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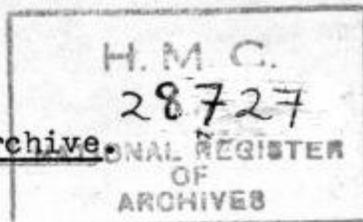
Hurstpierpoint College

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There are a great many photographs at Hurstpierpoint, but these are not listed in the archive. They will require a separate catalogue of their own.

Under the heading 'Location' in this list, the letter A stands for Archive, JS for Junior School, and all other items are located by the name of the person who holds them at the moment, or by his or her appointment.

A list of items of archive importance held at
St. John's College, Hurstpierpoint, in September 1985.

A. History (i) Published Material

<u>Serial</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>	
A i 1	1858 to date	The Hurst Johnian founded in May 1858 is the vital source for the School's history. Its policy has been to maintain the annals of the school, and it continues to publish current reports and articles on the past (2 sets) 115 vols.	A
A i 2	1858 to 1982.	Summary of the contents of the magazine by P. King. 1 file	A
A i 3	1865	Photocopied extracts from The Taunton Commission of evidence given by E.C. Lowe provides an early picture of Hurst - Middle School, Probationer Associates, Special School and Servitors. 26 pages. Also Assistant Commissioner Giffard's report of his visit to Hurst (5 pages) a digest of information (2 pages), and a table of school instruction (3 pages) cover some aspects of school life and the pupils.	A
A i 4	1864	Woodard Kalendar describes S. John's. The archive has a large, but incomplete, collection of Kalendars.	A
A i 5	1867	E.C. Lowe's "A plea for poor scholars at Oxford", a published letter to the Rector of Lincoln College.	A
A i 6	1867	Lowe's Address on Church Education of Young People and Adults delivered at Wolverhampton. 1 pamphlet.	A
A i 7	1878	Lowe's Record of Thirty Years' Work to endow the Church of England with a system of boarding schools. 1 pamphlet.	A
A i 8	1850 to date.	Hurstpierpoint History Pamphlets I "The climbing of Wolstonbury Hill on Ascension Day" by P. King. 1 pamphlet.	A

- A i 9 Hurstpierpoint History Pamphlets II The Boar's Head Feast and the Celebration of Christmas by P. King includes material on the Volunteer Movement, the last Christmas spent by Lowe at Hurst and other matters. 1 pamphlet. A
- A i 10 Hurstpierpoint History Pamphlets III's. Etheldreda and her day by P. King includes material on the relations between Hurst and the Diocese of Chichester, celebration of the Saint's day at Hurst and modern Speech Days. 1 pamphlet. A
- A i 11 1854 to 1891. The Servitors at Hurst, by P. King. 1 pamphlet. A
- A i 12 1849 to 1982. A short History of Hurstpierpoint by P. King. 1 pamphlet. A
- A i 13 1913 'A Child of the Storm' by H. Rider Haggard is dedicated to James Stuart OHJ. See foreword. 1 vol. A
- A i 14 1923 to 1927. 'When all the world was young', published by Simon Dewes in 1961 relies on his recollections of Hurst and is dedicated to H.B. Tower, his Headmaster. 1 vol. A
- A i 15 1974 Nathanael (sic) Woodard, a lecture given by Basil Handford at Hurst. 1 pamphlet. A
- A i 16 Nathaniel Woodard by Sir John Otter. 1 vol. A
- A i 17 1980 Nathaniel Woodard, Educator of the Middle Classes, by J.A. Wylie. Pamphlet. A
- A i 18 1848 to 1946. The Story of the Woodard Schools by K.E. Kirk (1st and 2nd editions). A
- A i 19 1848 to 1891. Mission to the Middle Classes by Brian Heeney. 1 vol. A
- A i 20 Prospectus. Rev'd. C.E. Cooper. A
- A i 21 Prospectus. Rev'd. A.H. Coombes. A
- A i 22 Prospectus. Rev'd. H.B. Tower (2 editions) A
- A i 23 Prospectus. Mr. Dingwall A
- A i 24 Prospectus Rev'd. R.C. Howard (6 editions) A
- A i 25 Prospectus Mr. Griffiths (6 editions) A
- A i 26 c.1945 Copies of a brochure of photographs of the College. A
- A i 27 1979 The Woodard Schools, illustrated brochure. A
- A i 28 Education of an Imperial Administration a thesis by J.A. Mangan. 46 pages. (Information on OHJ in Sudan). A

