THE HULME GRAMMAR SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.
RECORD OF THE OLD GIRLS' ASSOCIATION,
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# THE OLD GIRLS' ASSOCIATION.

## CONSTITUTION AND RULES.

The Society shall be called The Old Girls' Association of the Oldham Hulme Grammar School for Girls.

The President shall be the acting Head Mistress of the School, and the Secretary shall be one of the members of the School Staff.

The affairs of the Association shall be conducted by a Committee consisting of the President, the Secretary, the Treasurer, and sixteen representative members, of whom one shall be elected by the Staff, fourteen shall be elected by the Old Girls, and one by the members of Form Upper VI. Of the fourteen Old Girls' representatives two shall retire annually in rotation, but they shall be eligible for re-election, and the election shall take place at the December meeting.

Members who, without good cause assigned, absent themselves from Committee meetings for two consecutive years shall be considered to have resigned, and their places shall be filled up at the December meeting at the end of the second year during which they were absent from the meetings.

Full members (i.e., girls who are able to attend the meetings) shall pay a yearly subscription of 3/-. Country members, who are not eligible to attend meetings, shall pay 2/-. Both subscriptions will include the Record.

All subscriptions are due in December, and may be paid at the meeting. No notices will be sent to any member whose subscription is two years in arrears.

There shall be two meetings of the Association each year—at the beginning of December, and on the first Thursday in July, with the exception that in alternate years a picnic on the first Saturday in July shall take the place of the summer meeting at School.

During the last week in November each member shall send to the Secretary at least one warm, useful garment for the poor. Clothing that has been worn, if it is in good condition, is also acceptable.

The Record shall be issued during the Spring Term, and shall be sent to all members who have paid their subscriptions.

# OFFICERS FOR 1928.

President-Miss Bailey.

Secretary and Treasurer—Miss Evington.

Committee (in order of election)

S. Rothwell D. Brocklehurst

B. Holt (Mrs. Watson) E. Kelsall

M. Smith M. Kershaw (Mrs. Dunkerley)

G. Thompson M. Johnson

E. Macpherson (Mrs. Thompson) G. Taylor (Mrs. Cooke)

L. Johnson (Mrs. Garfitt) M. Weston

G. Wilkinson P. Rye (Mrs. Jackson)

Representative of the Staff—Miss Shaw.

Representative of Form VI.—D. Howard.

### Sir GEORGE W. NEEDHAM.

In Sir George Needham the school has lost another valued friend and Governor. The youthful spirit and the love of life which kept him in harness till the end, forgetful of his eighty-four years, sent him to his office each morning and to the meetings of the public bodies on which he served and finally led to the accident which resulted in his death at Bournemouth, on February 29th, after a week's illness.

He never missed a Governors' Meeting unless he was away from home, and always gladly gave the benefit of his sound advice, and showed his interest by informal visits from time to time. His devotion to duty was an example to us all. Nor must we forget his practical generosity to the school; the Art Room in the new building bears his name as a permanent acknowledgment of this.

We shall think of his life and work with affectionate

gratitude in the years to come.

D.B.

Our school, founded in 1895, has reached an age at which in the lives of individuals there come changes within the circle of the family and friends. In our school circle, which is just a big family, these same changes are apparent. Old friends are passing. Last year we lost our honoured first Chairman of the Governors, Lord Emmott. This year, Sir George Needham, a Governor almost from the beginning, has been taken from us. The School is the poorer for their departing.

Changes there are, too, within the building. Old Girls are often heard to say: "We would so like to come and visit the old school, but we don't think we should know anyone there now, and even the old class rooms are closed to us." It is a little pathetic. but it is the inevitable result of the passage of the years. any Old Girls who would like to visit the old haunts can be sure of There are still some on the staff whom they would know; there are also three Old Girls who have come back as mistresses—a valuable link between old and new. Old Girls cannot be too grateful to Miss Bailey for her unfailing interest in their Association and her kindness to all its members.

But there is another point of view.

Association is the "grown-up daughter" of the school, as it were, and the time has come for its members to consider whether they are taking their share in the wider duties of citizenship, those varied "loyalties" as we recently heard it defined. Loyalty to our school should expand into loyalty to our town, thus proving that the many advantages we enjoyed at school have contributed to fit us mentally and morally for higher service. The town is now looking to you to carry on the work so ably begun by others whose hands are now growing weary of the long strain.

