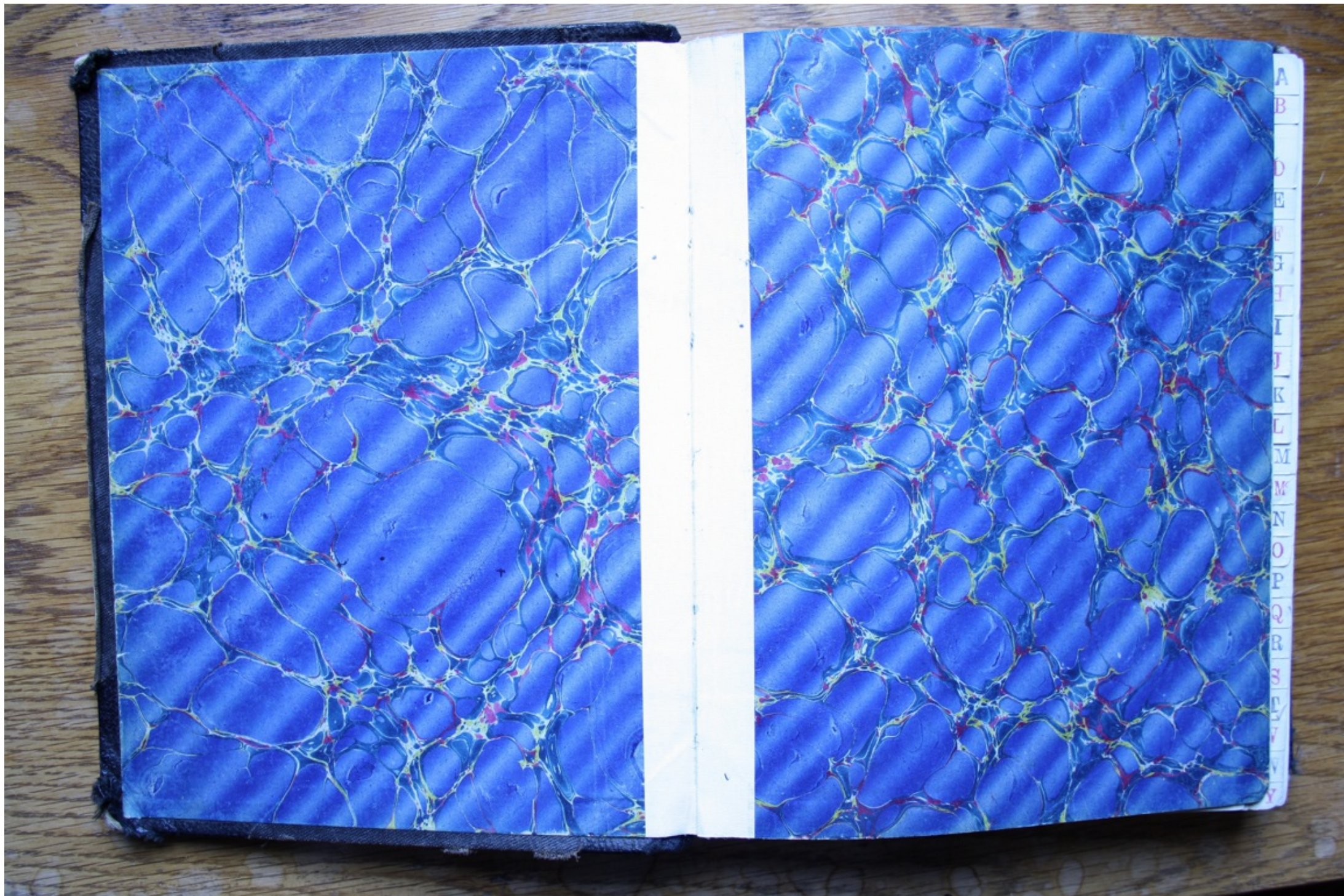




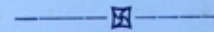
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SCHOOL LOG BOOK

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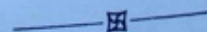
SCHOOL

Campsea Ashe Junior Mixed

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From March 1st 1945

To.....19.....



PHILIP & TACEY, LTD.,
Educational Stationers, Bookellers and General School Contractors,
69-79, FULHAM HIGH STREET, LONDON, S.W.6.

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Accommodation.

Large Room 65 chr. 32' x 16' = 512 sq ft

Small Room 34 chr. 21' x 15' = 315 sq ft.

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Mrs Nash. Oct. 1954 2-14-5. $2/2\frac{1}{2}$. 2-14-5-6 = 2-13-11

Mrs Nash. Nov. 1953 12 1/2 hrs at $2/1\frac{1}{8}$, £2-12-4-6. = £2-11-10

Mrs Nash. 1953. $2/0\frac{1}{4}$

Mrs Nash. from Sept. 1st 1952

12 1/2 hrs at $1/11\frac{1}{2}$ hr. = 24/6 a week = 49/- a month

Mrs Nash. from March 1st 1952 $1/11\frac{1}{2}$ per hour

16 hrs: $16 \times 2/1 - 16 \times 1/2d = 32s - 8d = 1-11-4$

Per 2 wks

2-2-8

Mrs Nash. Jan. 1952 1-10 3/8 per hour 1-9-5 1/2 per hour

2-15-11 per hour
2-19-8
less 6d

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Cleaners Rate of Pay.

	<u>Wages</u>	<u>Knitting etc</u>
Summer Rate	£2-2-11	3/- = £2-5-11
Winter Rate	£2-19-4	7/5 = £3-6-10

April 1947. New Rate 4-7-0

Canteen worker.

2-12-8 per fortnight - less 6d insurance

Half } 16 hrs weekly 14 weeks at 26/4 = 2-7-5-6d

Term. } : 2-6-6.

2 days : : : : : Stamp 6.6 + 6d

Half of pay = $26\frac{1}{2} : 16 = \frac{29}{3} \times \frac{16}{16} = \frac{462}{310} \frac{16}{16} = 1-7\frac{1}{4} = 7/.$

25th May Cleaner and Caretaker.

School. Group 2. 12 1/2 working hours per week

As from 1st April Wages per month = £4-14-9d

July 1949. Miss Durnett. £192 per annum.

April 1950 Mrs Gibson. £195.

Dec. 1950 Mrs Hepham. 4-19-11 per month

Mrs Reeve. Dec. 1950 1-8 7/8 per hr = 2-15-8
per 2 wks

Chapman R.H. (Mrs)

Rate of Pay Pensionable sal.

£466-15-9 38-17-11

Miller B.M. (Mrs)

346-15- 28-17-11

Super.
5%

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1-6-11

National Ins. Income Tax

Sept. 2-17-0
Oct. 2-0-0 →

2-17-0

Carrill (Mrs) 6-6-8 per week

Chapman R.H. £481-15-9

Miller B.M. £361-15-9

April 1952

" " "

Sept. 1952

Chapman R.H.

Rate £513-15-0

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Income Tax.

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Mrs M Nash. 3 Railway Terrace. Campsea Ash.

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Office Address & Telephone.

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staff. 1945.

Helena Maxwell Newham (20.10.95).

School House, Campsea Ashe.

Blanche Eva Mitchell. (17.1.17) née Carter.

"Hillside", Little Glemham, Woodbridge.

Daphne Maud Dunnett (7.11.27).

Sunnyside, Pettistone, Woodbridge.

Staff. 1948.

Ruth Hester Chapman

School House, Campsea Ashe

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School Term 1960-61.

Autumn Term 1960 Sept 8th - Dec 20th

Spring Term 1961. Jan 10th - March 28th

Summer Term 1961. Ap. 20th - July 26th

School Term 1962-63

Autumn Term. Wed. Sep. 12 - Tues. Dec. 18

Spring 1963. Tues. Jan 8. - Fri. Ap. 5th

Summer Term. Thurs. Apr. 25th - Fri. July 26th

Autumn 1963. Tues. Sept. 10.

The County Treasurer

East Suffolk County Council

P.O. Box No: 38.

County Hall

Ipswich

Suffolk.

1945

Mar. 1

I, Helen Maxwell Newham take charge of this school. 5st. seed potatoes delivered

Mar 2.

Amy Booth sat for Metropolitan Scholarship Exam.

" 6

Seed potatoes & fertilizer delivered & my goods from Chelmsford.

" 7.

Mr. Chapman called.

" 12

Rosemary Ablett & Maurice Hembling sat for Junior County Scholarship. As Mr. Mitchell is absent - ill, I sent the rest of the children home - 14lbs Sulph. Amm. 56 lbs. Sapples.

" 13.

Mr. Mitchell still absent.

" 14

Mr. Mitchell returned to work this morning

" 19.

Mr. White, Gardening Instruction visited & it was decided to give up the school garden after the ^{annual} holidays, using a part of the schoolhouse garden

Miss Pearson visited this afternoon to inspect heads all were clean.

" 22.

Two stuffed owls & squirrel from Chelmsford were brought this morning
Mr. Chapman called.

Mar 27.

Miss Covenham H.H.I. called this afternoon. Miss Bush called to make final arrangements for reopening Canteen after holidays.

28.

All equipment for Canteen moved from Mr. Brunwells hut to school. Half of Boys Lobby to be used as washing up room.
We broke up today for Easter Holidays.

Apr. 9.

School reopened for the Summer term. Canteen started again, feeding ²⁷ 30 children & standing down each week - Mr. Rose is washer up. Mr. Watson transporting the meals from Wickham Market each day. for £1 per wk.

Apr 18

Miss Bush called to see if Canteen working successfully. It is.

Apr. 30.

Only 11 children present owing to heavy fall of snow.

May 1.

More snow & hail showers.

" 3.

Visit from Mr. White about giving up school garden; complications arising owing to ownership of land.

MAY 8

VE DAY. End of War in Europe

MAY 9

VE+1 also a holiday

MAY 10

Ascension Day holiday

3
May 18

Miss Lewis, assistant physical training organiser called to see if there is any possibility of having swimming -

May 21-22.

of having swimming -
Mr Pemberton H.M.I. called this afternoon.

May 23.

Empire Day lessons & broadcasts were taken today.

" 24

Swimming lessons fixed up at White Bridge.

" 28.

June 4

Head teacher absent. ill
Mrs Mitchell absent on private business

June 8

Swimming lessons cancelled owing to Head teacher's inability to take the lessons on Doctor's advice.

June 19

June 4

Mrs Kindred has taken Mrs Rnie's place as washer-up. All children (except 4 who prefer to go home) have dinner, as so many are so small, the food provided is ample.

June 23.

4 Tons 10 cwt. coal delivered.

June 19.

Swimming lessons taken by Mrs Fairhead. First lesson today.

July 3.

Mrs Fairhead unable to take swimming today

July 24

Swimming Test. No certificate gained, but several children able to swim a few yards

July 25

Parents Day - The parents of all the children came to see their work - The managers & Lord Ullevaters were also present - The children gave a display of games & maypole dancing & sang.

July 27

We broke up today for 7 weeks holiday

Sept. 17.

Reopened school today. No registers have been supplied so they were not marked.

The following children were present.
Class I. B. Kemp, R. Melton, S. Bell, V. Watson, O. Bending, J. Hawes, E. Smith, B. Humbling, H. Barnes, I. Kemp, J. Melton, H. Chilvers, G. Skeel, C. Kemp, W. Reeve,
Class II. F. Bell, M. Hawes, A. Kindred, V. Brett, J. Reeves, R. Turner, A. Kemp,

Sept. 28

Mrs Kindred ceased work as washer up - Mrs Reeves commenced

Sept 19.

Registers arrived today & entries were transferred.

Oct 31.

Mrs Mitchell ceased duties at this school.

Nov 1st

All Saints Holiday

2nd

VE 3 Holiday - opportunity taken for reorganising on single teacher basis.

