

SUSSEX COUNTY CRICKET CLUB
COMMITTEE MEMBERS: 1858 to 1996

The list below gives brief details of all 322 individuals – 319 men and three women – who were full members of the committee overseeing the operations of the Sussex County Cricket Club between the start of the 1858 season and the end of the 1996 season, 139 years in all.

The start date has been chosen because 1858 was the first year of the ‘reformation’ of the club under the secretaryship of Bridger Stent, a Brighton solicitor, following the annual general meeting towards the end the 1857 season. The end date has been chosen because 1996 was the last season before a similar instance of régime change, ‘the revolution’, at the annual general meeting in March 1997.

The details provided for each individual comprise, where appropriate and where the information is available: (1) surname and forenames; (2) date and place of birth; (3) secondary schools and higher education institutions attended; (4) details of UK residence; (5) seasons of membership on the committee and officer positions held, if any; (6) occupations; (7) achievements in the public eye, including civilian and military honours; (8) significant cricket-playing achievements, including Test appearances; (9) achievements at national or international level in other sports; (10) details of close relatives who played first-class cricket for the county or were county committee members; (11) date and place of death. Abbreviations used in the list are explained in Appendix Two.

Among other things the list shows the shift in committee membership from landed gentry, many holding lieutenantancy and magistrates’ positions, in the nineteenth century towards a greater representation of commercial expertise, some connected with the City of London, in more recent times. For some committee men – they were almost entirely men – membership was part of a wider pattern of overseeing public organisations of various kinds; they were politicians. Army officers, brewers, clerics and prep-school teachers can be found in fair numbers at different periods: few were industrialists. Eighty-two, about a quarter, played first-class cricket in their time, many a few matches as an amateur. Eighty-five had an Oxbridge background.

Further notes at the end of the list deal with the sometimes complicated arrangements covering membership of the Club’s committee and the sources of the biographical data given here.

ALDRICH, Horace Wilfred b 25.v.1886 Brighton: ed Brighton C: committee 1925-1946: solicitor, local politician: mayor of Brighton 1929: d 8.iii.1955 Brighton.

ALLEN, Stanley Rowlatt b 24.ii.1918 Steyning: committee 1975: solicitor: appointed MBE 1946 for military services: d 23.xii.2013 Worthing. (*He was County Club secretary 1976-1979.*)

ANTROBUS, Maurice Edward b 20.vii.1895 South Kensington, Middlesex: ed Winchester C; Cambridge U: committee 1967-1973: civil servant, diplomat: appointed OBE 1938 for services to UK High Commission in South Africa, CMG 1943 for services to UK High Commission in Australia: d 23.ix.1985 Crawley.

ARNOLD, Frederick Vernon b 10.viii.1890 Islington, Middlesex: committee 1952-1959: chartered accountant: d 11.ii.1964 Brighton.

ASHBURNHAM-CLEMENT, Sir Anchitel Piers b 22.viii.1861 Guestling: ed Perceval House S, Blackheath: committee 1919-1935, chairman 1923, 1924: landowner, magistrate: succeeded his father as ninth Ashburnham baronet 1899: d 5.viii.1935 Battle. (*Changed surname from Ashburnham 1899. He was County Club president 1925.*)

ASHBY, William Grover b 6.x.1826 Staines, Middlesex: committee 1871-1905, treasurer 1871-1905, 35 years, the longest service in this position: accountant: director Tamplin and Sons (brewing) and mining companies, also chairman Brighton West Pier Co Ltd: d 12.vi.1905 Burgess Hill.

BADEN-POWELL, Thomas b 2.i.1864 Newick: ed Bradfield C; Oxford U: committee 1922-1928: landowner: d 28.i.1942 Newick.

BAGNALL, Sir William Arthur b 24.iii.1917 Wolverhampton, Staffordshire: ed Wolverhampton GS; Oxford U: committee 1970-1973: barrister, High Court judge: appointed MBE 1945 for military services; knighted 1970 on appointment to High Court: d 31.x.1976 Hammersmith, Middlesex.

BAINES, Cuthbert Athelstan b 19.viii.1810 Preston, Lancashire: committee 1874-1880: Army officer: deputy lieutenant for Sussex: d 3.iii.1889 Hove.

BAKER, Stanley Herbert b 7.x.1907 Portslade: ed Brighton TC: committee 1944-1973: chartered engineer and town planner: appointed MBE 1954 for services to planning Crawley new town: d ?? .vii.2002 Worthing.

BARCLAY, John Robert Troutbeck b 22.i.1954 Bonn (Nordrhein-Westfalen), West Germany: UK resident from 1956: ed Eton C: committee 1990-1996: professional cricketer, later tour manager, coaching organiser: played 274 fc matches, incl 265 for Sussex; author various publications on cricket; president MCC 2009-10: deputy lieutenant for West Sussex.

BARKER, Frank Holdsworth b 16.ii.1907 Worthing: committee 1955-1980, vice-chairman 1975-1978: chartered auctioneer and valuer, local politician: d 30.vi.1989 Salcombe, Devon.

BARNES, Morton Edward b 19.iii.1894 Tottenham, Middlesex: committee 1950-1968: Army officer: played rugby union for Wasps: appointed MBE 1958 for military services: d 6.xi.1979 Hove.

BARROW, Richard John b 10.x.1956 Redhill, Surrey: ed Hastings C of FE: committee 1994-1996: various, incl managing director sales agency for horticultural industry. (*He rejoined the committee 1997, and was County club vice-chairman 2007-2013.*)

BARTLETT, Charles Cuthbert b 18.i.1893 Lewes: committee 1950, 1951: farmer, managing director family animal-feed business: d 24.ii.1952 Burgess Hill.

BARTLETT, John Arnold Payse b 11.ix.1909 Orpington. Kent: ed Brighton C: committee 1945-1965, treasurer 1952-1959: solicitor: director Citizens Regency Building Society: played rugby union for Kent: d 13.xi.1967 Worthing.

BARTTELOT, Walter Barttelot b 10.x.1820 Richmond, Surrey: ed Rugby S: committee 1862: Army officer, company director, landowner, politician: director, later chairman London, Brighton and South Coast Railway: Conservative MP for West Sussex 1860-1865, for Horsham 1865-1893: created first Barttelot baronet 1875, appointed CB 1880, Privy Counsellor 1892: d 2.ii.1893 Stopham.

BEARD, Steyning c 26.iii.1845 Ovingdean: committee 1870-1905: farmer, landowner, magistrate: 'the last squire of Rottingdean': d 14.xii.1909 Hove.

BEECHAM, William Pain b 25.v.1798 Dover, Kent: committee 1858-1860: solicitor: played one fc match, for Sussex at age 59: d 5.v.1869 Hastings. (*Surname sometimes spelled Beauchamp.*)

BELCHER, Arthur Hayes Bodle b 31.iii.1876 Great Malvern, Worcestershire: ed Brighton C; Oxford U: committee 1938-1943: teacher, Anglican clergyman: head Brighton C: d 17.ix.1947 Ditchling.

BEST, Peter Edwin Wilson b 11.xii.1916 Market Drayton, Shropshire: ed Brighton, Hove and Sussex GS: committee 1981-1983, treasurer 1982, 1983: banker, local politician: mayor Brighton 1976: d 26.iv.1984 Hurstpierpoint.

BETHUNE, Charles Goodwin b 24.iii.1810 Worth: ed Oxford U: committee 1858: landowner, physician: father of H.B. (played two fc matches, for Hampshire): d 30.vii.1864 Hastings.

BEVAN, Bertrand Yorke d 8.i.1867 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Harrow S: committee 1923-1947, treasurer 1923-1947: banker: director Barclays Bank, Tamplin and Son (brewing); treasurer Brighton and Hove borough councils: younger brother of R.A. (see below): d 25.iii.1948 Cuckfield.

BEVAN, Richard Alexander b 14.vii.1834 Brighton: ed Harrow S; Cambridge U: committee 1917; treasurer 1917: banker, landowner, magistrate: director Union Bank, Brighton: older brother of B.Y. (see above): d 18.ii.1918 Cuckfield.

BIDDULPH, Anthony John Wright b 27.i.1830 Bartlow, Cambridgeshire: committee 1870-1880: landowner, magistrate: deputy lieutenant for Sussex: d 12.viii.1895 Barlavington. (*Changed surname from Wright to Biddulph 1854, keeping Wright as a forename.*)

BIDWELL, Christopher John Stanley b 27.vi.1944 Brighton: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Cambridge U: committee 1973-1980: solicitor: played one List A match for Sussex.

BLAKE, Gerald Stuart b 17.v.1890 Plaistow, Essex: committee 1949-1951: Army officer: awarded MC 1918; appointed MBE 1953 for military services in Korea: father of P.D.S., (played 23 fc matches for Sussex): d 5.i.1956 Lindfield.

BRAND, Hon Arthur George b 1.v.1853 Marylebone, Middlesex: ed Rugby S: committee 1878-1886: landowner, politician, magistrate: Conservative MP for Wisbech 1891-1895, 1900-1906; treasurer Royal Household 1894, 1895: deputy lieutenant for Sussex: younger brother of H.R. and older brother of C., (see below): d 9.i.1917 Brighton. (*As son of first Viscount Hampden, styled 'Honourable' from 1884.*)

BRAND, Hon Charles b 1.v.1855 Beddingham: ed Rugby S; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: committee 1886-1912: Army officer, landowner: master Southdown Hunt 1881-1903, president Foxhounds Association: younger brother of H.R., see below, and A.G., (see above): d 25.viii.1912 Beddingham. (*As son of first Viscount Hampden, styled 'Honourable' from 1884.*)

BRAND, Hon Henry Robert b 2.v.1841 Plymouth, Devon: ed Rugby S: committee 1867-1869: Army officer, landowner, politician, diplomat, magistrate: Liberal MP for Hertfordshire 1868-1873, for Stroud 1880-1886; junior minister War Office 1883-1885; governor New South Wales 1895-1899: played two fc matches, both for Sussex: succeeded his father as second Viscount Hampden 1892: appointed GCMG 1899: deputy lieutenant for Sussex: older brother of A.G. and C. (see above): d 22.xi.1906 Westminster, Middlesex. (*As son of first Viscount Hampden, styled 'Honourable' from 1884.*)

BRAYBON, Thomas Richard b ??.ix.1891 Brighton: ed York Place SS, Brighton: committee 1943-1946: managing director family building and contracting business; director Sussex Building Society: d 13 vi.1947 Holloway, Middlesex.

BRIGGS, Alan Hoyle b 29.viii.1928 Halifax, Yorkshire: committee 1978-1980: d 16.x.1987 Horsham.

BROMLEY-DAVENPORT, Hugh Richard b 18.viii.1870 Siddington, Cheshire: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: committee 1920-1928: stockbroker: played 76 fc matches, incl 28 for Middlesex and four Tests for England: appointed OBE 1919 for military services: d 23.v.1954 South Kensington, Middlesex.

BROWN, Charles Atherton b 8.vi.1854 Sydney, New SouthWales: UK resident from an early age: ed Highgate S: committee 1878-1887: landowner: played 11 fc matches, all for Sussex: later, well-known racehorse owner: d 8.vii.1917 Grendon, Warwickshire.

BROWN, Percival Arthur Albert b 28.i.1916 Regina (Saskatchewan), Canada: UK resident from an early age: committee 1977-1983, treasurer 1977-1981: Building Society manager: d 5.vi.1990 Worthing.

BROWN, Peter Dixon b 30.i.1924 Lambeth, Surrey: ed Dulwich C: committee 1981: publican: d 13.ii.1982 Pinner, Middlesex.

BROWNLOW, d'Arcy Charles b 30.x.1869 Kolkata (Bengal), India: UK resident from an early age: ed King's College S, Wimbledon; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: committee 1922-1937, chairman 1935-1937: Army officer who reached the rank of Brigadier-General: chairman Royal Sussex County Hospital 1924-1938: appointed CIE 1916, CMG 1917 for military services; deputy lieutenant for Sussex: d 21.iii.1938 Hove.

BRUCE, Edward Archibald b 1.xi.1849 Secunderabad (Hyderabad State), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Cheltenham C; Cambridge U: committee 1907-1918, secretary 1909-1913, chairman 1915-1918: Army officer: played six fc matches, incl four for Gloucestershire: d 14.xi.1918 Hove. (*Changed surname from Brice to Bruce 1875.*)

BRUCE, Thomas b 10.x.1888 Tottenham, Middlesex: committee 1938: telephone supervisor: d ??x.1975 Hastings.

BURRELL, Charles Raymond b 29.iii.1848 Burley, Rutland: ed Cambridge U: committee 1878-1880: Army officer, landowner, magistrate: succeeded his father W.W. (see below), as sixth Burrell baronet 1886: d 6.ix.1899 West Grinstead.

BURRELL, Walter Wyndham b 26.x.1814 West Grinstead: committee 1858, 1863, 1864: barrister, landowner, politician: Conservative MP for New Shoreham 1876-1885: succeeded his older brother as fifth Burrell baronet 1876; father of C.R. (see above): d 24.i.1886 West Grinstead.

BURT, Thomas Robert b 23.vi.1802 Reigate, Surrey: ed Merchant Taylors' S, London: committee 1870-1876: solicitor: d 24.ix.1877 East Grinstead.

BURT, Walter Leslie b 28.iii.1895 Steyning: ed Berkhamsted S: committee 1922-1949: chartered auctioneer: director Eagle Star Insurance Co; president Auctioneers' Institute 1959: appointed MBE 1919 for military services: d 27.xii.1976 Eastbourne.

BURTON, Horace Jack b 4.vii.1914 Hastings: committee 1956-1959: newsagent and bookseller: d 26.xi.2003 Eastbourne.

