

THE MORRIS MOTORS.

The Morris Motors had three teams in the field on Saturday, and on Sunday another team played at Warren Farm at the foot of Stokenchurch Hill, where Frank Hartley is in charge of a boys' hostel. The boys show great promise, and would extend an even stronger team than the Motors sent over. It is hoped to arrange a return fixture on the Motors ground. Of the Saturday teams two won and the other drew. Against Monks Risborough, Buckingham, late of Witney, had a good match, in which he took seven wickets, while against Queen's College, Gumbrell bowled well and Cockeroff made a nice 50. Another team beat the Pressed Steel at Garsington by two runs.

Morris Motors, 96 (N. Neale 25); Pressed Steel, 94 (Lockwood 30, P. Burgess seven wickets).

MORRIS MOTORS.

L. Rogers, lbw, b Phelps	5
H. Thornton, b Phelps	19
H. Cockeroff, c and b	18
Moatham	50
F. Bullock, b Boughley	18
G. Sturges, c and b Pal-	22
lister	22
M. Gumbrell, b Phelps	7
F. Thornnton, b Phelps	6
H. W. Eagles, b Phelps	6
E. Surman, not out	29
G. Hull, b Wentworth	0
E. Turner, b Pallister	4
Extras	18
Total	178

QUEEN'S COLLEGE.

Pallister, b Bullock	28
Giles, c Serman, b Gum-	33
brill	33
Wentworth, not out	27
Cumberhatch, b Gumbrell	15
Kittnermaster, c Cockeroff	14
Gumbrell	14
Yemou, lbw, b Gumbrell	4
Meatham, not out	4
Phelps, c Rogers, b Gum-	2
brill	2
Dostick, Grantham and	2
Boughley did not bat.	
Extras	7
Total (6 wks)	130

MORRIS MOTORS.

H. Simms, b Harrison	7
H. Cockeroff, b Harrison	12
F. Arnold, b Jenkins	39
G. Buckingham, b Piper	36
Geo. Sturges, at Knight,	8
b Piper	8
M. Gumbrell, c Knight,	5
b Piper	5
B. Ferriman, b Hartley	6
Guy Sturges, b Hartley	5
Turner, c Jones, b	4
Piper	4
W. Mearns, not out	5
G. Arlett, c Knight, b	4
Hartley	0
Extras	9
Total	106

F. HARTLEY'S XI.

W. Piper, c Arnold, b	0
Geo. Sturges	20
D. Jones, b Ferriman	20
W. Dwyer, c Guy Sturges	43
b Buckingham	43
F. Harrison, b Geo. Stur-	0
ges	0
W. Jenkins, b Gumbrell	25
W. Hartley, lbw, b Gum-	8
brill	8
W. Boyce, b Buckingham	8
T. Stanley, c Arlett, b	12
Ferriman	12
E. Martin, not out	18
H. Harsey and A. Knight	12
did not bat.	
Extras	12
Total (8 wks)	145

MORRIS MOTORS.

J. Senior, lbw, b Thomp-	13
son	13
G. Buckingham, c Hinton	22
b J. Simms	22
E. Miles, c Hinton, b	15
Thompson	15
H. Simms, b Thompson	0
F. Arnold, b Thompson	25
O. Ward, b Simms	9
J. Stone, c Mason, b	4
Thompson	4
B. Herman, not out	1
B. Ferriman, b Thompson	1
F. Steele and Guy Sturges	0
did not bat.	
Extras	7
Total (8 wks dec)	97

MONK'S RISBOROUGH.

J. Simms, b Buckingham	6
E. Hinton, b Bucking-	4
ham	4
T. Hinton, b Buckingham	0
S. Clistry, b Buckingham	0
N. Hall, lbw, b Bucking-	0
ham	0
W. Farrington, c Bucking-	1
ham, b Stone	1
W. Fibbur, b Buckingham	0
A. Egerton, c Bucking-	14
ham, b Ferriman	14
H. Stevens, b Ferriman	4
A. E. Mason, not out	1
W. Turner, c and b G.	0
Buckingham	0
Extras	2
Total	32

SOUTH OXFORD.

