

*From the Rev. John Harris Backhouse, M.A., Master in
the Government School at Carshalton.*

Gentlemen,

Having learnt that Mr. Ambery, of Brasenose College, Oxford, intends to offer himself as a candidate for the Second Classical Mastership in the School at ———, I have great pleasure in bearing testimony to his fitness for such an appointment. I have been acquainted with him for many years, during which time he has enjoyed a high reputation in respect both of attainments and unimpeachable moral character. His career at the University was eminently successful; he frequently obtained the first place in the college examinations, and his position in the class list was highly creditable. Since he took his degree, he has had considerable experience as a private tutor, and has been, I believe, very successful with his pupils.

Should you decide upon electing him, I have no doubt that his devotion to the duties of his office will be such as to satisfy your highest expectations.

I have the honour to remain,

Gentlemen,

Your obedient, humble servant,

J. H. BACKHOUSE, M.A.,

Junior Classical and Mathematical Master
in the Ordnance School, Carshalton.

Carshalton, May 31, 1852.

*From the Rev. Robert Edward Sanderson, M.A., Head
Master of St. Andrew's College, Bradfield, Berks.*

Bradfield, 6th February, 1855.

Gentlemen,

I am happy to bear testimony to the many very valuable qualities which Mr. Ambery possesses, and which eminently fit him for the post at ———, for which I understand he is now a candidate.