A. History (ii) Letters, reminiscences, paper and notes.

<u>Serial</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>
A i 1	1849 to 1853. Papers, mainly from the Founder and Lowe, relating to the foundation of Hurst and the opening of the buildings.	A
A ii 2	1853 to 1977. A folder of letters begins with those from the Founder and Archdeacon Hare about the opening of Hurst buildings and to include a letter from Gen. Sir Henry Ponsonby to the effect that Qu. Victoria wished College to have a week's holiday in honour of the 50th anniversary of her accession. 1 folder.	A
A ii 3	1853 Copy of the sermon preached by A/deacon Hare at the opening.	A
A ii 4	c.1850. Notes collected by M.L. Savell in 1957 on the Woodard Military and Engineering School, Leyton, later transferred to Hurst. 1 file.	A
A ii 5	1860 Letter home from 'Charley' describes Ascension Day at Hurst. Aged 13.	A
A ii 6	1864 to 1869. Recollections of Hurst by Canon J.T. Fowler, Chaplain. 1 file.	A
A ii 7	1868 Copies of letters (5 typed pages) from a new boy at Hurst, Wm. Barrett, some to him. 1 file.	A
A ii 8	1870's. Reminiscences of F.C. Bayley. 7 pages MS.	A
A ii 9	1898 to 1905. Reminiscences of F.J. Rumsey include the attitude taken to fights at school. 7 pages typed.	A
A ii 10	c.1900. Anon reminiscences. 2 pages typed.	A
A ii 11	1910 to 1918. Reminiscences of W.H. Carter. 6 pages typed.	A
A ii 12	c.1920. Two letters of reminiscences from D. Buckland. 4 pages MS.	A
A ii 13	c.1914. Letter of reminiscence from W. Kennard Head. 2 pages typed.	A
A ii 14	1884 Founder writes to Lancing Old Boys proposing foundation of OL Association.	A
A ii 15	pre 1880. 3 extracts from the Post Office directory relating to the village.	A
A ii 16	1939 to 1943. Papers and letters relating to the Wilson v. Ascough case. 1 file.	A
A ii 17	1940 Dingwall's letter to parents explaining provisional evacuation plans. 1 sheet.	A

- A ii 18 1940 Letters relating to the evacuation of Westminster School (in part) to Hurst and subsequent difficulties. The Hurst view. One box file. A
- A ii 19 1937 to 1954. In correspondence between Dingwall and Freeman (see B8) note the letter (11 pages) from D to F in which he enlarges on the Hurst view of Westminster's failing on grounds much wider than the financial. Manners, customs, discipline, prejudices make it hard for two schools to co-exist in one set of buildings. A
- A ii 20 1958 Papers relating to the death of and inquest upon Peter Curnow. 1 file. A
- A ii 21 An appreciation of the Work of the Founder (3 pages) and notes on the history of rugby football at Hurst (3 pages). 1 file. A
- A ii 22 1902 to 1903. MS letters to Lowe in response to his Jubilee Appeal (also listed E 12). A
- A ii 23 1919 to 1923. Letters of reminiscence by J.P.H. Saffell refer to food, illness, masters, discipline, O.T.C., living conditions. 1 file. A
- A. History (iii) Newspaper cuttings, articles.
- A iii 1 1853 Accounts in Morning Post and Brighton Herald of the opening ceremony at Hurst. 1 file. A
- A iii 2 1850's. Copies of newspaper reports of Woodard meetings and events of the period. 1 file. A
- A iii 3 1860's to date. Scrap book contains Rules of Football as played at Hurst in the 1860s with other cuttings. 1 vol. A
- A iii 4 1902 Copy of articles from the Hurst Johnian by Woolsey - Mr. Pepys at Hurst - a diary of College life. 12 pages. A
- A iii 5 1920's and early 30's. Press cuttings. 1 folder. (including opening of The Tower, 1930). A
- A iii 6 Article in Literary Supplement by N. Battersby concerns the steam locomotive Hurstpierpoint. Copy. 1 sheet. A
- A iii 7 1950 Sussex County Magazine article on Hurst. A
- A iii 8 1954 Mid Sussex Times article on the fire at Hurst. A
- A iii 9 1884 In 1980 Holy Trinity parish mag. prints an article on Rev. Henry Woolsey, master at Hurst from 1884, in which Woodard is blamed for his 'rigid class consciousness'. A
- A iii 10 1983 Choir photo and caption. West Sussex Gazette. A

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A iii 11	1950 to 1976.	Copy of Autolyucus interview with Capt. Saunders B.E.M. 3 pages.	
A iii 12	1985	W. Sussex Gazette reports visit of the Duke of Edinburgh, with photographs.	A
<u>A. History (iv). School Events.</u>			
A iv 1	1881	Rev'd. Cooper's announcement of Port Latin Commemoration. 1 page.	A
A iv 2		Notes from S. John's Coll. Camb. on their Port Latin feast. 1 file.	A
A iv 3		A letter from the Librarian at Queen's College, Oxford, about the ceremony of The Boar's Head.	A
A iv 4	1937 to date.	Invitations and programmes for annual events, with Head's speech for 1965 and 1983 Prize Days and a copy of press report on 1981 Prize Day. 1 box file.	A
A iv 5	1949	All papers relating to Centenary Celebrations. 1 box file.	A
A iv 6	1955 to 1958.	Papers relating to Prize Days. 1 file.	A
A iv 7		Text of School Pageant, written by C.J. Dean (master) first performed 1971 and repeated since then. 1 file.	A
A iv 8	1975	Papers relating to the 125th anniversary. 1 file.	A
<u>B. Administration.</u>			
B 1	1925 to 1939.	School Council Minutes 1 vol.	A
B 2	1939 to 1955.	School Council Minutes 1 vol.	A
B 3	1956 to date.	School Council Minutes 1 vol.	Bursar
B 4	1976 to date.	Minutes of the House & Development Committee (Governors and Staff). 1 file.	Bursar
B 5	1937 to 1946.	School Council papers including Head's reports.	A 1 box file.
B 6	1930 to 1945.	Hurst Improvement Fund papers.	
B 7	1937 to 1945.	Letters between Dingwall (Head) and Freeman (Div. Bursar) reflect issues and relationships. 1 box file.	A

