

The College Hostel.

Mr. C. Tadulinga Mudaliar, Chief Assistant to the Government Lecturing Botanist, was appointed Hostel Warden in February last, *vice* Mr. R. V. Subramania Aiyar on furlough. Several changes have been introduced in the Hostel. In the beginning, it was decided to abolish the Rs. 8 rate and to run the mess at a uniform rate of Rs. 12, according to a standard menu, fixed by the Hostel Council, as suitable for the kind of work which students have to do at this College. The result was that there was a loss of nearly Rs. 100 per mensem during June, July and August. The Hostel Council, which consists of the Principal, Rai Bahadur K. Rangachariar and Messrs. S. L. D'Silva J. Chelvaranga Raju, M. R. Ramaswami Sivan, T. V. Narayana Rao and B. V. Nath and the Warden, at a meeting held in September resolved to raise the rate to Rs. 13-0-0, exclusive of oil bath which will be extra.

It was also decided that the non-vegetarian mess should be run by the Warden at the same rate.

every Hitherto, one or two subordinate officers of the College used to manage under the Warden as Managers of the mess, and as their office work and mess management work seems to have suffered by this arrangement, it is resolved to appoint a full time steward to look after the messes, presently a Government pensioner, on a salary of Rs. 30, together with free quarters and boarding.

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Estate.

The B type and eight C type quarters which were sanctioned nearly 2 years ago were completed recently and have all been occupied. Further additions to residential quarters, we hear, are under contemplation.

An additional reservoir for water is being raised near the well in Field No. 60 which has been fitted with an oil Engine. It will chiefly

be used for the Hostel blocks, and may later on be joined to the Main Supply from the College well.

The Students' Club.

During the last quarter the old Tennis Court in the north-east corner of the maidan was repaired and a second court was laid, contiguous to it, with the help of a liberal grant from Government. The set of two courts has also been well protected, from winds, by mud concrete walls and high thatties.

Two cricket matches were played, one with the Newington team and the other with the Forest College. In the first match, Newington made 181 runs while the College scored only 91 runs. In the second match, the College put up a score of 143 runs, the Forest team replying with only 48 runs.

Three Hockey matches were played, with the following results :-

1. Agricultural College *vs.* Police Recruit School,
won by 5 goals to 3.
2. Agricultural College *vs.* Coimbatore College,
won by 2 goals to nil.
3. Agricultural College *vs.* Forest College,
defeated by 1 goal to 2.

We are glad to state that our College maintained its position in the Sports outside the Institution. In the Grigg Memorial Sports in which 3 events were open to our students, Adinarayana Rao was 1st in one Mile Race, Venkatachalam was 1st in Quarter Mile Race and Achuthan Nambyar was 2nd and Dharmalingam 3rd in 100 yards' Race. In the Forest College Sports in which our students were invited to compete in the half Mile Race, Venkatachalam got the 2nd Prize.
