

**Broomfield:** 220 yards, 880 yards, Girls Relay, High Jump and Long Jump House Cups.

**Grovelands:** 220 yards, 440 yards, One Mile, Boys Relay and Field Events Cups.

**Lawrence:** 100 yards House Cup.

**440 yards Invitation Race Cup:** Enfield Grammar.

**"Sportswoman of the Year" Cup:** Sheila Pratt.

**"Sportsman of the Year" Cup:** D. Withers.

**"Masters" House Shield for Athletics:** Broomfield.

## REPORT OF SPEECH DAYS — 1958

Junior and Senior Speech Days were held on January 14th and 15th, 1958. The presentation of prizes, certificates and trophies for the Year 1956-1957, was carried out by the Guests of Honour, Councillor H. S. Beardow, Mayor of Southgate at Junior Speech Day, and Dr. R. P. Linstead, C.B.E., F.R.S., Rector of Imperial College, at Senior Speech Day. Both speakers entertained the school and their guests with instructive and interesting speeches. The Headmaster presented a very comprehensive report of the previous school year, and the choir rendered a performance which made one wonder "what can the matter be" with winter? The chair was ably taken by Alderman R. S. Pruden at Junior Speech Day, and at Senior Speech Day by Alderman R. C. Evans.

T.H. AND A.L.

## SCHOOL SOCIETIES

### S.C.M.

*"We rest on Thee, our Shield and our Defender."*

These were among the last words of five missionaries who sacrificed their lives carrying out the command of our Lord to proclaim the Gospel to all men. They were martyred in Equador while preaching to the wild Aucus tribe. The story of these young men was told to us by the Missionary Aviation Fellowship sound strip "Mid-Century Martyrs" in February of this year. The emphasis this year has in fact been on missionary activity generally.

We have been very fortunate in having five missionary speakers who have told of their experiences both at home and abroad. An old Minchendenian, Mr. Peter Manicom came to tell us of his work in the Belgian Congo and we were especially pleased to welcome him back to the school.

Two Fact and Faith films were shown, 'God of the Atom' and "Red River of Life'. Both were extremely popular, attracting many people who do not usually come to our meetings.

We have had four Bible studies during the year, the subjects being Prayer (two studies), Evangelism and Friendship and we have also had

two readings from Dorothy Sayers' book of plays, 'A Man Born to be King'.

Early in the Autumn, Mr. Roy Catell gave us an interesting and inspiring talk on the subject of 'Guidance'.

During Christian Aid Week, the Rev. Keith Fisher told about the work of the World Council of Churches among refugees.

We have held one Brains Trust which we found very interesting and helpful.

The End of Term Services were held as in former years. The speakers on each occasion were the Rev. A Salmon of Christ Church, Cockfosters, the Rev. R. Brighton of Bowes Methodist Church and the Rev. R. Park of Muswell Hill Baptist Church.

Some sixth formers joined with other local schools for the S.C.M. Inter-Schools' Conference which was held this year at Edmonton County School. The subject was 'Is the Church any use?' and the two speakers were the Rev. Harry Bailey and the Rev. E. C. D. Stanford.

We began a new venture last year, namely the setting up of an S.C.M. library, which we hope will grow as time goes on and be a real help to our members.

This year the Prayer Meetings held each Monday dinner-time were better attended and we should like to thank Miss Nolan for the use of her room. We also thank Mr. Mayo and Mr. MacGregor for all their help and encouragement throughout the year.

JUDITH ILLINGWORTH.

### J.C.S.

Our meetings during the past year have been varied and interesting. We were very fortunate in welcoming Mr. David Day, of C.I.M., and Mr. Cheeseman, of the Wycliffe Bible Translators, to speak to us; these meetings were shared with the S.C.M.

The Bible, the greatest Book in the world, has been a main topic in our meetings. We have held two instructive and entertaining Bible Quizzes, and an equally interesting Bible Studies.

Two films were shown, one entitled "A certain Nobleman", and the other, "The Wedding Feast"; both were based on parables told by Jesus Christ.

Once again our grateful thanks are expressed to Mr. Mayo and Mr. MacGregor, for all they do in making these meetings so instructive and enjoyable.

"I am not ashamed of the Gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth."

We pray that in the coming year many more members of the Lower School, and especially first-formers, may own this conviction, and swell our numbers, which in the past year have not been high.

S.R.