

SPEECH DAY



Oldbury Grammar School,

Wednesday, October 31st, 1951

at 2-30 p.m. in

THE SCHOOL HALL

Programme

Chairman - - - Alderman B. T. ROBBINS, J.P., C.C.

The School Song (see overleaf)

Chairman's Remarks

Girl Captain's Report - - - YVONNE E. J. DUGMORE

Boy Captain's Report - - - G. E. BROWN

Instrumental Trio. Two violins and pianoforte

“ Minuet and Trio ” (*Schubert*) JOY HOWARD
B. BABINGTON
VALERIE WOOD

The Headmaster's Report

Speech and Presentation of Prizes by—

County Alderman Sir HUGH CHANCE, M.A., Hon. A.C.T. (Birm.),
Vice-Chairman of the Worcestershire County Council.

Two-Part Song by a group of girls

“ A Shepherd Kept Sheep ” (*Thiman*)

Votes of Thanks

Proposer: HIS WORSHIP THE MAYOR OF OLDBURY
(ALDERMAN S. T. MELSOM, J.P., C.A.)

Seconder: COUNCILLOR J. D. BEARD, C.C.

Awards 1951

FORM PRIZES FOR GENERAL PROFICIENCY

FORM 1C	Jean M. Sherwood Marina J. Lander	FORM 3A	Beryl Fanthom Joy V. Howard
FORM 1B	Marjorie M. Downing Jean W. McLelland	FORM 4C	B. S. Pyne Patricia A. Rooker
FORM 1A	Nora A. Tucker Edna L. Partington	FORM 4B	A. W. Pooler Janice E. Cross
FORM 2C	D. Morrall G. L. Corbett	FORM 4A	R. J. Oakey D. Edge
FORM 2B	A. W. J. Hewitt J. W. Baker	FORM 5S	Eva M. Crofts K. Carter
FORM 2A	Vyvian M. Welch Janet A. Greaves	FORM 5M	A. C. Poole D. A. Wood
FORM 3C	Patricia K. Wilcock Jillian R. Cryer	FORM 5G	A. P. Bennett R. Kitchen
FORM 3B	Betty Smith Christina Hill	FORM 6X	Olwyn Ruston Valerie Williams

GENERAL CERTIFICATES OF EDUCATION AT ORDINARY LEVEL

I. G. Betteley	G. H. Brindley	J. K. Holyhead	J. E. Black
D. J. Curtis	J. Gurney	B. Mitchell	M. J. Felmingham
B. W. Fennell	M. K. Hall	J. B. Paice	M. J. Fisher
L. T. Hall	J. Hawkins	G. C. D. Parkes	B. E. Green
K. G. Rock	A. C. Johnson	A. C. Poole	D. B. Jones
B. Shelton	D. A. Shaw	F. R. Preece	K. Seddon
T. E. Smith	Marilyn Abbey	A. J. Viney	A. E. Stephens
M. G. Spencer	Mary M. Blackford	D. A. Wood	B. C. Wallin
J. A. Steventon	Marjorie E. Coxill	Jocelyn I. Bacon	Pamela F. Baker
G. J. Walker	Barbara Greaves	Margaret A. Bentley	Ann S. Collins
Margery E. Brookbank	Barbara Gregory	Sheila D. Cartwright	Doris M. Easter
Joan L. Charnell	Anne F. Greig	Mary E. Hall	Gladys M. Franks
Margaret B. Cutler	Eileen P. Harris	Patricia A. Hall	Dorothy Hall
Pauline Goreham	Joan M. Humpage	Brenda G. Harris	Jennifer M. Hutchinson
Heather E. Hadley	Gladys L. M. Kirkcaldy	Sheila R. Hyde	Doreen O. C. Simmons
Christine M. Middleton	Maureen Lilley	Mary J. Morse	Josephine Stamp
Patricia C. Newey	Eileen M. Martin	Sheila J. Plant	E. Anne Walters
Anita M. Page	Kathleen J. Robinson	C. Mary Redick	Janet Watson
Olwyn Ruston	Valerie P. Underhill	Audrey I. Roberts	Joan Whitehouse
June M. Taylor	R. H. Beard	Joan Smith	Nancy E. Etheridge
Valerie Williams	W. V. Drury	Beryl E. Whitehouse	June M. Hall
P. J. Abell	D. J. M. Garrington	B. J. Babington	

