

Photograph of 1st hockey team, Wilton House School, Reading, 1922.
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| 1 | Photograph of the 1 st hockey team, Wilton House School, Reading, 1922-1923 season. [Wilton House School was a private boarding school for girls. For the diary of a pupil in 1918, <i>see</i> D/EX 1341/1. The school had originally been established by Miss Sarah White in the early 1850s at 2 Wellington Place, King's Road, Reading, and was at 173 and 175 King's Road by the 1870s. Miss White was succeeded by her niece Marion in the late 1890s, and the school moved to Wilton House, Tilehurst Road, between 1891 and 1895, and then to new premises also called Wilton House in Parkside Road in 1898. Miss White sold the school in 1919 (for deeds and a plan, <i>see</i> D/ECD/T17/8-9). By 1920 the school was run by the Misses C and I Pocock. Advertisements, with a photograph of the premises, may be found in Kelly's Directory of Berkshire, 1920, 1924 and 1931. The school appears to have closed or to have moved away, c.1931-1934. The building was subsequently used as the headquarters for Berkshire County Council Education Department. For plans of the building, 1960, and some internal elevations, 1969, <i>see</i> C/AR/P13/8.] | 1 doc | 1922 |
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