Two such calls have come recently. Miss Lees has invited us to send a representative to the Oldham Council of Social The Committee at a special meeting elected Lilian Johnson (Mrs. Garfitt) who will no doubt act as a sort of liaison officer between ourselves and the various social welfare activities

in the town.

Mrs. Higgs is making her own appeal on behalf of the Beautiful Oldham Society. She has already one valuable helper in Constance Wilde, but more recruits are needed. The work does not appear to be onerous, but on the contrary, varied and interesting. I do entreat you not to let this appeal be made in vain. We must not grow selfish; we must not exist as a society merely to meet and enjoy pleasant evenings together. gatherings are always happy times, but if that is all we aim at we shall deteriorate. Surely among our three hundred and fifty members there must be some with leisure, ability and public spirit enough to help Those willing to try what they can do may send their names either to Mrs. Higgs or to Miss Evington.

This is not to say that the Old Girls have been idle in the The Hulme Charity would be much worse off without them; their hand is seen in our new building, at our bazaars, and their Roll of Honour for war work is a worthy one. So be up and doing, Old Girls, carry on the old tradition, and even go one better.

Speaking of bazaars, on the occasion of the last one in December, 1927, we undertook at L. Johnson's suggestion, a pound stall. It was quite an impromptu affair, for the chance for the suggestion arose at the very eleventh hour. When the bazaar opened, the stall displayed about five packages, at the close it handed in about £4 6s. Od., a very creditable amount. Could not the pound stall become a regular fixture at the bazaar? Nottie Macpherson, League of Pity Secretary and Bazaar Organiser would willingly allot it a place.

Why did so few come to the picnic last year, only thirty-three all told? Those who did not come missed a most enjoyable excursion, and they must forgive us if we who did go are malicious enough to gloat. The programme was specially attractive, we were favoured by the weather, and so the trip was an unqualified success. Picnics are made for our young members, it is just their opportunity to arrange little parties of friends and revel in a day in the country. Perhaps they will be better advised next year.

The school has certainly reached maturity, the proof being that it has now at least three married grandchildren as you will

see on referring to the marriage notices.

The next meeting should take place on Thursday, July 5th, try to keep that date open. This summer we shall meet at school.

For badges (brooches), price 5/-, and for order forms for

blazers, apply to Miss Evington.

Members would greatly ease the work of the Secretary if they would notify changes of address (and name) when such occur; also if those who are unable to come to the winter meeting would send their subscriptions at the beginning of December.

# MEETINGS IN 1927.

The summer meeting held on July 2nd was a most enjoyable picnic to Alton Towers. We left Oldham just after 8 a.m. (was the time too early for the young ones?) and arrived at Alton about 11-15. We explored the extensive grounds, and many fine views rewarded our efforts. The lunch in the neat package which each member carried was eaten where fancy dictated, and in the afternoon all met about 4 o'clock at the Gardener's Cottage for a nicely served tea.• We were very pleased to have with us Miss Gregory, Miss Mitchell, and her sister Miss Winifred Mitchell.

A pictorial letter card, signed by everyone present was sent to Miss Clark, who sent a delightfully characteristic letter in reply. We arrived home well before 9 p.m., and of course, as usual, this

picnic was voted the "best ever."

Those present were: —Miss Gregory, Miss Mitchell, Miss W. Mitchell, Miss Evington, A. Ashton, H. Chadwick, D. Curtis, P. Firth, S. Fletcher (Mrs. Airey), O. Garfitt, D. Greenall, B. Holt (Mrs. Watson), E. Kelsall, M. Kershaw (Mrs. Dunkerley), L. Johnson (Mrs. Garfitt), N. Johnson, B. Leach, N. Macpherson, M. Mallandain, S. Rothwell, P. Rye (Mrs. Jackson), H. Shuttleworth, M. Simpson, M. Smith, S. Stock, C. Taylor, G. Taylor, M. Tetlow, G. and M. Thompson, A. Watson (Mrs. Lees), P. Wilde, G. Wilkinson, K. Wynne.

The winter meeting of the Old Girls' Association was held on December 1st and proved to be one of our largest gatherings, there being present about a hundred and twenty members—most

of whom belonged to the younger generation.

The usual things were done in the usual happy way. This year we were favoured with a Staff Concert, which was a real delight. There were carols sung with an air of mystery in the darkness! There were songs, pianoforte solos and dances given very beautifully. We appreciated the kindness of the Staff in giving up their busy hours to make our evening such a pleasant one, and we would thank them once more.

