

SPORT(cont)

Fring and Foster opened for L5A, but left with one run scored. Then Smith, in a partnership with Taylor, scored 5 runs. Taylor went, then Higgins hit out blindly at his first ball and was caught by Airey. Costain bowled Smith, and Hesketh was bowled immediately afterwards. Ostrin and Tyrer then made a very fine stand to bring the score to 18. Jones with Ostrin, who scored highest in the match, brought the score to 22. Jones then left and Ostrin followed. Peel scored the rest of the runs with Sissons.

EDITORIAL.

It has been decided that there will be an entrance fee of 1d and a prize of about 6d for the competitions. We would also like to make it clear that to go against the rules of the competitions disqualifies a person from receiving a prize. It has also been decided not to increase the size of the paper, but to issue about a dozen typed copies at 2d each.

THE EDITORS.

CROSSWORD SOLUTION.

The winner of the competition in the last issue of the "Observer" was B.A. Glistler, who receives a free typed copy of this "Observer". The solution is:-

ACROSS. 2. Amplify. 6. Ann. 7. No. 9. Over. 11. Rib. 12. Dates.
14. Cheetah. 16. Stern. 18. Tor. 19. Terror. 22. Or. 24. BM.
25. Pa. 26. Beret. 27. Yelps.

DOWN. 1. Sand. 2. Another. 3. Present. 4. In. 5. Forth. 8. Able.
10. Veer. 13. Actor. 15. Airmen. 16. Story. 17. Rope.
20. Ebb. 21. Rate. 23. Asp.

Part II of THE MYSTERY OF WAPPING TUNNEL.

by G. Goldstein.

There has been a train crash in Wapping Tunnel, and the driver and fireman are in hospital. Now read on:-

A few days later, a black Humber limousine drew up outside the main doors of the Royal Infirmary, and Superintendent Harris got out followed by Inspector James. They entered the hospital and were immediately shown to "Ward C", the ward of the injured railwaymen.

Both men looked reasonably comfortable, in spite of the fact that Harry had broken both legs and an arm, and Bill had a fractured skull and a broken collar bone, while both had multiple burns. For a few minutes they talked about things in general. Then the Superintendent asked, "What really did happen the other night?" It was Bill who answered, "We were doing quite well up the tunnel, when suddenly, just before we reached the ventilator that comes up in Blackburn Place, there was a blinding flash and then something seemed to hit me on the head; after that I don't remember anything until I found myself in hospital." "It was the same with me, too," put in Harry. "We found the train derailed," said Inspector James, "and you two were underneath the engine - you were very lucky to escape with your lives!" "You said near the Blackburn Place ventilator?" asked the Inspector, "There're lots of suspicious looking places round there, or it might be some Rodney Street doctor who runs smuggling as a sideline, though I should hardly think the latter to be likely!" Then the Superintendent added, "I have come to the conclusion that it would be a good idea, as the line has been cleared, if my colleague and I took a train through the tunnel." "Be on your guard," warned one of the railwaymen, "lest you want flowers instead of bandages when you come out!"

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