

were exhibited by F. R. Smith, and explained by E. Cleminshaw.

Among the exhibitions were Fossils from the Suffolk Cross with notes on the Crag, by A. G. Ogilvie ; and a badger lately taken in Wiltshire, with a description by N. Masterman.

A case of Indian Insects was presented by F. Lefroy, and books were given by various donors. The following have been elected, F. R. Smith, to keep the Botanical Album ; J. M. Gordon and J. Baynes members, and S. Davies associate.

The next meeting will be on May 23rd, at 8 o'clock.

THE RIFLE CORPS.

WE had hoped by this time to be an enrolled corps, and to be in possession of a new range ; but we have been disappointed, and have to put up with constant delay without any remedy in our hands. It is doubtless dispiriting to be losing so much valuable time, but at any rate that time has been well spent, as we see that the musters have been well attended and that the drill is considerably improved. As regards shooting, an eleven from Christ Church, Oxford, propose paying us a visit next Thursday, when we shall have to shoot our best if we wish to be victorious. A simultaneous match is also being arranged with Trinity College, Cambridge, which will probably take place about the end of the month. Twenty-five members have already fired their third class, the highest score made being that of Corporal Whiting,—

150 yds.	200	250	300
34444-19	24344-17	34334-17	33324-15-68

On Thursday last, May 14th, Mr. Baldwin's Challenge Cup was competed for, and won, after an exceedingly good match, by Private Cobham, who made a very fair score of 43 points. Sergt. Humphry was second with 41 points. The shooting was very good at 200 yards, not a single miss being made by any of the competitors.

	200yds.	400yds.	500yds.	Tl.
Private Cobham	23332-12	24313-16	41223-15	—43
Sergeant Humphry	23323-13	33243-15	32123-13	—41

THE SCHOOL MAGAZINES.

The *Cheltonian* for May is emphatically Cheltonian. By this we imply that it contains very little to draw the attention of a stranger. We get a good description of the Racquet Matches at Prince's, and a long

account of their Races ; the rest of the number being filled with Racquets, Fives, Boating, &c.

The *Eton Chronicle* celebrates its 100th number, by presenting its readers with a plan of Eton College. Eton has seven old choices for the Eleven this year.

The *Malburian* (May 15). The articles are, Editorial ; the Irish Church ; Music, its nature and worth ; the River of Life. It informs us and its readers that we have a man to keep our cricket ground, whose name is Fred. We are sorry our contemporary did not transcribe so alarming a piece of intelligence rightly. Marlborough scored 232 against Balliol College, Oxford. The Marlborough ground must indeed be advantageous for run-getting, as we notice hits sometimes get 9, often 8 and 7.

Haileybury has shown decided pluck in sending forth a Magazine, the first number of which was issued in March. The papers are well written, and with good support the magazine will prosper. The following is cleverly written, and we venture to quote :—

ALPHABETICA EDITORIANA.

- A was the Author, just rising sixteen ;
- B was the Box of the new *Magazine* ;
- C the Contents, as they first met the eye ;
- D the Depression occasioned thereby.
- E was the Editors' fond Expectation.
- F was their Failure to feel admiration.
- G was the Ghost of its chance to succeed ;
- H the "more haste" that engendered "worse speed."
- I was the author's Ink, blacker than night ;
- J was his Mitchell-pen, peerless to write.
- K was the Knotty point how to begin ;
- L was the Lack of ideas flowing in.
- M was the Man who thought fit to pooh, pooh !
- N was the Never he said it would do.
- O was the Oil by the Author consumed ;
- P was the Praise in the distance that loomed ;
- Q was the Quiz who nor pitied nor spared ;
- R was the single Rush nobody cared.
- S was the Spelling of one poor 'rejected' ;
- T was the Tiptoe on which he expected.
- U are the Public—don't turn up your eyes, For (V) its no Vunder that b'ys will be b'ys.
- W's a Writer whose wits seem precarious :
- X, Y, and Z are his signatures various.

The Athletic Rules Committee, we hear, have adjourned their meetings till next Term.

The following rule with regard to taking Ends and Fivescourts was passed at a Sixth