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B 8	1937 to 1954.	Correspondence of Freeman with Hurst, mainly with Dingwall, shows Dingwall's interest in finance and the patience of Freeman. 1 box file.	A
B 9	1954 to 1962.	Prefects' punishment book. 1 vol.	A
B 10	1962 to 1967.	Prefects' punishment book. 1 vol.	A
B 11	1964 to 1970.	Captain of School's book in which he details the work to be done and advises his successors, with amendments by some of them. 1 vol.	A
B 12	1980 to date.	Prefects' punishment book gives offender, offence, punishment and check, with notes on changes of policy and observations of Captain of School.	Capt. of School
B 13	1878 to 1886.	Infirmary reports (incomplete). 1 vol.	A
B 14	1894	P. U. Henn's copy of the draft statutes of 1894. Pamphlet.	A
B 15	1945	Southern Division 'Constitutions'. Pamphlet.	A
B 16	1864 to 1872.	Minutes of the Football Committee with rules of membership. 1 vol.	A
B 17	1873 to 1906.	Minutes of the Play Ground Committee, first vol. contains the PGC rules. 9 vols.	A
B 18	1925 to 1947.	- ditto - 1 vol.	A
B 19	1976 to date.	Minutes of the Games Committee. 1 file.	Mr. H. Thomas
B 20	1891 to 1906.	Minutes of the (Athletics) Sports Committee. 1 vol.	A
B 21	1936 to 1951.	Letters from Freeman (Div. Bursar) to Scott (Hurst Bursar). 1 file.	A
B 22	1950 to 1958.	School Council papers including reports to Council from Head, budget papers, etc. 1 file.	A
B 23	1958 to 1963.	- ditto - (incomplete). 1 file.	A
B 24	1961 to date.	Head's reports to Council. 1 file.	HM Sec.
B 25	1964	Hurst response to HMC research inquiry. 1 file.	
B 26	1967 to date.	Head's letters, termly, to Parents and Guardians cover events, intentions and opinions. 1 bundle.	
B 27	1938 to 1964.	Termly calendar published with school list.	A

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B 28	1968 to 1982	Termly programme (earlier calendar), published separately from school list from 1968.	A
B 29	1982 to date.	- ditto -	HM Sec.
B 30	No date.	School rules (cyclostyled)	A
B 31	No date.	School rules (white card)	A
B 32	1972	" "	A
B 33	1974	" "	A
B 34	1978	" "	A
B 35	1981	" "	A
B 36	1984	" "	A
B 37	1973	Study Block Regulations. Notice.	A
B 38	1975	Notes and rules for dayboys. Notice.	A
B 39	1978	Television and radio times and rules. Notice.	A
B 40	1972	A list of offences for which Prefects, school and house, may punish boys.	A
B 41	1983	Discipline and punishment of boys by boys, a notice from the Second Master.	A
B 42	1980's.	Notes for parents of new boys. Leaflet.	A
B 43	1973	Headmaster's short term proposals for increasing numbers in the school. 1 page.	A
B 44	1979 to date.	Minutes of meetings of Heads of Department with related papers. 1 file.	Mr.Peters
B 45	1975 to 1985.	Minutes of School Committee with papers and correspondence. Chairman Sec. Master, with Capt. of School and 1 rep. per House.	2nd Master
B 46	1981 to 1983.	Minutes of Housemasters' meetings. 1 file.	2nd Master
B 47	1979	College Safety Policy Statement. 1 page.	A
B 48	1979 to date.	College Safety Committee minutes. 1 file.	Bursar
B 49	1965 to date.	School lists for each term.	HM Sec.
B 50		'On writing school reports' by G. C. Turner at Charterhouse, issued by R.N.P. Griffiths.	A

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B 51	1975 to date.	Special Achievements book records Oxbridge entrants, Sandhurst, Art, Music, industry, commerce, and numbers entering Univ. and Poly. each year.	Capt.of School
<u>C. Accounts.</u>			
C 1	1849 to 1851.	College Account Book. 1 vol.	A
C 2	1850 to 1855	Ledger "	A
C 3	1851 to 1859	" "	A
C 4	1852 to 1858	" "	A
C 5	1859 to 1864	" "	A
C 6	1880 to 1889	" "	A
C 7	1852 to 1889	Cash Book "	A
C 8	1900 to 1912	" "	A
C 9	1931 to 1958	" 3 vols.	A
C 10	1869 to 1904	Fees arrears ledger 1 vol.	A
C 11	1909 to 1920	Wages Book 1 vol.	A
C 12	1870 to 1906	Housekeeping summaries and income and expenditure balances. 1 vol.	A
C 13	1923 to 1938	Invoice book. 1 vol.	A
C 14	1932 to 1959	Invoice book. 3 vols.	A
C 15	1944 to 1947	Petty cash book. 1 vol.	A
C 16	1948 to 1956	Monthly expenditure book. 1 vol.	A
C 17	1909 to 1915	Ledger shows school dues and expenditure under headings. 1 vol.	A
C 18	1917 to 1938	Similar ledgers. 2 vols.	A
C 19	1914 to 1958.	Boys Bill Books 8 vols.	A
C 20	1969 to 1972	Boys Bill Books 1 vol.	Finance Officer
C 21	1972 to 1983	Boys Bill Books in loose leaf	Ibid
C 22	1983 to date	Boys Bill Books on computer cards	Ibid
C 23	1909 to 1937	Tradesmens' accounts ledger. 1 vol.	A
C 24	1967 to 1973	Ledgers 3 vols.	Finance Officer
C 25	1974 to 1982	Ledgers in loose leaf	Finance Officer