The Old Girls' meeting is a great event. To be back in the old school, where inspiration breathes so strong, where there is knowledge and light, to be there among those with whom one laughed and learned for so many lovely years gives one again something wonderful and precious to take away when it is all over, something that helps one to keep the school spirit aflame in the greater school outside, where now the Old Girls serve

S.L.

# The following signed the visitors' book:-

Miss Bailey, Miss Boore, Miss Evington, Miss James, Miss Laidler, Miss Labrum, Miss Mitchell, Miss O'Brien, Miss Pestle, Miss Rainford, Miss Roberts, Miss Shaw, Miss Smith, Miss Taylor, A Airey, C. Aldridge, K. Allen, A. Ashton, B. Bagot (Mrs. Travis), M. Bagot (Mrs. Buckley), E. Bentley, L. Binns, W. Brierley, E. Bright, W. and M. Broadbent, D. Brocklehurst, M. Brown (Mrs. Mills). A. Buckley (Mrs. Lord), B. Buckley, A. Butterworth, J. Carson, H. Chadwick, K. Cheetham, C. Clegg, C. Cocker, L. Collin, M. and A. Coop, A. and E. Cooper, D. Corns, M. and D. Curtis, G. Dearden (Mrs. Wolstencroft), E. Dunkerley, V. Eades, K. Eyres H. Gale, O. Garfitt, G. Griffiths, M. Hallsworth, D. and M. Hardwick, E. Harrison, M. Holden, F. Holden, H. Holden, B. Holt (Mrs. Watson), A. Howarth, M. Jackson (Mrs. Nelson), E. Jackson (Mrs. Dunkerley), M. Jagger, L. Johnson (Mrs. Garfitt), M. Johnson, E. Kelsall, M. Kershaw (Mrs. Dunkerley), S. Kirby, W. Kirkman, S. Laycock, M. Letham, W. Longworth, M. Lord, J. McLening, M. Mallandain, E. Marsland, H. Megson, H. Mellor, L. Miller, V. Mills, I. Mills (Mrs. Horsfall', W. Mottram (Mrs. Stanley), M. Nash, A. Neild, M. Pennington, M. Perry, B. Potter (Mrs. Eastwood), S. Rothwell, P. Rye (Mrs. Jackson), M. Schofield, E. Shaw (Mrs. Morton), K. and I. Shimeld, B. Sinkinson, M. Slater, M. Smith, E. Stott, E. Swales, A. Taylor, M. Taylor, E. and M. Tetlow, L. Thompson, E. Thompson, G. and M. Thompson, M. Turner, N. Walton. A. Warburton, A. Watson (Mrs. Lees), E. Watson, M. Weston, M. Whitehead, D. Wild, P. and C. Wilde, G. Wilkinson, A. Winterbottom, A. and A. Wrigley, D. Wyatt, M. Wynne.

# THE SOIREÉ.

The Soirée was held on February 10th this year. This is now the third year that a joint Soirée has been held, and this one proved to be in every way as enjoyable as its two predecessors. The Soirée seems now to be looked forward to—and not by Old Girls and Old Boys only, but by many of their friends also—as an annual institution, and the large numbers present were a sure proof of the success of both this and the two preceding Soirées.

Miss Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Pickford and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Brierley received the guests. After this, most of the guests went on to the performance of Stephen Schofield's "Good Old Uncle Amos," an excellent production which thoroughly engrossed the audience. Indeed with the total darkness of the Hall and the convincing performances of the actors, we achieved so completely a "willing suspension of disbelief" that many people confessed at the end of it to having forgotten where they were.

The performance was given by the "Wanglers," a dramatic company whose members are mainly Old Boys and Old Girls. The ladies' parts were most ably acted by Bessie and Amy

Buckley.

There was also a humorous entertainment given by Harry Wilks and Sidney Simmonds in the Girls' Dining Room. This was pronounced to be excellent by those who saw it, though the present writer was engrossed at that time with the rival attractions of ping-pong and table cricket.

The programme was ingeniously arranged so that the most zealous dancers could have their fill of the other entertainments without missing any dancing. The forethought of the Committee in thus arranging that no two items on the programme overlapped

was very much appreciated.