CAFFYN, Alan Morris b ??iv.1933 Eastbourne: ed Eastbourne C; Chelsea C of Engineering: committee 1990-1996, chairman 1990-1996: chartered mechanical engineer: director, later chairman family vehicle business: deputy lieutenant for Sussex: d 4.iv.2018 Willingdon. (*He was County Club president 1983, becoming chairman after he had held this position.*)

CAMA, Speneshta Surrosh Khursedji Rustomji b 30.ix.1908 Christchurch, Hampshire: ed Brighton, Hove and Sussex GS: committee 1950-1980, 1983-1989: property developer: left c £7 million to the club on his death: d 22.v.2001 Brighton. (*He was County Club president 1980.*)

CAMPBELL, E.G.L. see Latilla-Campbell, E.G. below.

CAMPION, William Henry b 1.iv.1836 Itchen Abbas, Hampshire: ed Eton C: committee 1870-1878, †chairman 1880, 1886, 1893, 1895: Army officer, landowner, magistrate: appointed CB 1902 for military services: son of W.J. (see below): d 3.xii.1923 Hurstpierpoint. (*He was County Club president 1909.*)

CAMPION, William John b 16 xi.1804 Hurstpierpoint: ed Eton C; Oxford U; committee 1858-1868: landowner, magistrate: father of W.H. (see above): d 27 vi.1869 Westminster, Middlesex.

CAREW-GIBSON, George Carew b 31.vii.1843 Midhurst: ed Eton C; Oxford U: committee 1865-1867, joining it at age 21, the youngest such postholder: landowner, magistrate: d 22.viii.1910 Storrington.

CARLESS, William b 9.vi.1851 Hereford: ed Cambridge U: committee 1899-1906: solicitor: d 17.iii.1929 Hastings.

CASTLE, Bernard Alan b 19.xi.1898 Sutton, Surrey: ed Kent C, Canterbury: committee 1943-1970: Royal Navy officer, later provision merchant: d 28.xii.1970 East Grinstead.

CAVENDISH, William Henry Frederick b 31.x.1817 Westminster, Middlesex: committee 1858: Army officer, courtier, landowner, magistrate: deputy lieutenant for Derbyshire; groom-in-waiting to Queen Victoria: d 11.iii.1881 South Kensington, Middlesex.

CHALK, William James b ??iv.1852 Wilden, Bedfordshire; ed Taunton S; London U: committee 1915-1925: chartered civil engineer, author various engineering publications: d 18.xii.1933 Crawley.

CHANDLER, Albert Henry b 16.x.1912 Lewes: committee 1950-1965: solicitor, clerk Lewes magistrates: d ??ii.1984 Lewes.

CHAPMAN, Edmund Henry Cracroft b 10.x.1907 Johannesburg, Transvaal: UK resident from 1909: ed Britannia Royal Navy C, Dartmouth: committee 1960-1963: Royal Navy officer: d 4.xi.1987 Saint-Cyprien (Dordogne), France.

CHASEMORE, Philip Cooper b 17.v.1851 Horsham: Collyer's S, Horsham committee 1915, 1916: auctioneer and land agent, local politician: d 10.iv.1917 Horsham.

CHATTERTON, George James Stewart b 2.xii.1911 Maida Vale, Middlesex: ed Nautical C, Pangbourne: committee 1944-1950: Army Air Corps officer: awarded DSO 1943; appointed OBE 1980 for services to thalidomide charity: d 12.vii.1987 Midhurst.

CHEESEMAN, William Edward Foster b 1.i.1876 Little Chart, Kent: ed Harrow S: committee 1910-1929, treasurer 1918-1922: solicitor: author publication on Hastings cricket: d 11.xi.1945 Winchelsea.

CHETWYND, Hon Charles Cornwallis b 17.ix.1834 Bicester, Oxfordshire: committee 1870-1873: Army officer, magistrate: d 31.iii.1884 Worthing, from injuries received in a railway accident. (*As son of sixth Viscount Chetwynd, styled 'Honourable' from birth.*)

CHURCH, Derek John b 17.v.1920 Horley, Surrey: ed Hustpierpoint C; Faraday House C, Westminster: committee 1978-1989: electrical engineer: played for Sussex in wartime matches: d 18.ii.2000 Crawley.

CLARANCE, George Clement b 9.viii.1868 St John's Wood, Middlesex: ed Winchester C; Cambridge U: committee 1939-1943: solicitor: d 31.i.1946 Midhurst. (*Surname sometimes spelled Clarence.*)

CLARKE, Robert Nunn Stephenson b 16.iv.1925 Paddington, Middlesex: ed Eton C: committee 1962, 1963: landowner: developer of gardens at Borde Hill, Haywards Heath: d 17.xi.1987 Brighton.

COLE, Frank Arthur b 29 Apr 1886 Boxted, Essex: committee 1960-1963: Royal Navy officer: d 24 Aug 1963 Portslade.

COLLIS, Hugh Thomas Clendon b 8.ix.1857 Sydenham, Kent: committee 1906-1914: Army officer, later hop merchant: d 26.iv.1919 Hove, Sussex.

CONSTABLE, Archibald James b ??i.1858 Arundel: committee 1908-1928; brewer, local politician: managing director Henty and Constable (brewing); chairman Arundel District Council: d 30.vii.1927 Littlehampton.

COOK, Charles Christopher b 8.viii.1841 Worthing: committee 1913: brick mfg, building contractor, local politician: d 3.vi.1914 Worthing.

COOKE, Henry c 7.vi.1824 Lewes: bank manager: committee 1870-1905, chairman 1902, 1904, 1905: d 20.i.1914 Hove.

CORNFORD, Geoffrey Arthur b 25.iv.1920 Uckfield: committee 1963-1986, vice-chairman 1986: d 21.viii.2003 Bexhill.

CORR, Michael John Henry b 1.xii.1934 Brighton: committee 1981-1989: solicitor: d 17.vii.1995 Hove.

COTTER, Eileen b 13.vi.1924 Ruddington, Nottinghamshire: committee 1978-1989, the first woman to join it, along with Frances Mannings (see below): nurse, hospital manager: appointed OBE 1979 for services to nursing: d 11.xi.2007 Fairlight. (*Changed surname from Savage to Beith on marriage 1947 and to Cotter on marriage 1972.*)

COTTERILL, George Edward b 28.vii.1839 Nilgiri Hills (Madras State), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Brighton C; Cambridge U: committee 1871-1880: teacher, Anglican clergyman: played 18 fc matches, incl eight for Sussex: father of G.H., eight fc matches for Sussex; younger brother of J.M., 27 fc matches for Sussex; d 2.vi.1913 Cambridge.

COX, George b 23.viii.1911 Warnham: ed Collyer's S, Horsham: committee 1974-1978: professional cricketer and footballer, later cricket coach: played 455 fc matches, incl 448 for Sussex: played football for Arsenal and Fulham: county coach 1960-1970: son of G.R., (618 fc matches for Sussex): d 30.iii.1985 Wivelsfield.

COWDRAY, VISCOUNT see Pearson, Hon W.H.M. below

CROLE-REES, Anthony b 16.v.1925 Hendon, Middlesex: ed Charterhouse, Godalming: committee 1963-1983, chairman 1975-1981: played amateur golf for Sussex, lawn tennis in Wimbledon championships: d 8.x.1983 Hove.

CULLEN, Arthur John b 14.vi.1839 Islington, Middlesex: committee 1888-1903: Army officer: d 4Q 1903 Hove.

CUNNINGHAM, Francis William Murray b 3.xii.1883 Glasgow (Lanarkshire), Scotland; ed Fettes C, Edinburgh; Edinburgh U: committee 1929-1939: physician: awarded DSO 1920: d 10.xi.1939 Hove.

CURTEIS, Herbert b 14.iv.1849 Wartling: ed Westminster S; Oxford U: committee 1874-1882: landowner, magistrate: played four fc matches, incl one for Sussex: d 28.x.1919 Wartling. (*He was son of H.M., County Club president 1869-1878, see Appendix One.*)

CUTTRESS, John Stephen b 9.ix.1920 Ditchling: ed Brighton, Hove and Sussex GS: committee 1962-1965: hotelier and restaurateur, magistrate: awarded MC 1944: d 8.i.2001 Brighton.

DARBY, John Clere Scott b 19.xii.1830: ed Oxford U: committee 1858-1873: Anglican clergyman: d 26.iv.1901 Machen, Monmouthshire.

DAVENPORT-JONES, Harry Charles b 20.v.1875 Hastings: ed Hastings GS: committee 1939-1943: solicitor: coroner for Hastings: d 7.i.1947 Hastings.

DAVIDSON, Duncan George b 25.ii.1833 Hampton, Middlesex: ed Britannia Royal Naval C, Dartmouth: committee 1864-1873: Royal Navy officer: d 2.ix.1882 Eastbourne.

DAWSON, Andrew Christopher b 24.viii.1908 Edinburgh: ed Eton C: committee 1963-1973: played Minor Counties cricket for Leicestershire II: d 14.i.1974 Birdham.

DEAN, Denis Francis b 26.ii.1930 West Norwood, Surrey: committee 1987, 1988: umpired Second Eleven and Minor Counties chsp matches: d 18.xi.1990 Blackboys.

de la BÈRE, Basil Baghot b 21.i.1868 Prestbury, Gloucestershire: committee 1908-1910: Army officer, land agent: d 30.x.1943 Oxford, from injuries received in road accident.

DENMAN, Hon Richard b 13.i.1814 St Pancras, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: committee 1863, 1864: barrister: d 19.iii.1887 Westergate. (*As son of first Baron Denman styled 'Honourable' from birth.*)

DENMAN, Walter Sydney b 24.iv.1909 Crawley: committee 1972-1976: d 12.v.1979 Crawley. (*He was Sussex first-team scorer 1973-1976.*)

de PARAVICINI, Harry Farquhar b 20.x.1859 Paddington, Middlesex: ed Harrow S; Cambridge U: committee 1893-1905, 1919-1921: stockbroker: played six fc matches, none for Sussex: d 28.x.1942 Hove. (*He was County Club president 1924.*)

DERING, Heneage William b 14.xi.1819 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Oxford U: committee 1860-1885, chairman 1881, 1883: landowner: d 21.v.1902 Paddington, Middlesex.

DODD, George Morton b 14.i.1881 Horsted Keynes: committee 1939-1968: independent means: d 22.vi.1978 Uckfield.

DOGGART, Alexander Graham b 2.vi.1897 Bishop Auckland, Co Durham: ed Bishop's Stortford C; Cambridge U: committee 1949-1963: chartered accountant, managing director family department-store business: played 46 fc matches, incl four for Middlesex: played football for Corinthians, Darlington and England full and amateur teams: chairman Football Association (England) 1961-1963: father of A.P., (nine fc matches for Sussex) and G.H.G. (155 matches for Sussex): d 7.vi.1963 Paddington, Middlesex.

DOWNS, George b 10.xii.1907 Chichester: committee 1980-1982: property management: umpired fc, Second Eleven and Minor Counties chsp matches: d 2.viii.1991 Bognor Regis.

DUMBRELL, Arthur Alfred b 18.iv.1908 Brighton: committee 1981-1983: chartered public accountant: deputy treasurer East Sussex County Council: d 19.ix.1990 Brighton. (*He was County Club secretary 1970-1973.*)

EAGER, Edward b 4.ix.1842 Ripley, Surrey: ed Cranleigh S: committee 1884-1886, 1899-1906, chairman 1903: magistrate, local politician: chairman East Sussex County Council 1894-1899: deputy lieutenant for Sussex: d 1.vii.1907 Hove.

ELLIOTT, Herbert b 11.ix.1875 City of London: committee 1928-1949: retailing manager: jt managing director family retailing business: d 25.i.1966 Alfriston.

ELLIS, Robert Thomas b 16.ix.1853 Haywards Heath: ed Brighton C: committee 1881-1889; played 70 fc matches, incl 65 for Sussex: brewer, maltster: d 23.ix.1937 Stone, Kent.

EVERITT, Geoffrey Llewellyn b 11.i.1922 Royston, Hertfordshire: committee 1981-1988, vice-chairman 1987, 1988: presenter, later general manager English-language productions for Radio Luxembourg: d 24.v.1995 Hove.

FAIRS, David A. committee 1990-1996: surveyor.

FARMER, Corral b 9.x.1865 Kilburn, Middlesex: ed Lancing C: committee 1895-1900: landscape artist: d 13.v.1947 Loxwood.

FARMER, James Arthur b 15.viii.1902 Lambeth, Surrey: ed University College S, Hampstead: committee 1958-1971: farmer, local politician: d 12.x.1991 Crawley.

FARRAR, John Charlton b 30 i.1923 Oldham, Lancashire: ed Dover C: committee 1952-1956: teacher: played for Sussex II in Minor Counties chsp: d 20.x.2002 Lancashire.

FARNCOMBE, Maurice b 22.x.1903 Brighton: ed Brighton, Hove and Sussex GS: committee 1950-1972: bank manager: d 26.ix.1975 Hove.

FLOWERS, George Arthur b 20.viii.1845 Brighton: committee 1908-1910: solicitor: father of J. (see below):d 12.vii.1929 Hove.

FLOWERS, John b 5.x.1882 Shoreham-by-Sea: committee 1929-1936: barrister; circuit judge: played two fc matches, both for Sussex: son of G.A. (see above): well known as the prosecutor in the 'Brighton race-gang trials': d 8.v.1968 Brighton.

FORSTER, Henry Strong b 10.xii.1884 Worcester: ed Malvern C: committee 1937-1943: teacher: d 13.xii.1944 Dyffryn Ardudwy, Merioneth.

FRASER, Alexander Bruce Siddons b 1.x.1847 Ludhiana (Bengal), India: UK resident from an early age: committee 1909-1914: Army officer, local politician, magistrate, later

market gardener: mayor Worthing 1896-1898; mayor Hove 1907-1910: d 13.viii.1933 Westminster, Middlesex.

FREEMAN-THOMAS, Freeman see Thomas, F. below.

FREWEN, Edward b 25.vii.1850 Casterton, Westmorland: ed Cambridge U: committee 1910-1918: Army officer, magistrate: deputy lieutenant for Sussex; High Sherriff of Rutland 1876: appointed CB 1911 for military services: d 13.i.1919 Northiam.

