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ROUND THE STOVE.

THE Michaelmas Term, 1941, commences on Monday, September 15th, and ends on Saturday, December 20th.

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We congratulate D. A. Ashton on gaining a First in every subject in his B.Sc. Degree Examination at King's College, London, and P. C. W. Collins on gaining a First in English Mays at Cambridge University.

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We congratulate Mr. P. C. Sheppard on his marriage to Miss Beryl Tridgell; he has recently been transferred to the Army Educational Corps. Of the other members of the Staff now serving, we hear that Mr. C. V. Martin is to be congratulated on the birth of a son; the Rev. R. R. Lewis is now a Chaplain to the Forces and is stationed in Northern Ireland; Mr. J. W. H. Rennie has a Commission in the R.A.F. and has gone abroad; Mr. A. E. Brooks expects to go abroad very soon; Mr. Buckland-Smith is now at an O.C.T.U.; Mr. A. M. S. Clark is now an Instructor of the Cambridge University O.T.C. The other members of the Staff are all well and gaining steps in promotion.

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During the past three weeks three very competent and charming Instructors, Miss M. E. Morrison (St. Hildas), Miss E. A. Oldham (St. Hughs) and Miss P. M. Russell (St. Hughs) have given upwards of 70 boys tuition in driving farm tractors. The scheme was devised by the Oxford Agricultural Engineering Institute and the tractors were supplied by the Essex Agricultural Committee. All these boys and many others are going on Farms for the holidays.