by some fine kicking,to  
be carried on by the N.N. forward players,who constantly "dribbled"it into uncomfortable proximity  
to the R.E. goal posts.The game was kept up with the utmost spirit on both sides,the Engineers  
showing themselves the weaker of the two sides,and it was only just before the conclusion of the  
game that they rallied together,and making a resolute rush,managed to propel the ball against their  
adversaries' goal string,as before mentioned ,thus leaving the issue of the match undecided." "The  
No Names displayed some masterly play throughout the game,that of A.Baker,S.Holland,and  
E.W.Wylde being especially marked,as also the back play of +E.M.Yates and the goal-keeping of  
C.M.Tebbut." +In fact J.M.Yates.

No Names:C.M.Tebbut(Capt.),C.M.Green,S.T.Holland,A.Baker,+J.M.Yates,E.W.Wylde,  
J.C.Smith,C.J.Morice,G.C.Gordon,H.Sharpe,H.N.B.Goode.

Royal Engineers:Lieuts. Merriman(Capt.),Blair,Barlow,Broadbent,Campbell,  
Chambers,Green,Johnstone, Denison,Purcell,Kensington.

N.B. SM:"This was the last match of the N.N.'s season,during which they have gained seven  
victories,suffered one defeat,and played several drawn games."

C.C.C. 3 (C.B.Fanshawe 2,H.M.Dealtry) CIVIL SERVICE 0 (Clapham Common)

Sportsman 25/3/68 P.4 and 28/3/68 P.3/Field 28/3/68 P.253:

F:"A match between the above clubs was played on Clapham Common on Saturday last,the 21<sup>st</sup>  
inst.,when the Clapham players secured an easy victory,scoring three goals to none.The ground was  
in excellent order,and the weather gloriously fine,though perhaps too mild and warm to render the  
sport thoroughly enjoyable.The Civil Service was again compelled to entrust its cause to a team  
totally unworthy of its name,only seven servants of the crown appearing at the appointed time to do  
battle on behalf of the Service.At half-past three o'clock the game was commenced by the usual kick  
off,the superior skill of the home players at once driving the ball into the immediate neighbourhood  
of the Service goal.In this quarter the fight was kept up with but little variation until the conclusion  
of the game,the efforts of the forward players of the Civil Service to pass the goal keepers of the

opposite party proving entirely ineffectual. The game was kept up without any diminution of energy for an hour and a half, when time was called at five o'clock, the Clapham players having three times secured the fall of the hostile goal, the Civil Servants having failed to secure any score. Another goal was kicked for the C.C.C. by F.B.Soden, but in consequence of his being "off side" the claim was not allowed. The goals scored for the C.C.C. were kicked by C.B.Fanshawe (2) and H.M.Dealtry. For the Civil Service J.Kirkpatrick was the most prominent performer, the two busy B.'s, R.Babington and E.Bateman, working with all their wonted energy. For the C.C.C. C.B.Fanshawe did good service throughout, and J.E.Tayloe and H.M.Dealtry exhibited at times brilliant form."

C.C.C. : J.E.Tayloe (Capt.), P.V.Turner, H.Dealtry, F.B.Soden, C.B.Fanshawe, J.Welwin, R.Ker, M.Elliot, F.Hartung, W.M.Clarke, A.Townsend.

Civil Service: J.Kirkpatrick (Capt.), J.H.Giffard, R.Babington, A.E.Bateman, C.W.Bailey, Bence Jones, W.E.Napper, +E.Taylor, +R.Haslam. +Emergencies

FOREST SCHOOL 0 MR W.CUTBILL'S TEAM 0 (At School Ground, Walthamstow)

Sportsman 25/3/68 P.4 and 28/3/68 P.3/Field 28/3/68 P.253/Bell's Life 28/3/68 P.11:

F: "A match between the above teams was played on the School ground at Walthamstow, on Saturday last, the 21<sup>st</sup> inst., which after a very spirited and evenly contested game, terminated in a draw, neither party proving successful in obtaining a goal. The weather was fine and the ground in excellent condition, the breeze of wind, which blew straight across from side to side, proving of but little advantage to either party. At twenty minutes to four o'clock the ball was started by the Foresters, the Strangers, who had won the toss, electing to kick down from the upper goal. The boys by a united rush drove the ball at once into the vicinity of the Strangers' goal, but it was speedily returned into neutral ground, and thence taken down into the quarters of the boys, upon whose goal several dangerous attacks were made by the Strangers. By degrees, however, the Foresters succeeded in working the ball up, and for some time the game was most evenly contested. At length a good run up was made by the Strangers, and the ball judiciously middled by C.Huggins, was kicked between the posts by H.Dankes, who was unfortunately offside, and consequently unable to claim a score. For some time the game was continued with unabated vigour, but the back play of each party effectually prevented all hopes of success, and thus, at a quarter to six o'clock, one of the best games witnessed on the School ground this season ended in a draw."

Forest School: F.J.Poole, W.E.Gascoigne, H.C.Shuttleworth, J.C.Cotton, S.H.Carver, E.T.Gardom, H.Worrall, E.H.Shelton, T.L.Browne, T.W.Crowther, E.B.Beauchamp, T.B.Ridgway, A.O.Manly.

Mr W.Cutbill's Team: W.J.Cutbill, A.L.Cutbill, R.Cutbill, C.Higgins, A.C.Chamberlain, D.Allport, A.Lloyd, J.Cockerell, J.Sharland, H.Dankes, C.T.Bogue, W.Cotton, H.Butterfield.

TUES MAR 24<sup>TH</sup> - WED 25<sup>TH</sup> :

FOREST SCHOOL Match 2 DAY MATCH : NORTH 2 (E.T.Gardom 2) SOUTH 0

Sportsman 28/3/68 P.3:

First Day : North 1 (E.T.Gardom) South 0

SM: "For more than an hour no advantage was obtained, until a good run up by E.T. Gardom and W.E. Gascoigne resulted in the fall of the Southerners' goal, E.T. Gardom making the successful kick."

Second Day : North (E.T. Gardom), South 0

SM: "On Wednesday play was continued, and after a very good game (although the North had the advantage throughout and kept the South well employed in defending their goal) the Northerners secured a second goal, which again fell to the lot of E.T. Gardom. Soon after this time was called, and the North remained victors by two goals to none."

North: F.J. Poole (Capt.), W.E. Gascoigne, E.T. Gardom, S.H. Carver, H. Worrall, T.W. Crowther, H. Holt, A.E. Poole, T.W. Kessler, E.E. Gardom, E. Kessler, P. Kessler, J. Bowers, C. Gardom, K. Knight.

South: H.C. Shuttleworth (Capt.), J.C. Cotton, E.H. Shelton, T. Browne, T. Ridgway, M.V. Huggins, E.B. Beaumont, A. Manley, L. Pownall, R. Abbott, H. Forwood, W. Forwood, C. Gosnell, C.N. Bullas, E. Shuttleworth.