GABRIEL, Harold Edward Hammond b 5.xi.1903 Islington, Middlesex; committee 1944-1952: banker: played for Suffolk in the Minor Counties chsp: d 20.vii.1990 Hastings.

GAISFORD, Julian Charles b 28.iii.1862 Worthing: ed Oratory S, Woodcote: committee 1898-1910: Royal Navy officer, landowner, magistrate: High Sherriff of Co Dublin 1916: d 7.xi.1932 Dublin, Eire. (*Changed surname to Gaisford-St Lawrence 1910, after inheriting an Irish landed estate.*)

GENTLE, Sir William Benjamin b 8.ix.1864 Ashwell, Hertfordshire: ed Merchant Taylors' S, London: committee 1913-1928: police officer, later company director: chief constable Brighton borough 1901-1920; later chairman Greyhound Racing Association: knighted 1916 for services to policing: High Sheriff of Norfolk 1938: d 2.ix.1948 Thetford, Norfolk.

GERRARD, Cecil Roland b 1.i.1906 Greenwich, Kent: ed Hurstpierpoint C: committee 1954-1972: accountant: d 3.vi.1979 Hassocks. (*Changed surname from Quiesser to Gerhardt 1914, when his widowed mother remarried, and later to Gerrard.*)

GIBBES, Arthur Montague b 11.xii.1875 Marylebone, Middlesex: committee 1923-1938: Army officer: d 20.vi.1941 Sharpthorne.

GIBSON, George Carew see Carew-Gibson, G.C. above.

GILKES, Kenneth Daintry b 30.viii.1903 Brighton; ed Hurstpierpoint C: committee 1950-1968: managing director family builders' merchants business: awarded MC 1943: d 5.v.1985 Chichester.

GILLIGAN, Arthur Edward Robert b 23.xii.1894 Camberwell, Surrey: ed Dulwich C; Cambridge U: committee 1950-1973, chairman 1963-1971: played 337 fc matches, incl 227 for Sussex and 11 Tests for England; *Wisden* cricketer 1924: cricketer, director canned-goods brokerage, cricket writer *News Chronicle* and other newspapers, radio commentator 1946-1951: author Sussex cricket history; president English Golf Union 1959; president MCC

1967-68: older brother of A.H.H., (see above): d 5.ix.1976 Pulborough. (*He was County Club president 1974.*)

GILLIGAN, Albert Herbert Harold b 19.vi.1896 Camberwell, Surrey: ed Dulwich C: committee 1933-1937: played 321 fc matches, incl 289 for Sussex and four Tests for England: cricketer, solicitor: later, director Carltona (food products mfr), Greyhound Racing Association and other companies: awarded AFC 1919: younger brother of A.E.R., (see below): d 5.v.1978 Shamley Green, Surrey. (*Member of the Surrey Club committee 1952-1960 and treasurer 1961-1965.*)

GILMAN, James b 17.iii.1879 Marylebone, Middlesex: ed St Paul's S, London; Cambridge U: committee 1950-1956: Army officer, electrical engineer: played 41 fc matches, incl five for Middlesex: d 14.ix.1976 Shoreham-by-Sea, aged 97 yr 5 mth.

GODFREE, George Stanley b 30.vi.1873 Brighton: ed Chatman House GS, Ramsgate: committee 1906-1928, secretary 1916-1918, †chairman 1938-1946: solicitor; clerk to Brighton magistrates: d 9.iv.1947 Brighton. (*He was County Club president 1947, but died shortly after taking office.*)

GOLDSMITH, George b 7.viii.1850 Brighton: ed Brighton GS: committee 1881-1889, secretary 1881-1888: accountant: played three fc matches, incl two for Sussex: d 5.iv.1916 Hanwell, Middlesex.

GOODALL, Arthur Henry b 9.xii.1872 Stoke Newington, Middlesex: ed Lancing C: committee 1922-1932: journalist: d 14.ii.1941 Rye.

GORDON, Sir Home Seton Charles Montagu b 30.ix.1871 Brighton: ed Eton C: †secretary 1943-1945: author, cricket writer, including columnist for *The Cricketer* magazine and author Sussex cricket history; chairman Norgate and Williams (publishing); director other companies: succeeded his father as twelfth Gordon baronet 1906: d 9.ix.1956 Rottingdean. (*He was County Club president 1948.*)

GORDON-LENNOX, Lord Bernard b 1.v.1878 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: committee 1913, 1914: Army officer: played one fc match, for Middlesex: d 10.xi.1914 Klein Zillebeke (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, killed in action. (*Registered as Bernard Charles GORDON-LENNOX. Styled Lord Bernard Gordon-Lennox when his father became seventh Duke of Richmond 1903.*)

GRANTHAM, William Wilson b 7.i.1866 South Norwood, Surrey: ed Harrow S; Cambridge U: committee 1913-1939: barrister, magistrate, circuit judge, local politician: deputy chairman London County Council 1935, 1936: credited with reviving the traditional

Sussex game of stoolball after the Great War and establishing its Great Britain organising body in 1923: d 18.ii.1942 Chailey.

GRAVES, Peter John b 19.v.1946 Hove, Sussex: ed Hove Manor S: committee 1982-1989: cricketer, director building-plant business: played 292 fc matches, incl 270 for Sussex.

GRAY, Hubert Patrick b 12.ix.1862 Scone (Perthshire), Scotland: committee 1919-1921: market gardener, local politician: d 25.iii.1930 Worthing.

GREEN, Roger Day b 26.v.1884 Barkway, Hertfordshire: ed Haileybury C, Hertford Heath: committee 1940-1949: chartered surveyor: d 27.v.1955 Hove, Sussex.

GREENFIELD, Frederick Francis John b 10.v.1850 Gorakhpur (United Provinces), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Hurstpierpoint C; Cambridge U: teacher, Anglican clergyman: committee 1881-1890: played 85 fc matches, incl 62 for Sussex: emigrated to South Africa c 1891: d 25.x.1900 nr Dundee, Natal.

GRESSON, Francis Henry b 18.ii.1868 Worthing: ed Winchester C; Oxford U: committee 1892-1894: teacher: played 47 fc matches, incl 21 for Sussex: d 31.i.1949 Eastbourne.

GRIFFITH, Stewart Cathie b 16.vi.1914 Wandsworth, Surrey: ed Dulwich C; Cambridge U: committee 1975: cricketer, cricket administrator, journalist: played 215 fc matches, incl 122 for Sussex and three Tests for England: awarded DFC 1945; cricket writer for *Sunday Times*; cricket administrator: secretary MCC 1962-1974; president 1979-80; secretary TCCB 1968-1974: appointed CBE 1975 for services to cricket: father of M.G., (232 fc matches for Sussex): d 7.iv.1993 Felpham. (*He was County Club president 1975.*)

HALE, John Hinde b 16.ix.1830 East Grinstead: ed Rugby S: committee 1858-1861, 1864-1870: brewer: director Chapman and Co (brewing): played 49 fc matches, incl 35 for Sussex: d 11.vii.1878 Notting Hill, Middlesex.

HAMMOND, Mary Rosina b 28.i.1915 Stepney, Middlesex: ed xxxx: committee 1984-1989: occupation: d 3.xi.2004 Worthing. (*Changed surname from Liddard on marriage 1938.*)

HAMPDEN, LORD see Brand, H.R. above

HANNAH, Charles Walton b 30.x.1877 Brighton: ed xxxxxx; yyyyyy: committee 1939-1943: emigrated to South Africa 1945 but later returned: teacher: d 2.iii.1960 Cuckfield.

HARDING, Charles O'Brien b 22.ii.1859 Highbury, Middlesex: ed Epsom C; St Bartholomew's Hospital Medical C, London: committee 1910-1923: physician, local politician: mayor Eastbourne 1902, 1915-1919, 1924: played rugby union for United Hospitals and Middlesex: knighted 1920 for public services in Eastbourne: d 9.vi.1929 Eastbourne.

HARDING, Kenneth b 12.ii.1892 Blackheath, Kent: ed St Edward's S, Oxford: committee 1950, 1951: actor, later teacher: played three fc matches, all for Sussex: d 30.xi.1977 Eastbourne.

HARDY, Herbert Carey b 12.viii.1848 Bradford, Yorkshire: ed Oxford U: committee 1883-1887: Army officer, landowner, magistrate: d 11.viii.1888 Boat of Garten, Inverness-shire, Scotland.

HARKER, James Thomas b 12.iii.1890 Wandsworth, Surrey: bank manager: committee 1939-1950: d 21.iii.1961 Chichester.

HARRIS, Henry Edward b 6.viii.1854 Brighton: ed privately in Brighton: committee 1882-1886, 1891-1905: teacher, later brewery manager: played three fc matches, all for Hampshire: father of E.L.J., (nine matches for Sussex): d 8.xi.1923 Littlehampton.

HARRISON, Edward Ernest b 25.v.1910 Chichester: ed Harrow S: committee 1944-1980: managing director family leather business: played ten fc matches, all for Sussex: South of England singles squash champion 1934; amateur doubles squash champion 1934, 1935, also played squash for England: d 12.xii.2002 Chichester.

HARRISON, Kenneth Cecil b 29.iv.1915 Hyde, Cheshire: ed Hyde GS: committee 1953-1959: chartered librarian: president Library Association 1973; author various publications on libraries and librarianship, incl an autobiography: appointed MBE 1946 for military services, OBE 1980 for services to librarianship: d 19.ii.2006 Eastbourne.

HARVEY, Edward Douglas Lennox b 26.xii.1858 Forglen (Banffshire), Scotland: ed Trinity C, Glenalmond; Harrow S; Cambridge U: committee 1919-1938, chairman 1927-1934: Anglican clergyman, local politician, magistrate: deputy chairman West Sussex County Council 1917-1937: appointed OBE 1920 for public services in West Sussex during the Great War; deputy lieutenant for Sussex: d 16.vii.1938 Lower Beeding. (*He was County Club president 1935.*)

HAYGARTH, John Spencer b 18.v.1929 Epsom, Surrey: committee 1990, 1991: d 13.xii.2012 Ditchling.

HEALD, Bernard b 29.xi.1881 Nottingham; ed Nottingham HS; Oxford U: committee 1930-1938: teacher, Anglican clergyman: d 25.i.1953 Midhurst.

HEASMAN, William Gratwicke b 9.xii.1862 Angmering; ed Hurstpierpoint C; St Bartholomew's Hospital Medical C, London: committee 1927, 1928: physician: played 15 fc matches, all for Sussex: d 25.i.1934 Eastbourne.

HEATH, George Octavius b 20.iv.1852 St Elizabeth, Jamaica: UK resident from an early age, but later travelled widely in the Caribbean and North America: ed Fulneck S, Pudsey; Moravian C, Bethlehem (Pennsylvania), United States: committee 1908-1910: Moravian Church minister: d 17.ii.1925 Winston-Salem (North Carolina), United States.

HILL, Alec Reuben Edward b Q4 1920 Stroud, Gloucestershire: ed Lancing C: committee 1970-1973: teacher: d 14.viii.2013 Stroud, Gloucestershire.

HILL, Lord Arthur b 28.vii.1846 Easthampstead, Berkshire: committee 1876: Army officer, landowner, magistrate, politician: Conservative MP for Down 1880-1885, for West Down 1885-1898, 1907-1908; Comptroller of the Household 1885-1892, 1895-1898: appointed Privy Counsellor 1885; deputy lieutenant for County Down: d 13.i.1931 Westminster, Middlesex. (*Registered as Arthur William HILL. Styled Lord Arthur Hill as the second son of the fourth Marquess of Downshire in the Irish peerage. His landholdings included Wakehurst Place, Ardingly.*)

HOLE, David Anthony b 11.x.1931 Albourne: ed Charterhouse, Godalming: committee 1966-1973: farmer: played for Sussex II in the Second Eleven chsp. (*Height about 6ft 9in, thus probably the tallest-ever Sussex club committee member.*)

HOLL, Eric Otway b 24.vii.1901 Brighton: committee 1950-1954: Army officer, later bank manager: d 3.vi.1955 Shoreham-by-Sea.

HOLLINS, Frederick b 1.ix.1844 Stockport, Cheshire; ed Rossall S, Fleetwood; Cambridge U: committee 1906-1928: teacher: d 17.ix.1929 Eastbourne.

HOLMAN, Robert Colgate b ??i.1848 East Hoathly: ed Guy's Hospital Medical C, Southwark: committee 1909-1919: physician: d 13.i.1922 Midhurst.

HOLMAN, Maurice George b 26.vii.1905 Brighton: committee 1950-1957: chartered surveyor: d ??i.1969 Hailsham.

HOLMES, Albert John b 30.vi.1899 Thornton Heath, Surrey: ed Repton S: committee 1947-1950, chairman 1947-1949: Army (later Royal Air Force) officer, mink farmer,

magistrate: played 208 fc matches, incl 203 for Sussex: awarded AFC 1940 and bar 1942: father of J.R.R. (two fc matches for Sussex): d 21.v.1950 Hastings.

HOLT, Geoffrey Noël b 3.x.1893 Kilburn, Middlesex: committee 1920, 1921: glass merchant, later chartered accountant: director British-American Tobacco: d 14.ix.1951 Crowborough. (*Changed surname to Hillier-Holt 1930.*)

HOPKINS, Kenneth George b 26.ix.1933 Hampshire: ed Newbury GS: committee 1984-1996: chartered marketing manager: airforceman, later marketing manager, incl marketing director Seaboard. (*He returned to the committee 1997 and was later vice-chairman.*)

HORAN, Francis Thomas b 24.vii.1933 South Manchester, Lancashire: ed Torquay GS; St Mary's Hospital Medical C, Paddington; McGill U, Montreal (Quebec), Canada: committee 1991-1996: orthopaedic consultant, specialising in sports medicine: d 4.xi.2015 Cuckfield.