The dancing, of course, took up the greater part of the evening. The band, the Zylo Four, was excellent in rhythm, though we observed with pardonable pride that the majestic height of the Hall rather diminished its volume. The majority of people danced with unflagging energy until one o'clock, when the evening's enjoyment came to an end with the singing of "Auld Lang Syne.,"

M. W.

## ENVIRONMENT.

If you look at any little plant you see that it lives by making the most of its surroundings. It does not matter whether it is a tiny bit of moss or lichen, or a chance seed that blossoms by the wayside, or a seed blown into a cranny of the rock. Where it is, there it has to make the best of things, to extract nutriment and to turn duliness to beauty. The beauty comes when it makes the best of itself.

Then it confers beauty, and often I have stopped to wonder

at the beauty it confers on the dullest surroundings.

Now can we all set to work to confer beauty on the town in which we live? I believe we can, indeed when I contrast the town into which I came to live over thirty years ago, I know that if you could be transported back, you would think we were doing it. The changes have been very swift and if in the next thirty years they continue, Oldham will hardly know itself.

But is the Oldham that has the longest and most elaborate education, prepared to help the Oldham that has less opportunity?

When, years ago, I toiled and I might almost say, fought, for higher education, I supposed that I was to get it to help my fellow-women. Many a time, when passing in railway train or tram, the crowded dwellings, I yearned to do something to make life brighter, just for these.

Then one day, one never to be forgotten day, when I was alone at the sea-side, looking across the water at the smudge of two smoky towns, suddenly the thought came to me:—

'OUT OF THE DUNGHILL COMETHE ROSES.'

Yes! It was not in the land of beauty that I was to expect the thirst for beauty to grow, and therefore beauty itself to come to birth! It was where life piled on life was decaying, even rotting. There beauty would develop naturally, because the thirst for beauty is natural to every human soul.

But someone must supply the care that rears the roses! They will not grow of themselves. Have you ever cared for a little plant and watched it? It is very beautiful to watch a single dwarf rose-bush, once I had one on my window sill. But it is still more beautiful to grow human lives. There are so wonderfully many things we can do. All around you lives are springing up, thousands of children whose chance of a beautiful life depends on Beautiful Oldham. They will grow up in it, they will work in it, they will probably provide your bread and butter, and as they grow up serve you in a hundred ways, make and sweep your streets, drive your trams, weave your clothes, make your light, print your papers. What are you going to do to make their lives beautiful? One thing

is certain, your own life will blossom as you make beauty in other lives. Beauty is joy. Joy is something more than happiness, It is the rose of life that gives:—

'ITS BLOSSOM FRAGRANCE TO A NEEDY WORLD.'

But that is not all. Life itself becomes fragrant. To me Oldham is just the dearest place in the world. What is it to you? An ugly barren place you want to get out of if you can?

Yearn as we may, we can only find beauty by growing it in

ourselves. Then we find beauty everywhere.

MARY HIGGS.

### **NEWS FROM OVERSEAS.**

May Kershaw, (Mrs. Osborne) has been living for some years in Australia. Her husband went out as Professor of Botany to the Adelaide University, and consulting botanist to the South Australian Government. During the visit of the Duke and Duchess of York, May and another lady were responsible all the time for the floral decorations at Government House, so they received passes which gave them entry to the state apartments when necessary. May and her husband enjoyed the honour of being presented to their Royal Highnesses at a garden party at Government House. Professor Osborne now occupies the Chair of Botany at Sydney University.

Florence Harker, (Mrs. Paterson) is living at Salaverry in Peru, a place on the coast. Her husband is administrator of the port railway and shipping. Her chief diversion is to go with her husband on board the mail boats which call there, to visit homeward bound friends. But as the coast is dangerous, the steamers anchor well out from shore, and to reach them she has to go out in a launch into which she is lowered in a sort of tub arrangement by means of a crane.

She tells of very interesting Inca ruins near her home, of ancient grave yards where bones and skulls lie scattered about, dug up by treasure hunters. Occasionally ancient silver vessels are found, and there are quaint platters and pots made out of gourds.

Nellie Hirst, (Mrs. Kevill) and her husband have made good after the first three or four difficult years of colonial life, and are now well established and prospering at Victoria, Vancouver,

### NOTES.

Miss Benton has gone to Athens for a year as assistant

secretary to the British School there.