3.

Reopened with 28 children.

- Oct 22. Head Teacher absent ill
 Oct 26. Head teacher returned to work.
 Oct 21. ~~Miss Mitchell left~~
 Nov 8th As the numbers have now risen to 30
 I have asked for an assistant Teacher
 Nov 19th Miss Dunnett started work today as
 assistant Teacher - The number on roll is
 now 32.
 Nov 21 st. Mrs Mitchell took charge of the school
 today during my absence at a
 Head Teachers' conference.
 Dec 19. This afternoon the children gave a series
 of Nativity scenes. There was a collection
 for the Summer Outing - £4-0-0 was raised
 Dec 3. Richard Melton fell & cut his knee on the steps
 1946.
 Jan 8. The School reassembled today after the
 Christmas holiday. I went into Ipswich in
 the afternoon to cash the salaries' cheque.
 Jan 14. P.S. Clarke called at 11 a.m. & gave the children a
 talk on Road Safety.
 Jan 13. This afternoon (Saturday) the children's Christmas
 Party was held in the School. 54 children sat
 down to tea at 4.30. followed by games till 7.

- Jan 13. The cleaner Mrs Arnott was married today &
 is now Mrs Dapham.
 Jan 21-22. 4 children sat for the Secondary School Entrance
 Jan 28. Teat. Miss Bush. visited school to inspect dinners
 Jan 29. Miss Newham absent thro' illness - Mrs Mitchell
 took charge in the P.M.
 Feb 18. Miss Newham returned to duty -
 Feb. 19. Mar 1-4. Half Term holiday.
 Mar 5. Mr Pomberton. visited with Mr Quornby, who
 is collecting ideas as to Art training in
 Junior schools.
 Mar 7. Mr Truman H.M.I. visited & heard children
 sing & play. He gave many helpful
 suggestions re. voice training -
 Mar 14. Miss Norris. The new Gardening organizer
 called. to see gardens & make plans
 for year.
 Feb 25. Mrs Reeve away from Canteen duties
 due to serious illness of her sister.
 Mrs Watling is doing duty for her -
 April 6. School broke up today for Easter holidays
 Mar 15. Victor Edmunds fell & cut himself on the scraper.
 Apr. 30. School reassembled after three weeks'
 holiday

May 1st & 6th. Head Teacher absent on panel for interviewing Candidates for Grammar Schools. At Resgrave. Mrs. Blanche E. Mitchell took charge of the School.

May 9th. Lord Abolstair Graham visited the school signed the registers & inspected the dinner.

May 10th. Shirley & Frances Bell returned to London, having been here since September 1939.

May 22 & 24. Head Teacher absent on Panel at Wickham Mrs. Mitchell took charge.

June 14. Miss Bush called to inspect dinner.

June 12. At 3:30 the 18 elder children entertained the W.I. with song & dance and Percussion Band.

June 17. Medical inspection ^{at A.H.} 24 children examined.

June 21. Dr called at 2:10 to give Diphtheria immunisation to 2 babies.

June 28. Holiday today, Visit to the Zoo. £23.5.0 for coaches. 63 went. most successful day.

July 1-8. Head Teacher absent owing to illness of her father.

July 16. Open Day.

July 17 & 19. Head Teacher absent on Panel at Ipswich.

Mrs. Mitchell took charge.

July 18. 2 chairs, 2 jugs, 2 bicycles brought by E.S.C. van during the evening. Piano & harmonium tuned.

19. School broke up today for Summer holidays.

18. Miss Lewis called to talk about swimming & arrange swimming test. Weather has been too cold this year for more than one lesson on July 15th.

Sept 3rd. School Reopened. admitted Barry Edmunds (4) 29 children present out of 31. Milk is now free, 1/3 pint per child - All children receive milk & take school dinners. After 6 weeks holiday, the garden is so overgrown with weeds, most of the day has been spent weeding. The Junior girls have been given individual plots, as well as the boys. The School has not been properly cleaned as the firm charged with essential repairs & chimney sweeping, did no repair & did not sweep the chimneys till Saturday Aug 31, & did not tar the lavatory buckets till Monday Sept 2nd.

Sept 4th. Miss Lewis called today to cancel swimming test as

Sept 6

it is pouring with rain
School stock arrived from Philip & Tacey.

Sept 27.

School closed to allow teachers to attend refresher course. E.O.A. at Woodbridge

Oct 23rd.

4 tons of coal delivered by Messrs Walker of Marlesford.

Dr. Whiteford today gave the following children "booster" immunisation against diphtheria.

M. Barnes T. Bolton A. Chilvers^{school} H. Chilvers^{high}

B. Denny B. Edmunds G. Edmunds M. Edmunds

V. Edmunds M. Hazell B. Hembling G. Hembling^{Garnd}

A. Kemp I. Kemp C. Kemp R. Kemp^{obse}

S. Mc Caffery J. Melton J. Ruggles G. Skeels^{ordon}

b. Reeve J. Reeve Ray Reeve W. Reeves^{esley}

E. Smith P. Steward R. Turner I. Westbrooke

V. Culling. (i.e. all except T. Osborne)

Oct 25, 28, 29.

School closed for half term holidays.

Dec 13

Half holiday for concert in evening

School concert held at 7.p.m. very good attendance - £10 cleared for Summers party.

Dec 12.

Dress Rehearsal. Miss Howard came to watch

Miss Lewis visited about dancing at Tunstall on Feb 12.

Nov 12

Miss Gibson called to see Miss Westbrooke

Dec 18 Mr Pemberton visited -

Dec 19 Closed for Christmas holidays.

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Jan 8 School reopened. Miss Buckton visited to introduce Miss Evans, new Attendance Officer & Canteen equipment.

Jan 9 Received Development plan ^{tea pot, 1/2 pt jar, 2 tea-pots}

10 Gave Managers' Copy of Development Plan to the Rector (Correspondent).

17. Doctor visited & examined Routine papers Entrants.
Tina Bolton Sheila Mc Caffery.

Teddy Osborne Barry Edmunds.

Requests. Adrian Chilvers (car ache)

I. Westbrooke (vision)

I. Kemp. (vision).

17. 3 tons Coal delivered by Messrs Walker & Co. Marlesford. " "

Jan 23 Heavy fall of snow - poor attendance.

" 27 only 15 children present after week-end of heavy snow - Miss Junnett absent. It

30 Miss Junnett returned to duty

29. Dentist came to exam S. Mc Caffery's mouth for dental plate - Not needed.

Feb 5 Rector visited to introduce Rev. J. Tiley, who will be helping him for a year

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Feb 12.

Meeting of Headteachers in Ipswich about Record Books & allocation to Sec. Schools. As I was unable to go owing to a strained leg muscle Miss Dunnett attended & took notes for me.

Feb 19.

Ash Wednesday. School opened today at 9.15 with a short service in school as it is too cold to go to Church.

Feb 24 & 25

Half Term holiday. All through bad weather attendance has been wonderfully good, the four Edmunds (hatch Cottages) being the only family persistently absent.

Feb 28.

Lord Alastair Graham visited & checked registers.

Mar 3.

All children back except Joy Bottom (Blaxhall) & the Edmunds.

Mar 4.

Headteacher at Managers meeting. Question of installation of telephone at schoolhouse was discussed. Miss Howard attended meeting.

Mar 5.

Another heavy fall of snow. Miss Dunnett unable to get to school. 16 cm absent.

Mar 6.

Yet more snow. 18 cm & Miss Dunnett unable to attend.

Mar 7.

Miss Dunnett walked to school this morning.

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Mar 10.

Miss Newham left school, ill, during the morning. Miss Dunnett carried on. Girls' lavatories very wet.

Mar 13

Mr^{rs} Mephum reported to me this evening that the lavatories were completely flooded, especially the boys & if the rain continued they would be unusable to morrow.

Mar 14.

School started v. late as every one was held up by floods. I am spending the day doing accounts, registers, record books etc. Rain stopped during the night & the thaw has continued sufficiently to allow some of the surface water to flow away.

March 25

Miss Dunnett absent ill.

" 26

Miss Dunnett returned

" 24.

Secondary school Tests. As Miss Dunnett was away I had to close school & send all the children home except those taking the exam.

Mar 20

Miss Norris called to see the garden. She was pleased with the start we had made. & said she would get some wire netting to enclose garden.

Mar 28 Broke up for Easter Holidays.
 Perfect attendance Certificates were won by
 H. Chilvers, E. Smith, J. Melton, P. Steward,

April 22. Reopened School. Admitted M. Hazell (8) J. Rae (4)
 D. Cairns (4)

April 23 Dusmo man called to see equipment
 24. Surveyor called to inspect heating apparatus
 Am Curran
 30.4.47

April 30. Lord Alastair Graham called today & signed
 registers & log book. He also arranged for Canteen
 tables, benches & school floor to be mended.
 The Piano tuner called & tuned piano & harmonium

May 5th. Miss Norris called. To say wire netting
 for the garden was coming from another
 school. & asked me to make
 arrangements about ^{fetching} posts, which might
 be supplied from M. F. Butley.

May 8th. Itinerant grinder (G.A. Cass) sharpened
 32 pair of scissors

May 12 Miss Jones. the new nurse, called to
 inspect heads.

May 15. Ascension Day holiday. 100% attendance at
 church

May 15 & 16. Head Teacher absent on Panel for
 Allocating pupils to Secondary Schools.

May 22. Cleaners implements delivered &
 entered in Stock book.
 Miss Bush called recanteen. The question
 of heating water was discussed &
 she agreed to try to obtain a 5 gallon
 boiler & heating unit, the bucket &
 saucepan now in use not being
 adequate.

June May 27th 27. School closed - Whit holiday.

May June 4. Head teacher absent on Panel all day.

June 16 & 17. No canteen - W.M. school closed for Half Term
 16. Head teacher absent on Panel at Woodkniffe
 Mrs Mitchell took her class.
 5. gall-boiler received.

18. Miss Lewis visited re - swimming.
 This week the wire-netting of school
 garden & gate completed by Lord Alastair's
 men. 15 posts left over.

26. Miss Gibson (Dr. Barnados' Homes Visitor) called to see
 his Westbrooke.
 Miss Mc Kenzie called about the tainted meat
 which made the children ill on Thursday¹⁹ - Friday²⁰ night

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- June 27. School closed for visit to London.
- June 16. In reply to a request for volunteers, 7th Mothers have offered to help in the Canteen by serving meals. A rota has been made. The helpers are Mrs Steward, Mrs Barnes, Mrs Ling (Miss Lane), Mrs Ruggles, Mrs Worley & Miss Muggleton.
- July 14. Miss Lewis called to arrange about swimming test. We agreed it was best not to rely on the weather, but to have the test in Baths - Monday Sept 15 was arranged, at the St. Matthew baths on 5 p.m.
- July 17. Parents Day & Prize Giving - Prizes were won by - M. Barnes St IV. W. Reeve St III, G. Sheel St II. J. Reeve St I. R. Reeve Inf. J. Rose Inf. H. Chivers & J. Melton Gardening - M. Hazell Needlework. There was a good attendance of Parents. The prizes were given away by Mrs Brumwell, the only Manager who was present.
- July 18th. School broke up for the Summer Holiday. E. Smith, M. Barnes & Westbrooke have left.