HORNSBY, John Henry James b 18.iv.1860 Barrowby, Lincolnshire; ed Fettes C, Edinburgh; Oxford U: director Ruston and Hornsby (agricultural machinery mfg), magistrate: committee 1921, 1922: played 31 fc matches, incl one for Middlesex: d 9.vii.1926 Cuckfield.

HORWOOD, Charles b 8.xii.1839 Berkhamsted, Hertfordshire: ed Oxford U: committee 1865-1868: played three fc matches, all for Sussex: d 7.i.1870 Worthing.

HOUGH, Charles Edward b 26.viii.1883 West Kensington, Middlesex; ed Brighton C; Cambridge U: committee 1930-1949: teacher: d 1.viii.1963 Hove. (*Changed surname from Hoffmeister c 1916.*)

HUMPHRY, William James b 5.xi.1814 West Lavant: committee 1858-1864: farmer: played 14 fc matches, incl eight for Sussex: d 30.ix.1865 Donnington. (*Surname sometimes spelled Humphrey.*)

HUNT, Hastings Cyril b 15.i.1876 Horsham: ed Collyer's S, Horsham: committee 1907-1910: director family department-store business: father of R.G. (see below): d 6.iii. 1964 Horsham.

HUNT, Robert Geoffrey b 13.iv.1915 Horsham: ed Aldenham S, Elstree; Cambridge U: committee 1950-1952: teacher, later director family department-store business; executive British Sugar Corporation: played 26 fc matches, incl 11 for Sussex: son of H.C. (see above): d 10.i.2010 Cheltenham, Gloucestershire.

HURRELL, Peter Crispin b ??.iv.1929 Hastings: committee 1987-1989: d 12.xi.2009 Hastings.

HURST, Henry Reginald b 11.ix.1892 Eastbourne: committee 1947-1949: corn merchant: d 1.x.1976 Eastbourne.

INGRAM, Robert Bethune b 18.vii.1831 Steyning: ed Steyning GS; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: committee 1867-1880: Army officer, magistrate: d 28.x.1909 Steyning.

INGRAM, John Stafford b 18.ii.1925 Salisbury, Wiltshire: ed Collyer's S, Horsham: emigrated to South Africa 1949, returning 1953: committee 1978-1980: theatrical agent, broadcaster: d ??vi.1998 Chichester.

ISHERWOOD, Lionel Charles Ramsbottom b 12.iv.1891 Portsmouth, Hampshire: ed Eton C: Army officer: committee 1927-1929: played 60 fc matches, incl 28 for Sussex: d 30.ix.1970 Guildford, Surrey. (*Surname sometimes reported as Ramsbottom-Isherwood.*)

JACKSON, John b 3.ii.1834 Brewood, Staffordshire: ed London U: committee 1890: chartered mechanical engineer, local politician: well-known canal, harbour and railway contractor: d 14.ii.1891 Willingdon.

JELICORSE, Harold b 26.vi.1864 Fallowfield, Manchester: ed Dulwich C: committee 1910-1912: Army officer, local politician, magistrate: chairman West Sussex Hospital: well-known croquet player; author history of Sussex County Croquet Club: d 14.viii.1951 Funtington.

JENNER, Lewis William b 21.vii.1884 Lewes: ed Lewes GS: committee 1944-1950, treasurer 1948-1950: bank manager: d 9.iv.1955 Brighton.

JONES, Michael Conway b 29.xi.1932 Keynsham, Gloucestershire: committee 1984-1989: d ??ii.2005 Worthing.

KEEN, William b 1851 Godalming, Surrey: ed Harrow S; Royal Agricultural C, Cirencester: committee 1891-1923, chairman 1907: farmer, landowner: d 2.x.1928 Hove.

KEMBLE, Arthur Twiss b 3.ii.1862 Sebergham, Cumberland: ed Appleby GS: committee 1919-1924: solicitor, local politician, incl chairman Garstang District Council (Lancashire): played 95 fc matches, incl 76 for Lancashire: played rugby union for Liverpool and England: d 13.iii.1925 Crawley Down.

KENNING, William Lovell b 9.ii.1899 Caterham, Surrey: ed Radley C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst; Oxford U: committee 1945-1948: Army officer, later market gardener; author railway photograph collections: d 12.xi.1967 Ditchling, while climbing in an apple tree.

KENT, George b 22.iv.1907 Bethnal Green, Middlesex: committee 1950-1977, vice-chairman 1974-1976: public health inspector, local politician: president Sussex Rugby Football Union; chairman Sussex County Building Society; chairman Lewes District Council: appointed OBE 1980 for services to the community in Lewes: ??i.1980 Westminster, Middlesex.

KENWARD, Charles b 7.ix.1877 Icklesham: ed Eastbourne C: committee 1936-1938: farmer: played one fc match, for Gentlemen: younger brother of Richard, (played four matches for Sussex): d 14.xi.1948 Udimore.

KING, George William: b 15.vi.1822 Marylebone, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: committee 1861-1881, secretary 1870-1880: teacher: played 19 fc matches, incl 18 for Sussex: father of G.L., (played six fc matches for Sussex): d 22.xii.1881 Hove.

KIRKPATRICK, Sir Charles Sharpe b 26.ii.1874 Southwark, Surrey: committee 1936: landowner, stockbroker: declared bankrupt 1914: succeeded his father as ninth Kirkpatrick baronet 1899: played football for Corinthians: d 2.i.1937 Marylebone, Middlesex.

KIRKPATRICK, Thomas Roger b 5.vii.1894 Hastings: ed Caterham S; London U: committee 1937, 1938: director stationery company: d 9.iii.1973 Beckenham, Kent.

KNIGHT, Edward Albert b Q1 1862 Camberwell, Surrey: committee 1909: solicitor: registrar Hastings County Court: d 29.xii.1909 Hastings.

KNOWLES, William Lancelot b 27.xi.1870 Twineham: ed Hurstpierpoint C: committee 1919-1921: stockbroker, later cricket administrator, magistrate: played 37 fc matches, incl one for Sussex: d 1.xii.1943 Ditchling. (*He was Sussex Club secretary 1922-1942, twenty-one years, the longest service in this position.*)

LANCASTER, Charles Richard b 13.ii.1935 Battle: committee 1985-1989: d 13.xii.2016 Bexhill.

LARKIN, John Cyril b 15.ii.1905 Tonbridge, Kent: committee 1966-1981: director family housebuilding and contracting business: d 21.iii.1982 Bexhill.

LATILLA-CAMPBELL, Edmund George b 29.i.1909 Johannesburg, Transvaal: ed Hilton C (Natal): committee 1944-1949: Army officer, company director, farmer: d 10.ii.1974 Horsham. (*Changed surname from Campbell 1936.*)

LECONFIELD, third Baron b 17.ii.1872 Petworth: ed Winchester C: committee 1919, chairman 1919: Army officer, landowner, local politician: succeeded his father as third Baron Leconfield 1901: chairman West Sussex County Council 1917-1946: appointed GCVO 1935 for services to the monarchy: Lord Lieutenant of West Sussex 1917-1949; president MCC 1927-28: d 16.iv.1952 Petworth. (*Registered as Charles Henry WYNDHAM. As son of second Baron Leconfield, styled Honourable until 1901. He was County Club president 1903 and 1917-1919.*)

LEADLEY, Reuben Maurice b 7.iii.1918 Brighton: committee 1982-1989, vice-chairman 1982-1985, chairman 1986-1988: deputy chairman Alliance Building Society: d 31.iii.2012 Henfield.

LEE, Christopher Robin James b 13.x.1941 Dartford, Kent: ed Wilmington GS (Kent); London U: committee 1990-1993: author, broadcaster, journalist and playwright, on a wide variety of subjects, incl an official history of Sussex cricket.

LEIGH, Spencer Austen b 17.ii.1834 Speen, Berkshire: ed Harrow S: committee 1881-1905, chairman 1889-1900; committee clerk House of Commons, later farmer: played 13 fc matches, incl ten for Sussex: d 9.xii.1913 Alfriston. (*Changed surname to Leigh 1837, keeping Austen as a forename.*)

LENHAM, Leslie John b 24.v.1936 Worthing, Sussex: ed Worthing HS: committee 1981-1989: signwriter, later professional cricketer, cricket coach: played 300 fc and 23 List A matches, all for Sussex; Sussex coach 1969-1974, later TCCB coach: father of N.J., (played 192 fc and 147 List A matches for Sussex).

LESTER, Dudley Emerton b 28.v.1891 Wantage, Berkshire: committee 1952-1965: sports outfitter: d 3.i.1980 Horsted Keynes.

LEVENSON, Reuben b 20.ix.1914 Aberdeen (Cape Province), South Africa: UK resident from 1933: committee 1974-1981, vice-chairman 1979, 1980: retailing manager, Marks and Spencer: d 7.iv.1983 Hove.

LEVESON, Arthur Cavenagh b 27.i.1868 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Britannia Royal Naval C, Dartmouth: committee 1923-1929: Royal Navy officer who reached rank of rear-admiral: appointed CB (civil) 1912, CB (military) 1916, GCB (knighted) 1927: d 26.vi.1929 Contrexéville (Vosges), France.

LEVESON GOWER, Frederick Archibald Gresham b 20.ii.1871 Titsey, Kent: ed Winchester C; Oxford U: Anglican clergyman: committee 1920-1928: played 16 fc matches, incl two for Hampshire: d 3.x.1946 Folkestone, Kent. (*Younger brother of Sir H.D.G. Leveson Gower, Surrey and England cricketer.*)

LOCKITT, Charles Culverhouse b 27.v.1906 Solihull, Warwickshire: ed Tonbridge S: committee 1960-1973, treasurer 1970, 1971: banker: director Commercial Bank of Scotland: played for Suffolk and Sussex II in the Minor Counties chsp: d 23.xi.1979 Worthing, Sussex.

LODER, Robert b 7.viii.1823 St Petersburg, Russia: UK resident from an early age: ed Cambridge U; committee 1858-1876: farmer, landowner, magistrate: Conservative MP for New Shoreham 1880-1885: High Sherriff of Northamptonshire 1877; deputy lieutenant for Sussex; created baronet 1887: father of W.H., (see below): d 27.v.1888 Worthing.

LODER, Wilfred Hans b 4.x.1851 Crawley: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: committee 1894-1901: banker, director Prescott and Co (private bank): High Sherriff of Sussex 1891, deputy lieutenant for Sussex: son of R., see above: d 19.viii.1902 Cambusmore (Sutherland), Scotland

LOMER, John Frank b 13.i.1901 Woodstock, Oxfordshire: committee 1970-1972: Army officer, magistrate: d ?? .iv.1976 Horsham.

LONDON, Denis Stanley b 16.xi.1918 Thakeham: committee 1984-1989: d ?? .i.2003 Bognor Regis.

LOSNER, Ingram Benjamin b 2Q 1960 Islington, Middlesex; ed Brighton C; London U: committee 1994-1996: accountant, later recruitment consultant: emigrated to United States 1996.

LUCAS, Charles Eric b 16.iv.1885 Westminster, Middlesex: Eton C; Cambridge U: committee 1924-1948: Army officer, brewer: director Lacon and Co (brewing): played five fc matches, incl three for Sussex: son of C.J. (see below): d 4.iv.1967 Warnham.

LUCAS, Charles James b 25.ii.1853 Clapham, Surrey: ed Harrow S: committee 1881-1890: company director: director London, Brighton and South Coast Railway, also Lacon and Co (brewing): played 12 fc matches, incl eight for Sussex: High Sherriff of Sussex 1904, also deputy lieutenant: older brother of M.P. (see below); and F.M. (played 18 matches for Sussex); father of C.E. (see above): d 17.iv.1928 Westminster, Middlesex. (*He was County Club president 1907.*)

LUCAS, Morton Peto b 24.xi.1856 Clapham, Surrey: ed Harrow S: committee 1879-1890, 1914-1919: brewer, magistrate: jt-chairman Lucas and co (brewing): played 27 fc matches,

incl 23 for Sussex: High Sherriff of Warwickshire 1900: younger brother of C.J. (see above), and older brother of F.M., (played 18 matches for Sussex): d 9.vii.1921 Westminster, Middlesex.

LUTTMAN-JOHNSON, Frederic b 22.i.1845 West Dean, Sussex: ed Brighton C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: committee 1910-1917: Army officer, magistrate: awarded DSO 1901: d 11.viii.1917 Petworth.

MALTBY, Etrick Gordon b 12.viii.1884 Apsley Guise, Bedfordshire; ed St Edward's S, Oxford; Oxford U: committee 1931-1956: teacher: played hockey for Oxfordshire: d 8.i.1967 Oxford.

MANNING, Thomas Sackville b 30.vi.1870 Surbiton, Surrey: ed Cheltenham C; Cambridge U: committee 1910-1914: brewery director, magistrate: director Fremfils Ltd, chairman Southdown and East Grinstead Breweries: d 11.iv.1951 Bembridge, Isle of Wight.

MANNINGS, Frances Elizabeth b 17.i.1950 Cuckfield: ed Lourdes Convent, Brighton; Brighton C of Education: committee 1978-1993, the first woman to join it, along with Eileen Cotter (see above): teacher, croquet coach: winner three national croquet titles. (*Proposed changes to the rules prohibiting female members from joining the Committee on three occasions. Changed surname to Low on marriage 1991.*)

MANT, Derrick French b 30.iv.1924 Petworth: committee 1952-1960: solicitor: d 4.xii.2016 Oakley, Hampshire.

MANT, George Arthur b 21.iii.1896 Petworth: ed Lancing C: committee 1950-1966: Army officer, solicitor: d 16.i.1967 Petworth.

MARLAR, Robin Geoffrey b 2.i.1931 Eastbourne: ed Harrow S; Cambridge U: committee 1972, 1973: cricketer, management and recruitment consultant, journalist: played 289 fc matches, incl 223 for Sussex: cricket writer for *Daily Telegraph*, *Sunday Times*; author publications on various cricket subjects, president MCC 2005-06. (*He was County Club chairman 1997, 1998 and president 2005.*)

MARSHALL, John James b 30.iii.1916 Gedney Hill, Lincolnshire: committee 1970-1973, 1977-1980, 1987-1989: police officer, head Sussex CID 1968-1976: appointed MBE 1989 for services to the community in Hove: 'the man who solved a hundred murders': d 5.i.2014 Locks Heath, Hampshire, aged 97 yr 9 mth, the longest-lived individual on this list.