South Oxford and Headington had a preliminary skirmish—it is impossible to describe it otherwise midway through term—on the Headington ground, and the visitors won by 15 runs. A. Davey and E. Cox were the only two to reach the twenties on a pitch which, in view of the dry weather, must be greatly in favour of the bowlers. At all events Gurl (7 for 26) and Randall (7 for 27) made it look so. Randall is a new local cricket name to me.

On Saturday, South Oxford drew with St. Catharine's. Consistent batting, in which Cooke, Franklin, Ward and Mace were to the fore, enabled the local captain to declare, but his bowlers were not strong enough for the Unattached Students, who had much the better of the draw.

SOUTH OXFORD.

A. Nicholls, b Gurl	4
W. Dunkley, b Gurl	13
P. Cooper, lbw, b Walker	12
A. Darcy, c and b Gurl	25
W. Wiggins, b Coppock	7
S. Tester, b White	0
W. Hedges, c and b Gurl	1
T. Hutt, b Gurl	0
R. Randall, b Gurl	0
Douglas, not out	0
Nicholls, b Gurl	13
Extras	4
Total	63

HEADINGTON.

G. Walker, c Dunkley, b	2
Randall	2
T. Gurl, run out	22
E. Cox, lbw, b Randall	5
G. Coppock, run out	2
V. White, c Dunkley, b	3
Cooper	3
C. Glanville, b Randall	3
Parriman, b Randall	4
E. Hill, b Randall	0
G. Hutt, c Hutt, b Ran-	3
dall	3
A. Pashler, lbw, b Ran-	11
dall	11
G. Burch, not out	0
Extras	15
Total	70

SOUTH OXFORD.

E. Cooke, lbw, b Frewer	28
W. T. Franklin, b Howe	42
R. H. Ward, not out	47
H. Harley, b Howe	12
H. R. Mace, at Whippet,	23
b Pigg	23
G. Longford, not out	0
G. White, C. Adams, O.	0
Merriman, C. S. Jones	0
and E. T. Searle did	0
not bat.	
Extras	17
Total (4 wks dec)	169

ST. CATHARINE'S.

F. B. Pigg, b Harley	8
A. Hackley, not out	89
F. M. Howe, run out	4
D. G. Farrow, not out	30
Raj Navari, L. B. Frewer	0
F. Howard, S. Nixon,	0
G. Jones, E. Whippet	0
and Potter did not	0
bat.	
Extras	17
Total (2 wks)	148

OXFORD CITY.

Cricket is full of ups and downs, one week an easy victory and several personal successes, another, defeat and comparative individual failure. The City are experiencing the ebb and flow. On Thursday in last week, when it is notoriously difficult for them to get together sides, they were badly beaten by Kettle College, who, in Adamson, Osborne and Pears, have three players good enough for any Minor County. The City bowling was treated with very scant respect.

On Saturday, on the Balliol ground, the team accomplished a much better performance, and, in fact, carried off the honours if it is true that the City were left only an hour and a half and in this period scored nearly 200 runs. Thomas was once again the most successful of the bowlers, taking three for 46 in 18 overs. Most teams facing a score of 208 and with only a comparatively short time in which to bat, would perhaps have been content to sit on the spiles. Not so Captain Henry. "We'll get the runs or fail in the attempt," was his order, and that he practised what he preached is shown by his score of 53. The others ably seconded him, Walters slashing out merrily for his 77, and being gallantly run out in an attempt to get the winning hit. It is still a pleasure to play on the Balliol pitch, where it is always true to say you just touch a ball and it is at the boundary. The City are hard up for a wicket-keeper and a left-hand slow bowler. Here's a rare chance for some country cricketer who is anxious to improve his game. Secretary Lewendon will be only too eager to meet any advance.

KEBLE.

C. A. Osborne, lbw, b	77
Hayes	77
H. D. Price, c Hayes, b	35
Varnals	35
J. Adamson, c Walker, b	58
Petersen	58
L. Langthorne, c Cotton,	25
b Heather	25
M. Clark, not out	18
G. H. Tall, not out	29
F. Archibald, B. Arthur,	0
J. Gough, R. N. Pears	0
and H. Wixon did not	0
bat.	
Extras	21
Total (4 wks dec)	258

OXFORD CITY.