GENERAL CERTIFICATES OF EDUCATION AT ADVANCED LEVEL

G. E. Brown	L. N. Green	W. G. K. Taylor	Jane Martin
P. T. R. Brown	I. R. W. Hargest	D. I. Trowman	Patricia A. Newman
M. A. Cole	D. Hill	A. Wootton	Janet A. Partington
R. L. Dittrich	A. E. Parkes	Dinah R. Baker	Enid Phillips
H. J. H. Dunn	J. A. Perry	Barbara W. Comley	Joyce Standley
A. W. Easey	G. A. M. Robertson	Yvonne E. J. Dugmore	Margaret E. Webb
R. M. Edge	D. J. Such	Kathleen M. Lewis	B. E. S. Trueman

SPECIAL AWARDS

Munro Major Open Scholarship to Queen's College Cambridge	I. D. Howard
Open Scholarship to Birmingham University	R. L. Dittrich
Open Scholarship to Bristol University	D. I. Trowman
State Scholarship	R. L. Dittrich
Worcestershire County Major Scholarships	P. T. R. Brown
		M. A. Cole
		Yvonne E. J. Dugmore
		L. N. Green
		Enid Phillips
		W. G. K. Taylor
		A. Wootton
Dawes Memorial University Scholarship	H. J. H. Dunn
Albright University Scholarship	Award deferred
Oldbury Educational Trust Scholarships	Kathleen M. Lewis
		M. G. Spencer
O.S.A. Prize for Outstanding Achievement	I. D. Howard
Frank Dawes' Prize for Leadership	I. D. Howard
Lydia Dawes' Prize for Leadership	Janet A. Partington
Best General Certificate of Education—Girls	Enid Phillips
Best General Certificate of Education—Boys	R. L. Dittrich

PRIZES FOR THE BEST USE OF LEISURE

Senior Boys' Prizes, awarded by the late Mr. A. P. Hands	..	B. Babington
Senior Girls' Prizes, awarded by Mrs. C. T. Barlow	..	B. E. S. Trueman
		Barbara W. Comley
Junior Prizes, awarded by the late Mr. C. T. Barlow	..	Janet S. Tibbetts
		Mavis Letts
		R. Robertson
Art Prize for Design of programme cover for "Merrie England"	Janet Turner
Certificates of Merit in Leisure Time Activities	91 awards

AWARDS FOR GAMES, ATHLETICS, SWIMMING, ETC.

Girl Guides Prizes	Constance Bagley
O.S.A. Prize	Jean Woodhouse
Quayle Games Prizes	P. J. Abell
	R. L. Dittrich
	Kathleen M. Lewis
Girls' Junior Champion	Patricia A. Newman
Boys' Junior Champions	Beryl Foley
	T. Reynolds
	R. T. Hancox
Girls' Intermediate Champion	Ann Elsdon
Boys' Intermediate Champion	R. J. Oakey
Girls' Senior Champion, awarded Albright Cup	Enid Phillips
Boys' Senior Champion, awarded Vernon Cup	L. N. Green
Parents' Cricket Match—Cricket Shield	The School

HOUSE CUPS

Swimming	KING'S HOUSE
Howarth Cup for Inter-House Games	SCHOOL HOUSE
Jephcott Cup for Athletics	TRINITY HOUSE
Davies Cup for Junior & Middle School Studies	QUEEN'S HOUSE
Hadley Cup for Academic Achievement of Seniors	KING'S HOUSE

SOME RECENT SUCCESSES OF OLD SCHOLARS

J. W. Field, M.D. Awarded C.M.G. (Companion of the Order of St. Michael & St. George) in the Birthday Honours List, for Medical Research in Malaya.