MARYON-WILSON, George Maryon b 10.x.1861 Bembridge, Isle of Wight: ed Eton C; Oxford U: committee 1909-1911: barrister, magistrate: d 26.vii.1941 Tunbridge Wells, Kent.

MATHEWS, John Kenneth b 6.ii.1884 Harlow, Essex: ed Felsted S; Cambridge U: committee 1922-1948: market gardener: played 40 fc matches, all for Sussex: played hockey for East of England, England and Great Britain: father of K.P.A. (played six fc matches for Sussex): d 6.iv.1962 Worthing.

MILLIGAN, Geoffrey b 8.viii.1932 Tilbury, Essex: ed Hampton GS: committee 1993-1996, treasurer 1994-1996: banker: regional director Barclays Bank: d ??.ii.2007 Carshalton, Surrey.

MITCHELL, Reginald Francis b 23.vii.1881 Lyminster: ed Ardingly C: committee 1908-1949, forty-two years, the longest such service: Army officer, later managing director *West Sussex Gazette*: d 15.x.1956 Arundel.

MITCHELL, Richard Ronald b 24.iv.1914 Perranporth, Cornwall: committee 1963-1973: Royal Air Force officer: awarded DFC 1944, appointed MBE 1946 for military services: d 1994 Eastbourne.

MOUNSEY, Graeme Edward b 19.iii.1934 Portsmouth, Hampshire: emigrated to Egypt 1937, then to South Africa, returning to UK 1947: ed Halliford S, Shepperton: committee 1982-1986: personnel manager: played for Sussex II in Second Eleven chsp: later chaired Hastings ground trust.

MOWATT, Godfrey Frerichs b 15.v.1874 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Worcester C: committee 1930-1949: independent means: treasurer Royal National Institute for Blind People; a blind man and well-known faith healer, he was the subject of a biography published in 1959: d 11.vi.1958 Keymer.

MURCHISON, Kenneth Robert b 20 May 1827 Penang, Straits Settlements: UK resident from an early age: committee 1877-1880: Army officer, magistrate: deputy lieutenant for Middlesex: d 29.i.1897 Westminster, Middlesex.

NAPPER, Edwin b 26.i.1815 Wisborough Green: committee 1858-1864: farmer, landowner: played 128 fc matches, incl 92 for Sussex: older brother of William (see below): d 8.iii.1895 Rudgwick. (*He was also a member of the Surrey committee c1858-1863.*)

NAPPER, William b 25.viii.1816 Wisborough Green: committee 1876-1897: farmer: played 63 fc matches, incl 53 for Sussex: younger brother of Edwin (see above): d 13.vii.1897 Brighton.

NEATHERCOAT, Ernest Tom b 7.viii.1880 Ely, Cambridgeshire: ed Soham GS; London S of Pharmacy: committee 1938-1949: pharmaceutical chemist: managing director Savory and Moore (chemist), president Pharmaceutical Society 1920-1924: appointed CBE 1923 for services to Home Office: d 29.vii.1950 Warnham.

NICHOLLS, Henry b 31.x.1836 Walthamstow, Essex: ed Brighton C; Oxford U: committee 1871-1878: Anglican clergyman, farmer: father of B.E. (played four fc matches for Sussex): d 20.ii.1911 Deal, Kent.

NEWHAM, William b 12.xii.1860 Shrewsbury, Shropshire: ed Ardingly C: committee 1889-1910, secretary 1889-1908: cricketer, teacher, then cricket administrator: played 368 fc matches, incl 334 for Sussex and one Test for England: d 26.vi.1944 Portslade. (*His involvement with the County Club ran from 1881 to 1944, sixty-four seasons, an unsurpassed record.*)

NEWMAN, Ralph Edwin b 25.vi.1913 Worthing: ed Worthing HS: committee 1960-1962: estate agent, later publican: appointed MBE 1944 for services to Air-Sea rescue operations: d 7.xi.1962 Worthing.

O'BYRNE, William Francis Thomas b 30.iv.1908 Bromley, Kent: committee 1939-1949: teacher: played one fc match, for Sussex: played squash for Sussex: d 23.x.1951 Westfield, Sussex.

ODDIE, Arthur Campbell c 14.x.1855 Worth: ed Beaumont C, Windsor: committee 1891-1914, chairman 1908-1910: landowner (Belgium), magistrate: father of F.A.J. (Club secretary 1913-1915): d 21.x.1914 Horsham.

OSBORNE, Walter George b 15.ii.1861 Cranbrook, Kent: committee 1913- 1916: estate agent: d 30.ix.1940 East Grinstead.

OVERINGTON, Alfred b 9.xii.1913 Durrington: ed Worthing HS: committee 1965-1973: director family ironmongery and engineering business, local politician: 'an ancient inhabitant of Durrington': d ?? .vii.2006 Worthing.

PAGET, Rowland Edward b 8.xii.1878 Whittington, Staffordshire: committee 1939-1943: Army officer: d 29.i.1954 Mid Lavant.

PAIN, Victor James b 7.ix.1909 Hastings: ed Hastings GS: chartered public accountant: committee 1956-1983: leader of Hastings Borough Council; chaired Hastings ground trust: d 22.x.1994 Hastings.

PAINE, John Gosling b 10.xi.1829 Brighton: committee 1859: physician: played 13 fc matches, incl five for Sussex: d 1.xi.1859 Brighton.

PARISH, William Douglas b 16.xii.1833 Marylebone, Middlesex: ed Charterhouse, London: Oxford U: committee 1885-1898, chairman 1885, 1892: Anglican clergyman; author publications on various subjects, including Sussex dialect: d 23.ix.1904 Selmeston.

PARK, John Forrester b 21.xii.1878 Brampton, Cumberland: committee 1937-1949: civil servant: d 14.i.1963 Bognor Regis.

PARRY, John Horndon c 22.x.1826 Broadstairs, Kent: committee 1859-1862: Royal Marines officer, magistrate: d 15.x.1910 Bampton, Devon.

PARSONS, Leslie Harry b 15.vi.1907 Worthing: committee 1953-1967, treasurer 1963-1967: chartered architect: d 27.vii.1997 Worthing.

PARVIN, Harry Frederick b 12.iii.1903 Alcester, Warwickshire: committee 1965-1976, treasurer 1972-1976: banker, Football League referee: d ??vi.1996 Haywards Heath.

PATCHING, Edward Cunningham b 15.viii.1841 Worthing; ed Reigate GS: committee 1910, 1911: auctioneer, building contractor, local politician, magistrate: mayor Worthing 1891-1893, 1910-1912: d 26.vi.1919 Wallasey, Cheshire.

PEARSON, Edward b 1842 Allahabad (United Provinces), India: UK resident from an early age: committee 1886-1890: Army officer: d 26.ii.1907 Marylebone, Middlesex.

PEARSON, Hon Weetman Harold Miller b 18.iv.1882 King's Lynn, Norfolk: ed Rugby S; Oxford U: committee 1919-1933: landowner, politician: Liberal MP for Eye (Suffolk) 1906-1918; succeeded his father as second Viscount Cowdray 1927: director family engineering, oil and publishing businesses: well-known polo player, chairman Hurlingham Polo Association: deputy lieutenant for Sussex: d 5.x.1933 Westminster, Middlesex. (*As son of first Viscount Cowdray, styled 'Honourable' from 1910 to 1927.*)

PEATFIELD, Thomas Crompton b 30.viii.1872 Oldham, Lancashire: committee 1935-1948: railway executive, pension administrator: d 1.vi.1952 Eastbourne.

PHILLIPS, Reginald John b 1921; committee 1981-1985, treasurer 1981: appointed OBE 1979 for services to the Young Mens' Christian Association: d 25.xi.2011 Hove.

PICKERING, Derek James b ??x.1939 Brighton: ed Brighton C: committee 1972, 1973, 1977-1980: architect: d 3.viii.2018 Hove.

PIERSSENÉ, Sir Stephen Herbert b 9.viii.1899 Chandler's Ford, Hampshire: ed St John's S, Leatherhead; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: committee 1964, 1965: Army officer, director Brotherton and Co (chemicals mfg); later director Conservative Party Central Office: knighted 1953 for political services: d 29.i.1966 East Grinstead.

PURCHASE, George Arthur Russell b 20.vii.1913 Chichester: committee 1952-1956: wine merchant, local politician: mayor Chichester 1950, 1951: d 1.ii.1970 Southampton.

PYCROFT, James b 1813 Pickwick, Wiltshire: ed Bath C; Oxford U: committee 1870-1880: Anglican clergyman, author publications on various subjects incl *The Cricket Field*, 'one of the great classics of the game': played five fc matches, none for Sussex. d 10.iii.1895 Brighton.

QUAS, Rufus David b 22.xii.1904 Salford, Lancashire: committee 1934-1938: fruit farmer: d 22.vii.1974 East Grinstead. (*Changed surname from Cohen to Quas 1926.*)

RANSOM, William John b 20.xi.1863 Bodiam: committee 1939-1943: solicitor's clerk, magistrate: d 20.ix.1946 Hastings.

RAVEN, John Earle Reynolds b 23.ii.1851 Broughton Astley, Leicestershire: ed Lancing C; Cambridge U: committee 1878-1880: barrister: played one fc match, for Sussex: d 3.iv.1940 Nutfield, Surrey.

RAVENHILL, Frederick Henry Harvey b 27.vii.1837 Lyminster: ed Brighton C; Oxford U: committee 1881-1897: farmer: played two fc matches, both for Sussex: d 4.viii.1897 Hove.

RICE, David b 8.iv.1914 Hellesdon, Norfolk: ed Lancing C; Cambridge U; St George's Hospital Medical C, Westminster: committee 1958-1973, 1979-1986, vice-chairman 1981, chairman 1982-1985: consultant psychiatrist, head Hellingly Hospital: played two fc matches, neither for Sussex, but played for the county in war-time games: d 13.ix.1997.

RICHARDSON, Edward Walter c 3.x.1856 Westminster, Middlesex: committee 1914-1916: bank manager: d 24.v.1930 Hove.

RILEY, William Nairn b 24.xi.1892 Appleby Magna, Leicestershire: ed Royal GS, Worcester; Cambridge U: committee 1936-1946: solicitor: played 55 fc matches, incl 32 for Leicestershire: played hockey for Leicestershire and England: d 20.v.1955 Hove.

ROBINSON, Jethro George b 5.vi.1891 Grimsby, Lincolnshire; ed Margate C: committee 1950-1956: building contractor: father of J.F. and M.T. (both played two fc matches for Sussex): d 9.ix.1963 Eastbourne.

ROSS, Alan John b 6.v.1922 Kolkata (Bengal), India: UK resident from 1929: ed Haileybury C, Hertford Heath; Oxford U: committee 1966-1973: journalist, magazine editor and poet: sports writer for *The Observer* and *The Times*; author publications on various subjects, incl biography of K.S.Ranjitsinhji: d 14.ii.2001 Bognor Regis.

ROTHWELL, Rainshaw Norris b 27.v.1907 Garstang, Lancashire: committee 1954-1971; occupation: d 25.xi.1971 Hove.

ROWE, Brian b 1917: ed Manchester U; Cambridge U: committee 1985-1989: teacher, examiner, local politician: played wartime football for Manchester United: d ??.ix.2009 Eastbourne.

RUMBALL, Harold Edgar b 2.i.1904 Edmonton, Middlesex: committee 1964-1975: bank manager: d 28.ix.1989 Shoreham-by-Sea.

SARGEANT, Sir Alfred Read b 28.viii.1873 Wanstead, Essex: ed Clifton C, Bristol; Cambridge U: committee 1919-1925: barrister, magistrate, local politician; mayor of Hove 1914-1919, chairman East Sussex County Council 1925-1928: knighted 1921 for public services to Hove during the Great War: d 23.v.1949 Crowborough.

SASSOON, David Reuben b 4Q 1867 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Oxford U: committee 1906-1912, 1914-1921: merchant banker: d 8.ix.1929 Hove.

SAUNDERS, Alan Arthur b 15.xii.1892 Brighton: committee 1921-1935: director family builders' merchant business, then civil servant; later, chairman British Sugar and National Research Development Corporations: played 12 fc matches, all for Sussex: played hockey for Sussex: appointed OBE 1918 for military services, knighted 1949 for public services at Ministry of Health: d 26.ii.1957 Hove.

SCOBELL, Barton Land John b 5.x.1836 Lewes, Sussex: ed Oxford U: committee 1859-1868: Army officer, magistrate: d 18.vii.1913 High Littleton, Somerset.

SCOTT, Donald Alan b 4.i.1893 Finchley, Middlesex: committee 1952-1960: Army officer, stockbroker, local politician: d 18.ii.1960 Camberwell, Surrey.

SCOTT, John William b 1931 Eastry, Kent: ed Oxford U: committee 1971-1973, 1975-1980: solicitor, author: d 25.ii.2013 East Grinstead.

SCOTT, Hon Osmund b 24.iii.1876 Encombe (nr Corfe Castle), Dorset: ed Winchester C: committee 1921-1938: Army officer: played two fc matches, both for Gloucestershire: played golf for England amateur team, runner-up British amateur golf championship 1905, reported to be 'earliest user of gloves in top-level golf': father of H.E. (played two matches for Sussex) and K.B. (played six matches for Sussex): d 9.ix.1948 Marylebone, Middlesex. (*As son of third Earl of Eldon, styled 'Honourable' from birth.*)

SCOTT-MALDEN, Christopher Edward b 2.ix.1890 Washington, Sussex: ed Brighton C: committee 1950-1952: teacher: played two fc matches, both for Sussex: d 27.vii.1956 Washington, Sussex.