WED MAR 25<sup>TH</sup> :

CIVIL SERVICE 0 CHARTERHOUSE SCHOOL 2 (W. Brown, T.C. Hooman) (At Battersea Park)

Sportsman 28/3/68 P.3/Field 28/3/68 P.253/Pall Mall Gazette 26/3/68 P.9:

F: This, the closing match of the Charterhouse season, took place at Battersea Park, on Wednesday last, the 25<sup>th</sup> inst., when the Carthusians secured the honours of victory by two goals to none. The weather was extremely favourable for football purposes, but the state of the ground was opposed to all prospects of good play, the grass being several inches long, and the going consequently unusually heavy. At twenty minutes past three o'clock the game was opened by a kick off from the toe of the Civil Service captain, the Carthusians, having won the toss, electing to occupy the upper goal. For the first quarter of an hour the play appeared especially tame and uninteresting, the length of the grass placing the light-weighted Carthusians at the commencement of the game at a serious disadvantage. The Civil Servants, working in good form forwards, kept the ball chiefly in the lower half of the ground, although the effective back play of W. Wallace for the School prevented any success attending the efforts of the hostile players. At length the Carthusians gradually drove their opponents back, and after a good rally forced the ball into the immediate centre of the Service goal. A short scrimmage ensued in front of the posts, the ball having been well middled by T.C. Hooman, which resulted in the fall of the Civil Service goal, W. Brown making the successful kick. The game was soon resumed by a kick off from the foot of A.E. Bateman, and for some minutes the fight was chiefly confined to neutral ground. After several ineffectual attempts to increase their score, fortune once more favoured the Carthusians, a want of judgment on the part of the Service goal-keeper offering an opportunity to T.C. Hooman, who by a well-directed kick landed the leather between the posts, thereby placing a second goal to the credit of the School. During the last ten minutes the Civil Servants played up with great determination, E. Fairfield, W.A.B. Hamilton, and R. Babington making some desperate attempts to recover some portion of the Service losses. Still the score remained unaltered, and when time was called at half-past four o'clock, the Carthusians were declared the victors by two goals. No correct estimate can be formed of the style of either party from this match, as no individual play worthy of especial praise was shown during the course of the game. W. Wallace kicked in very good form throughout for the Carthusians, who have since last term secured two



valuable additions to their team in the persons of F.C.Povah and A.Barry,the latter of whom has lately proved of great service to the School by his judgment in defence of the goal.The Carthusians were again deprived of the services of their captain,C.E.B.Nepean,and their head goalkeeper, J.W.Taylor.For the Civil Servants R.Babington worked most energetically throughout,and W.A.B.Hamilton and E.Fairfield were occasionally brilliant."

Charterhouse School:W.Wallace(Capt.),E.E.Venables,E.A.Hammick,C.C.Boyle,H.J.Almond, F.G.Paulson,R.Dunn,F.C.Povah,T.C.Hooman,W.Brown,A.Barry.

Civil Service:J.Kirkpatrick(Capt.),A.E.Bateman,R.Babington,J.H.Giffard,Quentin Hogg,J.Wearne, S.Hermon,(E.P.)Eardley-Wilmot,P.V.Turner,E.Fairfield,W.A.B.Hamilton.

SAT MAR 28<sup>TH</sup> :

WEST KENT 1 (B.F.Stow) ROYAL ENGINEERS 1 (Lieut. Blair)(At Chislehurst)

Sportsman 1/4/68 P.4/Field 4/4/68 P.276:

F:"These clubs met for the first time on Chislehurst Common,on Saturday last,the 28<sup>th</sup> of March,when,after a most spirited contest of an hour and a half,neither party could claim the honours of victory,each having scored one goal.The weather was bright and clear a swift breeze which blew across the common contributing in no small degree to the energy displayed throughout by the various players.Neither party had succeeded in mustering its full strength,the home club being unfortunately deprived of the invaluable services of J.B.Martin,the most prominent forward player of West Kent;while the Engineers were weakened by the absence of Lieutenants Fanshawe, Pulford,and Morris;their captain also,owing to a recent accident,proving unable to render them his usual energetic assistance.Shortly after four o'clock the two parties seperated,the Engineers,who had won the toss,occupying the upper goal,with the wind in their favour.The ball,kicked off by the West Kent captain,was at once borne down by the superior weight of the Engineers into the neighbourhood of the Kentish goal,which for some time,thanks to the excellent defence of E.Lubbock,resisted all the attacks made on it by the military.The latter were considerably favoured by the wind,which effectually frustrated all the efforts made by the West Kent forwards to remove the ball into the upper half of the ground.A good run down by Lieut Johnstone, followed by a well-judged side kick,placed the home goal in imminent peril,the ball passing almost into the space between the posts."

SM:"For the first twenty minutes the game was well in favour of the Engineers,who kept the ball well down in the lower half of the ground,but without any decisive result,until after a short run-down by Lieut Blair accomplished the fall of the West Kent goal.After the change of ends the play appeared to be more evenly matched,the long kicks of E.Lubbock for West Kent,and Lieut Washington for the Engineers preventing the ball approaching dangerously close to the goal of either party.At length a united rush of the West Kent players drove the ball into the front of the military goal,a fine kick by B.F.Stow landing it safely between the posts.The game was kept up with unabated vigour until half past five o'clock,at which hour no further success having been achieved by either party,the match terminated in a draw."

West Kent:E.O.Berens(Capt.),E.Norman,P.Norman,H.W.Powell,B.White,J.Richardson, E.Lubbock,B.F.Stow,W.O.Stow,A.Allfrey,R.Glower.

Royal Engineers:Lieuts. Pottinger(Capt.),Blair,Broadbent,Campbell,Chambers,Green,Washington, Merriman,Johnston,Purcell,Barlow.

Sportman 18/4/68 P.4:

“During the six months which constitute the limits of the football season,four hundred and seventy-five matches were reported in the columns of the various sporting papers,showing a decided improvement on the two hundred and fifty contests which took place during the previous year.”

N.B. This would include all codes including Rugby.

#### SHEFFIELD ASSOCIATION MATCHES

N.B. The lineups below are mostly from Sportsman,with a few from Bell's Life.Sheffield Independent (SI)and Sheffield Daily Telegraph(SDT) have many results but no lineups .

SHEFFIELD FA AGM SM 12/10/67 P3

SAT OCT 12<sup>TH</sup>

GARRICK 1 goal BROOMHALL 2 goals 5 rouges (Garrick Ground,East Bank)

Sportsman 15/10/67 P.4/SDT 14/10/67 P.4/(SI 14/10/67 :No teams):

SM:”....fourteen a side,this being the first game this season played under the new rules adopted by the Sheffield Association.”

SDT:”A match between the first fourteens of the above was played on Saturday afternoon,on the Garrick Ground,East-bank.It was the first match played under the new rules of the Sheffield Football Association.Owing to the heavy rain in the morning the players were late in coming to the ground. Play having been called,Broomhall kicked off,having lost the choice of goals,but in a very short time obtained a rouge,and with a little more steady play obtained a goal.Siudes being then changed,both parties warmed to their work,and played a very good game.When time was called Broomhall won,having obtained two goals and five rouges to Garrick one goal.”

Garrick:G.Jones(Capt.),J.E.Dean,J.Ellin,W.Ellin,W.Bullivant,J.Wilmer,J.Witthford,Wain,K.Flint,Reeves, T.Rycroft,Siddall,J.Turner,C.Stokes.(SM)

Broomhall:C.Lee(Capt.),C.Mills,C.Dodworth,W.Mills,John West,J.Dale,James West,J.Bownes, W.Ward,F.Hazlewood,T.Broadbent,G.Stanyard,W.Furniss,J.White.(SM)

Umpires:J.Tomlinson and H.Rogerson(SDT)

SAT OCT 19<sup>TH</sup> :

PITSMOOR +1 Goal GARRICK 5 Rouges (At Pitsmoor)

+SDT gives Pitsmoor 1 goal but after a dispute as to the score

Sportsman 22/10/67 P.1(SI 22/10/67 P.8 /SDT 21/10/67 P.3/SDT 22/10/67 P.8:

SM:"A game of football was played on Saturday between the first twelves of the above clubs on the ground of the latter,when the Garrick proved victorious,scoring five rouges to their opponents' nothing."