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- Sept 2. School reassembled today after an excellent sunny holiday. They all look very brown & well except M. Hazell, who as usual after a long holiday looks very "peaky". A 6-day timetable is being tried.
- " 5. Headteacher absent to attend Panel at Woodbridge. Mrs Mitchell took her place. Miss Jones - Nurse - inspected Children's Heads - All clean.
- " 16. Miss Lewis came to see the drill - Miss Durnett gave two lessons. I received very helpful criticism & advice - Miss Lewis left drill tables suitable for use with classes of mixed ages such as Miss Durnett has. It has not been possible to arrange for swimming tests for J. Kemp & M. Barnes, who might manage the 25 yds.
- Note. As an experiment, the school work is being arranged in a six-day time-table. This allows the many subjects to be better fitted in, with ample time for reading & individual work.
- " 19. School dentist visited for treatment. She treated the children in my kitchen, so as to disturb the school work as little as possible.
- " 24. Mrs Reeve away, taking her sister to hospital. Miss Muggleton worked in her place.
- Oct. 22. Miss Durnett ill.
23. Miss Durnett returned.

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Oct 27. 28.

School closed. Half term holiday.

Nov 10.

Head teacher absent - ill

" 11

Head teacher returned to duty

" 20

Holiday for wedding of H.R.H. Princess Elizabeth & Lt Philip Mountbatten - the Duke of Edinburgh.

" 19.

Salary sheet for December dispatched.

" 12.

Children in St. P. M. N. went to W.I. meeting at 3.15 to entertain the members with a

sketch entitled "Rock-Cakes" & singing & dancing.

" 29

Took children to Framlingham to sing in Daniel Festival - very wet day. Children did well.

Dec 5.

Head Teacher absent all day attending Meeting of Head Teachers re Allocation to Secondary Schools.

Dec 17.

The children did a performance of a Christmas Nativity play - "Once in Royal David's City" to a full audience - £3-11-6 was taken in a collection - 13/6 was sent in subscriptions - £4-8-0 in all

Dec 19.

After a most enjoyable "Xmas Post" the School broke up for the Christmas Holiday.

Dec 18.

Received Canteen registration & Sports - Plumette -

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18

Jan 6

School reopened today with Miss Dunnett in charge. Head teacher absent, receiving treatment for neuritis. Mr Mitchell unable through illness to take head teacher's place - Miss Dunnett in charge for the week.

Monday Jan 12.

Miss Dunnett went home ill, after giving the children their dinners. With the Manager's permission children sent home after dinner

Tuesday.

13.

Head teacher returned to duty: Miss Dunnett ill with tonsillitis. She reports that the behaviour of the children, during the week she was in charge, was exemplary & Mr Reeve was most helpful.

Wed.

14.

Dr Lurie visited school to give ^{anti}-diphtheria injections to 5 babies. He also examined Adrian Chivers for adenoids. I reported the case of Bryan Barnes (scaptocemia) whose doctor wants him to go to a hospital for skin diseases as nothing further can be done for him in Ipswich. I also reported Marjorie & Laureen Hazel as T.B. contacts.

Thursd.

15.

Miss Evans. S.A.O. called - received from office. 2 Canteen containers, 1 down 1/2 gal, 2 drums disinfectant, ink.

23

2 empty canteen containers were sent by mistake so after phoning Wickham Market School

I awayed for them to be brought by Taxi, for which I paid 4/-. The dinners arrived at 1.15 pm.

29. Mr Brooks H.H.I + H.I. --- came to talk abt the development plan, as the managers had protested against C.A being joined to Hachalins Park. After discussion an alternative scheme of new school here for C.A, Blaphall + Unstall + perhaps Rendsham was suggested.

30 Miss Bush visited + adjusted wicks which have been giving trouble.

Feb 2. Miss D.M. Dummelt returned to duty -

3 Miss Lewis visited

9 Mr Denis Moore, Handicraft Organiser called to advise about Handwork, had suggested canvas + "thruws" for rug-making.

11.30 a.m. Smith Maureen Hazell home, very sick + faint.

12. Dentist visited. Maureen Hazell special request to have teeth out.

25 Intelligence Test for 10-11 years old.

26 Intelligence test for 7-8 years old.

Piano tuner arrived at the beginning of the Test, but he was unable to tune the piano.

5th. Photographer took Chris photo - Rug making equipment arrived - Head Teacher at Woodbridge, serving on panel for Allocation to Secondary schools - Miss Dummelt in charge of School.

8 + 9. 4th Head Teacher at Wickham on Panel. Judy Mellon absent; at the Interview.

22 Mr. Pakey came from the office to check the stock - All in order.

23 Open day.

24. Break up for Easter - I resign my post as Headmistress

Mr. Newham.

April 20th J. Lucia de Palmer (Supply ST-ff) take charge of this school.

22 Head master left school at 10.45 to collect Jones at Juniors School returned 11.45.

22 Miss Bryant, Music Organiser, and Miss Watson Welford offered called.

26 School closed, Royal Silver Wedding.

May 4 Miss Watson visited the school.

6 School closed for Ascension Day.

17.18 School closed Whit Sun -

26 Miss Watson visited the school.

31 Head master left at 10 o'clock to catch

- June 7th ^{cheyne} Dr. Linn visited school for diphtheria immunisation.
- June 10th School closed half-term holiday.
- June 16th Miss Watson visited school today.
- June 18th Attendance for week 100%
- June 23rd Piano tuner tuned piano & harmonium.
- June 30th Head Master left school at 10.30 to
cust cheyne.
- July 5th Miss Watson ^{Evans} called.
- July 9th School closed for visit to Fulwaston.
- July 15th Miss Watson ^{Evans} called.
- July 30th School closed for Summer Holidays.
- Sept 14th School re-opened.
- Sept 21st Miss Jones, Welfare Officer, visited
the school today.
- Sept. 30th Miss Evans visited school today.
- Oct 1st I, Lillian St. Palmer, (Supply Staff)
left school today.
- Oct. 16th I, Ruth Hensie Chapman, take charge of this
school until November 5th.
- Oct. 7th Piano tuner tuned piano and harmonium.
- Oct. 8th Visit from District Nurse to examine heads -
all clear.

- Oct. 11th Miss Evans - Welfare Officer called.
- Oct. 12th Mr. Wilding Welfare Officer called.
- Oct. 15th Attendance for week 100%
- Oct. 19th Miss Evans - Welfare Officer called.
- Oct. 22nd Attendance for week 100%
- Oct. 21st Received from office needlework material.
- Oct. 22nd No canker - B.M. School closed for day.
- Oct. 23rd Painting started on outside of school.
- Oct. 27th Miss Howard called and inspected work of
the Juniors. She was pleased with the high
standard of reading. She suggested that we
find some one who could use the wood of the 4
odd desks for school book shelves - and pay
him from the proceeds of which might be made
by selling the wood. She suggested ideas for
Infant Activities - Book corner - Kiddy House.
- Nov. 8th I, Lillian St. Palmer take charge
from today.
- Nov. 15th Miss Evans called.
- Nov. 22nd Miss Evans visited the school this
afternoon.
- Nov. 22nd Lord Alastair Graham (Manager) visited
school, and checked registers.
- Nov. 30th Miss Evans visited school today.

- Dec. 9th Mrs. Mepham (caretaker) absent, ill.
- Dec. 10th I, Brian St. Palmer, Supply Head Teacher left school today.
- Dec. 15th I, Ruth Herce Chapman, take charge of this school. Miss Evans called.
- Dec. 15 Juniors joined in Carol Singing at Wickham Market Sec. Modern School. Mrs Lewis called.
- Dec. 16th Intelligence Tests for allocation to secondary schools.
- Dec. 17th Dentist examined children's teeth.
- Dec. 22nd School closed for Christmas holiday after a very enjoyable Christmas Post.
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- January 11th School re-opened. Mrs Mepham (caretaker) still absent.
Mr Chapman made two bookcases from wood of four old desks.
- Jan. 20th School photographs taken
Mrs Evans called
Mrs Bush called
Lord Minister Graham called and signed registers
- Jan. 27th Ceiling in girls lavatory fell in; no one hurt.
- Jan. 31st Ceiling repaired.

- Jan 29th Windows readjusted, frames mended and cord renewed.
- Jan 31st Headmistress away 9-11. to cash cheque.
- Feb. 5th Dentist at school all day. Children treated in kitchen of School House.
- Feb. 9th Very wet day - mice away, girls lavatories flooded. Canteen requisition arrived
- Feb. 7th Managers' Meeting - headmistress invited - status of Hacheston School.
- Feb. 21st Man called from County Hall re installation of electric water heater and heating oven in canteen room. - Windows still sticking and pane broken
- Feb. 23rd Ten children sick the previous night, reported matter by telephone to County Hall.
- Feb. 28 Dr Irvine, medical officer called re above sickness - which seems general in the village.
- March 4th Headmistress absent attending course at Bekstead House.
- March 7th Nurse Pearson called and inspected heads and hands - all clean.
- March 15th Mrs Lewis called and inspected work of Juniors and Infants indoors. She gave an ~~orthographic~~ lesson.
- March 26th Mrs Evans called.

- March 30th Children brought flowers and made a bouquet for Lord Ullsodla who was buried March 30th.
- March 31st Miss Evans called and inspected the needlework.
- March 23rd School closed except for I. Kemp, G. Skat, H. Chilvers who sat for Secondary School examination.
- March 25th Headmistress absent on course at Beckstead House.
- April 5th Miss Lewis called to ask if Blaschall School might borrow the Maypole for the summer term. The managers agreed on condition it is returned before the summer holidays.
- April 8th School closed for Easter holidays.
- May 3rd School re-opened for Summer Term.
- May 10th Miss Evans called.
- May 17th Miss Evans called.
Miss Norris called and inspected the gardens.
- May 19th Rev. Madge Smith, the Diocesan Inspector for Religious Education, examined pupils, and was very pleased with result.
In the afternoon, The Brook H.M.I. inspected

- School - 1.30 - 3.15. p.m.
- May 20th 100% attendance
Headmistress absent on course at Beckstead House.
- May 25th Miss Evans visited school.
- May 26th Ascension Day - very wet but all but two attended service in Church at 9.30. Holiday.
- May 27 Van collected Maypole which has been lent to Blaschall School for the summer term.
- June 6, 7. Closed for Whitsun Holiday.
- June 1 Miss Bush called.
- June 9. Nurse Pearson called to examine heads - all clean.
- June 6, 7. Closed both days for Whitsun holiday.
8 " " afternoon for staff to attend course at Framingham on Backward Readers.
- June 14. Medical inspection by Dr. Innie.
Miss Dunnell away ill.
- 15 " " " " " "
School closed in afternoon for staff to attend course on Backward Readers.
- 17 Mr. Gora called. Miss Dunnell still away with tonsillitis.
- 20 Miss Bush visited the school and had canteen dinner with us.
- 16 Miss Evans called.
- June 15. Hugh Chilvers interviewed at Wickham Market.

Area School for allocations to boarding schools.

June 21st. Copy of Report of Religious Instruction

Campsea Lake Church School
Juniors and Infants Department
Inspected 19 May 1949

This School is excellently conducted. The whole school meets each morning for the opening service which consists of prayers, Bible reading and hymns.

Juniors. The subjects of the Old Testament are those salient points found in Genesis from the beginning to the times of Joseph. I found the answers bright and intelligent and the manner of presentation by the Headmistress excellent.

The subjects of the New Testament: the life of Our Lord, His parables and His miracles are well and truly understood. The Catechism, the Church's Seasons and their significance are well grounded

and intelligently appreciated. The children are moreover, instructed in the meaning of Church furniture and the elements of Church life. I consider the class to be high generally in intelligence.

Infants. The instruction of this class, very well given by the mistress, consists of simple stories from the Old Testament and the New related in conjunction with excellent pictures. I enjoyed the bright intelligent answers of the little ones.

The religious atmosphere of the school is excellent, and I am sure that the instruction given in the school is of a very high order.

G.O. Morgan Smith Diocesan Inspector.

B.C. Small (Director of Religious Instruction)

June 24, 27. Half-Term Holiday

June 28th Miss Dunnett still away.

Mr Kerr, Organiser of Rural Science, visited the school, and gave the Juniors a most interesting talk on insects, while I taught the Infants.