Edna Hutchinson has gained a Second Class in the Final Honours School of English Language and Literature, Oxford, 1927. She is now at the Training College, Oxford.

Annie Wallace has passed the Final B.A. examination,

London.

Margery Curtis has passed the Natural Science Tripos, Part I with Second Class Honours, 1927. She is now working for the Teachers' Diploma at the Manchester University.

Eugenia Cooper was appointed Lecturer in Histology and Anatomy at the Victoria University, Manchester, Christmas 1927.

Kathleen McGowan has passed the M.B., Ch.B. examinations of the Victoria University, Manchester, 1927.

Kathleen Jagger has gained a Second Class in Part I of the

Classical Tripos, Cambridge, 1927.

Ida Ashton, Alice Holden, Marion Slater are studying at the Manchester University; Ida is in residence at Lees Hall. Alice was awarded a Langdale Scholarship of £30 a year for two years, with a possible extension for a third year, and is in residence at Langdale Hall.

Nancie Boyce is at the Liverpool University.

Dorothy Snape has gone to the Royal Holloway College.

Mary Roebuck is at the Leeds University, taking the course for the B.Sc. in Agriculture.

Phyllis Chadderton is at the Leeds Training College, Edith

Moores at Sheffield, and Beatrice Oldham at Bangor.

Marion Mathews was appointed last year Head Mistress of the Central School, Richmond, Surrey.

Eva Hutchinson is now Lecturer in English at the Training

College, Crewe.

Annie Hadfield was appointed last September, Senior English Mistress at Grove Street College, Liverpool, and Edith Gaunt is Classical Mistress at the same school.

Mona Mathews has been appointed History Mistress at the

Dudley High School.

Eva Wood is leaving the Leigh Grammar School where she has been Drill Mistress, and is taking a similar post at Bilston.

Edna Mellor has been, since September, 1926, Kindergarten Mistress, at the Calder Girls' School, Seascale, Cumberland.

Alice Wright is teaching in the Infants' Department of the

Burgess Street School, Harpurhey.

Hilda Gale is teaching at Higginshaw, Anne Wrigley at the Waterhead Council School, and Barbara Parkin at Denshaw.

Margaret Higgs is now Assistant County Superintendent of the Somerset District Nursing Association.

Ruth Chadwick is in charge of a rescue home at Caterham.

Annie Turner is a secretary at the Middlesex Hospital, London.

Helena Garforth is in practice for herself as a dentist at Blackpool.

Constance Wilde is in the office of Messrs. Schofield,

Accountants.

Katherine Wynne is a Woman Pension Officer in the Depart-

ment of Customs and Excise.

Lilian Carson, after a course of training in poultry farming at Studley, was for a time manager of a poultry farm, at Malton, Yorkshire; she is now helping to manage a farm at Chalfont St. Giles, Bucks.

Erica Hooper is confidential clerk in the firm of Messrs.

Dickinson, Cropper and Co. Celanese Agents.

Mary Weaver is assistant librarian at the Oldham Free Library. As she has passed the Matriculation Examination, she is receiving special coaching in library organisation.

Agnes Fenton is a clerk in the office of Messrs. Bennett,

Lea and Rennie, Waste Dealers.

Mabel Lord is clerk to the London, Liverpool and Globe Insurance Company.

Margaret Wynne is in the office of the Exide Company,

Clifton Junction.

Hazel Slater has passed the Civil Service Examination in the clerical class for an appointment in the Post Office. She is in London.

Jessie Simmonite and her husband have returned from South Africa. Dr. Goring has been appointed to a Congregational

Church, at Monmouth.

Alice Dellow (Mrs. McCallum) is going to live in Canada.

Joan Williamson, the daughter of Dorothy Mayall is with a Veterinary Surgeon near Reading, where she is being trained in the care of dogs. Her sister Norma is learning hairdressing.