H. Walker, c Wixon, b	23
Adamson	23
B. C. Gately, b Pears	21
G. Bradfield, b Pears	0
F. R. Wylie, c Wixon,	1
b Pears	1
J. Brownrigg, b Pears	15
E. Cotton, b Adamson	5
J. Petersen, b Pears	1
A. Haynes, c Gough, b	5
W. Varnals, at Wixon, b	0
Adamson	0
E. J. Heather, not out	1
J. W. Piper, b Pears	1
Extras	18
Total	98

BALLIOL.

W. O'R. Lindsay, c B.	29
Henry, b Thomas	29
S. Armstrong, c Thomas,	33
b Pickering	33
Nawab of Pataudi, run	18
out	18
H. Harman, b Thomas	11
R. Pinney, not out	64
E. Taylor, b Thomas	4
B. Wignate, not out	19
C. Paddison, A. H. Booth	0
Hester ad-din and A.	0
Hartley did not bat.	
Extras	30
Total (6 wks dec)	298

OXFORD CITY.

G. L. Fisher, b Hartley	13
R. J. Henry, b Hartley	63
N. Howell, lbw, b Win-	17
gate	17
G. Walters, run out	77
D. Astell, at Lindsay, b	15
Wignate	15
R. Thomas, b Wignate	5
D. Claxton, run out	5
J. King, not out	5
R. Taylor, F. Pickering	0
and R. B. Cole did	0
not bat.	
Extras	8
Total (7 wks)	191

THE CLARENDON PRESS.

Of the two Clarendon Press teams out on Saturday, one visited Magdalen and the other Jesus ground. The latter brought off a good win against the clock after Jesus College had declared, the two Fosters and Piper deserve credit for letting themselves go and so striving for a win instead of playing for a draw. The Press team against Magdalen declared their innings and then allowed the 'Varsity men to hit off the runs after Weller had clean bowled the first two. Battersby and Collins were well to the fore in this game.

CLARENDON PRESS.

W. Kinslingbury, b Wagg	19
D. Edis, b Peyer	1
J. Day, b Peyer	2
J. Weller, b Peyer	0
E. Nurser, b Peyer	0
H. Battersby, not out	55
S. Masters, b Stott	0
C. F. Collins, not out	27
F. Rand, C. Collett and	0
W. Wilkins did not bat.	
Extras	16
Total (6 wks dec)	120

MAGDALEN.

J. Dunlop, not out	61
K. Armstrong, b Weller	0
K. A. Wagg, b Weller	0
R. Ashby, not out	52
E. de Peyer, N. K. Scott,	0
J. W. Adey, K. West,	0
F. Colley, R. Getty,	0
and W. Sandell did	0
not bat.	
Extras	20
Total (2 wks)	133

JESUS COLLEGE.

G. C. Ansell, not out	60
L. Lav, c A. Foster, b	32
Cross	32
T. Battersby, b Cross	0
E. Battersby, c Foster,	4
b Rawlings	4
J. Thomas, c Jacobs, b	10
C. Foster	10
R. Pitwood, lbw, b G.	5
Foster	5
E. Adley, run out	1
L. Bennett, b Piper	0
F. Palmer, not out	4
C. Thomson and C. Bond	0
did not bat.	
Extras	10
Total (7 wks dec)	148

CLARENDON PRESS.

C. Foster, not out	86
A. Foster, b Thomas	32
C. Piper, b Pitwood	36
E. Fathers, not out	14
J. Cross, R. Rawlings, E.	0
Harvey, F. Stevens, F.	0
Jacobs, C. Moss and G.	0
Youngman did not bat	
Extras	21
Total (6 wks)	189

HEADINGTON GAMES.

The game still goes very strong at Headington, who put out three teams on Saturday, all three being successful. At Thame, Newman had a fine knock of 79 not out, and the evergreen Tommy Gurl took 6 for 55. At Headington, against the B.N.C. Hornets, S. Jacobs reached the 50 mark and S. Garrett took 6 for 25. The Headington 2nd team visited Forest Hill and won by 15 runs. E. Scholfield having the capital analysis of six wickets for five runs.

Headington II., 42 (R. Ricketts 14); Forest Hill, 27 (E. Scholfield 6 for 5).

HEADINGTON.