School-Timetable has been very elastic owing to

one person being in charge - but the children are all working well under difficult circumstances.

June 30th Mrs Hammond - Church Farm Cottage - has come to help with the infants while Miss Dunnett is away.

July 5th W.I. outing ∴ Mrs Hammond away

July 6th Miss Dunnett returned.

July 29th School closed for Summer Holidays.

Hugh Chubb, allocated to
Ivy Kemp's Grammar School
Gordon Skeet, allocated to
Cecil Kemp's Modern School.

Shield for all-round work and play won by Yellow Team. (Capt. Hugh Chubb)
Garden bowl won by Red and Green Teams.
End of Term was celebrated by a Staff ball match, enjoyed by all.

July 25th Maypole returned by Blankhall School.

September 15th School re-opened with twenty-eight on roll as no under fives to be admitted until term after fifth birthday.

14th Mrs Bush called re installation of electricity in canteen.

14th Miss Lewis called to invite all over ten to dancing at Wilcham Market on Oct 26th

15th Miss Evans called.

29. Managers' Meeting at the White House, to which Headmistress was invited. Managers requested the resignation of correspondent Mr Park. She is leaving. Lord Alistair Graham offered to act a temporary correspondent. Matters discussed were repairs to floor, and the need for a partition to conserve heat in canteen room. Mrs Chapman asked if it would be possible to have a radio for the school, Lord Alistair said he thought it might be arranged.

30. Nurse Pearson called and examined heads - all clean.

Oct. 3 Mrs Hankster and Mr Turner, school managers visited school to examine floor, need for partition between lobbies and stove in Junior Room.

Oct. 3 Lord Alistair Graham called re stove.

Oct. 5 Miss Evans called

Oct. 6 Headmistress absent attending course at Redstead House.

Oct 10th Lord Alistair Graham visited the school and

signed the registers. He has very kindly offered to lend the school his Radiogram as soon as electricity is installed in the school.

Oct. 12. Mr Glover called and discussed the work of the school with the Headmistress - and the books she was reading for further study.

Oct. 10. Stone and lobbies inspected by Allen and Co. who promised immediate work on stone.

Oct. 25. Miss Evans called.

Nov. 3rd. Michael Blunden ran into swing, and had a nasty knock on the face. Mr Teuhorst was telephoned to and he and Mrs Blunden took him to Dr Keer, Wickham Market.

Nov. 11th Headmistress away on course at Belstead House.

Nov. 15th Miss Evans called.

Dec. 1st Miss Evans called.

Nov. 25. Lord Abetair Graham called and signed registers

Dec 8th Miss Evans called.

Miss Norris called re allocation of potatoes which were sent Kave

instead of Wickham Market School.

Dec 15th Miss Evans called.

Dec. 15th I asked Mrs Topham if she would begin work at 3 p.m. or shortly after as school was not clean and it was impossible to do the work thoroughly in the dark with a torch as she has been doing.

Dec. 16th Lord Abetair Graham called and said that no electricity was to be installed in schools owing to cut in Educational expenditure - but that as our order had gone in before October it might still be possible to have it in our school.

Parents came to see children's books, needlework, felt toys and handwork. All joined in Carol singing.

Nov. 25th The School raised £8 - 16 - 3 by a Whist Drive. This was given towards the Christmas Party which is being organised by the Women's Institute on January 4th.

Dec 21st. Lord Abetair Graham, Mr Clarke and Mr Turner, - School managers, came to school and presented Miss Dunnett with silver forks

from the managers, and congratulated her on getting married. The School gave Miss Durnell a present of silver spoons. During the afternoon, Christmas cards were given to everyone and games were played. The children then had lemonade and cakes and crackers, and went home for the Christmas holiday.

During the holidays, the floor of the big room was renewed, and electricity for heating water, and cupboard, was installed.

On Jan 4th, the Women's Institute and the School Staff gave ^{a party for} all the children of school age, and of four and three years.

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Jan. 10 School reopened - three away with ear trouble

Jan 12th Lord Alastair Graham brought his radiogram to the school, and we very much enjoy the Radio programmes

Jan 13 Miss Evans called.

Jan 14 Nurse Pearson called, and examined beds - all clean.

Jan. 31 Miss Evans called and had dinner with the school. Miss Stubbson away as her mother was returning from hospital.

Jan. 26th Mr. Green called to discuss further study and courses attended by the administrators.

Feb. 1st The Managers held a meeting in the School House, to which Miss Fitzjohn, representing the Primary Schools, & the Education Committee, was invited - and also Mr. Chapman - headmistress. Lord Alastair Graham asked ~~Mr~~ Mr. Menell - the new Rector - if he could lend us correspondence. He read a letter of resignation from Mr. Brunwell - and the Managers expressed their regret. Mr. Blunden was elected Manager in her place. The question of the public status of the school was discussed and it was decided to write to Mr. Shell for further clarification of Clause 15. The Managers agreed to purchase an electric lamp and flex for cleaning in the school. March - flex lamp purchased.

Feb. 13 Miss Fitzjohn visited the school and discussed the possibility of re-decoration work. Miss Evans called

Feb. 23, 24 School closed for Election Day and Half Term.

March 1. Headmistress away during the afternoon at P.T. Display at Woodbridge County Primary School

March 3 School closed as Headmistress attending course at Belstead House. (course cancelled suddenly).

March 10th The Rector, Mr. Kempell, began taking a short service every Friday morning at school for the whole school.

March 13. Miss Evans called.

March 21. Dr. Lurie, Vaccination officer held an inspection all morning. also gave diphtheria injections.

March 23 Miss Evans called.

March 24. Headmistress away attending course at Belstead House.

March 27th Miss Evans called.

April 4th Rev. Kempell had Holy Week service for children in Church. School broke up for Easter holidays.

April 26th School re-opened for Summer Term

May 1 Miss Evans called.

May 2nd Nurse Pearson called and examined heads - all clean.

May 2nd School photographs taken.

May 5th School closed as Headmistress attended course at Belstead House

May 8th Meeting of the School Managers, who all decided in favour of the school remaining a Church School - and of not applying for controlled

May. Status.

May 29 Mr. Claxton visited the school just before lunch and stayed for about twenty minutes.

May 31 Mr. Glover visited the Headmistress to enquire about further studies.

June 6th Miss Evans visited the school.

July 9th Headmistress away attending daughter's visit with Staffordshire.

9th Miss Evans called.

July 16 An Open Day was held during the afternoon. Most of the parents were present and they watched the children dance Maypole dances, act and sing. Needlework, and clay modelling and drawings were exhibited - and the Juniors displayed a model of Compton Ashe and ~~each~~ each wrote an individual account of something of interest in the neighbourhood. Afterwards the children served

Lemonade and biscuits.

September 12th 1950. The school re-opened today with an attendance of twenty-four, five children being away due to illness.

During the holiday, the school has been completely redecorated inside and looks very fresh and clean. The electric hot cupboard and boiler have been at last installed in the Canteen room, and the dinners are consequently more appetising.

Sept. 18. Nurse Pearson called and examined heads. All clean.

15. Mrs Evans called.

19. Lord Alastair Graham brought the children a hamper of apples.

19. Mr Glover called.

28. Mrs Bush called and examined canteen equipment.

Oct. 13. boiler drained for second time from hot water apparatus, therefore no fire in big room. No water in soft water tank.

~~Nov~~ School closed for

Oct 30-31. Half Term.

Nov. 15. Medical Inspection taken by Dr Innes.

Nov. 21. Allocation Tests written during afternoon.

Children sent flowers to the church for Mrs Brunwell, former school manager, whose funeral was attended by Headmistress.

Whist Drive held in Village Hall for Christmas Party, 18-5-7.

Nov. 22nd Nurse Pearson examined heads - all clean.

Nov. 24th Lord Alastair Graham called re heating, as school is managing with only fire; no water in pipes until a new boiler is installed. Temperature in both rooms varies between 50° - 60°.

Nov 26th ~~Whist Drive~~ Allocation Test

Dec. 8. Headmistress away on course at Belstead House.

Dec. 20. School closed with a Christmas party held in the school - funds were raised by a Whist Drive and donations - and food also was generously given by all. Captain Hoother gave a large Christmas tree, and the children enjoyed Father Christmas. Among the guests were Lord and Lady Alastair Graham, Mrs Graham, Capt. the Hon. Walter Hoother, Rev and Mrs Meynell and Charles and Andrew - and

many of the parents.

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- Jan. 10th School re-opened with practically full attendance.
- Jan. 12th Mrs. McCutcheon called.
- " 14th Mr. Brook, H.M.I. visited the school at 9.15 a.m. and spent the morning with us, leaving at 12 noon. He showed the children some interesting books on Script and also the anthology of poems ~~and~~ composed and printed by the Juniors of Halesworth School. He was interested in the book made by Campsea Ashe Juniors on "Our village". He also gave some helpful advice on music in the school.
23. Headmistress granted leave of absence owing to serious illness of her husband. Mrs. Miller took charge.
Nurse Pearson called.
26. New boiler is being installed in infants Room.
29. School closed owing to installation of boiler.
16. Miss White called to see school garden. She suggested making the centre into a lawn.

Feb. 1st. Mrs. Miller came in afternoon to take charge until Feb. 9th.
Headmistress has been granted leave of absence from Jan. 30th, owing to the death of her husband.
The Rector paid his weekly visit & in his capacity of a School Correspondent, advised that the school be closed in the afternoon because of the funeral of Mr. Chapman.

Feb. 12, 13 Half Term.

Feb. 14. Mrs. Chapman returned to school.

Feb. 20. Mrs. Macartney called.

Feb. 23. Christopher Riden away - suspected infectious illness.

Mar. 1 Measles confirmed.

Mar. 7. Mrs. McCutcheon called.

March 8. Nurse Pearson examined leads. All clean.

March 21 School closed for Easter holidays.

April 10th School re-opened with thirty on roll, twenty boys and ten girls.

April 17. Mrs. Macartney called.

April 27th Juniors visited Blashall School, where the

village held a most interesting exhibition of objects connected with local history.

May 1st Mrs White called and suggested re-fencing school garden to enclose a smaller area and preparing the remainder for field.

May 8th Mrs McCartney called.

May 5th Miss Butler visited the school and examined the Handwork. She was pleased with the bag bags, and suggested puppets and applique work for the coming year - and no formal handwork for those under eight.

May 7. Michael Kemp away with mumps.

May. Several children have been away this month with either mumps or tonsillitis and the average attendance has been 23 with 31 on the roll.

May 31st. Open Day was held very early this term in order to give a farewell present to Mrs Gibson who is leaving after five and a half years. Lord Alastair Graham presented her

with an electric kettle, a hydrazine and a book taken from the Managers, the Staff and the children and their parents. Rev M. Magdall thanked Lord Alastair Graham and all the judges who marked the various competitions. The children entertained the members of the school with songs and recitations and the band.

June 6th Nurse Pearson called to examine hair - all clean.

May 31st Mrs Reese away with mumps. Mrs Topham and Mrs Cairns are doing her work.

June 15. Mrs Gibson left after five and a half years at Campsea Ashe School.

June 18/19 School closed for Half Term

June 20. Mrs Miller started teaching in the Infant Room on supply.

June 22 Mrs McCartney called.

July 16. Albert Kemp received bad cut behind ear from stone thrown by Alan Rickard, who had been hit by piece of wood thrown by Albert.

July 17. Miss E Brown began her teaching practice at this school.