SEWELL, Malcolm Kemp b 22.iii.1914 Littlehampton: ed Worthing HS: committee 1966-1968: Royal Air Force officer: awarded DFC 1941, AFC 1946: d 7.ii.2003 Horsham.

SHARP, Charles b 6.ix.1848 Horsham, Sussex; committee 1881-1884: miller: played 17 fc matches, all for Sussex: d 23.ix.1903 England.

SHELMERDINE, George Owen b 7.ix.1899 Salford, Lancashire: ed Cheltenham C; Cambridge U: committee 1964-1966: director James Kenyon and Son (textile mfg) and other companies: played 53 fc matches, incl 31 for Lancashire: d 31.vii.1967 Brighton. (*He was Lancashire Club president at the time of his death.*)

SIMMS, Harry b 1861 Adelaide, South Australia: ed St Peter's C, Adelaide: UK resident from 1898: committee 1906-1911: stockbroker, director gold-mining companies: declared bankrupt 1912: father of H.L. (played 79 matches for Sussex) and R.K. (played two matches for Sussex): d ?? .iv.1915 Kensington, Middlesex.

SMITH, Charles Hamlin b 31.vii.1838 Albourne: committee 1865-1905, secretary 1869-1878: wine merchant: played 63 fc matches, incl 62 for Sussex: older brother of Arthur (played 19 fc matches for Sussex) and father of C.L.A. (played 218 fc matches for Sussex): d 12.iii.1909 Henfield.

SMITH, William c 15.x.1833 Chichester: committee 1891-1909: farmer, local politician: mayor Chichester 1886-1888, 1892-1894: d 26.ix.1910 Rustington.

SMITHERS, Edward Allfree b 2Q 1865 Brighton: committee 1890-1913, chairman 1911-1913, treasurer 1906-1913: director, later chairman, family brewery business; d 5.ii.1914 Brighton.

SMITHERS, Montagu Herbert Welsford b ?? .ix.1895 Hove: committee 1929-1965: Army officer: d 26.ix.1966 East Preston.

SNELL, Christopher Edward Melville b 3.viii.1941 Market Harborough, Leicestershire: ed Winchester C: committee 1971-1973, 1975-1990: teacher, later headteacher: son of Edward (played three fc matches for Sussex).

SOMERSET, Arthur Plantagenet Francis Cecil b 28.ix.1889 Castle Goring (nr Worthing): ed Rugby S: committee 1927-1949: landowner, farmer: played 29 fc matches, incl nine for Sussex: son of A.W.F. (see below): d 13.x.1957 Worthing.

SOMERSET, Arthur William FitzRoy b 20.ix.1855 Chatham, Kent: ed Wellington C, Crowthorne: emigrated to Australia 1873, returning to UK 1881: committee 1890-1924, chairman 1914: landowner, magistrate: played 48 fc matches, incl five for Sussex: played rugby union for Richmond and in England trials; leading amateur heavyweight boxer early 1880s, winning Queensbury Cup at that weight 1882: deputy lieutenant for Sussex: father of A.P.F.C. (see above): d 8.i.1937 Castle Goring (nr Worthing). (*He was County Club president 1936.*)

SPEED, Bryan Samuel b 2.ix.1917 Petworth: committee 1967-1973: d ??.iii.1998 Chichester.

STAINTON, Robert George b 23.v.1910 Whitstable, Kent: ed Malvern C; Oxford U: committee 1945-1950: teacher; later, artist: played 61 fc matches, incl 45 for Sussex: d 15.viii.2000 Hastings.

STARKEY, Cyril Edgar Frodsham b ??..vii.1867 Bygrave, Hertfordshire: ed Brighton C; Oxford U: committee 1913-1918: teacher, author translations of classical verse: d 27.viii.1937 Brighton.

STENT, Bridger b 8.v.1820 Tillington: ed Winchester C: committee 1858-1870, secretary 1858-1868, treasurer 1864-1868: solicitor, magistrate: d 2.ii.1870 Tillington.

STEWART, William b 3.iv.1916 Liverpool: ed Liverpool C; Cambridge U: committee 1946-1952; teacher, incl head Brighton C: awarded MC 1945: d 23.ii.1975 Hertford Heath, Hertfordshire.

STONEHEWER, William Scott c 10.xii.1791 Muswell Hill, Middlesex: committee 1858-1863, treasurer 1858-1863: farmer, landowner, magistrate: played one fc match, for E.Bligh's XI: d 25.iv.1864 Hove. (*Changed surname to Stonehewer c 1811, keeping Scott as forename.*)

STONEHOUSE, Francis Arthur b 25.iv.1907 Blackburn, Lancashire: committee 1967-1972; property manager: d 16.i.1983 Hove.

STRIDE, Walter Osborn b 25.i.1884 West Lavant: committee 1940-1946: auctioneer and surveyor, local politician: mayor Chichester 1937-1944: d 16.xii.1949 Chichester.

STRONG-FORSTER, Henry see Forster, H.S. above

SWAFFER, Walter Edward b 24.iii.1860 Kingsnorth (nr Ashford), Kent: committee 1921-1934: director family outfitting business: d 31.i.1946 Hastings.

SWAN, Henry Dawes b 28.vii.1879 Newcastle upon Tyne, Northumberland: ed Uppingham S; Cambridge U; committee 1928-1940: played one fc match, when manager MCC tour to Australia: director Swan, Hunter (shipbuilding): deputy lieutenant for Sussex: d 21.xii.1941 Bournemouth, Hampshire. (*He was Essex Club chairman 1915-1925; also New Zealand representative to ICC.*)

SWATLAND, Jack Mervyn b 7.ix.1904 Hastings: ed Hastings GS: committee 1950-1965: grocery wholesaler: d ??xii.1965 Hastings.

TAMPLIN, Henry Pagden b 8.ii.1801 Brighton: committee 1858-1866: managing director, Tamplin and Son (brewing): played two fc matches, both for Sussex: d 16.xii.1867 Pyecombe.

TAYLOR, Charles George b 21.xi.1817 Chiswick, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: committee 1859-1862: barrister, independent means: played 125 fc matches, incl 41 for Sussex: 'the finest batsman of his day': d 10.ix.1869 Frensham, Surrey.

THEOBALD, George Ridley b 19.x.1863 Chale, Isle of Wight: ed Radley C; Oxford U: committee 1933-1938: teacher, school inspector: d 11.iii.1957 Midhurst.

THOMAS, Freeman b 12.ix 1866 Eastbourne: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: committee 1891-1893: diplomat, politician: played 40 fc matches, incl 18 for Sussex: Liberal MP for Hastings 1900-1906, for Bodmin 1906-1910; junior minister Treasury 1905-1912; Governor of Bombay 1913-1919; Governor of Madras 1919-1924; leader Indian delegation to League of Nations 1924; Governor-General of Canada 1926-1931; Viceroy of India 1931-1936; later chairman Briggs Motors, director London and Liverpool Insurance, Westminster Bank and other companies: created Baron Willingdon, of Ratton 1910, Viscount Willingdon 1924, Earl of Willingdon 1931, Marquess of Willingdon 1936; deputy lieutenant for Sussex; appointed GCIE 1913, GBE 1917, GCSI 1918, GCMG 1926, Privy Counsellor 1931: son of Freeman Frederick Thomas (played nine fc matches, all for Sussex): d 12.viii.1941 Westminster, Middlesex. (*Changed surname to Freeman-Thomas 1892, keeping Freeman as a forename. He was County Club president 1911.*)

THOMAS, Harold Asa b 1Q 1884 Birkenhead, Cheshire: ed Harvard U: committee 1922-1949: personal secretary to E.P.Warren; later, company director: d 11.iv.1953 Chailey, Sussex.

THOMAS, Hugh Wyndham Vaughan b 13.v.1910 Swansea, Glamorgan: ed Bishop Gore GS, Swansea; Oxford U: committee 1970-1973, 1981-1983: teacher: played one fc match: played hockey for Scotland: appointed OBE 1946 for military services: d 20.x.1986 Framfield. (*Surname sometimes reported as Vaughan-Thomas.*)

THOMPSON, Lawrence Charles Frederick b 2.ix.1848 St John's Wood, Middlesex; ed Eton C, Cambridge U: committee 1908-1910: Army officer, magistrate: d 7.xii.1925 Marylebone, Middlesex.

THORNTON, Albert James b 17.i.1856 Folkestone, Kent: ed Winchester C; Oxford U: committee 1881, 1882: stockbroker: played 30 fc matches, incl five for Sussex: d 14.vi.1931 West Kensington, Middlesex.

THORNTON, James Richard b 11.i.1861 Horsham: ed Collyer's S, Horsham: committee 1908-1913: auctioneer and valuer: played three fc matches, all for Sussex: d 1.iii.1916 Burgess Hill.

THORNTON, Robert Lawrence b 17.ix.1865 Dulwich, Kent: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: committee 1919-1946, chairman 1925, 1926: barrister, landowner, local politician: chairman East Sussex County Council 1913-1926: deputy lieutenant for Sussex; High Sheriff of Sussex 1900; appointed CBE 1920 for services to wartime employment committees: d 19.iii.1947 Framfield. (*He was County Club president 1928.*)

THOROWGOOD, Frederick Dutton b 2.x.1867 Brighton: committee 1907-1909: managing director Dutton and Thorowgood (footwear mfg): played hockey for Sussex and England: d 23.iii.1938 Hove.

TOLLEY, Cyril James Hastings b 14.ix.1895 Brockley, Kent: ed Oxford U: committee 1960-1962: stockbroker, local politician: well-known amateur golfer, winning amateur championship 1920 and 1929, French Open 1924 and 1928, representing British Isles in Walker Cup six times; captain Royal and Ancient GC 1948: awarded MC 1917: famously sued Fry's Chocolates for using his name in an advertisement without his consent: d 18.v.1978 Eastbourne.

TREVOR, Mervyn b 8.ix.1881 Hyderabad (Deccan), India: UK resident from an early age: committee 1920, 1921: Army officer, later director motor company, then hotelier: d 2.ii.1940 Colchester, Essex.

TURING, Sir James Walter b 3.i.1862 Rotterdam (Zuid-Holland), Netherlands: naturalised UK citizen 1915: ed Eton C; Oxford U: committee 1915-1919: Army officer, landowner: succeeded his father as ninth Turing baronet 1913: d 21.ii.1928 Marseilles (Bouches-du-Rhône), France.

TURNER, Lionel Francis b 23.xi.1890 Cuckfield: ed Radley C; committee 1924-1949: banker: local director Barclays Bank: son of Montague (see below): d 7.x.1978 Eastbourne.

TURNER, Montague b 21.ix.1843 Acton, Middlesex: ed Cheltenham C: committee 1887-1891: solicitor: played 53 fc matches, incl 29 for Middlesex: father of L.F. (see above): d 25.1.1908 Cuckfield, Sussex. (*He was a member of the Middlesex Club committee c 1895.*)

TURNOUR, VISCOUNT b 15.viii.1837 Shillinglee Park, Plaistow: ed Eton C; committee 1858-1876, †chairman 1901: landowner: played seven fc matches, incl five for Sussex: succeeded his father as fifth Earl Winterton, in the Irish peerage, 1879: president MCC 1884-85: d 5.ix.1907 Shillinglee Park, Plaistow. (*Registered as Edward TURNOUR. Styled Viscount Turnour until 1879. He was County Club president 1898. His son, the sixth Earl Winterton, was County Club president 1908, 1922.*)

TYE, Patrick Arthur b 3.xii.1918 Rochester, Kent: ed Worthing HS: committee 1984-1989, treasurer 1984-1989: chartered public accountant: d 11.iii.2001 Worthing.

TYSON, Donald b 17.iii.1924 Crawley: committee 1955-1957: nurseryman: later director British Crop Production Council: d 30.iii.2015 Saffron Walden, Essex.

VAUGHAN-THOMAS, H.W. see THOMAS, H.W.V. above.

VERRALL, William c 25.ix.1813 Steyning: ed Guy's Hospital Medical C, Southwark: committee 1858-1869: physician: d 29.iii.1870 Brighton.

WADEY, Alan Nigel Charles b 12.ix.1950 Billingshurst: ed Seaford C, East Lavington: committee 1982-1996, vice-chairman 1989-1996: director family building business : played one fc match for Sussex.

WALTERS, Emrys b 27.xi.1918 Groeslon, Caernarvonshire: ed Aberdare GS; New C, Hampstead: committee 1962-1972: Congregational minister, radio broadcaster: d 20.v.1974 Hove.

WARREN, John Raymond b 26.x.1888 Paddington, Middlesex: ed Harrow S; Oxford U: committee 1928-1934: Army officer, barrister, local politician, magistrate: chairman East Sussex County Council 1940, High Sherriff of Sussex 1938: awarded MC 1919; appointed OBE 1927 for military services: d 8.vi.1956 Handcross.

WATSON, Arthur Campbell b 17.iii.1884 Newdigate, Surrey: ed Uppingham S: committee 1927-1934: Army officer, cricketer: played 106 fc matches, incl 104 for Sussex: awarded DSO 1918: d 16.i.1952 Shermanbury.

WEBB, Rupert Thomas b 11.vii.1922 Harrow, Middlesex: committee 1962, 1963: professional cricketer; later, manager with energy company, model and actor: played 256 fc matches, incl 255 for Sussex: d 27.viii.2018 Rottingdean, aged 96 yr 1 mth.

WEEDON, Lewis John Cumpston b 2.x.1851 Islington, Middlesex; ed Bray S; Cambridge U: committee 1906-1916: hospital manager: d 9.viii.1922 Lindfield.

WHITE, Frederick Augustus b 24.v.1840 Cheshunt, Hertfordshire; ed Christ's Hospital, Horsham: committee 1920-1924: insurance underwriter, magistrate: director Marine Insurance Co and other companies: d 18.iii.1927 Barns Green.

WHITE, Frederick Golder b 3.ix.1899 Teddington, Middlesex: ed Brighton C: resident India in most years 1920-1939: committee 1950-1975, treasurer 1960-1962, 1968, 1969: banker: d 11.vii.1982 Hove.