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C 26	1982 to date	Ledgers on computer cards	Finance Officer
C 27	1979 to date	Local account cash books (bound) 4 vols. (bound) 3 vols.)"	"
C 28	1973 to 1980	Scholars account cash books	" "
C 29	1980 to date	Scholars account cash books in loose leaf	
C 30	1898	Balance sheet (Hurst)	A
C 31	1905 to 1912	" " "	A
C 32	1932 to 1970	" " "	A
C 33	1970 to date	" " "	Bursar
C 34	1932 to 1939	" " O.T.C.	A
C 35	1932 to 1939	" " Playground a/cs.	A
C 36	1932 to 1939	" " Chapel a/cs.	A
C 37	1921 to 1927 & 1930 to 1936	Masters' superannuation fund accounts	A
C 38	1933 to 1939 (bar 1936)	Balance sheets of Johnians and Shakespeare Soc.	A
C 39	1946 to 1954	Southern Div. Benefit Fund papers - 1 file	A
C 40	1927 to 1944	Papers relating to Hurst Improvement Fund - 1 file	A
C 41	1930 to 1945	Hurst Improvement Fund papers (see B.6) - 1 box file	A

D. Lands and buildings.

D 1	1892	Chapel Tower plans by Carpenter and Ingelow, 2 sheets	A
D 2	1903	Ringers' stage drawings (Ingelow), 1 sheet	A
D 3	1929	Chapel tower drawings, 2 sheets	A
D 4	1929	Specification of works for building Chapel Tower, 1 vol.	A
D 5	1927 to 1929	Building improvements letters 1 file	A
D 6	1929 to 1933	Building repairs letters 1 file	A

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D 7	1925 to 1928	Letters on Ruckford and Rooke's field, 1 file.	A
D 8	1937 to 1957	Letters on buildings, 1 file & 1 box file.	A
D 9	1961 to 1968	Letters on buidligs, 1 box file & 1 bundle.	A
D 10	1921 to 1939	Letters on boilers. 1 file	A
D 11	1950	Letters on boilers. 1 file	A
D 12	1929	Danny Estate licence. 1 file	A
D 13	1919	Architects' drawings on the buildings, 24 drawings on 15 parchment sheets	A
D 14	1930	Annotated picture of the buildings. 1 sheet.	A
D 15	1959	Sketch for Studies Block. 1 sheet.	A
D 16	1961	Sketch for Tuckshop. 1 sheet.	A
D 17	c. 1970	College site plan and layout plan. 2 sheets.	A
D 18	1976 to date	Minutes of the House & Development Committee (Governors and Staff). 1 file (see B.4).	Bursar
D 19	1985	Invitation to opening of Frank Mason Labs.	A
D 20	19th & 20th Cen.	A large collection of building plans are in the Office and Stationery Store.	Bursar
D 21		Property deeds are held by the School's Solicitors.	

E. Appeals.

E 1	1854	Founder appeals for funds for Hurst and refers to the scheme to train 36 Commercial Schoolmasters. He seeks to set up an Associates Fund. 1 leaflet.	A
E 2	1876	Rev. G.O.L. Thomson quotes Rev. Wm. Awdry's appeal for the founding of a Pennell Scholarship at Hurst in memory of a former master who died on Missionary work in Africa. 1 leaflet.	A
E 3	1877	Founder's letter to Hurst Old Boys for funds to complete Chapel. 1 leaflet.	A
E 4	1896	Lowe appeals for funds to complete Chapel. 1 leaflet.	A
E 5	1896	Lowe's open letter to Cooper about the Appeal.	A