July 25th School closed for Summer holidays

- 1951, Sept 10th School re-opened today with twenty eight children on the roll.
 Mrs Miller was in charge of the Infant Room and Miss E Brown started her second week of teaching practice.
 Mrs Mephaur married during the holidays and is now Mrs Wignam. She has resigned as School caretaker and Mrs Cairns has taken her place. Mrs Nash has taken Mrs Reeve's place in Canteen on Sept 22.
- Sept. 11 Mrs McCartney called.
- Sept. 19 Nurse Pearson called and examined heads. All clean.
- Sept. 22 The Rector presented Mrs Wignam and Mrs. Reeve, who is leaving to take up full time work, with sets of Pyrex ware from the Managers, Staff, Parents and Pupils of Campsea Ash School.
- Sept. 20 Mrs Lewis called to arrange about booking of the Victory Hall for Country Dance's Demonstration on Oct. 16th
- Oct 5th Mrs McCartney called.
- Oct. 2nd Lord Alastair Graham visited the school and brought the children two baskets of apples.
- Oct 9th Mrs Chapman absent one day - severe cold.

- Oct. 16th Country Dance Session held in the Victory Hall by Mrs Lewis and Mr Newborn. Refreshments present:- Campsea Ash, Blackhall, Tunstall, Bredfield, Chaffield.
- Oct. 12th A 'Buns and Buns' and Jumble Sale was held after school to raise funds for Christmas Party and Open Day. It was splendidly patronised by the village, and the result was £13 - 0 - 3.
- Oct. 22 Mrs McCartney called.
- Oct. 25, 26, 29 School closed for Election and Half Term
- Oct. 30th Lord Alastair Graham visited school and brought three baskets of apples. Thirty children now on roll
- Oct. 23. Intelligence Test for 7-8 yr. olds.
- Nov. 20 Intelligence Test for Form II
- Nov. 27 " " " Form II
- Nov. 22 Mrs McCartney called.
- Dec. 11 Mrs McCartney called.
- Dec. 18th School closed after a very enjoyable party in the Victory Hall. All the School, Staff and Managers were present except Mr Clarke who was unable to come owing the heavy amount of work at the Post Office. The Parents came down after tea and

presents were given to all from Father Christmas (the Rector).

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January 9th School re-opened with thirty-one on the roll. R. Reeve, J. Laukesler, A. Kemp took Allocation Test

* Jan 24th The Rector had a service in School and

Jan 11th had dinner with the School.

Jan 15th Mrs McCartney called.

16th Jean Haslam had her fingers caught in

* the door - very slight abrasion on two fingers.

Feb 4th Mrs McCartney called.

Feb 6th The School attended a Commemoration Service in Church at 2.30 - after hearing of the death of His Majesty King George VIth.

Feb 12th Mrs McCartney called

Feb 13th Miss White, gardening organiser called

Feb 15th School attended Church for Broadcast of King George VI's funeral

Feb 25/26. School closed for Half Term.

Feb 18th Nurse Pearson called and examined heads - all clear.

Feb 27th Mrs McCartney called.

March 4th The Headmistress attended interview with Panel at Wickham Market Area School where Janet Laukesler and Raymond Reeve were

interviewed for allocation to Secondary School.

Mar 11th Berman measles confirmed - Albert Kemp - last day at school

March 7th

Mar 24th Mrs McCartney called.

April 1st School closed for Easter holidays

R. Reeve and J. Laukesler allocated to Grammar Schools

Summer Term

April 22nd School reopened with thirty-two children on the roll.

April 27th Mrs McCartney called - 34 on roll.

May 2nd Miss Miller left school 11 a.m. because of Aunt's death

May 5th Mrs Miller away - no supply staff.

May 6th Miss Bush called and inspected Canteen Room - all very clean.

May 8th The Rector gave the school an interesting talk on Birds with illustrations and gramophone records

May 1st Miss White called and brought some small creeping plants for the garden.

May 12th Mrs Miller returned

May 14th Talk on 'The Care of Birds and Animals' was given by Mr. H. H. H. H., R. S. P. C. A.

May 22nd School closed for half holiday Ascension Day. Service at 9 a.m. in Church.

June 2nd School closed for Whit Monday

June 5th Mrs McCartney called.

June 13th Mrs McCartney called.

June 16th Mr Brook. H.M.I. called and spent the afternoon at school.

June 17th School closed while Headmistress attended Conference at Belstead House.

June 27th School closed for Half Term.

July 1st Dr Ince inspected school (regular routine Medical)

July 3rd Open Day. The school was open to parents and friends from 2 - 4. The children's books were inspected and there were displays of needlework, painting, writing and wild flowers. The children entertained the parents with songs, poems and a play. The school is very fortunate in having been given several costumes for the property box by Mr Baker - and these added colour and attraction to the play, which had to be acted indoors as it was wet but the children responded very well - and there was a very good attendance of parents and managers. Capt. Stubbs. A. Doster judged the writing and Miss Bond the wild flowers. Lady Alastair Graham presented the prizes - and the Rector proposed a vote of thanks.

June 24th

St. John Baptist Day. School attended special Service in Church at 9 a.m. The Rector presented Raymond Reeve, Janet Lankester and Albert Kemp with Certificates awarded by the Bishop of St. Edmundsbury and Ipswich for passing the Primary Examination on the New Testament and the Prayer Book.

July 17th Mrs Miller away, attending Bealings School to observe Activity Methods.

Mrs Pearson called and examined heads - All clean.

Stons of coal delivered. $\frac{1}{2}$ ton at least left outside shed, which only holds $\frac{1}{2}$ tons.

July 25. School closed for Summer holidays

Sept. 9th School re-opened with twenty-nine on roll, fifteen in Junior Room, thirteen in Infant Room.

Sept. 23. Mrs McCartney called.

Sept 29th One American child admitted, numbers now thirty.

Oct. 2nd A Managers Meeting was held at the School House, to which the Headmistress was invited. The managers are Lord Alastair Graham - chairman, the Rev Mark Heathall correspondent, Mr Clarke, Mrs Blunden, Mrs

Osborn and Mrs Brown. Finance was discussed.
 Oct. 4th A most successful Buns and Bury and Jubilee
 was held at School at 3.30, resulting in
 a profit of £17-8-4d for School Funds. A
 great attraction was a 7½ lb roasting fowl
 presented by Lord Alastair Graham - it
 realised £2-10-0. Mr Nash very kindly
 auctioned all that was left - and was
 very entertaining. The parents and managers
 gave splendid support.

Oct. 14th Mrs McCartney called.

Oct. 16th Mr Walker, P.T. Organizer, called and stayed
 for lunch.

Oct. 28th Mr Brooke H.M.I. inspected the school. He arrived
 at 9.15 and stayed for the morning. He returned
 for the afternoon school.

Oct. 29 Mrs Fitzjohn called re staffing next term

Oct. 29^{pm} School closed for half term
 Nov 3, 4 } holiday.

Nov. 11th Mrs McCartney called

Nov. 28th Nurse Peason called and examined heads - all
 clean.

Dec. 9 Mr Brooke called to hear assembly - Radio
 Service day.

Dec. 12 Mrs Miller gave up teaching.

Dec. 19 School closed for Christmas holidays after
 Christmas Party in Village Hall -

Dec. 22, 23 School joined Youth Club in Nativity Play

Jan. 8th School re-opened.

Several children away ill.

Mrs Bantrop began teaching as supply staff.

Jan 16th Attendance still only 75%.

Jan 20 Mrs McCartney called and said everywhere in her
 district children were away ill.

Jan 21 Miss White called and inspected garden and
 value table - suggested asking Woodbridge
 Council School for some Blackcurrant bushes
 Mrs Bush called and inspected Canteen Room -
 all very clean - she said the electric heater
 would be installed any day now.

Jan 22 School closed while Maureen Hazell, Jennifer
 Rose and Doreen Cairns wrote their Attainment
 Tests.

Feb. 7 Mrs McCartney called. School attendance much better.

Feb. 16 Report by H.M. Inspector on Campsea Ashes C.E. School, inspected
 on 28th October and 9th December, 1952.

Thirty children of primary age attend this small
 school which serves an isolated village with a

population of about 350.

Built about 1866 the premises are dark and inconvenient, situated on a small roadside site, well below the road level - an unsurfaced sandy hollow of which the only attraction to the passerby is a picturesque fringe of conifers which in fact serves but to darken the rooms. Water is drawn from the School House pump and although electricity is supplied to the House it has not been installed in the School.

The Headmistress took charge four years ago after a one-year period of training and six months' service in the County. Diligent and hardworking she deserves generous praise for the progress that has been made. Her efforts to enlist the full co-operation of the children and their parents have met with success and in the life of the School there is now much to commend.

The fifteen infants occupy the larger of the two rooms - 18 ft x 37 ft - and for the past fifteen months they have

been under the kindly care of an assistant, without experience of infant work, who will be leaving the profession at the end of the year. The environmental possibilities of this comparatively spacious room have not yet been fully developed but this may be due in part to the frequent room-interchange between the two classes for varied activities and indoor Physical Education. A pleasant introduction to school life is provided, the most promising feature being the language training. The children are friendly and natural.

The fifteen juniors occupy the smaller room - 16 ft x 21 ft - a cramped space sadly deficient in storage accommodation. The children are industrious and well disposed and there is always an air of happy absorption here that is wholly admirable. They are used to carrying responsibility and are well behaved and self-controlled.

Recently the language training has progressed convincingly and the older children talk easily and well. The written

work is sensibly planned but more frequent outlet for personal expression would be of benefit. The children have produced their own 'newspaper' and some valuable composite books of local studies have been compiled. Dramatic work has distinctive features. A certain amount of incidental basic drill is taken in spelling and also in arithmetic. The children approach mechanical bookwork with confidence and their written work in arithmetic, always neat and painstaking, reveals sound teaching on individual lines. Reading material is well chosen and carefully graded and the majority of the children read with fluency and pleasure. Frequent silent reading, followed by systematic individual narration, is a valuable practice and the library is well used. Work in art is full of life and interest and a varied range of craftwork is developed, the inclusion of more three-dimensional exercises is contemplated.

There being no musical strength

on the staff broadcast lessons in Music are welcomed. Nature broadcasts provide a useful supplement to the Study of living things; there are well stocked aquaria and an attractive display table, and the children keep charts of their own seasonal observations. Rambles are taken and cycle visits to neighbouring bigger schools have been made to see locally produced films on bird life. Physical Education provides lively pleasure and the dancing lessons yield obvious delight. The prescribed Diocesan Syllabus is used for Religious Instruction and the simple daily opening service is a reverent and secure act of worship. The broadcast religious service is closely followed and enjoyed. The parents are interested in the life of the School and are fully co-operative. A recent Jumble sale produced £17. The Managers readily lend every support and encouragement - treats are conveyed from the Licham Market Area School and about two thirds of the children stay to dinner; half a dozen children bring a packed lunch.

W. H. G. R. C.

- Feb. 16. Mrs McCartney called. Attendance much better.
- Feb. 18. Electric fire installed in Canteen Room.
- Feb. 18. Ash Wednesday. Service in Church at 9 a.m.
18. Dr Innie carried out Routine Inspection.
19. Library Books changed.
- March 6th Mrs McCartney called. Managers' Meeting.
- March 12th Several plants arrived from Mrs White - most of the day spent - putting them in
- 12^{pm} 13. Headmistress away attending daughter's confirmation
- Mar 20 Mrs Bantrop away.
- Mar. 23. " " returned
- Mar. 22. Mrs McCartney called.
- Nurse Pearson called, examined heads, all clean.
- Mar. 25. Jennifer Rose, Maureen Hazell & Doreen Cairns interviewed at Woodbridge County Primary School for allocation.
- March 31. School closed for Easter Holidays
- April 22nd School re-opened with thirty-two on roll.
- April 29 J Rose and D Cairns allocated to Grammar Schools.
- May 6 Mrs McCartney called
- May 19 Mrs McCartney called
- May 22nd Nurse Pearson Called

May 22nd Presentation of the picture of Her Majesty the Queen.