WHITFELD, George Sullivan b 20.iii.1878 Hamsey: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: committee 1909-1911: Army officer, banker, local director Barclays Bank: played three fc matches, all for Sussex: d 27.ix.1945 West Kensington, Middlesex.

WHITFELD, Herbert b 15.xi.1858 Hamsey: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: committee 1881-1892, 1903-1908: played 75 fc matches, incl 39 for Sussex: banker: local director Barclays Bank: played football for Old Etonians, London representative sides and England: younger brother of F.B., (played one fc match for Sussex): d 6.v.1909 Chailey.

WILDER, Edmond b 13.v.1817 Eldersfield, Worcestershire: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: committee 1859-1866: landowner: d 27.vii.1885 Tunbridge Wells, Kent. (*He was an uncle of George, see below.*)

WILDER, George b 9.vi.1876 Stansted Park, Stoughton: committee 1901-1905: landowner: played eight fc matches, incl six for Sussex: oversaw the rebuilding of Stansted Park, the family's seventeenth-century country house in West Sussex, after it had burned down in 1900; figured in a well-known divorce case 1912: d 10.vi.1948 Las Vegas (Nevada), United States. (*He was a nephew of Edmond, see above.*)

WILLIAMS, Arthur Stuart b 14.vi.1870 Llantrisant, Glamorgan: committee 1929-1932: Army officer, later police officer: chief constable West Sussex 1912-1934: awarded MC 1918; appointed OBE 1927 for services to policing in Sussex, MVO 1929 to services to the monarchy: father of L. (played 24 fc matches for Sussex) and P.V. (played ten fc matches for Sussex): d 7.xii.1935 Pontyclun, Glamorgan.

WILLIAMS, Edward George b 12.i.1912 Brighton: committee 1985-1989: d 16.viii.1990 Brighton.

WILLINGDON, LORD see Thomas, F. above

WILSHIN, Douglas William b 8.i.1913 Hastings: ed Clifton C, Bristol: committee 1957-1976, chairman 1972-1974: managing director family retailing business, local politician: mayor of Hastings 1962-1966: played hockey for Sussex: appointed MBE 1943 for military services; deputy lieutenant for Sussex: d ?? .vi.1994 Hastings.

WILSON, Arthur Keith b 26.viii.1894 Brighton: ed Brighton C: committee 1939-1972, chairman 1950-1962, thirteen years, the longest service in this position: managing director family building business: played 17 fc matches, incl 16 for Sussex: d 8.xi.1977 Brighton.

WILSON, Charles John: b 21.iv.1908 Hurlingham (Buenos Aires), Argentina: UK resident from an early age: ed Repton S: committee 1945-1949: insurance broker; director C.T.Bowring and Co (insurance): well-known amateur squash player 1930s: d 5.ii.2005 Kendal, Westmorland, aged 96 yr 9 mth.

WILSON, Harry b 9.vii.1917 Carlisle, Cumberland : committee 1960-1973: d ?? .ii.2000 Chichester.

WINTERTON, LORD see Viscount Turnour above.

WISDEN, Thomas Faulconer b 3.iv.1835 Brighton: ed Chichester House S, Brighton: committee 1874-1889, †chairman 1882, 1884, 1894, 1896, 1897: Army officer, farmer, magistrate, prison governor: High Sherriff of Sussex 1887: father of W.J. (see below): d 2.x.1904 Worthing.

WISDEN, William John b 13.vii.1868 Worthing: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: committee 1909-1911: landowner: son of T.F. (see above): d 24.vi.1934 Frant.

WISHART, Sidney b 27.ii.1854 Seaton Carew, Co Durham: committee 1915-1924, chairman 1920-1922: Army officer, later insurance underwriter: director General Accident

Co (insurance), also Cairn Line (shipping): High Sherriff of City of London 1920, 1921: knighted 1921 for services to City of London: d 7.vi.1935 Binsted.

WOLFE, Emanuel George b 6.vii.1893 Bradford, Yorkshire: committee 1952-1959: chartered accountant: manager Sir Julien Cahn's XI overseas tours: d 30.xii.1982 Hove. (*His sister married Sir Julien Cahn.*)

WOOD, Arthur Hardy b 25.iv.1844 Beech, Hampshire: ed Eton C; Oxford U: committee 1904, 1905, 1919-1923: landowner, magistrate: played 30 fc matches, incl 28 for Hampshire: master Hampshire Hunt: d 10.vii.1933 Hove. (*He was Hampshire Club president 1886.*)

WOOLLAN, Ernest Benjamin b 29.vii.1885 Port Elizabeth, Cape Colony: UK resident from an early age: committee 1920-1938: Army officer, later electrical engineer: awarded MC 1917: d 17.ii.1941 Haywards Heath.

YOUNGMAN, David Thomas Evelyn b 22.v.1931 Hastings: ed Hastings GS: committee 1990-1993, treasurer 1990-1993: chartered accountant: partner Ernst and Young: d 28.xii.1993 Chichester.

Sources The names given derive mainly from research of local newspapers, particularly the *Sussex Agricultural Express*, for the earliest years of the Club's operations; from listings given in *James Lillywhite's Cricketers' Annual*, *John Lillywhite's Cricketers' Companion* and the *Wisden Cricketers' Almanack* in the later nineteenth century; from research of the Club's committee minutes, annual reports and handbooks published by or for the Club itself, for the period from 1892 onwards.

The biographical details come from a very wide range of sources. For basic births and deaths information, genealogy websites (giving access to Census, public register, probate, phone book and other data) have been used, as well as the CricketArchive website. For more personal information, the County Club's own publications have been helpful, as well as the cricket press, including various almanacks, annuals and magazines. Local and national newspapers have also been an important source. Thanks are owed to several former committee members, to volunteer colleagues at the Sussex Cricket Museum for their recollections; to various members of the Association of Cricket Statisticians and Historians, to experts at the Sussex Family History Group (particularly David Kent), and to various local historians. These have all freely contributed a sizeable number of detailed pieces of information. Inevitably there remain gaps in the material: these 'known unknowns' can, we hope, be filled in piece by piece in the future. Additional or corrected information would be welcomed by the compiler at davidjeater@yahoo.co.uk.

Committee membership From its earliest years, individuals were elected by the Club's members to the committee, usually for a three-year period, mostly running from March. It seems that, in practice, until the second half of the twentieth century, elections were often uncontested, with some stalwarts being committee members for thirty years and more. Thus minutes sometimes refer to members being appointed, rather than elected, to the committee. From time to time, minutes also refer to vacancies, and there is evidence that election candidates were subject to a vetting process. For many years some committee members had an important liaison role with various 'cricket weeks' around the county.

Throughout most of the period covered by this compilation, the committee comprised representatives of different areas of the county, originally five from each of Brighton and District, East Sussex and West Sussex. These were increased to six for each area in 1876. From 1907 onwards, East and West Sussex were broken up into smaller districts for representation purposes, with areas having larger Club membership receiving more committee places than areas with fewer members. By 1972 the committee had 37 members, plus chairman and treasurer. In 1974 the constitution was changed so that elections were held to a Representative Council some forty in number, with a committee of fourteen being drawn from that body. This two-tier arrangement was dismantled in 1978 and replaced by a committee of twenty drawn from seven districts. (The listing gives the names only of those who were members of both the committee and the Representative Council between 1974 and 1977.) A smaller committee of nine members came into operation in 1990, though in some

years this was increased by co-option. These changes in the size of the committee relate, of course, to large changes in the functions of the committee and those of the Club's paid staff.

For a brief period after 1878, the County committee included one delegate from each of four local clubs, Chichester, Eastbourne, Hastings and Horsham. The delegate sent by a local club might change from meeting to meeting and these have therefore been omitted from the list.

Until 1950 the Club appointed vice-presidents for their services to the Club, to local cricket or to enhance the Club's prestige, who were eligible, rather like aldermen in pre-1974 local government, to attend the committee and vote on its business, though only a few actually chose to do so. (There were five vice-presidents in 1890, ten in 1899, sixteen in 1928 and twelve in 1945.) Because they were mostly absentees, vice-presidents are omitted. In the list above, a dagger shows chairmen who undertook this position while serving as vice-president, *i.e.* while not an elected committee member. (In 1919 Lord Leconfield chaired the committee while also acting as club president.) The Club, of course, continues to appoint vice-presidents in recognition of their services to the local game and to the county generally but from 1950 they had no *ex-officio* right to vote on committee business. After 1950, some vice-presidents contested and were successful in elections for their areas.

The position of the first-team captain has, of course, always been an important one in running the club. Although captains have usually been members of sub-committees dealing with specifically cricket matters, and very often attended full committee meetings, it seems that captains have not been *ex-officio* members of the Club's main committee during the period 1858 to 1996 and they do not appear in the list above. (The names of captains can be found in various publications about Sussex cricket and in the *Wisden Book of Cricket Records*.)

Committee officers There have, of course, been specific posts of chairman, secretary and treasurer. In the first few years after 1858, it appears these postholders were drawn from the committee itself, but from about 1862 secretary and treasurer were separately elected. After E.A. Bruce retired after the 1913 season, secretaries (with the exception of G.S. Godfree from 1916 to 1918 and Sir Home Gordon from 1943 to 1945, who voluntarily undertook the task in wartime) were not members of the committee, but were the paid head of the Club's administration, advising the committee and implementing its decisions. The treasurer was a full member of the committee from the start of the separate election to that post from 1862.

The position of chairman is less clear. Perhaps the intention at the outset was that presidents would chair the committee and the annual general meeting of the club, but in practice they didn't do so regularly. Press reports of the period 1858 to 1879 refer from time to time to a chairman, though it isn't always clear whether the individual concerned simply presided over the annual meeting or regularly chaired the committee itself. From 1880 there are more regular reports about chairmen, so the list above gives details of postholders from that date.

Following the reorganisation in 1974 the position of vice-chairman assumed more importance and details are given of these postholders from that date.

Presidents The Club has a long tradition of appointing a president as the head of its organisation from the ranks of eminent individuals with a Sussex connection, or as thanks for services to the game in Sussex. Between 1858 and 1996, there were 41 presidents. Of these, sixteen had been elected to the committee at one time or another: these are identified in the list above. Appendix One below gives details of the remaining 25 who took on the presidency without having been an elected committee member.

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October 2019

Appendix One

This note gives details of 25 individuals who were presidents of the Sussex County Cricket Club, but were not apparently elected to the Club committee at any stage. Some of them helped the club mightily and exercised great influence on the Club's activities.

ABERGAVENTNY, first Marquess of b 16.ix.1826 Longford, Shropshire: ed Eton C: president 1899: Army officer, landowner, magistrate, politician: chairman of National Union of Conservative Associations 1874-c1886: succeeded his father as fifth Earl of Abergavenny 1868, created first Marquess of Abergavenny 1876 for services to the Conservative Party: appointed KG (knighted) 1886; Lord Lieutenant of Sussex 1892-1905: father of third Marquess and great-grandfather of fifth Marquess (see below): d 12.xii.1915 Eridge. (*Formally identified as William NEVILL. Styled Viscount Nevill 1845 to 1868.*)

ABERGAVENTNY, third Marquess of b 2.ix.1854 Bramham, Yorkshire: ed Eton C: president 1929: Army officer, landowner, magistrate: succeeded his older brother as third Marquess of Abergavenny 1927: director Southern Railway; master of Eridge Hunt 1893-1929: deputy lieutenant for Sussex: son of first Marquess (see above), grandfather of fifth Marquess (see below): d 10.i.1938 Groombridge, at age 83, from injuries received when thrown from his horse while hunting. (*Registered as Henry Gilbert Ralph NEVILL. Styled Lord Henry Nevill 1876 to 1927.*)

ABERGAVENTNY, fifth Marquess of b 8.xi.1914 Chelsea, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: president 1988-1990: Army officer, landowner, local politician, magistrate: succeeded his father as fifth Marquess 1954: director Massey-Ferguson (vehicle mfg), Lloyds Bank: appointed OBE 1945 for military services; deputy lieutenant for Sussex; Lord Lieutenant of East Sussex 1974-1989; KG (knighted) 1974 for services to the monarchy, chancellor of the Order of the Garter 1977-1994: amateur steeplechase rider 1930s; vice-chairman Turf Board 1967: great grandson of first Marquess, grandson of third Marquess (see above): d 23.ii.2000 Tunbridge Wells, Kent. (*Registered as John Henry Guy NEVILL. Styled Earl of Lewes 1938 to 1954.*)

ATHLONE, first Earl of b 14.v.1874 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: president 1934: Army officer who reached the rank of major-general, diplomat, educationalist, landowner: chaired inquiries into medical education 1921 and 1937; Governor General of South Africa 1928-1931; Governor General of Canada 1940-1946: awarded DSO 1901; appointed GCVO 1904 for services to the monarchy, GCB 1911 and CMG 1920 for military services, GCMG 1923 on appointment to South Africa; Privy Counsellor 1931: d 16.i.1957 Kensington, Middlesex. (*Registered as Alexander Augustus Frederick William Alfred George, Prince Alexander of TECK, but relinquished this and other titles 1917, taking the surname CAMBRIDGE when created first Earl of Athlone. His landholdings included Brantridge Park, Balcombe.*)

BRASSEY, first Earl b 11.ii.1836 Stafford: ed Rugby S; Oxford U: president 1902: author, barrister, diplomat, landowner, magistrate, politician, statistician: Liberal MP for Devonport 1865, for Hastings 1868-1886; Civil Lord of the Admiralty 1880-1884, junior minister Admiralty 1884; Lord-in-Waiting 1893-1895; Governor of Victoria 1895-1900; editor *Naval Annual* and other publications 1886-1892: president Royal Statistical Society 1879-80; chairman Royal Commission into Anglo-Asian opium trade 1895: well-known yachtsman, circumnavigated the world 1876-77 in schooner *Sunbeam*, the first such achievement in a private yacht: deputy lieutenant for Sussex; created first Baron Brassey 1886, appointed KCB (knighted) 1906, created first Earl Brassey 1911, for public services: father of Viscount Hythe (see below): d 23.ii.1918 Westminster, Middlesex. (*Formally identified as Thomas BRASSEY; his father was a well-known railway contractor.*)

BUCHANAN, James b 16.viii.1849 Brockville, Ontario: UK resident from an early age: president 1912: whisky distiller, later landowner, pedigree cattle breeder: managing director James Buchanan and Co, later chairman Buchanan-Dewar (whisky distillers); director Distillers Ltd: High Sheriff of Sussex 1910; created first Buchanan baronet 1920 for public and local services, first Baron Woolavington, of Lavington 1922 for services to charity; appointed GCMG (knighted) 1931 for services to the monarchy: well-known racehorse breeder and owner: d 9.viii.1935 East Lavington.