Garrick:G.Jones,J.Dale,J.Turner,H.Glossop,J.Russell,J.Parkes,J.E.Deans,G.Marriott,S.J.Brown,K.Flint,J.Widdeford,W.Hepworth.(SM)

NORFOLK 0 BROOMHALL 0 (At Norfolk Park)

Sportsman 24/10/67 P.1/SDT 21/10/67 P.3:

Norfolk:H.Cawthorne(Capt.),J.Pashley,T.Sank Bell,C.Marshall ,J.P.Donovan,J.Roberts,J.White,S.M.Walker,H.Ash,T.Armitage,G.Proctor,W.Innocent,J.Pring,W.Barraclough.(SM)

Broomhall:C.Lee(Capt.),C.Mills,S.Deakin,J.West,G.Stanyard,A.Taylor,C.Sayles,E.S.Drake,S.Castleton,L.Jackson,S.Gillott,J.Bownes,J.C.Clegg,+W.Ward.(SM) +Not W.Wood?

Umpires:W.Tomlinson and W.Skinner

WEDNESDAY 3 Goals and 4 Rouges MECHANICS 1 Rouge(At Norfolk Park) (SDT 22/10/67 P.3)

MACKENZIE 0 HEELEY 2 goals and 4 rouges(SI 21/10/67 P.3)

SAT OCT 26<sup>TH</sup> :

NORFOLK 1 rouge HALLAM 0 (Norfolk Park)(1<sup>ST</sup> 14's)

Sportsman 29/10/67 P.3/Bell's Life 2/11/67 P10/SDT 2/11/67 P.10:

SM:"In about half an hour Norfolk obtained a well-got rouge,although having to kick against the wind,which was rather strong."

Norfolk:H.Cawthorne(Capt.),J.Roberts,F.Corbett,T.Goodwin,J.Dale,G.Proctor,T.Bell,J.Pashley,C.Marshall,C.Grayson,G.Rodgers,J.Peck,S.M.Walker,J.White.

Hallam:C.Lee(Capt.),H.Ash,J.Bownes,J.C.Shaw,C.Skelton,A.Reaney,J.Harris,T.Armitage,S.Gilbert,G.Jones,W.Smith,J.Witheford,G.Dyson,J.Bradbury,

Umpires:J.Bradshaw and A.Skinner

MILTON 1 Rouge NORTON 2 Rouges (At Milton)

Sportsman 29/10/67 P.3/Bell's Life 2/11/67 P.10:

SM:"The Milton having won the toss kicked with the wind,and soon obtained a rouge.Half-time was called,and then the Nortonites pulled themselves together,and playing well soon obtained a rouge. There being but a quarter of an hour to play,a strong contest ensued for the victory,which Norton scored by another rouge,after a well-contested game."

Milton:R.Smith(Capt.),A.Taylor,O.Pickersgill,C.Stokes,J.Broomhead,C.Lee,J.Radford,T.Martin,J.Jenkinson,E.Constantine,H.Webster,B.Wilson.

Norton:J.Lindley(Capt.),R.Butterley,W.Cartridge,W.Needham,F.Morton,W.Jackson,  
F.Marsden,J.Shaw,J.Haig,H.Osborn,J.Norton,P.Pilner.

WELLINGTON 0 PITSMOOR 2 Rouges (At Wellington)(Return)(Wellington lost the 1<sup>st</sup> match)

Sportsman 29/10/67 P.3/Bell's Life 2/11/67 P.10/SDT 2/11/67 P.10:

SM:"Pitsmoor won the choice of ground and kicked down hill.On half-time being called they had placed two rouges to their credit,and then had to allow the Wellington team to change goals. Notwithstanding this advantage,however,and all the activity of the Wellington team(who played remarkably well),they could not turn the tide,and Pitsmoor won again;two rouges to none."

Wellington:J.Banks(Capt.),W.Harrison,W.Ellin,H.Barker,Ford,A.Summerfield,E.Redfearn,  
P.Schofield,A.Machin,F.Morton,T.Taylor,B.Osborne.

Pitsmoor:G.Fowler(Capt.),J.F.Bingham,G.Simpson,W.Bingham,J.Wildblood,W.Carr,  
J.Bradley,S.Heaton,J.Gorrell,J.Turton,J.Ridge,W.Shaw.

Umpires:Schofield(Wellington) and T.Clarke(Pitsmoor).

BROOMHALL 4 rouges GARRICK 0(At Broomhall Field,Eccleshall Road)(Return)

Sportsman 29/10/67 P.3/Bell's Life 2/11/67 P.10/SDT 28/10/67 P.3(Gives 3 Rouges only):

SM:"Half-time was called and no goal obtained by either side.Ends were changed,when the Broomhallers had a chance,but W.Ward being rather anxious ran up the ball,and by the merest slip put in through the rouge instead of the goal.Nothing further was scored during the remainder of the match,so Broomhall won by four rouges to Garrick none."

Broomhall:Frank Hazlewood(Capt.),T.Broadbent,W.Furniss,G.Fearn,J.Broadhurst,W.Wilkins,  
C.Mills,W.Mills,J.West,W.Ward,S.Dracas,L.Jackson,J.Turton,W.Hutton.

Garrick:Thomas Rycroft(Capt.),J.E.Dean,J.Turner,W.Hepworth,J.Medley,H.Glossop,J.Russell,  
B.Witheyford,H.Pearson,W.Cocker,E.Siddall,F.Sanderson,G.Stanyard,C.Dodworth.

Umpires:J.Tomlinson and H.Rogerson

MON OCT 28<sup>TH</sup> :

WEDNESDAY 3 rouges MILTON 1 goal and 1 rouge (Won)(12 a side)

Sportsman 2/11/67 P.3:

SM:"Milton winning the toss,went to work in good earnest,and scored a rouge and a goal straight away.Half-time being called,the Wednesday Club soon settled down,and scored a rouge.They continued to work hard together,and soon scored another rouge,so that it appeared likely they must win.The Miltonians,however,protected their goals throughout,and eventually won,having obtained one goal and one rouge to their opponents' three rouges.Messrs Whelan,Wood,Stokes,and Marsh played well for their respective clubs,so did Messrs Taylor,Thorp,Mills,Wilson,and Bowler."

Referees:Sanderson and Axe.

SAT NOV 2<sup>ND</sup> :

GARRICK 2 Goals 4 Rouges EXCHANGE 0 (At Garrick Ground,Eastbank)(First 12's)

Sportsman 7/11/67 P.4/SDT 4/11/67 P.3:

Garrick:C.Mills,W.Mills,J.E.Deans,J.Turner,J.West,J.Bownes,G.Stanyard,J.Taylor,  
F.Hazlewood,C.Dodworth,T.Rycroft,J.Widdeford.(SM)

MACKENZIE 2 Goals 5 Rouges HEELEY 0(At Meersbrook Park)(Return)(SDT 4/11/67 P.3)

PITSMOOR 2 Goals 4 Rouges NORFOLK 1 Rouge (3<sup>rd</sup> 12's)(At Pitsmoor)(SDT 5/11/67 P.8)

MON NOV 4<sup>th</sup> :

GARRICK 1 goal and 2 rouges WELLINGTON +1 rouge(At Welligton Ground,Cloth Bank)(2<sup>nd</sup> 14's)

+SDT -0

Sportsman 7/11/67 P.4/SDT 5/11/67 P.8

Garrick:J.Turner(Capt.),G.Hague,J.Widdeford,B.Widdeford,J.Medley,W.Riley,jun.,W.Parkin,E.Burton,  
W.Rollinson,G.Pursehouse,S.Scaife,G.Brown,G.Sargent,J.Thorpe.(SM)

SAT NOV 9<sup>TH</sup> :

NORFOLK 2 Rouges HEELEY 0 (At Norfolk Park)

Sportsman 16/11/67 P.3/SI 12/11/67 P.6:

Norfolk:J.Roberts(Capt.),C.Lee,T.Armitage,J.P.Donovan,C.Marshall,J.Dale,J.Pring,  
T.Goodwin,H.Ash,S.M.Walker,J.Harris,W.Innocent.(SM)

Umpire:C.Smith

Heeley:R.Gillott(Capt.),J.Martin,J.Jones,J.Taylor,R.Banningham,C.Stokes,W.Beard,  
W.Ashton,W.Bowler,A.Bowler,G.Shaw,F.Storey.(SM)

Umpire:M.Lee

NORFOLK (3rds) 1 goal and 3 rouges MECHANICS (2nds) 0(Report also SI 12/11/67 P.6/SDT 11/11/67  
P.3

MACKENZIE 2 Goals 3 Rouges WELLINGTON 2 Rouges (At Garrick)

Sportsman 13/11/67 P.3/SI 12/11/67 P.6)

PITSMOOR 1 Goal and 1 Rouge HALLAM 2 Goals (At Pitsmoor)(SI 12/11/67 P.6)(2<sup>nd</sup> 12's)

(See also SI 16/11/67 P.10 for above games)

FIR VALE 1 Goal (J.Peck) 2 Rouges BROOMHALL 0 (At Osgerthorpe)(1<sup>st</sup> 14's)

Sportsman 14/11/67 P.3/SI 12/11/67 P.6 /SDT 13/11/67 P.4:

SM:"After a short time the ball fell back to the Bramhall goal,and here a severe battle ensued,from which the Fir Vale team secured a rouge.Half-time was now called and ends changed.After some odd play had been shown by both sides,a clever goal was kicked for Fir Vale by J.Peck.Now the Fir Valers had to play up hill again,and narrowly escaped losing their goal on two occasions,as the ball was landed over the cross-bar.Towards the end of the game another rouge was gained by the Fir Vale team."

Fir Vale:G.Fowler(Capt.),J.Ulyett(Goalkeeper),J.Peck,W.H.Jervis,J.W.Gillatt,J.Clark,  
H.Fitter,A.Firth,W.Bagshaw,W.Green,Botley,G.Simpson,J.V.Nutt,R.Otley.(SM)

Umpire:T.Pickersgill

Broomhall:C.Mills(Capt.),J.West,F.Haselwood,J.Bownen,O.Pickersgill,T.Broadbent,  
James West,G.Stainyard,W.Ward,J.E.Deans,S.Gilbert,J.Warrenner,J.Turton,A.Taylor.(SM)

Umpire:C.Thakery

MON NOV 11<sup>TH</sup> :

GARRICK 0 MACKENZIE 1 0 (Eastbank Ground,Garrick)

Sportsman 19/11/67 P.3(No teams)/SI 16/11/67 P.6:

BROOMHALL 1 Goal (A.Taylor)NORTON 0 (At Broomhall Ground,Ecclesall Road)

Sportsman 19/11/67 P.3(Week late report) /SI 13/11/67 P.3/SDT 13/11/67 P.4:

SM:"Nothing being scored during the first half-time,goals were changed,when Broomhall,having the top goal,went in in good earnest,and kept the Norton players in good action in defending their goal; but the Broomhalls,with a splendid kick from A.Taylor,landed a goal during the last few moments of the game,amidst the cheers of their friends."

Broomhall:Charles Lee(Capt.),C.Mills,W.Mills,H.Cawthorne,G.Fearn,J.Powell, W.Ward,  
A.Taylor,G.Stainyard,F.Hazlewood,W.Furniss,John West.(SM)

Norton:John Linley(Capt.),T.Downing,R.Butterley,W.Jackson,H.Butterley,R.Gillott,  
F.Morton,W.Cartledge,J.Shaw,H.Kilner,W.Needham,J.Jackson.(SM)

WEDNESDAY 1 Rouge WELLINGTON 0 (SDT 13/11/67 P.4)

TUES NOV 12<sup>TH</sup>

MACKENZIE 1 Goal GARRICK 0 (At East Bank)(SDT 13/11/67 P.4)

SAT NOV 16<sup>TH</sup> :

EXCHANGE 0 GARRICK 1 Rouge (Exchange Ground,near Hyde Park)(Return)

Sportsman 19/11/67 P.3/SDT 19/11/67 P.7/SI 23/11/67 P.10:

SM: "The return match between the first twelves of the above clubs was played on Saturday on the ground of the latter club, near Hyde Park, when, as in the first match, the Garrick proved victorious, scoring one rouge to nothing, though many of their best men were unavoidably absent."

Garrick: C. Dodworth, J. Ellin, J. E. Deans, W. Furniss, H. Pearson, H. Rogerson, G. Sargent, T. Pursehouse, G. Pursehouse, B. Widdeford, W. Rollinson, J. Widdeford. (SM)

J. Simmonite and F. Taylor played for Exchange

MECHANICS 1 Rouge PITSMOOR 3 Goals and 4 Rouges (Mechanics Ground, Norfolk Park)

Sportsman 19/11/67 P.3/SDT 19/11/67 P.7/SI 23/11/67 P.10:

SM: "It was evident from the first that the Mechanics players were overmatched, Pitsmoor scoring two goals at the very start, the first of which was cleverly kicked by W. Carr." "When time was called Pitsmoor had scored three goals and four rouges to one rouge gained by the Mechanics."

Mechanics: J. Marsh (Capt.), W. Wilson, G. Rodgers, T. Bell, John White, H. Hayward, H. Rollinson, J. Tilsley, G. Birkhead, Woolhouse, J. Burgin, W. Green, G. Hobbs.

Umpire: J. Green

Pitsmoor: G. Fowler (Capt.), J. Roberts, J. F. Bingham, W. I. Bingham, S. Heaton, J. Harris, E. Ince, J. Shaw, W. Bentley, W. Carr, Jas. White, G. Simpson, W. Innocent.

Umpire: T. Clark

HEELEY 1 Goal and 1 Rouge COLLEGIATE SCHOOL 1 Rouge (At Heeley) (See SI 23/11/67 P.10)

MON NOV 18<sup>TH</sup> :

NORTON 2 Goals 2 Rouges MILTON 2 Rouges (At Norton) (See SI 23/11/67 P.10)

SAT NOV 23<sup>RD</sup> :

GARRICK 0 FIR VALE 0 (At Garrick Ground)

Sportsman 28/11/67 P.4/SDT 26/11/67 P.8/SI 26/11/67 P.8:

Garrick: J. Ellen (Capt.), J. Turner, J. Wain, R. Flint, W. Parkin, E. Liddall, C. Dodworth, J. E. Deane, S. Scafe, W. Reaver, J. Thorpe, H. Furness, J. Pring, B. Widdeford. (SM)

Umpire: B. Bellamy

Fir Vale: J. Peck (Capt.), W. H. Jarvis, J. W. Gillatt, H. Fitter, J. Ulyett, G. Simpson, H. Peck, J. R. Gorrill, B. Otley, T. Otley, D. Davy, T. L. Bennett, S. Redfurn, F. Clark. (SM)

Umpire: T. Pickesgill

HEELEY 1 Goal and 3 Rouges WEDNESDAY 0 (See SI 26/11/67 P.8)

MON NOV 25<sup>TH</sup> :

WEDNESDAY 0 GARRICK 1 rouge (2<sup>nd</sup> Teams)(Sportsman 28/11/67 P.4/Bells' Life 7/12/67 P.3)(SI 26/11/67 P.8)

TUES NOV 26<sup>TH</sup> :

GARRICK 1 Rouge BROOMHALL 1 Rouge (Garrick Ground)(2<sup>nd</sup> Teams)(Sportsman 3/12/67 P.3)

PITSMOOR 0 NORFOLK 1 Goal(At Pitsmoor)(See SI 28/11/67 P.3)

WED NOV 27<sup>TH</sup> :

SHEFFIELD Match :

TOWN 0 COUNTRY 1 (R.Gillott(Heeley),(At Bramall Lane Cricket Ground)(Sheffield Association Accident Fund Benefit match)

Sportsman 3/12/67 P.3/Bell's Life 7/12/67 P.10/SI 28/11/67 P.3/SDT 28/11/67 P.3:

SI:"An equal number of players are chosen out of each club forming the Football Association.."