This afternoon the School had its "open day". The morning was spent decorating the school with flowers and flags. The big room had golden brown and purple irises. At 3 p.m. the children conducted their own service - the girls being robed in the blue choir robes and the boys in the ~~scarlet~~ red cassocks. They presented the service especially written for children by the Church Information Board, during which they offered models of the Regalia, which they had made. The service was most impressive and the children most reverent. Lord Abastair Graham made a moving speech about the graciousness of our Queen, and then unveiled the portrait, saying he hoped in fifty years time, if Campsea Ashle School was still going, that the present pupils would bring their grandchildren to see the picture of "the Queen at the time of her Coronation". The afternoon ended with Tea, ~~conducted~~ by the staff.

and biscuits in the field.

- May 24 School closed for Whitson
 - June 14th holiday and Coronation of Her Majesty
 Queen Elizabeth II.
 June 5th Nurse Pearson called and examined
 heads.
 June 10th School spent morning in Ipswich seeing
 Coronation films. Miss Andrews called.
 June 11, 12, Headmistress away owing to illness of
 her mother, who
 June 11. Miss White called.
 June 29. Miss Andrews brought Miss Jennifer Annand
 - a student from Homerton College, Cambridge
 to spend a week at Campsea Ashe School.
 Her visit was part of an experiment tried
 the first Suffolk Education Committee for
 students to see what country schools
 are really like in hopes that they
 may consider something working in
 a rural school. Miss Annand was
 one of seven students visiting the
 County. The children acted as "Guides" of
 Campsea Ashe.
 June 29. Juniors with Miss Annand and Mrs Chapman

- visited and described the Market, Village Hall,
 Post Office, Shops and Railway Station.
 July 3rd Children took Miss Annand over the Church
 and explained its history.
 July 1. Miss Annand and Headmistress visited Tunstall
 P.M. and Kyke Schools while Juniors prepared
 a concert for Thursday, Form IV, took Miss A over
 Ash Abbey.
 July 2nd Miss Annand and Headmistress visited and
 spent the afternoon at Litcham Market Area
 School. Juniors prepared a Nature Competition
 July 3rd After a service in Church, the Rector took all
 the Juniors, Miss Annand and Headmistress up
 the Church Tower - for a final view of Campsea
 Ashe. Miss Andrews called for Miss
 Annand at 11.30, when the children
 presented her with a book they had
 made on Campsea Ashe.
 In the evening the village co-operated by inviting
 her to a Church Ato meeting, coffee with the
 Lady Managers, a picture show and tennis
 at Litcham Market School.
 July 4th Headmistress received letter from Miss
 Andrews thanking her, the children, the
 Rector and all who helped to make the

experiment a success.

July 27th School closed for Summer holidays, after Puzos had been presented by the Rector.

1953 Sept. 10th School re-opened with twenty eight children on roll.

Miss Monica Carter is appointed permanent Infant Teacher.

Miss Best is appointed School Cleaner in place of Mrs Cairns who has given up for domestic reasons.

Sept. 29th Mr Walker visited school to arrange for coming dancing afternoon.

Oct. 2nd The School held its annual Buns, Buns and Tumble Sale and again received wonderful support from the Managers, Parents and friends of the School. The final result was £17-0-0.

Oct 6 Mrs MacCarthy called

Oct. 28, 29. School closed for Half Term

Nov. 2nd Mrs Moore called and gave the children some hints on Pumping and on Potato plants.

During this term the Infant Room has been very busy - preparing a Shop - and

Dancing House - and also in keeping an attractive Nature Table.

Nov. 5th Mrs MacCarthy called.

At the Sale a presentation of a fruit set and Pyrex ware was made to Mrs Cairns in gratitude for her work as School Cleaner.

Oct. 17th Nurse Pearson examined heads, all clean.

P.C. New gave a talk to the children on Road Safety.

Nov. 3rd Piano Tuned.

Oct. 22nd Lord Maofair Graham brought two baskets of apples for the school.

Nov. 17th Drina Haolam (under age). took the Intelligence Tests for Allocation to Secondary Schools.

Dec. 7. Juniors attended Country Dance Session organised by Miss Lewis at Campsey Oak Victory Hall with Tunstall and Blaxhall Juniors. Miss Carter played for the dancing - and Mrs Nash served tea and lemonade. All enjoyed the afternoon.

Dec. 10. Miss Carter granted leave of absence to attend National Dancing Course at Belstead House.

Dec. 17. Mrs Chapman granted leave of absence ^{without pay} to attend Son's school concert at Brandeston Hall.

Dec. 18. The School held the Christmas Party at school

this year. Tea was held in the smaller room, lit by lamp and candle light. All the managers were present or represented except Mrs Brown who was teaching and the Rector, who was suffering from lumbago. Capt the Hon. Arthur Hootner who gave the Christmas tree was also present. Lord Alastair Graham was an entertaining Father Christmas. An American airman whose little girl used to be at Campsey Ash School brought Sandra to wish the school a very happy Christmas and they presented every child with American Quincebreadmen and Christmas cookies. He also took photographs of the party, which was enjoyed by all.

Dec. 22. School closed for the Christmas holidays.

Jan. 13. School re-opened.

Jan. 15. Miss Lewis called to invite Juniors to join in some interschool tournament of Rugby touch at Wickham Market in March.

Mr Glover called to see Miss Hartley and the Infant Room and the various

activities she has started with the little ones.

School roof repaired over the Junior room.

Jan. 19. Mrs McCartney called.

Jan. 21. Diana Haslam took the attainment Test for Allocation.

Junior library books were changed. (60 books).

The Rector ~~is~~ is still in hospital, so we miss the Friday morning Service which he usually takes.

Feb. 3. Miss Hartley returned home during afternoon - ill.

Feb. 1-14. Good attendance in spite of bitterly cold weather.

Feb. 8-12. Miss Hartley away with flu. Children very good and helpful.

Feb. 12. Two cases of scarletina reported.

Feb. 14th. Dentist spent day at school treating children. The treatment took place in the School House kitchen - All children excellent - no fuss or tears.

Miss Hartley returned to duty.

Mrs McCartney called.

Two more cases of Scarlatina reported.

Feb. 17th. Diana Haslam passed attainment Test and is to be interviewed.

Feb. 26. School closed for half term.

March 1st

March 11. Headmistress attending course at Bekstead House.

March 30. Mrs Maullen - Music organizer - spent the afternoon at school and heard the children sing and the percussion band. She gave some very helpful advice on conducting and about the instruments - and took the children for singing. She also said she would try to do something about the piano which is very old and in a very poor condition.

March 15. The School joined other schools in a Rugby Touch Tournament at Wickham Market. Campsey Ash was the smallest - in age - but managed to play quite well. The Tournament was won by Tunstall.

April 1-4. School closed for Easter holidays

April 3-4. Diana Hudson allocated Bramlingham Hills, Bramlingham

April 27th School re-opened with thirty-one children on the roll.

May 6th Headmistress away at Head Teachers Conference at Bekeslea House

May 27. Ascension Day. Special prayers but no service owing to illness of the Rector. No holidays

owing to long holidays at Whitson. Own choir in the afternoon. Mrs MacCulloch called

May 28. Miss White called; she still advocates the going up of the school garden which is too large to cultivate, and suggests making beds in front.

June 4th School closed for Whitweek holiday.

June 15. Mrs McLaren called

June 22. Medical Inspection.

June 25. "Open Day" was very well attended by parents, managers and friends. Mrs Bond and Mrs Brown judged the wild flowers and writing. The children acted two plays: "The King Melon and Princess Caraway" and "The Shoemaker and the little folk." Prizes were presented by Lady Alastair Graham. The afternoon ended with tea outside.

July 29th. Re-conditioned piano which arrived on Thursday was inspected by Mrs Maullen and how to be used.

July 29th School closed for Summer Holiday

August 5th Headmistress attended Managers Meeting where it was decided to paint the outside of the School and School House. The future of the school garden was discussed.

School Year 1954-1955

Sept. 9th School re-opened after the Summer holidays. During the holiday the school has been painted outside, and now looks very fresh and bright.

Sept. 10th Rector held a short service in Church to open the Term

Sept. 14. Miss White called and discussed plans for starting a 'Native Studies garden' and giving up the garden at the back as it is much too big.

Sept. 27th Mrs McCartney called

Sept. 26 A Managers' meeting was held in the School house, at which the Managers decided to join the Barchester Scheme and the question of pulling in wash basins was considered. Mrs McCartney called.

Sept. 28 Mr Walker called - and took the Juniors for P.T.

Oct. 15. Nurse Pearson called and examined heads all clean.

The School held its annual Bazaar and Bazaar Sale which was wonderfully supported by the village and which

realised £19.^{-a record} A rug made by the children, an autumn basket of eggs and apples presented by Lady Alastair Graham, and an iced cake presented by Mrs Haslam were raffled. Small iced cakes made by Mrs French and Mrs Dillon sold well - and Peter Clough - aged eleven - acted as auctioneer.

Oct 23 Mrs McCarther called

Oct 26 Mrs Lewis called and watched the small children's dance. She was very pleased with the progress made in music with movement and with Mrs Lister's work in general.

Nov. 1, 2 School closed for Half Term holiday.

Nov 7-14 During this week an children's mission has been held in the village by two Church Army sisters. Services were held every day both in School and in the Church and were very well attended by both infants and Juniors - who were often accompanied by older brothers and sisters and parents. All the children enjoyed the week.

Nov. 20 Mrs McCartney called

Nov. 12 Miss Bennett Bagg called and examined Audrey Baxter for speech defects.

- November 24th Nurse Pearson called and examined heads, all clear.
- December 20th The School Parli was held in the school from 2.30 - 6. All children but two who were ill were present. All managers except Mrs Brown and Mr Clarke who were unable to leave their work, were present. A happy afternoon was enjoyed by all.
- Jan. 11th School re-opened all present
- Jan. 13. Dr Innes examined Andrew Baxter for tonsils.
- Jan. 20. Attainment test taken by Peter Clough (parents' request)
- Jan. 25th Mrs McCartney called.
- Jan 25, 26, 27th Miss Hartle away, heavy cold - flu.
Several children ill this week. $\frac{6}{16}$ present in ^{Junior} room. Good attendance in Infant Class.
- Jan. 28. Miss Hartle returned to work.
- Feb. 8th Dr Innes carried out medical inspection.
- Feb. 10. Miss Fitzjohn visited the school.
School garden hedges and a new fence erected - and other fence mended.
- Feb 18, 21, 22. School closed for half term.
- March. 2nd Mrs McCartney called.
- March 1st Brackets on hot water pipe above partition door fixed.

- Feb. 25th Headmistress attended funeral of Mr Clarke, who had been a School Manager for many years
- March 7th Mr Walker called to discuss the question of Rugby Touch Tournament as the weather was still so bad. He also discussed the possibility of Rounders matches being held at Campsea Ashes in the summer.
- March 8, 9. Headmistress away - severe cold
- March 10 Headmistress returned to duty.
- April 5. School closed for Easter holidays
- April 12th Mrs Childers commenced work as part-time secretary
- April 27th School re-opened with thirty-three children on the roll
School garden now reduced in size needs much attention after holidays.
- May - Certain children away with a cough - not officially whooping cough.
- May 5 Mrs McCartney called
- May 26 School closed until June 2nd for Whit Sunday and Reaction
- May 31st All children over seven except Mr. Cairns and J. Rose visited London by coach owing to railway strike. Visits were made to Westminster Abbey, St Paul's Cathedral and the Tower. The

and parents helped with the children and everyone enjoyed the day.

June 1st During the dinner hour, the school either on bicycles or in cars went to Wickham Market Bridge where they greeted the Queen Mother who was visiting Suffolk.