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E 6	1896	Lowe reports on S. Nicolas development including Hurst Chapel. 1 leaflet.	A
E 7	1897	Progress report and list of subscribers to the Completion and Extension fund. 1 leaflet	A
E 8	1902	Lowe's letter to friends of the College to support the Jubilee Appeal. 1 leaflet	A
E 9	1902	Joint appeal to Old Boys by Lowe, Awdry and Cooper for Jubilee Appeal. 1 leaflet.	A
E 10	1902	Lowe's published letter to the Archbishop of Canterbury for the Jubilee Appeal. 1 leaflet.	A
E 11	1902	List of subscribers. 1 leaflet.	A
E 12	1902 to 1903.	MS letters to Lowe in response to his Jubilee Appeal (also listed A ii 22).	A
E 13	1904	Further appeal from Lowe for completion of Ante Chapel where work is at a standstill. 1 leaflet.	A
E 14	1945	Pro Mortuis. War Memorial appeal letter.	A
E 15	1958	Hurst Theatre Appeal letter.	A
E 16	1963/4	Hooker Craigmyle Prelude papers. 1 vol.	A
E 17	"	First appeal survey report. 1 brochure.	A
E 18	"	Campaign plan. 1 brochure.	A
E 19		Guide to helpers. 1 leaflet.	A
E 20	"	Appeal brochure and correspondence. 1 file.	A
E 21	"	List of covenantors. 1 vol.	A

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		<u>F. Chapel.</u>		
F 1	1865 to 1965	Centenary of Chapel.	Pamphlet.	A
F 2	1861 to 1891	History of Chapel.	Pamphlet.	A
F 3	c. 1885	A short account of the fabric, reredos, windows of Chapel. Reprint of magazine articles. Pamphlet.		A
F 4	1915	Historical notes on Chapel, a paper read to the Lit. & Debating Soc. by C.F. Langton-Gilbert. 1 exercise book.		A
F 5	1865 to 1960	'Chapel Memorials and Gifts' lists all donors and gifts to Chapel. 1 vol. on display.		Chapel
F 6	1968	An historical and descriptive catalogue of Chapel by T.J. Sanz. Pamphlet.		A
F 7	1853	Copy of the sermon preached by Archdeacon Hare at the opening of the S. John's buildings.		A
F 8	1854	Sermon preached by Lowe in Hurstpierpoint Church.		A
F 9	1893	Sermon preached at Port Latin Commemoration by E.C. Cooper.		A
F 10	1979	Sermon preached by S. F. Florey.		A
F 11	1945 to 1954	Chapel letters. 1 box file.		A
F 12	1931 to date	Confirmation registers. 2 vols.		A and Chaplain
F 13	1939 to 1978	Service registers. 4 vols.		A
F 14	1978 to date	"	" 1 vol.	Chaplain
F 15	1873 to 1924	Chapel Offertory book.		A
F 16		Services for use in Hurst Chapel.		A
F 17		Services and special forms for liturgical occasions.		A
F 18	1878	Port Latin Commemoration programme of services.		A
F 19	1921 & 1948	Dedication of War Memorials		A
F 20	1937, 8, 51, 52.	Carol service sheets.		A
F 21	1939, 40, 49, 50, 51, 53, 55.	Confirmation service sheets.		A
F 22	1948, 50, 51, 53, 54, 55, 59.	Commemoration Service sheets.		A
F 23	1949	Services used at the Centenary Celebrations.		A
F 24	1952	Service used in commemoration of King George VI.		A
F 25	1965	Service used at the Chapel Centenary.		A.
F 26	1967	Lent Chapel programme.		A

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<u>G. Registers and lists of pupils.</u>			
G 1	1849 to 1914.	Hurstpierpoint Register includes brief history of the College by H.L. Johnson, lists of Provosts, Heads, Sec. Masters, Asst. Masters, Captains of School, Prefects of Hall, Plays, Stage Managers, Editors, Hon.Secs. of the Hurst Johnian Club, Sports records, Cadet records and the Register. (Also interleaved version with amendments to 1924 of existing register). 1 vol.	A
G 2		Sequel in preparation, but as yet incomplete. 1 vol. MS.	HM Sec.
G 3	1849 to 1972	Admission Register MS. 1 vol.	A
G 4	1860 to 1880	Register of boys and subjects being taken. 1 vol.	A
G 5	1903 to 1931	Ms. Register. 1 vol. Where these overlap)	Asst. Bursar
G 6	1924 to 1968	" " names occur in both.)	
G 7	1944 to 1967	Admission Register. 2 vols.	A
G 8	1938 to 1974	Termly lists for all years except 1944.	A
G 9	1965 to date	" " " "	HM Sec.
G 10	1976 to date	Cards for all boys show name, address, date of birth, date of entry, and leaving.	Asst. Bursar

H. Societies, activities, magazines, boys' work, etc.

H 1	1888 to 1965	Shakespeare Society Minutes. 2 vols.	A
H 2	1952 to 1959	" " Album. 3 vols.	A
H 3	1854 to 1954	" " Centenary Brochure.	A
H 4	1919, 1923, 24, 25, 26, 27, 1934, 35, 36, 1947, 48, 49, 1950 to 1959, 1960, 61, 62, 65, and 1977.	Shakespeare Society Play Programmes and (with no dates) programmes for House plays by Red Cross, Star, Eagle, an Entertainment presented by Captain of School and Pirates of Penzance with girls of Burgess Hill School.	A
H 5	1960	Three editions of Counterpoint, a literary magazine.	A
H 6	1965	One edition of Joan, a magazine published at Hurst with contributions from the College and from Elsewhere.	A
H 7	1971	One edition (no. 3) of Ochre, art, Poetry, music, drama, etc. magazine.	A