Birmingham University

Faculty of Science

E. R. Robertson
R. Stephens

Hons. B.Sc. (Class II, Div. I) Botany.
Hons. B.Sc. (Class I), Chemistry, awarded Frankland Prize for Chemistry.

G. Russell
P. J. Whittingham

Passed 2nd year B.Sc. course
Passed 1st year B.Sc. course.

Faculty of Arts

Valerie Bayliss
Doreen Partington

Passed 2nd year Honours School of English.
Passed 2nd year Honours School of History.

Faculty of Medicine

J. M. Shepherd
T. Spencer

B.Sc. Hons. (Class II, Div. I) Anatomy and Physiology.
Passed Final M.B., Ch.B., Part I.

School of Dental Surgery

D. A. Stokes
Alma M. Cox

Diploma in Dental Surgery.
Diploma in Dental Surgery.

Education Department

Nancy C. M. Harrold, B.Sc.

Gained Teaching Diploma.

Faculty of Commerce

Victor B. Hale

B. Com. (Sociology, Economics & Political Science).

University of Sheffield

J. Butler
M. C. Round
G. F. Brown

B.Sc. 1st Class, Fuel Technology.
Completed 2nd year of course in Hons. Zoology.
B.A. (Pass II) General.

University of Nottingham

J. Morse

Completed 1st year of course for B.Sc. Hons. Chemistry.

University of Wales

Swansea College

J. M. Lomax

Passed 1st year examination in Civil Engineering.

University College of North Wales—Bangor

A. J. Lambert

Passed the Second Year Examinations for B.Sc. in Forestry.

Bristol University

Ailie Bird
R. Willetts

Completed 2nd year of Honours French Course.
Gained Certificate of Education.

Saltley College

D. C. Stokes

Gained Certificate of Education.

Dudley Training College

Daphne Nicnolls

Gained Teaching Diploma (Distinction).

Birmingham College of Technology

Joyce Weston

Passed Intermediate Examination of the Pharmaceutical Society.

P. P. Richards

Passed the Intermediate Examination B.Pharm. of London University.

E. R. Knight

B.Sc. (Special) in Chemistry of London University.

P. H. Andrews

Qualified as H.M. Inspector of Taxes in the Chief Inspectors Branch of the Inland Revenue Department.

Oldbury School Song

'Mid ceaseless toil and the swirling smoke, where the mighty furnace
glows,
With night skies ablaze through the murk and the haze, the Oldbury
School arose.
Her sons and her daughters both have attained a due meed of renown.
For some the hero's fame, for some the scholar's crown.

CHORUS:

So Hurrah for the Old Boys of Oldbury,
Who have built up the fame of our School,
For they played the game, we must do the same,
Until all hail the fair name of Oldbury.
Though the strife of life may be swift and keen,
Though we may find hard knocks to rule,
Heed not the praise or blame, carry on and play the game,
For we are boys (girls) of Oldbury School.

When War clouds rose, spread afar o'er the land, then her sons gave of
their best,
We honour those who have paid with their lives for safety for the rest.
Her fair daughters all came forth at the call to work in Freedom's name,
So let us in our turn, carry on and play the game.

CHORUS.

When games go fast and the time passes by and the goals are hard to find,
And half-back and back bear the shock of attack, and forwards gasp for
wind.
It's then gallant hearts are game to the last, no fear their strength shall
tame,
So strive on to the end, the glory's in the game.

CHORUS.

In years to come when we're grown stiff and staid, and we wonder how we
played.
And we think of the games in the rain and the sun, and the records that we
made,
We'll pause for a while and count up the score, with neither fear nor
shame,
We'll face our lives and say, we've always played the game.

CHORUS.