#### BIRTHS.

April 7th, 1927—To Mrs. Pym (Miss Godden), a son, John.
To Mrs. McCallum (A. Dellow), a daughter, Jean Heather.
Jan. 1st, 1927—To Mrs. Wilson (K. Riley), a daughter.
Feb. 24th, 1927—To Mrs. Sheers (D. Warhurst), a son, Martin.
Mar. 7th, 1927—To Mrs. Barker (H. Wardle), a daughter, Irene Elizabeth.
June 1927—To Mrs. Pennington (J. Birch), a son.
July 14th, 1927—To Mrs. Pilkington (M. Parkyn), a son, John Winfield.
Oct. 7th, 1927—To Mrs. Green (D. Dearden), a daughter, Patricia.
Nov. 8th, 1927—To Mrs. Cheetham (E. Jessop), a daughter.
Jan. 10th, 1928—To Mrs. Cheetham (E. Williams), a son.
Jan. 12th, 1928—To Mrs. Browne (E. Holt), a son, Arthur Holt.
Feb. 4th, 1928—To Mrs. Butterworth (M. Booth), a son.
Feb. 8th, 1928—To Mrs. F. Heywood (M. Wood), a daughter.

### MARRIAGES.

1927—Miss Adams to Mr. E. O. Tancock. Aug. Oct. 5th, 1927-Miss Whitaker to the Rev. F. K. Berry. 1927-Miss Quarmby to the Rev. 1925—Gertrude Mellor to Mr. Ross. Alice Dellow to Mr. McCallum. June 8th, 1927--Doris Smith to Mr. W. Gartside. July 27th, 1927—Amy Buckley to Mr. F. Lord.

Aug. 3rd, 1927—Dorothy Keeler to Mr. F. Colton.

Aug. 11th, 1927—Madge Lawton to Mr. F. Collin.

Sept. 8th, 1927—Winifred Mottram to Mr. G. H. Stanley. Sep. 17th, 1927-Mabel Allott to Mr. C. Eatough. Sep. 21st, 1927—Dorothy Wrigley to Mr. F. R. Cooper. Oct. 5th, 1927—Kitty Stott (daughter of Louie Dodd) to Mr. J. Holden. Nov. 1st. 1927—Mary Prosser to Mr. R. L. Owen. 1927—Rhoda Gartside to Mr. G. Wrigley. Dec. 23rd, 1927 - Clara Ashton (Mrs. J. Leach) to Mr. W. Anderson. Dec. 25th, 1927—Brenda Schofield to Mr. J. C. Huizenga, at Montevey, California, U.S.A. Oct. 12th, 1927—Jessie Simmonite to the Rev. Dr. F. Goring. Feb. 14th, 1928-Edith Tetlow to Mr. Deighton. April 4th, 1927—Gladys Taylor to Mr. R O. Cooke.

Sep. 1927—Phyllis Wilde-Dyson (daughter of Elsie Taylor) to Sep, 14th, 1927—Kathleen Hood (daughter of S. Hand) to Mr. W. T. Hague.

#### IN MEMORIAM.

July 1927—Mr. Bake, the husband of Eva Wood. Nov. 28th, 1927—Thomas Armitage Orme, the husband of Mary Fletcher. Jan. 10th, 1928—Elsie Williams (Mrs. Viner)

Jan. 27th, 1928—Constance Mallalieu.