G. Coppock, c Chownes,	12
b West	12
F. Evans, lbw, b West	0
W. Taylor, run out	10
J. Newman, not out	79
W. Smith, lbw, b Rose	18
A. Douglas, c West, b	5
J. Kirtland	5
C. Burch, c Lee, b Stott	1
Gurl, c and b Mott	1
W. Morris, not out	22
W. Elnsey and G. Mat-	0
tock did not bat.	
Extras	9
Total (7 wks dec)	175

THAME.

A. C. Higgins, b Evans	13
C. M. Wells, c Douglas, b	4
Gurl	4
C. Mott, b Gurl	0
H. Rose, lbw, b Gurl	12
R. J. West, c Smith, b	62
Gurl	62
S. C. B. Lee, c Douglas,	1
b Smith	1
W. Kirtland, b Gurl	4
A. J. Kirtland, b Douglas	10
C. Wells, c Evans, b Gurl	2
F. Chownes, not out	1
R. Potter, b Douglas	1
Extras	1
Total	116

HEADINGTON.

G. Fletcher, b Gunn	13
A. Shepherd, c Griffiths,	13
b Gunn	13
S. Garrett, b Gunn	11
R. White, c and b Grif-	0
fiths	0
F. Newman, c Griffiths,	14
b Watkin	14
S. Jacobs, not out	59
P. Green, b Macpherson	15
P. Cooper, b Gunn	28
E. Florey, b Gunn	0
W. Bushnell, lbw, b Gunn	2
A. Stone, b Gunn	1
Extras	22
Total	169

B.N.C. HORNETS.

Bawden, b Garrett	4
Brooks, not out	53
Griffiths, b Green	1
Buckingham, c Stone, b	2
Green	2
Gunn, b Green	4
Watkins, b Garrett	15
Baker, b Garrett	0
Macpherson, b Garrett	0
Hornaby, b Newman	12
Parr, b Garrett	6
Evans, b Garrett	0
Extras	13
Total	112

THE GAME AT THE DEPOT.

On Thursday in last week the Depot entertained the University Patagonians and were beaten, despite the fact that Grant and captain Giles put on 100 for the third wicket. The Patagonians lost eight wickets at 159, which was the Depot total, but in the end the 'Varsity men got home. Peebles, a brother of the Middlesex player, hit ten fours in his 63, and Welch, for the Depot, took five wickets. On Saturday, Horspath visited the Depot and lost by seven runs. G. Walker took 6 for 18 for Horspath, and Cooper, coming in late, hit a six and four fours in a merry 32, which just failed to win the game. This was the Depot's first win of the season.

Depot, O.B.L.I., 150 (Whennan 56 not out. Ponting 28, Jefferies 22); Hurd's 97 (Jones 21).

BARRACKS.

Pte. Jackson, b Hinton	0
Sgt. Ponting, c and b G.	32
Walker	32
Pte. Hunter, c F. Cop-	2
pock, b Hunt	2
Pte. Ian, b Hinton	0
Pte. Welch, at Kimber, b	32
G. Walker	32
Capt. Siggers, not out	22
W. Whitton, b G. Wal-	0
ker	0
Pte. Winfield, c and b	2
Fowler	2
Dgl. Jefferies, b G. Wal-	10
ker	10
Sgt. May, b G. Walker	0
Pte. Whennan, c D. Wal-	0
ker, b G. Walker	0
Extras	3
Total	100

HORSPATIL.

G. Walker, c Hunter, b	1
Welsh	1
E. Hedges, c Whitton, b	6
Jackson	6
L. Hinton, b Jackson	0
I. Hunt, b Jackson	0
W. Gibbons, c Hunter, b	5
G. Walker	5
H. Fowler, b Welch	3
P. Coppock, c Siggers, b	16
Welsh	16
F. Coppock, c Jackson, b	0
Welsh	0
D. Walker, lbw, b Jack-	10
son	10
G. Cooper, b Ponting	32
H. Kimber, not out	11
Extras	3
Total	93

BARRACKS.

Sgt. Ponting, b Peebles	4
Pte. Jackson, c Russell,	5
b Russell	5
E. Grant, b Burgess	51
Capt. Giles, c Lydell, b	45
Russell	45
Capt. Bernard, b Russell	0
Rec. Welch, b Peebles	17
Capt. Siggers, c Burgess,	9
b Peebles	9
Rec. Lyne, not out	1
Sgt. Walker, c Roche, b	8
Peebles	8
Sgt. May, b Burgess	11
Rec. Whennan, c Bur-	0
ges, b Russell	0
Extras	15
Total	159

PATAGONIANS.