SI:"We are sorry to say that the fund is not likely to be much augmented by the gate money as we understand there was only £5 18s taken at the gates,one third of which is taken for the use of the ground."

"It is the intention of all Football Clubs to pay all members who are injured in playing ,and who pay to the Accident Fund,the sum of 8s per week whilst they are unable to follow their usual avocations."

SDT:"The above match,in aid of the players' accident fund,was played on the Bramall-lane Cricket Ground,yesterday;but we fear the amount of the receipts will not leave much benefit.Sheffield won the toss for choice of goals,and selected the one nearest Housfield's field.According to the new rules the party losing the choice have the first kick-off,the country thus commencing up hill;but it was evident that the town players were overmatched.The efforts of the countrymen were soon rewarded with a goal,from a kick by R.Gillott.Ends having been changed,the town players began with more spirit;but it was not till half-time had gone,and 10 minutes allowed for refreshments that the game became interesting,each team settling to work in real earnest.The country team had the ball frequently near their opponents' goal.During the last twenty minutes the town players strained every nerve to wrest the victory from their antagonists,who had several hairbreath escapes,the excitement of both players and spectators being intense.Their efforts,however,were fruitless,as when the umpires called time the country players were declared the winners by one goal to nothing. We regret to say that G.Fowler had to retire from the field,having sustained an injury to his shoulder."

Town:J.Roberts(Capt.),J.Pring,C.Lee,C.Mills,J.Broomhead,J.Dale,H.Cawthorne,J.Marsh,  
C.Dodworth,J.E.Deans,T.Banks,W.Ellin,A.Taylor,S.Thorpe.

Country:J.C.Shaw(Capt.),T.Armitage,H.Ash,G.Fowler,J.Simpson,J.Peck,J.W.Gillatt,  
W.Bagshaw,R.Buttery,J.Buttery,F.Morton,R.Gillott,A.Wood,J.Martin.

Umpires:R.Dickenson and T.Clarke.



SAT NOV 30<sup>TH</sup> :

BROOMHALL 1 Rouge(Jas.West) MACKENZIE 0 (At Broomhall Ground,Ecclesall Road)

Sportsman 3/12/67 P.3/Bell's Life 7/12/67 P.2:

SM:"The attendance of spectators was very scant,owing to the rain,which continued falling all the afternoon,and the general opinion was in favour of postponing the match.The Mackenzie players, however,having mustered in full force,were desirous of having a winning game,as Broomhalls were only poorly represented.The teams,being captained by C.Lee and J.Marsh,commenced play a little after three o'clock,Mackenzie,who had won the choice of goals,playing down hill.The Broomhall players,however,continuing their following-up game,it was not long before Jas. West obtained a rouge,and being determined to give no chance to their opponents without a strong defence,won the match."

Broomhall:C.Lee(Capt.),C.Mills,A.Taylor,James West,W.Furniss,S.Deakin,G.Stanyard,J.Bownes, J.E.Deans,W.Ward,J.Turner,T.Rycroft.

Mackenzie:J.Marsh(Capt.),W.Jackson,J.Downing,C.Stokes,A.Bowler,T.Jenkinson,T.Armitage,R.Smith, O.Pickersgill,L.Wright,H.Radford.

Umpires:C.Thackeray and C.Webster.

BROOMHALL 1 Rouge GARRICK 0 (Return)At Broomhall Ground,Ecclesall Road)(2<sup>ND</sup> 14's)

Sportsman 12/12/67 P.4:

SM:"The return match between the second fourteens of the above clubs was played on Saturday,on the 30<sup>th</sup> ult.,on the Broomhall Ground,Ecclesall-road.Owing to the hard state of the ground from the late frost and snow,the play was very uninteresting.The teams were captained by George Stanyard and T.Rycroft.Choice of goals was won by Broomhall,who kicked from the top goal,and just before half-time obtained a rouge,which,as nothing more was obtained,won the match."

Broomhall:George Stanyard(Capt.),C.Skelton,J.Warriner,J.Dungworth,E.S.Drake,J.C.Clegg, F.Hobson,J.West, L.Jackson,J.Turton,J.Anthony,W.Furniss,W.Wilkin.(SM)

Garrick:T.Rycroft(Capt.),J.Turner,J.Witford,B.Witford,A.Reany,S.Scaife,T.Purshouse, J.Purshouse,F.Sanderson,W.Hepworth,J.Ellin,G.Gothard,Parkin.(SM)

Umpires:W.Ward and W.Riley.

NORFOLK 4 goals WELLINGTON 0 (At Norfolk Park)(Wellington gave up after 20 minutes)(See SI 3/12/67 P.8)

SAT DEC 7<sup>TH</sup> :

NORFOLK 1 Rouge MACKENZIE 0 (At Norfolk)(See also SI 10/12/67 P.8)

Sportsman 10/12/67 P.1:

SM: "The toss for choice of goals was won by Mackenzie, who decided to kick with the wind in their favour. This advantage, however, they did not turn to very good account, for in about fifteen minutes a rouge was obtained by the Norfolk Club. The game was contested with great determination and spirit without any further score; therefore the Norfolk Club were the victors. Both sides mustered their best teams, and a very agreeable game was played."

Norfolk: H. Cawthorn (Capt.), J. Roberts, C. Marshall, J. P. Donovan, J. Pring, T. Armitage, H. Ash, C. Mills, G. Proctor, J. Wildblood, C. Grayson, C. Lee. (SM)

Mackenzie: J. Dale (Capt.), J. Marsh, L. Wright, A. Taylor, T. Jenkinson, J. Jenkinson, W. Wright, J. Broomhead, W. Mills, J. E. Deans, W. Innocent, W. Ellison. (SM)

Umpires: H. Skinner and C. Webster

Wednesday 0 Milton 4 rouges (2<sup>nd</sup> 14's) (At Wednesday) (See SI 14/12/67 P.10)

MON DEC 9<sup>TH</sup> :

WEDNESDAY 1 Rouge GARRICK 1 Goal and 8 Rouges (2<sup>ND</sup> Teams) (At Wednesday Ground) (See also SI 10/12/67 P.8)

Sportsman 12/12/67 P.4/SDT 10/12/67 P.8:

SM: "The second teams of the above clubs met on the ground of the latter on Monday, when the Wednesday men, winning the toss, kicked down hill; but the Garrick team quickly scored a rouge up hill, which was followed by the Wednesday scoring a rouge also. Garrick scoring a goal immediately afterwards, they had to kick down hill, and having the game in their own hands they scored seven more rouges in succession, winning the match by one goal and eight rouges to the Wednesday one rouge."