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H 8	1961 to 1965	Hurst Natural History magazine, 4 editions.	A
H 9	1972 to 1982	Various numbers (including 1972 to 1976 compilation) of Autolytus.	A
H 10	1979 to 1980	Five numbers of Animus, a literary magazine.	A
H 11	1982	Two numbers of The View from Here, a humourous magazine.	A
H 12	1982	Hoi Polloi, one edition. The Ultimate School Mag. (one) Reflections (one)	A
H 13	1935	Leaflet outlines the intention to form Contact between Hurst and South Shields.	A
H 14	1935	Tower publishes some paragraphs from the first letter from South Shields in which Contact Keeper outlines problems.	A
H 15	1935	Leaflet 'Ultimate Aims of Contact'.	A
H 16	1935	Contact Recognition Ceremony. Leaflet.	A
H 17	1950	Programme of the Antiquarian Society.	A
H 18	1981 to date.	Minutes of the Lemuel Gulliver (senior debating) Society. 1 vol.	Mr. Williamson
H 19	1981 to date.	Minutes of Lilliputian (junior debating Society). 1 vol.	Mr. Williamson
H 20	1984 to date.	Minutes of the 1984 Sixth Form discussion society. 1 vol.	Mr. Dean
H 21	1983 to 1984.	Art and Design at Hurst, an article in Hurst Johnian no. 896.	A
H 22	1984 to 1985.	Report on Art and Design at Hurst. (3 pages)	Mr. Hopkins
H 23	1985	Sussex Life reports Hurst Inter Prep. Schools' Art & Design competition	Mr. Hopkins
H 24	1984 to date	Cross Enterprises Minute book. 1 vol.	Mr. Evans
H 25	1984	" " Constitution. 1 sheet	"
H 26		R.E. Bury Classical notes and Roman History notes. 4 vols.	A

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<u>I. Curriculum, Timetable, Inspections, Examination Results.</u>			
I 1	1865	Evidence of E.C. Lowe before the Taunton Commission (ref. A i 3 of this list) includes a "table of school instruction" and other matters relating to curriculum and timetable.	A
I 2	c.1869	Letter home for Wm. Barrett (ref. A ii 7 of this list gives a daily timetable.) (Original letters in possession of Mrs. Ann Perry).	A
I 3	1939	Inspection Report and related papers. 1 file.	A
I 4	1954	Papers relating to the Inspection (but no report) include copy of syllabus of each department and other curriculum information. HM's notes and comments. 1 box file.	A
I 5	1956 to 1957.	"Work Lists", Headmaster's copy. 1 ex.book.	A
I 6	1979	Hurst Academic Programme. Brochure	A
I 7	1984	Chid. "	A
I 8	1980's	Sixth Form Course "	A
I 9	1979 to date.	Minutes of meetings of Heads of Department with related papers. 1 file.	Mr.Peters
I 10	1938 to 1944.	School Cert. and Higher Cert. results.	A
I 11	1950	GCE O level results of non candidates (too young)	A
I 12	1966 to 1970.	GCE results broadsheets	A
I 13	1971 to date.	Chid	A
I 14	1974 to date.	Summaries and analyses of A level results.	Mr.Peters
I 15	1981 to date.	ditto for O level - all 1 file	"
I 16	1982 to date.	Copies of the school timetable for each year.	A
I 17		Timetable notices and requests issued to staff in preparation of the document each year. 3.	A

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<u>J. Old Hurst Johnnians.</u>		
J 1	1882 to 1886	Brief life of James Stuart, Secretary to the Council for Native Affairs in Natal and authority on the Zulu language. 2 pages. A
J 2	1913	'A child of the storm' by Rider Haggard (A i 13) dedicated to James Stuart. 1 vol. A
J 3	1926	'The King's Assegai', by Bertram Mitford (O.H.J.) 1 vol. A
J 4	1858 to 1938	Newspaper article on the life of Blandford Fletcher, artist. (O.H.J.) 1 sheet. A
J 5	c. 1889	Brief life of Bigge of Star, athlete. 1 page. A
J 6	1898	Brief life of Ernest Shears, Captain of School in 1898. 1 page. A
J 7	1914 to 1918	Hurst War Register names 896 who served, 119 killed, 307 decorated. 1 vol. A
J 8	1916	War list names those serving. Leaflet A
J 9	1915	First Communion Certificate of D.H. Woodhams. A
J 10	1912 to 1932.	O.H.J. A.F.C. minutes. 1 vol. A
J 11	1921 to 1932.	" " fixture list. A
J 12	1919 to 1932.	" " results. 1 sheet. A
J 13	1924	Invitations to S.L. and M.A. Pitcher. A
J 14	1939 to 1945.	Record of Old Boys who served. 1 vol. A
J 15	1937 to 1952.	Correspondence between Headmasters Dingwall and Howard, and Hurst Johnnian Club and individual Hurst Johnnians. 1 box file. A
J 16	1948 to 1955.	Old Boys at (or intending to go up to) Oxford. 1 vol. A
J 17	1949 to 1955.	Old Boys at (or intending to go up to) Cambridge. 1 vol. A
J 18	1930	Club annual dinner menu with copy of the speech by A.E.C. Shippam who proposed the toast of the Chairman, Dr. J.A. Nixon. A
J 19	1977	Club Centenary Dinner menu. A
J 20		Club Constitution. Leaflet. A
J 21	1964	Club handbook. Booklet. A
J 22	1961	Hurst Johnnian Lodge; summons to a meeting. A