#### LIST OF MEMBERS.

Any inaccuracy in this list should be reported at once to the Secretary. Change of address should also be promptly notified. \*—Country Members. f.—Subscriptions not yet received. †Ainscouth, Marie (Mrs. Stratton), District Bank House, Greenfield †Ainscouth, Brenda ... 317, Park Road, Oldham Allen, Kathleen ..... Atherlea, Frederick Street, Oldham †Allott, Mabel (Mrs. Eatough), Woodlands, Dobeross Andrew, Edith (Mrs. Barratt), Parkside, Middleton Road West, Oldham Ashworth, Maud (Mrs. Hall), Hampden Cottage, Shaw Bagot, Bessie (Mrs. A. Travis) Sett House, Salem, Oldham Bagot, Mary (Mrs. J. Buckley), 23, Manley Road, Oldham Belfield, Muriel (Mrs. C. Houlgrave), 202, Copster Hill Road, Oldham Bentley, Edith....... 18, Osborne Road, Oldham \*Bentley, Maud...... Hillside, Conway, North Wales Binns, Lucy ...... Shawhall, Greenfield †Birch, Jessie (Mrs. Pennington), 29, Ronald Street, Oldham \*Blomiley, Ethel ..... The Haven, 29, York Road, Ansdell, Lytham +Boardman, Dorothy... 54, Trinity Street, Coldhurst, Oldham Brierley, Elizabeth (Mrs. Berry), Dalmarnock, Kensington Road, Werneth Brierley, Beatrice (Mrs. Eric Wood), Ash Lea, Lydgate, Mossley, Manchester Brierley, Elsie (Mrs. Clayton), 2, Bright Street, Werneth †\*Brierley, Nellie...... 8, Moorland Avenue, Dobcross †Brierley, Doris ...... Inglenook, Grasscroft †Brierley, Lilian...... Inglenook, Grasscroft Brierley, Wimfred ... Hillcrest, Greenfield Brocklehurst, Dorothy 11, Newport Street, Werneth †Brooks, Sarah ........ 35, College Road, Werneth Brown, Marion (Mrs. Mills), 120, Acre Lane, Oldham \*Buckley, Annie....... 108, High Street, Oldham Buckley, Amy (Mrs. F. Lord), 11, Belgrave Avenue, Oldham Buckley, Bessie....... 11, Poplar Avenue, Hollins Estate, Oldham \*Buckley, Mary ....... Farrandale, Ryll Grove, Exmouth, S. Devon †\*Buckley, Ruth ...... South View, Chew Valley Road, Greenfield Burgess, Mary ...... Four Oaks, Greenfield †Burgess, Joyce ..... Four Oaks, Greenfield Butterworth, Annie... Blowith, Oldham Road, Rochdale †Butterworth, Helen... Highlands, Rochdale Road, Shaw †Butterworth, Mary ... Highlands, Rochdale Road, Shaw †\*Butterfield, Evelyn ... Heather Bank, Greenfield †\*Caldwell, Charlotte (Mrs. Tate), Lancaster. †\*Carson, Ellen (Mrs. Robinson), Endoon, Hengoed, Oswestry Carson, Jean.......... 65, Werneth Hall Road, Oldham \*Carson, Lillian ........ 65, Werneth Hall Road, Oldham

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Carter, Doris (Mrs. Young), 21, Queen's Road, Chadderton
  Carter, Lily (Mrs. Dewhurst) Redcot, Burnley Lane, Royton
  Cartwright, Mildred... 3, Belgrave Road, Oldham
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†Chadderton, Mary ... 115, Coppice Street. Werneth
Chadwick, Hilda ..... 377, Park Road, Oldham
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 †Clayton, Helen (Mrs. Robinson), 21, Bath Street, Werneth
  Clegg, Celia ......... 6. Clarksfield Road, Oldham
 *Cliff, Dorothy (Mrs. Pomeroy), Mellstock, Grenville Road, Truro
 *Cliff, Kathleen ....... 273, Ashton Road East, Failsworth
 *Clynes, May (Mrs. Herbert), 41, St. John's Road, Putney, S.W. 15
  Cocker, Constance ... 29, King Street, Royton
 Collin, Lucy ........ 4. The Croft, Garden Suburb, Oldham †Collins, Mary ........ 4, Grendon Avenue, Oldham
 *Cooke, Mildred...... 20, Clarence Road, Birkdale, Southport
 *Coop, Helen ...... 103a, Queen's Road, Oldham
  Coop, Mabel ...... 103a, Queen's Road, Oldham
 Corns, Dorothy...... 482, Middleton Road, Chadderton
  Crompton, Jennie (Mrs. Turner), 143, Windsor Road, Oldham Curtis, Margery ...... 7, College Road, Oldham Curtis, Dorothy ...... 7, College Road, Oldham
†*Dawson, Gladys ..... Higher Thorpes Farm, Austerlands, Oldham
  Dean, Nora ...... 281, Windsor Road, Werneth
  Dearden, Daisy (Mrs. Green), 105, Waterloo Street, Oldham
  Dearden, Gladys (Mrs. Wolstencroft), 103, Greengate Street, Oldham
 t*Duncan, Alice, ..... 114, Abbey Hills Road, Oldham
  Dunkerley, Eunice ... 6, Heywood Street, Waterhead
  Eades, Vivienne ..... 184, Frederick Street, Oldham
  Eastwood, Edith ..... 55, Cranbrook Street, Oldham
  Eyres, Kate ...... Craigmont, Dobeross
 †Farrar, Ethel (Mrs. Constadine) 13, Osborne Street, Shaw
 †Farrar, Muriel ...... Children's Hospital, Manningham, Bradford
 +Fenton, Agnes ...... 23, Grendon Avenue, Oldham
Firth, Phyllis...... 88, Brompton Street, Park Road, Oldham
†*Fisher, Dorothy...... Greenroyd, Heysham Road, Heysham, nr. Morecambe
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