CRICKET

Granville V. Naval Base

On Thursday afternoon, June 7th, the Fragments from France had as their opponents at Chatham House the Lads in Navy Blue from Ramsgate Naval Base. The weather conditions and the pitch were perfect, and an excellent game was witnessed. The Sailors went first to bat, and the excellent bowling and tricky fielding of the Soldiers kept the Salts from running up a big score. They were all out for 33 runs, none of them reaching to double figures. The Granvillians then took the wicket, and the few who batted presented some splendid cricket, piling up 123 runs for four wickets. Corp. Avres did good work with the bat, being the topscorer with 29 not out, while Dis.-Rider Sutton run him a close second with 27 runs. Capt. Preston played pretty cricket for his 20 runs before he was caught. Corp. Strutton weilded a dandy bat, and tied with the Captain at 20. Pte. Hesketh was the last man to play, and knocked up 12 then lost his wicket. The scores were: - Sailors, 33: Soldiers, 123 for four wickets.

Granville V. Government Workers

The Granville Canadians met the Government Workers at the Recreation Ground on Saturday afternoon, when a most interesting game was put up. The weather was on its best behaviour, making it a batters' day. The Workers were without two of their players, but two good substitutes were found in Patient Hinscliffe of Chatham House, and our old friend Sailor Warner whose swift bowling is well known to the Fragments. These two players were of very material help to the Government boys—Warner with the ball, and Hinscliffe with the bat, the latter being credited with 14 runs before Kingston got him leg-before. Capt. Preston has had the luck, or misfortune, to be caught out in all the matches played as yet, and he was top-notcher with 37 when he put the ball neatly into Ledridge's hands. Ptes. Hesketh, Kingston, and Corp. Strutton all reached double figures. The whole team showed splendid cricket. Appended are the scores:—

			CANADIANS	
WORKERS				10
Stalker, b Kingston	***	5	Hesketh, b Warner	12
Edwards, b Sutton	***	5	Strutton, c Warner. b Stalker	37
Ledridge, b Kingston		1		
Fisher, b Sutton		9	Sutton, b Stalker	3
Russell, c Sutton, b Kingston	1	0	Ayres, b Warner	2
Pinkham, b Kingston		0		6
Goodbourne, b Sutton		(Shepherd, run out	
Graham, not out		2	Kingston, b Warner	11
Hinscliffe, lbw, b Kingston		14	Hall, b not out	5
Warner, b Cpt. Preston]	1 Bowskill did not bat	0
M'Kenzie, b Kingston		(Brittain, run out	0
	***		1 Extras	
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Total		. 31	Total	96
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