June 14th Mrs Bush called in reply to a letter Headmistress had written concerning the transport of school dinners, as Mr Walker had decided to give up as he could not be on time, he had already changed his mind, however, and was ^{not} breaking his contract.

July 8th Mrs McLarkie called - and checked distance from Shrubbery Farm to Wickham Mkt School - just over three miles.

July 20th Managers, parents and friends of the School attended "Open Day". The children sang and played in the Percussion Band. Plays "The Mad Hatter's Tea Party", "The Tale of the Turnip" and "Mary, Mary, Quite Contrary" were acted out. The plays were presented by Lord Alastair Graham. Captain Hoother and Miss Bond judged the writing and flowers. Maypole

Dancing took place on the field, and the children day closed with tea.

July 19: Roger Newson passed the Bishop's Examination in Church Teaching with credit, and Michael Kemp and Kenneth Skeet passed.

July 25: School broke up for the summer holidays
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September 8: School re-opened with twenty-seven children on the roll.

During the holidays wash basins have been fitted in the cloakroom, and a sink in the canteen room.

Sept 16 Mrs McLarkie called

Sept 29: Lord Alastair Graham called to see the wash basins and sink.

Oct 3rd Mr. Walker called and took the Juniors for P.T.

Oct 14th Medical Inspection. Dr Lurie suggests a window above wash basin as room is gloomy.

Oct 7th Another very successful Bring and Buy Sale was held, and realised £15-10-0 for the School Funds.

Oct 11th Mr Glover called. Mrs McLarkie called.

Oct 28 School closed for Half Term.

Dec 15 Mr Walker called.

December 21. School closed for Christmas holidays, after the Christmas Party which was attended by the managers and Capt. Trevor Arthur Hoother - Parsons and Old pupils came for the Carols and Christmas tree, and it was enjoyed by all.

Jan. 10th School re-opened with twenty-nine children on the roll.
School cleaning during holidays rather unsatisfactory, owing to illness of Mrs. Watling who helps Mrs. Burt.

Jan. 27th Radiogram has been twice repaired by Hubbards of Saxmundham but it's still not working properly - so have been authorized to use Radio and Record players allocated to school by Education Committee.

Jan. 20. Mrs. Marsden called and examined the Natives in both rooms, praising the Table in the Infants' Room.

Feb. 20, 21. School closed for Half Term

22. Mrs. Scott of R.S.P.C.A. called and gave an interesting talk on the care of birds and animals in cold weather.

23. Mrs. McCarney called.

Feb. 24. The weather throughout February has been bitterly cold - below freezing, practically every day - but the attendance on the whole has been very good - 83.7 the first week - and well over ninety for the remaining ~~four~~ three weeks.

March 7. Headmistress at Woodbridge with Christopher Rigden attending interview for allocation to secondary schools.

March 12. Mrs. Walker called.

March 13. Mrs. McCarney called. C. Rigden allocated to Grammar School.

March 28. School closed for Easter holidays.

April 24th School re-opened for Summer Term.

May 10th Ascension Day. School attended special service in Church.
Mrs. McCarney called.

May 24-29 Whitweek holiday.

June 7. Mrs. McCarney called.

June 12. Mrs. Walker called and took the Juniors for Danish Rounders.

June 15. Headmistress away, attending course on Religious Instruction at Belstead House.

June 25. Mrs. McCarney called.

Open Day was held with Handwork, Art, Flowers and Writing displayed and

judged by Mrs Meynell, Mrs Schreiber, Miss Bond and Mrs A. J. Crother. The infants acted "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" and the Juniors "They Made the Royal Arms". Lady Atalair Graham presented the prizes, and the Rev. Mark Meynell proposed a vote of thanks to Lady Atalair, the Judges and all the helpers of the school. Lord Atalair Graham then made the final presentation - a canteen of cutlery from the Managers, Staff, Parents and children of Campsea Ashe School - a wedding present to Miss Carter - to show he wished every happiness. Refreshments were then served outside.

July 7th The children acted their plays at the Church Fete at Chant's Farm and so contributed over £2-0-0 to the result.

July 10th Campsea Ashe School invited Blashall School to a game of Danish Rounders as the Tournament

at Witham Market School had been cancelled. All enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon and played well, Campsea Ashe being the victors, but the game was quite close. The children afterwards served the visitors with lemonade and biscuits and took them round the school.

July 12 Mrs Walker called to arrange a Danish Rounders Tournament, which was held at Blashall the next day. Matches were played between Snape, Tunstall, Blashall and Campsea Ashe, the result being Campsea Ashe 5, Tunstall 3, Snape 2 and Blashall 1. The children all cycled to Blashall in single file and were very well behaved. Mrs McCaskey called.

July 25th The whole school accepted Blashall's invitation to a Sports Afternoon. The Juniors cycled and the infants were taken by car by Miss Carter, Mrs Tolliffe and Mrs Chapman. Tunstall and Little Glenham Schools were also

- and a happy afternoon was enjoyed by everyone.
- July 27th School closed for the summer holidays. The Rector. The Rev Mark Meynell took the school for assembly for the last time, and the school gave him a silver pencil in memory of the ^{very happy times spent} school year 1956-1957 with him.
- September 12th School re-opened with twenty-eight on roll.
- September 21st Mr Walker called
- September 28th Mrs McCartney called
- October 3rd Mrs McCartney called
- October 5th The school held its annual Bazaar and Bazaar Sale. Donations amounted to £1-17-6, but the gifts and generosity of the parents and friends of the school brought the final total to £20-5-6 - a record.
- October 23rd Nurse Pearson called and examined heads - all clear.
- Oct. 30th Mrs McCartney called.
- Nov. 5, 6th School closed for Half-Term
- Nov. 7th, 14th Allocation Tests
- Nov. 15 Mrs McCartney called.
- Nov. 23 Mr Walker called and took the Juniors for P.T.
- Nov. 27 Miss Bush called.
Mrs McCartney called
- Nov. 17 Mr Gook called.

- Dec. 12. Headmistress absent - ill.
- Dec. 14. Mr Walker called
- Dec. 20th School closed with the Christmas Party, which was attended by the school, the managers, parents and friends of the school. Everyone entered into the festivities and joined in the Carols. Mr Robin Graham as Father Christmas caused much merriment. The work done by the school staff was excellent - but as there is so much clearing up to do - and things to be brought in from outside - it has been decided to hold the party in future the day before we break up.
- Mrs Cairns very kindly made the school a Father Christmas outfit of material bought with school funds, and Mrs Chapman and Mrs Birnie made decorations of stars which shined fast for some years. The Christmas tree once again given by Capt. Walter Astle has been the last one in the group - so we hope we shall find another Santa next year.
- Jan 9th School re-opened with thirty children on roll.
- Jan 11th Mrs Payton called re mending school fence.
- Jan. 15 Mrs McCartney called
- Jan 16th Medical Inspection

- Jan 22 Jean Haslam and Dandy Garham did the Attainment Test for Allocation.
- Jan 18 Ruth Holliday measles
- Jan 19 Audrey Bader measles
- Jan 29th More than $\frac{1}{3}$ of the school away with measles or bad colds (measles?).
- Jan 28th Mr Walker called.
- Feb. 4th Only fifteen present out of thirty-five children the rest have measles or are excluded because of infection.
- Feb 8th Mr Lovelace - Art and Craft Organizer called re request for pictures, which he promised when they were collected from other schools.
- Feb. 18th Attendance still low owing to measles - only two present in Infant Room. Mrs McCartney called.
- Feb. 24, 25. School closed for Half Term
- March. Bella attendance
- March 19. Mrs ^{Pitts} Anderson called re decoration.
Mrs White called.
- April 4 Mrs M. Carline called.
- April 12. School closed for Easter holidays.
Jean Haslam allocated to grammar school.

- May 7th. School re-opened for Summer Term.
- May. 10 Two cases of mumps
- May. 14. Mrs McLarney called.
- May 27th. Managers meeting in School House.
- May 24th Two more cases of mumps
- May 26, 27. Headmistress attended Headteachers Conference on Religious Instruction at Belstead House
- May. 15. Dentist treated children in dental caravan.
- May 30, 31. School closed for Ascension.
Several away with mumps
- June 6, 7, 1941 School closed for Half Term - Whit Sunday.
- July 29. Quinns arrived 11.35. Headmistress reported matter to Office
- July 1st. Mrs's Bush called re school dinners' arriving late. Mr Watson wished to give up as it was impossible for him to arrive on time but he agreed to continue bringing them.
Mrs McLarney called.
- July 24th Open Day was held very late this term owing to several children having had mumps. The Junior's acted 'Florence Nightingale', a play which was made more colourful by having the children wearing real Victorian clothes.

lent by grandparents. The infants acted "The Green Dragon" - the dragon was so realistic that some of the babies present were very much perturbed! Singing and Percussion Band followed and the music under Mrs Bruce was very much appreciated.

Lady Alastair Graham presented the prizes, and Sally Hubbard expressed a vote of thanks to her and the judges, Mrs Schweiber, Miss Altmeyer, Miss Heather and the Hon - A. J. Lawrie.

Tea was served outside and the visitors wandered round, looking at the "Famous Victorians" and the "Victorian Museum" in the Junior Room and the Zoo in the Infant Room. The Art, Wild Flowers and Victorian Posies were also on display. Lord Alastair Graham expressed his appreciation of the work and general behaviour of the school.

July 26th P.C. Scott, at the Headmistress's request, gave a talk on "Road

Safety" and examined the bicycles. School closed for summer holidays.

Year 1957-58.

Sept. 11th School re-opened with 36 children on roll. The school has been re-decorated inside and looks very fresh and clean. The fireplace has to be re-cemented in the large room, and the water tank replaced. The stove from the small room has been removed and a new one is on order.

Sept. 12th David Mozgo away with chicken pox.

Sept. 15th Mrs McCarmes called.

Sept. 20th Mr Walker called.

Sept. 23rd Susan Ramsay away.

24th Colin and Alan Ramsay away. } Whooping cough.

Sept. 1st No fire in small room because no stove.

Mrs Maudlin called re Visitor's Hall plans.

Mrs McCarmes called.

Oct. 3rd Several children away - suspected chicken pox so Buns and Bus Sale for Oct 4th has been cancelled. Radiators leaking.

Oct 4th Only 449^s present - flu, chicken pox and whooping cough - still no stove.

Oct. 9th Mrs Bruce went home in afternoon ill.

Oct. 10. Mrs Bruce away - also several children

Oct. 17th Mrs Bruce returned

Oct. 19. Stove installed in small room, radiators have been repaired, and star electric light added to small room - hitherto without light.

Oct. 22nd Mrs McCartney called. Attendance still only about 50% owing to chicken pox and Whooping cough.

Nov. 15. Mr Walker called

Nov. 18th Nurse Pearson examined children's hair - all clean

Nov. 18th Mrs McCartney called.

Nov. 22nd. The Bazaar and Bazaar Sale was held at 2.30 in the afternoon. It was a very fine day and the parents and friends of the school attended in good numbers. The children organised a book, shoe, toy and vegetable stalls, while the staff ran the Jumble and general stalls. Mrs Collett gave a Pyrex dish with six eggs in. The result was £18 - 18 - 0 - , plus £8 - 8 - 0, bringing the total to £27 - 6 - 0 - a record. The School funds now are over £31 - 0 - 0 and so the children are sending a pound to the Church of England ^{Children's} Society and

a pound towards the Barchester Scheme for Church Schools. The rest of the fund will go towards the Christmas Party, Open Day - and if possible an outing to London during the Summer term.

Dec. 4th Mrs McCartney called - All children are now attending regularly - having recovered from chicken pox and whooping cough.