Peebles, b Welch	7
Coppock, c Walker, b Giles	65
Russell, c Lyne, b Sig-	0
gers	0
Mordant, c Whennan,	28
b Welch	28
Burgess, c Whennan, b	21
Jackson	21
L. Cunningham, not out	1
Liddell, b Welch	0
Roche, c Welch, b Pont-	8
ing	8
Warrin, run out	2
Bolam, c and b Welch	1
Pearce, c Giles, b	2
Welch	2
Extras	39
Total	183

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CRICKET.

MINOR COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP.

OXFORDSHIRE V. MONMOUTHSHIRE.

At Monmouth on Wednesday and Thursday. Score:--

MONMOUTHSHIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
A. E. Hodges	b	4	b Thomas
D. Fraser	b Hartley	19	b F. Hartley
Hugh Jones	c Rogers	37	b Thomas
K. C. Raikes	c Lee	1	b F. Hartley
E. E. Lawday	b	24	b F. Hartley
L. Lewis	b Walters	12	c Claydon
E. C. Dolman	c and b Thomas	1	c Claydon
H. M. Bishop	lbw b Thomas	13	lbw b Walters
R. Perkes	c F. Hartley	4	c Rogers
Wilcox	not out	0	lbw b Thomas
A. Watkins	b Thomas	0	not out
Extras		17	Extras
Total		132	Total

OXFORDSHIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
S. C. B. Lee	b Perkes	2	b Perkes
F. Hartley	c Perkes	4	not out
A. G. Best	run out	22	c Wilcox
J. Arnold	lbw b Raikes	6	not out
L. Rogers	b Perkes	0	b Raikes
E. Hartley	c Jones	19	
C. Walters	b Dolman	7	
O. Claydon	not out	51	
E. Cotton	lbw b Watkins	18	
Thomas	run out	22	
B. J. Henry	lbw b Dolman	0	
Extras		11	Extras
Total		162	Total (3 wks)

BRIEF RESULTS.

Byard's, 33 and 35; Wheatley, 73 and 40 (F. Jones 5 for 31 and 6 for 13).
 Byard's, 32; Holton, 32 and 29 for 5 (F. Jones 5 for 19, F. Bird 4 for 7).
 Byard's, 44 and 67; Stanton, 134 and 45 (F. Jones 5 for 34 and 4 for 6).
 Byard's, 44 and 42 for 5; Hanney, 111 (F. Jones 4 for 32, W. Priddle 6 for 37).

CRICKET.

FIXTURES.

On the ground of the first-named club.

SATURDAY.

Swindon v. Oxford City.
Thame v. Cowley St. John.
Morris Motors v. Maidenhead.
North Oxford v. Faringdon.
Cambridge University Press v. Clarendon Press.
Depot O.B.L.I. v. Woodstock.
County Council Staff v. Tiddington.
Littlemore Hospital v. Dorchester.
Bear's Hill v. Headington II.
Witney Old Grammarians v. Cullham College.
Bourton-in-the-Vale v. Oxford Downs.
Sunningwell v. Oxford College Servants.
Bicester v. Adderbury.
Blenheim v. R.A.F. Bicester.
Shell Mex v. Thame "A".
Shipton-under-Wychwood v. Moreton-in-Marsh.
The Warford v. Titup II.
Post Office v. Church Army Press.
Clarendon Press II v. Osberton Works (Balliol ground).
Magdalen College School Juniors v. Oxford Boys.
Bampton v. Oxfordshire Nomads.
Woodstock II v. Tackley.
Swindon v. Shipton II.
Cooper and Stevens v. Woodstock Clothiers.
St. Edward's School II v. City School.
City School II v. Cumnor.
Abingdon Pavlova v. Kirtlington.
Kirtlington II v. Weston-on-Green.
Stanton St. John v. Islip.
Bruern and Lyncham v. Puddheote.
Horspath II v. Morris Motors Exports.
Wheatley II v. Holton Avary.
Milton R.A.F. v. Swindon Central Mission.
Cholsey v. Warborough and Shillingford.
Drayton v. Benson.
Aston Rowant v. Cuxham.
Holton v. Sandford-on-Thames II.
Cotbill v. Sutton Courtenay.
Cumnor v. City Imperial League.