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J 23	1977 and 1980 to 1985.	Hurst Johnian Newsletters.	
	1977	1 number	
	1980	1 number	
	1981	3 "	
	1982	3 "	
	1983	3 "	
	1984	3 "	
	1985	2 "	
J 24	1982	Two letters from members serving in the Falklands.	A
J 25		Letters and reminiscences from Old Boys (A ii 5 to 13, and A ii 23).	A
J 26		Hurst Johnian records are held by the Hon. Sec. of the Club.	
27	1980	Royal Academy of Music Magazine contains an interview with H.M. Fram. See M 12.	A

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<u>K. Masters.</u>		
K 1	1874 to 1884. Chapters in the life of Harry Woolsey, Master at Hurst and later Head of Ellesmere, by P. King. Typescript. 1 file.	A
K 2	1891 to 1941. 'A Life so Rich', biography of P.U. Henn (master at Hurst) by his son and an autobiographical retrospect by P.U. Henn himself. 2 vols.	A
3	Published 1972. Magazine of the Parish of St. Edward the Confessor, Romford, is filled with appreciations of the work of the retiring Canon Wright, ex-Hurst Master.	A
K 4	1921 to 1927 and 1930 to 1936. Master's superannuation fund accounts.	A
K 5	1922 to 1935. Minutes of the Masters' pensions committee.	A
K 6	1938 Staff pension scheme folder.	A
7	1947 Chid	A
8	1950's Assistant Master's Agreement.	A
K 9	1960's Chid	A
K 10	1951 Hurst Johnian presentation volume to Percy W. Scott on his retirement after 49 years' service. 1 vol.	A
K 11	1947 to date. Minutes of the meetings of the Masters' Common Room. 4 vols.	Common Room Secretary
12	1953 to date. Records of all members of teaching staff.	A

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<u>L. Games and Corps.</u>			
L 1	1864 to 1870.	Minutes of the Football Committee with rules of membership. 1 vol. See B 16.	A
L 2	1873 to 1906.	Minutes of the Playground Committee, first vol. contains PGC Rules. 9 vols. See B 17.	A
L 3	1925 to 1947	- ditto - 1 vol. See B 18.	A
L 4	1976 to date.	Minutes of the Games Committee. 1 file. See B 19.	Mr. H. Thomas
L 5	1891 to 1906.	Minutes of the (Athletics) Sports Committee. 1 vol. See B 20.	A
L 6	1859 to 1863.	Cricket Score Book, Hurst. 1 vol.	A
L 7	1860's to date.	Scrap book contains Rules of Football as played at Hurst in the 1860's with other cuttings. 1 vol.	A
L 8	1938 to 1967.	Colours Book. 1 vol.	A
L 9	1967 to date.	" " (incomplete) 1 vol.	A
L 10	1919 to 1932.	Football results book. 1 vol.	A
L 11	1960 to 1965.	Senior and Junior steeplechase records. 1 vol.	A
L 12	1966 to 1969.	School cross country results. 1 vol.	Mr. Chisholm
L 13	1970 to 1974.	" " " " 1 vol.	"
L 14	1973 to 1974	Hockey Secretary's book. 1 vol.	A
L 15	1935 to 1960	Cricket scoring books. 8 vols.	A
L 16	1925 to 1975	Hurstpierpoint RFC brochure.	A
L 17	1975	Programme for Woodard 7 a side tournament at Hurst.	A
L 18	1977 to 1978.	Hurstpierpoint cricket tour of India. Brochure	A
L 19	1954 to 1967	Shooting register. 2 vols.	A
L 20	1977 to 1984	Chid 2 vols.	A
L 21	1921 to 1944	Coy. Record Books OTC and JTC. 11 vols.	A
L 22	1921	Newspaper cuttings of the War in a cash book. 1908 to 1928. 1 vol.	A
L 23	1950 to 1960.	CCF records of service	A
L 24	1952 to 1959.	Camp and Certificate records. 1 vol.	A
L 25	1956 to 1959.	CCF army section records of service. 1 vol.	A
L 26	1960	CCF Centenary Dedication and Presentation of Banner at the Chapel of the Royal Hospital, Chelsea, at which the Banner Party came from Hurstpierpoint CCF. Form of service leaflet.	A

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		<u>M. Music.</u>	
M 1	1916 to 1937	Music connected with H.A. Hawkins. 1 box file.	A
M 2	1921	Hurst Music. 1 score.	A
M 3	1952	Programme for Mass in B minor	A
M 4	1956	Dream of Gerontius performed by RFH with Holloway (ex master) taking part.	A
M 5	1959	Programme for The Messiah	A
M 6	1961	Programme for St. Matthew Passion	A
M 7	1966	Programme for Musical memories of three generations, devised and introduced by Michael Breach.	A
M 8	1966	In Memoriam H.A. Hawkins, service sheet	A
M 9	1974 to 1985	Four records made by the Chapel Choir	A
M 10	1977	Programme for Schools Music Association in Festival Hall, with Hurst Chapel Choir	A
M 11	1984	Programme for the Brighton Philharmonic Society season includes Hurst Choir	A
M 12	1980	Royal Academy of Music Magazine contains an interview with H.M. Fram (O. Hurst Johnian)	A
M 13	1927	78 Record of Choir.	