CAMPION, Sir William Robert b 3.vii. 1870 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Oxford U: president 1932: landowner, diplomat, politician, stockbroker: Conservative MP for Mid-Sussex 1910-1924; Governor of Western Australia 1924-1931: awarded DSO 1917; appointed KCMG (knighted) on Western Australian appointment (see above); deputy lieutenant for Sussex: son of W.H. (see above); grandson of W.J. (see above): d 2.i.1951 Hassocks.

CASTLE STEWART, seventh Earl b 6.viii.1889 Newtownstewart (Co Tyrone), Ireland: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Cambridge U; Sorbonne, Paris: president 1926: barrister, landowner, magistrate, politician, teacher: succeeded his father as seventh Earl Castle Stewart, in the Irish peerage, 1921, two older brothers having been killed in action; Conservative MP for Harborough 1929-1933: d 5.xi.1961 Nutley, by his own hand. (*Registered as Arthur STUART. Styled 'Honourable' from 1914 to 1921.*)

CHICHESTER, sixth Earl of b 21.v.1871 St Pancras, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: president 1920: landowner, magistrate, stockbroker: succeeded his father as sixth Earl 1905: member Public Works Loan Commission: appointed OBE for military services 1918, deputy lieutenant for Sussex: son of Hon F.G.Pelham, later fifth Earl of Chichester (played eight fc matches for Sussex): d 14.xi.1926 Stanmer, from pneumonia. (*Registered as Jocelyn Brudenell PELHAM. Styled 'Honourable' from 1902 to 1905.*)

CURTEIS, Herbert Mascall b 8.i.1823 Florence (Tuscany), Italy: UK resident from an early age: ed Westminster S; Oxford U: president 1869-1878: landowner, politician: played 57 fc matches, incl 43 for Sussex: Conservative MP for Rye 1847-1852: father of H. (played one fc match for Sussex) and R.M. (played nine fc matches for Sussex): d 16.vi.1895 Wartling.

DEVONSHIRE, ninth Duke of b 31.v.1868 Marylebone, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: president 1910: diplomat, landowner, magistrate, politician: succeeded his uncle as ninth Duke of Devonshire 1908: Conservative MP for West Derbyshire 1901-1908; Treasurer of the Household 1903-1905; junior minister Treasury 1905-1908; Lord of the Admiralty 1915, 1916; Governor General of Canada 1916-1921; Secretary of State for Colonies 1922-1924 (in cabinet): appointed Privy Counsellor 1908, GCVO for services to the monarchy 1911, GCMG and KG on appointment as Governor-General of Canada 1916: d 6.v.1938 Chatsworth, Derbyshire. (*Registered as Victor Christian William CAVENDISH.*)

DU CROS, Arthur Philip b 26.i.1871 Dublin, Ireland: president 1913: junior civil servant, later industrialist, politician: founder, later managing director, deputy-chairman Dunlop Rubber; Conservative MP for Hastings 1908-1918, for Clapham 1918-1922: created first Du Cros baronet 1916 for public services: provided his house at Bognor to King George V for convalescence 1929: d 28.x.1955 Watford, Hertfordshire.

GAGE, sixth Viscount b 30.xii.1895 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Oxford U: president 1927: landowner, magistrate, politician: succeeded his father as sixth Viscount Gage, of Firle, in the Irish peerage 1912, at age 16: junior minister India Office 1924-1929, Lord-in-Waiting 1931-1939; chairman East Sussex County Council appointed KCVO (knighted) 1939 for services to the monarchy: d 27.ii.1982 South Africa. (*Registered as Henry Rainald GAGE. Styled 'Honourable' until 1912.*)

HAILSHAM, first Viscount b 28.ii.1872 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Eton C: president 1931: sugar merchant, later barrister, circuit judge, magistrate, politician: Conservative MP for St Marylebone 1922-1928; Attorney General 1922-1924 and 1924-1928; Secretary of State for War 1931-1935; Lord Chancellor 1935-1938; Lord President of the Council 1938; director Legal and General (insurance): appointed Privy Counsellor 1922, knighted 1922, created first Baron Hailsham 1928 and first Viscount Hailsham 1929: president MCC 1933-34: d 16.viii.1950 Hellingly. (*Registered as Douglas McGarel HOGG.*)

HARBEN, Sir Henry b 23.viii.1823 Holborn, Middlesex: president 1901, 1906: actuary, insurance company manager, landowner, local politician, magistrate: secretary, later director, then chairman, Prudential Assurance: mayor Hampstead 1900: deputy lieutenant for Sussex; knighted 1897; High Sherriff of Sussex 1898: great-grandfather of H.E.S. (played four fc matches, all for Sussex): d 2.xii.1911 Warnham.

HYTHER, Viscount b 7.iii.1863 Battle: ed Eton C; Oxford U: president 1914: author, chartered naval architect and civil engineer, landowner, magistrate, politician: director mining and smelting companies; editor *Naval Annual* and other publications 1892-1914: deputy lieutenant for Sussex: son of first Earl Brassey (see above), succeeding him as second Earl 1918: d 12.xi.1919 Westminster, Middlesex, from injuries received in road accident. (*Registered as Thomas Allnutt BRASSEY. Styled 'Honourable' from 1886 to 1911, Viscount Hythe from 1911.*)

LECONFIELD, second Baron b 31.vii.1830 Brighton: ed Eton C; Oxford U: president 1900: Army officer, landowner, magistrate, politician: Conservative MP for West Sussex 1854-1869: succeeded his father as second Baron 1869: deputy lieutenant for Sussex: father of third Baron Leconfield (see above): d 6.i.1901 Westminster, Middlesex. (*Formally identified as Henry WYNDHAM. Styled 'Honourable' from 1859 to 1869.*)

MILLER-HALLETT, Alexander Miller b 1856 Paddington, Middlesex: president 1937-1946: antimony refiner and merchant, brewer, farmer: director Hallett and Fry (antimony refinery), Tamplin and Sons (brewing); president Sussex County Agricultural Society: well-known épée fencer in 1880s: d 14.ii.1953 Rottingdean, at age 97, the longest lived of the County Club's presidents. (*Changed surname from Hallett to Miller-Hallett 1877, keeping Miller as forename.*)

NAWANAGAR, nineteenth Maharaja Jam Sahib of b 10.ix.1872 Sarodar (Kathiawar), India: ed Rajkumar C, Rajkot; Cambridge U: UK resident most years 1888-1904 and intermittently thereafter: president 1930: cricketer, diplomat, landowner, politician: played 307 fc matches, incl 211 for Sussex and 15 Tests for England: *Wisden* cricketer 1897: installed as nineteenthth Jam Sahib of Nawanagar 1907, later (c 1921) granted use of the title Maharaja; member Indian delegation to League of Nations 1921-1923; chancellor Indian Chamber of Princes 1932, 1933: appointed KCSI (knighted) 1917, GBE 1919 and GCSI 1923 for public services in India: d 2.iv.1933 Jamnagar (Kathiawar), India. (*Before 1907 usually identified as RANJITSINHJI Vibhaji in India and as Kumar Shri RANJITSINHJI in Britain.*)

NORFOLK, fifteenth Duke of b 27.x.1847 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Oratory S, Woodcote: president 1897, 1915, 1916: courtier, hymnologist, landowner, politician: succeeded his father as fifteenth Duke of Norfolk (and Earl Marshal) 1860, at age 12: Postmaster General 1895-1900, Mayor of Sheffield 1897, Mayor of Westminster 1900; editor Catholic hymnal: Lord Lieutenant of Sussex 1905-1917; appointed KG (knighted) 1886, Privy Counsellor 1895, GCVO 1902: father of sixteenth Duke of Norfolk (see below): d 11.ii.1917 Westminster, Middlesex. (*Registered as Henry FITZALAN-HOWARD. Styled Baron Matraviers until 1856, Earl of Arundel and Surrey from 1856 to 1860. He established the ground at Arundel Castle on which 38 fc and 20 limited-overs List A matches have been played since 1990.*)

NORFOLK, sixteenth Duke of b 30.v.1908 Arundel: ed Oratory S, Woodcote: president 1933, at age 24 yr 10 mth, the youngest such postholder, and 1949-1973: Army officer, courtier, landowner, magistrate, politician: succeeded his father as sixteenth Duke of Norfolk (see above) 1917, at age eight: junior Minister for Agriculture 1941-1945: appointed Privy Counsellor 1936, KG 1937, GCVO 1946 for services to the monarchy, GBE 1968 for services to the Territorial Army; Lord Lieutenant of Sussex 1949-1974; president MCC 1957-58: d 31.v.1975 Arundel. (*Registered as Bernard Marmaduke FITZALAN-HOWARD. Styled Earl of Arundel and Surrey until 1917.*)

RICHMOND, seventh Duke of b 27.xii.1845 Marylebone, Middlesex: ed Eton C: president 1905: Army officer, landowner, magistrate, politician: succeeded his father as sixth Duke of Richmond and Gordon 1903: Conservative MP for West Sussex 1869-1885, for Chichester 1885-1889: appointed CB for military services 1902, GCVO and KG (knighted) for services to the monarchy 1904: Lord Lieutenant of Elginshire 1902-1928; deputy lieutenant for Sussex: father of Lord Bernard Gordon-Lennox (Sussex committee 1913, 1914): d 18.i.1928 Goodwood. (*Registered as Charles Henry GORDON-LENNOX. Styled Lord Settrington until 1860 and then Earl of March until 1903.*)

RICHMOND, tenth Duke of b 19.ix.1929 Paddington, Middlesex: ed Eton C; William Temple C, Rugby: president 1991-2000: chartered accountant and manager, landowner: succeeded his father as tenth Duke 1989: director Ajax Insurance, John Wiley (publishing) and other companies; Church Commissioner: deputy lieutenant of West Sussex, Lord Lieutenant of West Sussex 1990-1994; member central committee World Council of Churches c 1990: d 1.ix.2017 Chichester. (*Registered as Charles Henry GORDON-LENNOX. Styled Lord Settrington from 1929 to 1935 and then Earl of March until 1989.*)

SHEFFIELD, third Earl of b 18.i.1832 Marylebone, Middlesex: ed Eton C: president 1858-1869, 1879-1896, 1904, thirty-one seasons in all, more than any other such postholder: diplomat, landowner, politician: played one fc match, for Sussex: Conservative MP for East Sussex 1857-1865; director railway companies: succeeded his father as third Earl of Sheffield 1876: d 21 iv.1909 Beaulieu-sur-Mer (Alpes-Maritimes), France. (*Formally identified as Henry North HOLROYD. Styled Viscount Pevensy until 1876. His private ground at Sheffield Park, Fletching staged nine fc matches 1881-1896.*)

WINTERTON, sixth Earl b 4.iv.1883 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Oxford U: president 1908, 1922, 1923: landowner, politician: succeeded his father (see main text above) as sixth Earl Winterton in the Irish peerage 1907: Conservative MP for Horsham 1904-1918 and 1945-1951, for Horsham and Worthing 1918-1945; junior minister for India 1922-1924, and 1924-1929; Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster (in the cabinet) 1937, 1938; Paymaster-General 1939: appointed Privy Counsellor 1924; created first Baron Turnour, of Shillinglee 1952: d 26.viii.1962 Eastbourne. (*Registered as Edward TURNOUR. Styled Viscount Turnour until 1907.*)

Appendix Two

Abbreviations A Academy; AFC Air Force Cross; b born on; c baptised on/about; C College; capt captain; chsp championship; CB Companion of the Order of the Bath; CBE Commander of the Order of the British Empire; CID Criminal Investigation Department; CIE Commander of the Order of the Indian Empire; CMG Companion of the Order of St Michael and St George; Co Company; d died on; DCM Distinguished Conduct Medal; DFC Distinguished Flying Cross; DSC Distinguished Service Cross; DSO Companion of the Distinguished Service Order; ed educated at; FA Football Association; FC Football Club; fc first-class; FE Further Education; GBE Knight Grand Cross of the Order of the British Empire; GC Golf Club; GCB Knight Grand Cross of the Order of the Bath; GCSI Knight Grand Commander of the Order of the Star of India; GCIE Knight Grand Commander of the Order of the Indian Empire; GCMG Knight Grand Cross of the Order of St Michael and St George; GCVO Knight Grand Cross of the Royal Victorian Order; GS Grammar School; Hon Honourable; HS High School; I Institute; ICC Imperial/International Cricket Conference/Council; incl including; jt joint; KBE Knight Commander of the Order of the British Empire; KCB Knight Commander of the Order of the Bath; KCMG Knight Commander of the Order of St Michael and St George; KG Knight of the Order of the Garter; Ltd Limited Company; MBE Member of the Order of the British Empire; MC Military Cross; MCC Marylebone Cricket Club; mfg manufacturing; MP Member of Parliament; mth months; MVO Member of Royal Victorian Order; nr near; OBE Officer of the Order of the British Empire; PLC Public Limited Company; Q quarter; RAF Royal Air Force; S School; SFC Sixth Form College; SS Secondary School; St Saint; TCCB Test and County Cricket Board; THS Technical High School; TC Technical College; U University; UK United Kingdom; v versus/against; yr years.