Garrick: J. Turner (Capt.), W. Mills, A. Rayner, C. Dodworth, S. Scaife, J. Witheford, B. Witheford, J. Willmer, J. Jenkinson, W. Furniss, E. Burton, J. Ellin, F. Sanderson, C. Shelton. (SM)

Wednesday: Not listed

SAT DEC 14<sup>TH</sup> :

MACKENZIE 1 Goal (T. Banks) and 2 Rouges (W. West 2) GARRICK 1 Rouge (J. P. Donovan) (Mackenzie Ground, at Myrtle Road, Heeley)

Bell's Life 21/12/67 P.9:

BL: "The return match between the first teams of these clubs was played on Saturday afternoon on the ground of the former, at Myrtle-road, Heeley. The weather was very unfavourable for outdoor sports, the wind blowing boisterously, and the driving rain, which fell incessantly, in sheets across the ground. Notwithstanding these discomforts there was a good muster, the clubs playing their full complement shortly after the match commenced. At 3.30 the ball was kicked off by W. Wright (for Mackenzie) and some exciting play was witnessed on both sides, the Garrick men defending their goal with great determination, though it was evident from the start that they were overmatched. The ball was kept in close proximity to the Garrick goal for some time, and at length a rouge was scored

for Mackenzie, which was soon followed by another, both being kicked by W. Wright. Half-time was then called, and the sides changed ends, Mackenzie kicking down hill. The latter were soon hard at work at their opponents' goal again, and being well generalled, they followed up their late advantage by scoring a goal, which was kicked by T. Banks amid loud applause. On play recommencing, the ball was kept well in the centre of the ground, and the Garrick, being anxious to retrieve their lost laurels, played with great spirit. A chance being given by Mackenzie, was immediately taken advantage of, and Donovan, on the part of Garrick, kicked the ball through the rouge sticks. No other advantage was gained after this, and when time was called the Mackenzieites were declared the winners by one goal and two rouges to their opponents' one rouge. This is the third match which the Mackenzie have played with Garrick this season, the former winning every game. On the part of Mackenzie the play of W. Wright, W. Jackson, and C. Mills (forward) was good; J. Jenkinson and T. Banks (half back) also distinguishing themselves. J. E. Deans, W. Furniss, J. Dale and Donovan worked hard for Garrick, as did also Hepworth. The Mackenzie goal was well kept by C. Webster."

Mackenzie : J. Jenkinson (Capt.), C. Webster, W. Ellin, C. Mills, W. Jackson, W. Barraclough, T. Banks, W. Cheetham, E. Carrington, W. Wright, W. Shaw, H. Maitland. (BL)

Garrick: T. Rycroft (Capt.), W. Riley, W. Furniss, J. P. Donovan, J. Dale, S. Scaife, W. Hepworth, J. E. Deans, J. Witheford, J. Wilmer, T. Purshouse, C. Howson. (BL)

#### XMAS GAMES:

24/12/67 At Broomhall and Fir Vale (See SI 24/12/67 P.1) Broomhall v Garrick (3<sup>rd</sup> teams): SDT 24/12/67 P.1

26/12/67: Heeley v Broomhall, Hallam, Old Stagers v Champions, Exchange v Wellington, Garrick v Macenzie (2<sup>nd</sup> teams), Norfolk Practice Match (Nottingham Rules) (See SI 26/12/67 P.1)

28/12/67: Fir Vale v Mechanics, Broomhall v Pitsmoor (2<sup>nd</sup> teams), Wellington v Mackenzie (2<sup>nd</sup> teams), Milton v Wednesday (SI 28/12/67 P.1/SDT 28/12/67 P.1); Nottingham v Norfolk (SDT 24/12/67 P.1) (See above)

31/12/67 : Fir Vale v Heeley; Mackenzie v Wellington (2<sup>nd</sup> teams); Dronfield v Wednesday (SDT 28/12/67 P.1)

MON DEC 30<sup>TH</sup> :

GARRICK 3 goals and +4 rouges MECHANICS 0 (At Garrick Ground)

+SM has 5 rouges

Sportsman 4/1/68 P.3/SI 4/1/68 P.10/SDT 31/12/67 P.8:

Garrick: J. Dale, C. Lee, W. Mills, G. Stanyard, T. Rycroft, J. E. Deans, R. Buttery, H. Ash, A. Rayner, J. West, J. Jenkinson, G. Jones, W. Furniss. (SM)

Mechanics: Not listed

WED JAN 1<sup>ST</sup> :

BROOMHALL 2 Rouges GARRICK 1 Goal and 3 Rouges (At Broomhall Ground) (3<sup>rd</sup> 14's) (ALSO SI 4/1/68 P.10)

SM: "The above clubs met on Wednesday, January 1, to contest their third fourteen match, on the ground of the Broomhall. The match was decided in favour of the former, after a most spirited fight, by one goal and three rouges to their opponents' two rouges. The play of Hazlewood, K. Flint, S. Scaife, J. Thorpe, W. Goddard, and Rycroft for the Garrick was first-class, as was that of Fearn, Anthony, and Warriner on behalf of the Broomhall club."

SAT JAN 4<sup>TH</sup> :

GARRICK 1 Rouge WELLINGTON 0 (3<sup>RD</sup> 14's) (At Wellington Ground): Sportsman 9/1/68 P.3

SM: "The third fourteen of the above clubs met on Saturday last, on the Wellington Ground, to decide the question of supremacy. The Garrick men had the game in their own hands from the commencement, though they only scored a rouge, which was partly accounted for by the slippery state of the ground, and also by the Wellingtonians having the advantage of kicking down hill. The friends of both sides mustered in strong force, and loudly cheered the respective sides. The Wellington men failed to score."

MON JAN 6<sup>th</sup> :

GARRICK 1 Rouge WELLINGTON 0 (2<sup>ND</sup> 14's) (At Garrick Ground): Sportsman 9/1/68 P.3

SM: "On Monday last, on the Garrick ground, despite the unfavourable state of the weather, the second teams of the above clubs, met to play a friendly match. The Garrick won, as on the previous Saturday, by one rouge to nothing. These clubs have contested four matches with each other, all of which have been won by the Garrick. This promising club, although only in its second year, numbers nearly 400 members."

SAT JAN 11<sup>TH</sup> :

BROOMHALL 1 Rouge NORFOLK 3 Rouges (At Broomhall Ground, Ecclesall Road)

Bell's Life 18/1/68 P.10:

BL: "The first teams of these clubs met on Saturday last at the Broomhall Ground, Ecclesall-road. and the large number of spectators who patronised the ground were well rewarded for their attendance by witnessing an excellent match. Notwithstanding the deterring efforts of the snow (which lay on the ground to the depth of several inches), both clubs got to work with a will. Norfolk, with the heavier team, soon began to get the better of their opponents, and when time was called at 4.30, were declared the victors by three rouges to Broomhall's one rouge. The play of J.P. Donovan, H. Ash, and T. Armitage (forward) for Norfolk was very good, H. Corthorne (half back) and T. Banks (back) likewise distinguishing themselves. C. Mills, C. Lee, and W. Mills worked hard for Broomhall, C. Lee's back play being first class."

Broomhall:C.Lee(Capt.),C.Mills,W.Mills,T.Rycroft,W.Furniss,J.Witthford,J.West,A.Taylor,  
G.Stanyard,J.Bownes,W.Ward,J.Turton,S.Gilbert,J.Turner.

Norfolk:J.Roberts(Capt.),J.P.Donovan,H.Ash,J.Dale,T.Armitage,J.Pring,T.Banks,O.Pickersgill,  
W.Barracough,C.Rogers,J.White,G.Proctor,C.Marshall,J.Norfolk.

Umpires:J.West,Broomhall and Norfolk,G.Harrison.