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<u>N. House Records.</u>		
N 1	1911 to 1923	Headmaster's House book (Star) gives officials, members, achievements, events. 1 vol. A
N 2	1899 to 1981	Fleur de Lys house books give members, officials, achievements. 2 vols. Fleur de Lys
3	1963 to 1976	Reports on House events and very detailed termly reviews by Capt. of Fleur de Lys. 2 vols. Mr. Peters
N 4	1899 to date	Red Cross record gives members, achievements, officials, events, and from vol. 2 adds detailed comment on House matters and personnel. 6 vols. Red Cross
N 5	1877 to date	Star House Honours Book. 1 vol. Star
N 6	1903 to date	Second Master's House (Shield) books give members, achievements, events, sports reports, and occasional comments - as when the war dead are listed in 1918, the Westminster School evacuation is noted in 1939, and there is a brief obituary on Peter Curnow in 1958. 6 vols. Shield
N 7	1955 to 1981	Shield visitors' book. 1 vol. Shield
N 8	1882 to date	Chevron House books begin with sports reports but soon add members, achievements, officials, and from c. 1938 adds a detailed report on the House by the Captain. Notes on the revised Colour system and revised privileges in 1947 and the Fire in 1954. 8 vols. Chevron
9	1955 to 1982	Eagle House Captain's book opens with a preface by R.C. Howard (Headmaster) and gives members, officials, achievements and House Captain's reviews. 2 vols. Eagle
N 10	1956 to 1959	Eagle House Log reports sports, events, and achievements, with comment. 6 vols. Eagle
N 11	1956 to 1977	Eagle House Colour Book. 1 vol. Eagle
N 12	1959 to 1975	Martlet House record books from day of foundation gives members, officials, events, achievements, sports reports and reviews by Captain. 3 vols. Martlet
13	1959 to 1979	Martlet House Colour Book lists colours, privileges and names of those who hold them. 1 vol. Martlet

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<u>O. Junior School.</u>			
O 1	1955 to date	Annual School Magazine	JS
O 2	1974 to date	School calendars and/or draft calendars	JS
3	1955 to date	Cricket score books	JS
4	1978	Mid Sussex Times cricket report	JS
C 5	1954 to date	Soccer results	JS
C 6	1954 to date	Rugby results	JS
C 7	1955 to date	Cricket results	JS
C 8	1971 to date	Hockey results	JS
C 9	1968 to date	Mark books of Mr. R.H. Moulton	JS
10	1980 to date	Timetables	JS
11	1973 to date	Theatre programmes	JS
12	1982 to date	IIIb form registers	JS
O 13	1949 to 1954	Junior School Carol Service Sheets.	A
O 14		For registers of Junior School boys, see G 3 and G 6 to 10.	

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NOTES ON THE HURSTPIERPOINT ARCHIVE

The story of the College after 1858 is securely founded upon The Hurst Johnian, the oldest school magazine in the country, and one which has seldom deviated from its task of providing a regular account of school life and events. The earliest days of the foundation are pictured in the evidence of Canon Lowe before the Taunton Commission in 1865, to be seen in photocopied extracts (A i 3). These allow us to hear the voice of Lowe, a man who left his mark on the Corporation but too few traces of himself in the records that survive.

Personal views of the College from different angles appear in the letters and reminiscences of boys and masters from the 19th century (A ii 5 et seq). They begin with one Charley, aged 13, who writes home about Ascension Day at Hurst in 1860, and continue with the letters of William Barrett which cover every aspect of life from food, through medical care (or lack of it) to an account of his own daily programme of lessons. At the end of the century F.J. Rumsey's reminiscences indicate the authorities at Hurst were ready to allow the boys at Hurst to settle their differences in their own fashion.

Most Houses in the College have their records, written by seniors and house captains, some reaching back in the nineteenth century (N 1 to 13) which show the breadth and texture of school life and the changes that have occurred. Boys have always played a strong part in the running of the school:- see the Playground Committee minutes (B 16, 17) and the Wilson v. Ascough case (A ii 16) of 1939 to 1943, and they still do, but with more guidance. (B 40, 41).

Hurst has been fortunate in its Headmasters, most of whom have served for long spells and have given stability as well as development. The correspondence between Freeman, Woodard Registrar and Divisional Bursar, and Dingwall, Headmaster 1937 to 1945 (B7, 8) shows the Woodard machine at work and the personalities of the men who worked it. The unhappy dealings with Westminster School in 1939 and 1940 reflect the real difficulties in bringing together two school communities.

Where so much that we would have been glad to see has disappeared there is still plenty to show life at Hurst, and the energetic and scholarly work of Peter King, Head of History and College Archivist has ensured the safety and the development of this important archive.

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