Dec. 17. The Christmas Party was held from 2.30 - 6 p.m., and was enjoyed by all. All managers except Mrs Paul Smith and Mrs Brown who were both away, were present. Major Schreiber kindly acted as Father Christmas. As all the Christmas trees on Capt. Howther's land had now been used, Mr Haslam very kindly gave a tree to the school. Owing to illness Captain Howther missed the party for the first time since parties began. Lord Haslam and Graham thanked the Headmistress and staff for a happy afternoon.

Dec. 18. School closed for Christmas holidays

Jan 8th School re-opened

Jan. 13 Now 38 on roll.

Jan. Mrs McCartney called.

Jan. 30 ~~Feb 1st~~ Mrs McCartney called.

Feb. 4th Headmistress away - death of sister.

Feb 5th Headmistress returned. Mr Walker called.

Feb. 10. Doctor Morrison examined children.

Feb. 24 Mrs McCartney called.

Feb 25. Severe blizzard - no electricity. 23 out 38
present

Feb. 26th Weather improving - 17 children.

March 11th Managers meeting

March 2 Mrs McCartney called.

March 24th Mrs McCartney called. Mr Walker called.

April 1st School closed for Easter holidays.

1958.

April 23rd School re-opened with thirty nine children on the roll.

May 5th School closed in afternoon for polling.

May 8th Mrs McCartney called.

May 26, 27, 28. School closed for Whitsun holidays.

May 27th On Whit Tuesday, twenty five children with Mrs Chapman and Mrs Brocote and fourteen adults went by coach to London. In the morning they went to the Tower, and to St Pauls

Cathedral, and in the afternoon they visited the Commonwealth Institute. After High Tea at Lyons Corner House, they returned home. In spite of a long day, the behaviour of the children was excellent, and everyone enjoyed the visit.

May 30th Mrs McCartney called.

June 14th Mrs McCartney called.

June 18, 19 Half Term

June 11, 27 Tunstall School visited Campsea Ashe for games of Danish Rounders

July 3rd Campsea Ashe sent a mixed team to play in Danish Rounders Tournament at Wickham Market. Campsea Ashe tied with Wickham Market as top of their section, winning two matches out of three.

July 16th On July 16th the School was open to all parents and friends, who gave warm support to the children's efforts. Work including models of a farm and a harbour in the Infants Room, and models of Canadian industries in the Junior Room were on display. Competitions were held in Art, knitting and wild flowers and were

judged by Mrs Schrecker, Captain Hon A.J. Koski and Mrs Gouin. Lady Alastair Graham presented the Prizes - and the Bishop's Certificates in Religious Knowledge were presented by Lord Alastair Graham. The children entertained the visitors with singing, percussion band and two plays. Tea was served by Mrs Nash and Mrs Burt - and all enjoyed a pleasant afternoon.

July 22nd Mrs McCartney called

July 23rd Nurse Pearson examined heads - all clean.

Year 1958-59

1958-59.

September 10th School re-opened with 32 on the roll.

" 14th Mrs McCartney called.

September 26. Mr. Walker called. (P.T. Organiser for Juniors).

Oct. 2nd Mrs McCartney called.

Oct. 8th The School held its annual Buns and Buns Sale, which was again very well supported and realised a total of £ 20 - 10 - 5.

Oct 13th Dr Morrison called to give ~~penicillin~~ injection to John White.

Oct 20 Mrs McCartney called.

Oct 25th Mrs Buscoe ill from 11-15 until end of day.

Oct. 30 Mr Walker called and took games

Oct. 31 Dr Imrie examined children.

Nov. 3.4. School closed for Half Term

Nov. 6th Piano tuned.

Nov. 5th 1st Intelligence Test for Allocation

Nov. 8th School closed - Headmistress attending course on 'The Small Primary School'.

Nov. 11. 2nd Intelligence Test for Allocation.

Nov. 13. Headmistress away ill. Mrs McCartney called

Nov. 14 Headmistress returned to school

Nov. 24 Miss Lewis (P.T. Organiser for Infants) called.

Dec. 1st Mrs Buscoe away owing to illness. Mrs McCartney called.

Dec. 4th Mrs Baulthrop came to teach on supply until Mrs Buscoe's return.

Dec. 11th Mrs. Buscoe returned to school.

Dec. 16. A very enjoyable Christmas Party was held during the afternoon. The rooms were gaily decorated and Sir Peter Greenwell sent a beautiful Christmas ^{tree}. Mr Baker was a jovial Father Christmas and caused much merriment. Lord Alastair Graham made a short pre-well speech to Mrs Buscoe, saying how much the school would miss, and wishing her every happiness at Bristol.

Dec. 17 School closed for Christmas holidays.

- Jan. 8. School re-opened with thirty-two on the roll.
Mrs Broers began teaching on supply.
- Jan. 15 Mrs McCartney called, and checked up Paul Cleveland, and Peter and David Moyer, all absent on account of illness.
- Jan. 25 Mrs McCartney called, and went to see the Cleverland Paul ill again with sinus trouble.
- Jan. 28 Mr Benfield - Dentist - examined teeth.
- Feb. 9 Plumber had to be called in to see to blocked drain in Boys' Lavatory, cause - leaves.
- Feb. 6 Mr Walker called
- Feb. 16, 17. School closed for Half Term.
- Feb. 23 Dentist completed treatment.
- Mar. 6 Mrs McCartney called.
- Mar. 9 Headmistress away 9.45-10.50. visiting doctor called sudden swelling of mouth - (poisoning ^{food}).
- March 25. School closed for Easter holidays

Summer Term 1954

- April 16 School re-opened with thirty six on the roll.
- April 23 Miss Bush called and stayed for dinner
- " 24 Mr Walker called
- " 25. Miss Frost, district nurse, examined heads, dubious

about the channels of David and Peter Moyer.

- May. 13. Mrs McCartney called.
- May 15. School closed for week's holiday, for Whitsuntide.
- May. 20 School re-opened
- May. 29 Mrs McCartney called.
- June 4 Mr. Walker called and coached the Juniors in Double Rounders.
- June 11. Mrs McCartney called.
- June 11. 14. County Architect called re playground.
- June 17 Three infants dropped the blackboard which fell against the radio, and smashed the glass panel, which is covered for the time being with board, as the radio still works.
- July 3rd. "Open Day" was held in glorious weather. The small children sang and acted Nursery Rhymes, while the Juniors acted a play based on "The Pied Piper". In the Junior Room, Forms 1, 2, 3 and 4, had models and diagrams based on Science. The writing, Art, Wood and Clay models were judged by the Hon. A. J. Hooper, Lady Gavin Jones, Mrs Schreiber and Mrs Paul Smith. After tea outside, Lady Alastair Graham presented the prizes, and the certificates for the Bishops' Examination in Religious Knowledge - Margaret Carris had a distinction and all the

others had credit. This year, although a child might qualify for several prizes, only one was given - although he was given the honour of being first, and therefore several children had the chance of winning a prize.

July 8th. Campsea Ashe invited Tunstall to a friendly game of Danish Rounders to give both teams practice for the Tournament at Wickham Market next week.

July 14th. The school sent a mixed team to play in the Danish Rounders Tournament at Wickham Market, and came third out of four. They used to practise their fielding more, but they all enjoyed their matches.

July 28th. School closed for Summer Holidays
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Sept. 9th. School opened with thirty three on the roll.

Sept 25th Mr Snook, H.M.I. called. He complained about the poor state of playground and exterior of school. Headmistress said she had phoned the L.E.A. to ask why the playground had not been done, and was

told that "Roadways Ltd" had eight or more to do, and that Campsea Ashe School was to be attended to during the term. She also said that after a Managers' meeting on April 27th three estimates were asked for to paint the school. Two could not undertake the work, and the third had promised to send one but was booked up all the holidays. A fourth estimate had now been requested.

Sept. 30th Mrs McCartney called.

Oct. 1st. Mr. Welker called and took the children for Rugby Touch.

Oct. 2nd. Miss Lewis called - and suggested putting some of school funds towards P.T. apparatus - Headmistress agreed to think the matter over.

The Bazaar and Bazaar Sale was held during the afternoon, and again was very well supported by parents, school managers and friends of the school. The net proceeds were £21 - 7 - 8 d. which is the record as 1957 was ^{only 9 two} ~~only 9~~ ^{pounds}

Oct 3rd. "Roadworks Ltd" have started work on repairing path, and improving back playground.

Oct 4th. The Rector did not attend as usual on Thursday, but he was seriously ill, and is now in hospital, so there

is no definite date for Managers' Meeting to discuss estimates re painting exterior of school.

Oct 9th Bring and Buy Sale total made up to £21-10-0 due to articles sold after sale.

Oct 5th Work started on playground.

Oct 7th County architect visited school to see to about drainage. All drains now to go into soak away - put on top of original School House scabways, which he says will not be affected.

Oct 13 Mrs McCarty called.

Oct 16 Playground finished - steps, gate and fence to be done.

Oct 14 Managers' Meeting - Discussion of estimates - and question of caravan raised by Headmistress.

Oct 20 School closed for Election Day, as building was used as polling station.

Oct 20 Mrs Fitzgibbon called to inspect playground. Headmistress asked what the Committee's policy was towards Headteachers when schools had to close down - and was told that work and salaries were guaranteed.

Oct 21 Lord Alastair Graham called

to say Alarms of Wickham Market were starting painting the outside of school as soon as possible. He had also seen the County Council and Police about Caravan - and as a result Headmistress had had visits from Police, Department of Health, and Department of Town and Country Planning.

Oct 26 Dr Morrison at school all day - examining children.

Oct 27 Painting the outside of school started. Steps, gate and fencing still left unfinished. Mr Painter called, and promised to ask 'Roadworks' to finish the work.

Nov 7th and 11th Allocation Tests.

Nov 12 Painting of school finished.

Nov 13 "Roadworks Ltd" arrived to finish paths - steps and gate.

Nov 12 Mrs McCarty called.

Nov 26 Mrs McCarty called.

Dec 5th Nurse Wyatt called and examined hair, teeth and hands.

Dec 9th Mrs McCarty called.

Dec 16 Mr Hordace called and brought two pictures which the Headmistress had requested also Report on Pensions Scheme.

Dec. 16th The Christmas Party was much enjoyed by all, and the school was grateful to Mrs Osborne who again made a beautiful Christmas cake, to Mrs Pele Greenwell who gave the tree and to Mrs Baker who was a splendid Father Christmas. Managers, friends and parents all joined in making the party a success.

Dec. 17 School closed for the Christmas Holidays

1960. January 7th School re-opened.

Jan. 14th. Bitterly cold - snow and blizzard. Pipes in Infants Room cold in spite of fire being alight all night. Garrod of Framlingham sent by office to find the trouble. All school in small room most of the day. Most of children present.

2nd Jan 15th. Garrod here during afternoon to repair fireplace temporarily.

Jan. 21. Mrs McCarty called

Jan. 21 The Rector started his weekly visits again, and the school welcomed him back after his illness.

Jan. 28 The Rector called.

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Jan. 28 Visited and inspected the school today, Clifford Smith (HM)

Feb. 2nd Mrs McCarty called.

Feb. 24th Piano tuned.

Feb. 26 Mr. Hodace called and talked to children about using baba wood

Feb 29 } School closed for Half term

March 1 }

March 8 Mrs McCarty called.

March 17th Fence around back playground completed.

March 19th Rector received notification of closing of Hacheston School in July. A (C.A.) Managers meeting was held on Feb 1st at which the Campsea Ashe School Managers decided they did not wish C.A. school to join Hacheston and Parham and attend a new school at Parham if built - because of the danger of crossing the main road.

March 27th School House drains are blocked again after County had cleared drains only three weeks ago - March 2nd then there was another blockage.

March 28 County Educ. Office arranged to clear drains regularly once a fortnight.

April 12 School closed for Easter holidays after