Wednesday 1 rouge Heeley 4 goals 4 rouges ((At Wednesday)(See SI 17/1/68 P.3)

HALLAM (3<sup>rd</sup> team) 1 goal REDHILL (1<sup>st</sup> team) 0 (At Weston Ground,Winter Street)(SI 18/1/68 P.10)

MON JAN 13<sup>TH</sup> :

MACKENZIE 3 Goals (J.Jenkinson 2 ,W.Jackson) and 1 Rouge BROOMHALL 0 (2<sup>nd</sup> 14's)(Return) (At  
Myrtle Road Ground,Heeley)

Bell's Life 18/1/68 P.10:

BL:"The second fourteens of these clubs met on Monday last,on the ground of the former,Myrtle-  
road,Heeley,to play the return match,and the weather being fine,there was a large attendance of  
visitors.The toss for choice of goals was won by Broomhall,and they selected the one nearest Myrtle-  
road,which gave them the advantage of the upper ground.At three o'clock Mackenzie kicked off,and  
being possessed of an excellent team,worked well up the hill till the ball,getting dangerously near  
the Broomhall goal,the Broomhallers,in their efforts to drive it back,kicked it out of bounds.The  
Mackenzie were thus,according to rule,given the advantage of a throw in.An excellent cast was  
made,within half a dozen yards of the Broomhall goal,and a fierce struggle ensued between the  
opposing parties,which ended in J.Jenkinson scoring a goal for Mackenzie in fine style.The sides then  
changed ends,and Mackenzie were not long before they scored another goal,which was kicked by  
W.Jackson.J.Jenkinson was once more successful up the hill,adding another goal to the two  
previously scored,despite the desperate efforts of the Broomhallers,who played exceedingly well,but  
were evidently overmatched.When time was called the game stood:Mackenzie three goals and a  
rouge to Broomhall's nothing.W.Wright,J.Jenkinson,J.Broomhead,and T.Jenkinson played well for  
Mackenzie,as did Stanyard,Furniss,Witthford,and Bownes for Broomhall."

Mackenzie:W.Wright(Capt.),+W.Ellin,J.Bromhead,W.Hepworth,J.Shaw,W.Jackson,T.Corthorne,  
W.Bowler,R.Smith,W.Innocent,T.Linley,J.Jenkinson,+W.Ellin(Repeated name)

Broomhall:G.Stanyard(Capt.),J.Bownes,Jas. West,F.Parkin,J.Willmer,W.Furniss,J.Witthford,H.Mather  
,J.Warriner,J.Powell,G.Linley,J.Burton,J.Turton,C.Skelton.

Umpires:C.Mills for Broomhall and J.Jackson for Mackenzie.

SAT JAN 18<sup>TH</sup> :

NORFOLK 3 Rouges PITSMOOR 0 (3<sup>rd</sup> teams)(Return)(At Norfolk Park)(SDT 20/1/68 P.3)

SAT JAN 25<sup>TH</sup> :

MILTON 3 Goals and 2 Rouges EXCHANGE 2 Rouges (At Norfolk Park) SI 28/1/68 P.6)

PITSMOOR 0 REDHILL 1 Goal (At Pitsmoor)(See also SI 28/1/68 P.6)

HEELEY 1 Goal and 2 Rouges WELLINGTON 0 (At Meersbrook Park) (See SI 28/1/68 P.6)

GARRICK 1 Goal MECHANICS 1 Rouge)(At Mackenzie Ground,Norfolk Park)(See SDT 1/2/68 P.10/SI 1/2/68 P.11)

HALLAM 1 Rouge NORTON 0 (At Sandygate)(See SI 1/2/68 P.11)

SAT FEB 1<sup>ST</sup> :

CROMWELL CUP (First Match):

WEDNESDAY 4 Goals(J.Jenkinson,A.Wood,R.Gillott 2) and 2 Rouges(J.Jenkinson,A.Wood)  
EXCHANGE 0 (At Mackenzie Ground,Myrtle Road,Heeley)

N.B. SDT 4/2/68 P.8 states 3 rouges not 2 for Wednesday

Sportsman 6/2/68 P.3/Bell's Life 8/2/68 P.9:

SM:"Mr O.Cromwell,Stage Manager of the Theatre Royal Sheffield having given a silver cup to be played for by the four Junior Clubs of the Town,the above clubs began the contest on the Mackenzie Ground,at Heeley,last Saturday.The Exchange began with a man short,and soon afterwards a casualty deprived them of the assistance of another.Wednesday won the toss,and began with the wind at their backs.The play throughout seemed much in favour of the Wednesday Club,and they won the match by four goals and two rouges to none."

BL:"The first of a series of contests,for a silver cup,given to be played for by the four junior clubs of the town,by Mr O.Cromwell of the Theatre Royal,took place on Saturday last,on the Mackenzie Ground,Myrtle-road,Heeley,kindly lent for the occasion by that club.The clubs who contend are the Garrick,Wellington,Exchange,and Wednesday,and were drawn to play:Wednesday v Exchange, Garrick v Wellington.The two winners will,of course,play the deciding match.Wednesday and Exchange having to open the ball met,as above stated,under great discomfort,the ground being very heavy from the previous night's rain,and the wind being very strong.There was,however,a large muster of the admirers of the game and friends of the players,who took a keen interest in the match.Exchange were a man short of their complement in commencing,and losing one of their players soon after,by an injury to his eye,only played twelve throughout.The Wednesday Club brought a splendid team into the field,under the able generalship of J.Marsh;won the toss for choice of ground,and chose the upper one,with the wind at their backs.At 3.15 J.Marsh kicked off for Wednesday,and was well backed up by his men.Both sides then getting at it with a will,a most determined fight ensued.The play at this time was principally at the upper side of the ground,then changed again,and Wednesday getting the ball up to their opponents' goal,placed it in considerable danger.It was here that F.Taylor(on the part of Exchange)distinguished himself greatly,and by his splendid kicks staved off for a while the misfortunes which appeared in store for his club.Shortly afterwards,however,J.Simmonite (Exchange) in charging received a serious injury to his left eye, which compelled him to leave the field.This appeared to dishearten the Exchangers,who began to flag in their exertions,and shortly after the first score of the day(a rouge)was got by J.Jenkinson for Wednesday.Half time was then called,and the sides changed ends.Exchange having an up-hill game

to play, and Wednesday once more finding a weak place in their opponents' defence, were not slow to take advantage. A. Wood dribbled the ball beautifully down hill into the hands of J. Jenkinson, who scored a goal amidst loud plaudits from the Wednesday men. Ends were again changed, and a second goal and a rouge followed, both kicked by A. Wood, who was well supported by Whelan, J and T. Jenkinson, and J. Bromhead. Exchange played hard to retrieve the fortunes of the day, Rawlinson, C. Loxley, and Atherley especially distinguishing themselves, as likewise did Cando by their splendid rushes, but all was to no purpose, and two more goals were placed to the credit of Wednesday, through the agency of R. Gillett. Towards the finish a heavy storm set in, which dispersed the spectators, but the players stood it out, and the score at the call of time stood: Wednesday four goals and two rouges to their opponents' nothing. The play of the Wednesday Club as a whole was first-class, and it was very difficult to make a distinction, though we might say Whelan displayed great judgment, and A. Wood's excellent forward play called forth repeated plaudits. J. Pring (Wednesday) received an injury to his knee during the latter part of the match, but this did not prevent him returning to the field again after a short interval. Cando, Atherley, Rawlinson, Taylor, and J. Simmonite played well for Exchange, though Simmonite was obliged to leave the field early in the day through the injury mentioned above. But, as we stated before, Wednesday were badly generalised, whereas if they had been held well in hand, the day might not have gone against them so hard."

Wednesday: J. Marsh (Capt.), J. Pring, J. Whelan, R. Gillott, W. Jackson, A. Wood, C. Stokes, T. Jenkinson, J. Jenkinson, T. Goodwin, J. Broomhead, W. Hepworth, L. Wright, W. H. Bowler.

Exchange: J. Simmonite (Capt.), F. Taylor, E. Hatherley, J. Lindsay, C. Loxley, W. Skinner, A. Swift, J. Cando, J. Jackson, A. Batty, H. Wilkinson, W. Rawlinson, T. Thompson, J. Boulding.

SI 1/2/68 Fixtures: Norfolk v Broomhall (2<sup>ND</sup> teams) (At Norfolk Park), Hallam v Pitsmoor (2<sup>nd</sup> teams) (At Sandygate)

UNITED MECHANICS 1 Goal and 3 Rouges FIR VALE 0 (At Norfolk Park) (See SDT 3/2/68 P.3)

MON FEB 3<sup>RD</sup> :

UNITED MECHANICS 1 Goal WEDNESDAY 4 Rouges (Wednesday Ground) (SDT 6/2/68 P.3)

SAT FEB 8<sup>TH</sup> :

CROMWELL CUP (Second Match):

Sportsman 18/2/68 P.3/Bell's Life 15/2/68 P.9:

GARRICK 1 Rouge WELLINGTON 0 (At Norfolk Park)

SM: "The second of the series of matches for the silver cup presented by O. Cromwell, of the Theatre Royal, Sheffield, was played on Saturday, the 8<sup>th</sup> inst., at Norfolk Park between the Garrick and Wellington clubs, and proved one of the best contested and most spirited games ever witnessed in Sheffield. Where everyone played well it would be invidious to particularise. The game ended in favour of the Garrick players, who scored one rouge to nothing."

Garrick: C. Lee (Hallam) (Capt.), J. Dale, T. Armitage, C. Mills, W. Mills, J. P. Donovan, C. Dodworth, G. Jones, H. Ash, G. Turner, J. E. Deans, W. Ward, A. Rayner, J. West.

Wellington:J.Roberts(capt.),C.Skelton,T.Banks,W.Ellin,H.Hawke,H.Cawthorne,G.Simpson,C.Marshall,  
R.Smith,S.Eaton,W.Barraclough,C.Grayson,J.Ulyett,C.Lee(Sheffield).(BL has J.Goddard for H.Hawke)

Games at Norfolk Park,Mackenzie,Pitsmoor (SI 8/2/68 P.1/Fixtures

SAT FEB 15<sup>TH</sup> :

CROMWELL CUP 3<sup>rd</sup> Match (Final)

WEDNESDAY 1 GARRICK 0 (After Extra Time)(At Bramall Lane,Cricket Ground)

Bell's Life 22/2/68 P.9/SDT 17/2/68 P.3/SI 22/2/68 P.10:

BL:"The third and last contest for the cup presented by Mr O.Cromwell of the Theatre Royal,to be played for by the four junior clubs of Sheffield,took place on Saturday afternoon last at the Bramall-lane Cricket Ground,in the presence of upward of 400 persons.Beautiful weather favoured the company,and the match itself was the best we have seen all season.Garrick appeared to have slightly the better team on paper,but there was not much perceptible difference,for what the Wednesday were weak in,viz.,swift runners,they made up in heavy charges.Shortly after three o'clock the ball was handed over to the Wednesday men.The Garrick,having won the toss for choice of goals,kicked with the wind,and were favoured with a slight advantage in the ground,which rose a little.Both sides then went at it with a will,but despite their most determined efforts neither had succeeded in scoring when half time was called,when they changed ends.The Garrick were very near scoring once,but the ball went clean over the Wednesday crossbar.When the ball had been placed,Whelan(Wednesday) made a fine run-in for his club to within a few yards of the Garrick goal,but not being supported he failed to score,and the goal-keepers,coming up with a rush,managed to stave off the danger.When time was called nothing had been gained by either club,and it was decided to toss ,and play the match over again.Wednesday now won the choice of ground,and shortly after the ball was kicked off it got unpleasantly near the Garrick goal.(In the fierce fight that ensued,C.Lee(Garrick) succeeded in getting a goal,the match thus ending in favour of +Garrick).The play was first-class throughout.W.Mills and T.Armitage distinguished themselves on the part of Garrick,as likewise did J.E.Deans by his back play.A.Woods and Whelan worked hard for Wednesday,and J.Marsh,by his excellent goal-keeping,staved off a number of attacks."

+Wednesday won the Cup!See SI 17/3/68 P.8:"MR O.CROMWELL'S BENEFIT.-This versatile and popular actor took his benefit at the Theatre Royal last night.It is to be regretted that there was but a moderate attendance,though there was a marked improvement about nine o'clock,that being the time selected to hand over to the Wednesday Football Club the cup presented by Mr Cromwell for competition by the four junior clubs in the town,and which was ultimately won by the Wednesday Football Club.Mr J.Marsh,secretary and captain of the Club,and about ten players in the match appeared on the stage in football costume to receive it."

SI:"This was consequently the struggle for the prize,and it was thought by some that the Garrick,comprising as it did seven of the best of Hallam,would "smother" the Wednesday Club."

"When time was called,neither side had scored.They then agreed to play on,the first to score to decide the match.In tossing for choice of goals the Wednesday were more fortunate,and this time had the wind.The play recommenced with redoubled vigour.After playing about ten minutes,the



Wednesday Club got the ball to the low end, and one of the other side, in making a kick, got too much under. The ball went up almost perpendicularly, and in dropping cannoned off someone through the goal. Some excellent play was shown on both sides, but certainly the Garrick showed the most activity, and on the whole we think were slightly the better players."

SDT: "When the umpires called half time, no score had been made, the game was considered slightly in favour of the Wednesday, but yet the Garrick continued to play very strong, several times succeeding in getting the ball near the Bramall-lane goal, but the gallant little captain of the Wednesday Club (J. Marsh), playing cover goal, was always at his post when required, and showed some good play in driving his enemy back. When the time allotted (one hour and a half) had expired no score had been obtained, and after a consultation it was agreed to play on, the second being in favour of Wednesday, who played their backs to Bramall-lane. The ball having been sent rolling by Jones for the Garrick, it was quickly got down to their own goal by a good kick by Mr Whelan, and after a most severe struggle at the goal mouth the Wednesday were successful in carrying it through, after playing three minutes in the second play, amidst most vociferous cheers from their friends, thus winning the cup. The play throughout was most determined by each party, but we may mention that of Messrs Whelan, Denton, Marsh, and Wood, and that of Messrs Ash, Lee, and Dean of the Garrick. We are glad to hear that no accident occurred during the game."

Garrick: C. Lee (Capt.), C. Mills, W. Mills, G. Jones, J. P. Donovan, J. E. Deans, H. Ash, T. Armitage, J. West, G. Turner, J. Bownes, J. Dale, W. Ward, A. Rayner.

Wednesday: J. Marsh (Capt.), J. Denton, J. Jenkinson, C. Stokes, A. Wood, R. Gillott, S. Wright, J. Whelan, W. Jackson, T. Goodwin, J. Broomhead, W. Hepworth, W. Wright, J. Pashley.

PITSMOOR 3 Goals and 8 Rouges MECHANICS 0 (At Pitsmoor) (Return)

Sportsman 18/2/68 P.3/(SI 17/2/68 P.3: Report but no lineups):

SM: "On Saturday last the first teams of the above clubs met on the Pitsmoor Ground to play their return match. The result was an easy victory for the Pitsmoorites, who scored three goals and eight rouges to nothing. It should be remarked that the Mechanics numbered two less than their opponents."

Pitsmoor: T. Clark (Capt.), W. Carr, T. Banks, G. Simpson, J. Simpson, S. Heaton, C. Whitehead, W. Waterfall, J. Harriss, J. Bentley, G. Rogers, C. Roberts.

Mechanics: J. White (Capt.), H. Rollitt, J. Burgin, B. Hammond, R. Thompson, E. Hudson, G. Mountcey, J. Leach, F. Linley, J. Hall.

Heeley v Fir Vale (At Heeley)

Redhill 1 goal and 3 rouges St George's 0 (Redhill Ground, Winter Street) (See SDT 18/2/68 P.8)

WED FEB 19<sup>th</sup> :

(At Recreation Ground, Chesterfield) Garrick (Sheffield) beat Chesterfield (A club only in existence a few months)