OXFORD LEAGUE - DIVISION I.

Witney Mills v. South Oxford.
Morris Motors v. Kirtlington.
Witney Swifts v. Cowley.
Headington v. Y.M.C.A.

OXFORD LEAGUE - DIVISION II.

Osberton Works v. Kirtlington.
Summertown v. Combe.
South Oxford v. Clarendon Press.
Y.M.C.A. v. Eynsham.
College Servants v. Horspath.
Church Army Press v. Wheatley.
Cowley St. John v. Morris Motors.
Titup v. Elsiefield.

WITNEY AND DISTRICT LEAGUE - DIVISION I.

Charlbury v. Leatfield.
Milton v. Chiddingfold.
Eynsham v. Hamborough.

WITNEY AND DISTRICT LEAGUE - DIVISION II.

Combe v. Sutton.
Leatfield v. Charlbury.
Chiddingfold v. Milton.
Asthall v. Hailey.

WYFOLD LEAGUE - DIVISION I.

Sandford v. Garsington.
Stadhampton v. Bablon.

WYFOLD LEAGUE - DIVISION II.

Great Milton v. Stadhampton II.
Chalgrove v. Tetworth.

VALENTIA LEAGUE.

Kirtlington v. Barton.

MONDAY.

Stanton St. John v. B.N.C. Servants.

TUESDAY.

Stanton St. John v. Mr. T. Mathews' XI.

MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY.

Oxford v. Cambridge (at Lord's).

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY.

MINOR COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP.

Berkshire v. Oxfordshire (at Reading, Palmer's ground).
County Council Staff v. Oxford Exiles (evenings, ground).

WEDNESDAY.

Northampton Amateurs v. Oxford City (11.30).
St. Edward's School v. Oxford City.
Sunningwell v. City School.
Wallington School v. City School II.
City School (under 15) v. Bedford House School.

THURSDAY.

Bicester v. Oxford College Servants.
Post Office v. Cowley St. John.
Oxford College Servants II v. Twining Bros.
City Police v. North Oxford.
The Warford v. Summertown.
South Oxford v. Kirtlington.
Elvaston v. Depot O.B.L.I. (Corpus ground).
Thame v. Headington.
Y.M.C.A. v. South Midland Military (Christ Church ground).
Oxford Booksellers v. Cambridge Booksellers (Trinity ground).

CRICKETERS' ROLL.

BATTING.

C. Belcher	Cowley St. John II. v. Titup	100
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R. Walker	Church Army v. Headington	50
W. Webb	Stanton St. John v. Holton	50
Not out.		

BOWLING.

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THE OXFORDSHIRE COUNTY TEAM.

The second victory which Oxfordshire secured on the Merton ground on Wednesday against Monmouthshire left no manner of doubt as to their superiority over the border county. Their two wins were by seven wickets and by 170 runs. In every department of the game Oxfordshire were too good for their opponents. Arnold, Frank Hartley and Thomas excelled with the bat, and the difference Hartley makes to the all-round strength of the team is undeniable. A player who bats, bowls and fields so well as he does must be a tremendous asset. But the greatest personal triumph was that of Walters, whose analysis in the first innings deserves to be set out.

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It was by means of length and spin and a clever variation in pace that Walters had his opponents in difficulties, and though he does not apparently use the off spinner much, he certainly got a wicket in the second innings with one, to break up what was becoming a troublesome stand. Joey Rogers, however, had the better analysis in the second innings, returning figures of five for 25. Like all fast bowlers, he is erratic at times, but when in form he can be as he has so often proved, a very "nasty" bowler. Everyone was glad to see the captain getting runs, and, if it is not invidious to say so, he managed the team—one of the best Oxfordshire have had for some time—like a true cricketer. By winning two matches the County remain at the head of the championship table on the 100 per cent. mark.

Their next match is against Berkshire at Reading on Tuesday and Wednesday next, and they have chosen the following side: B. J. Henry, O. Claydon, F. Hartley, E. Hartley, L. Rogers, J. Rogers, C. Walters, S. C. B. Lee, H. Walker, R. P. Thomas and E. Cotton,

OXFORDSHIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
L. Rogers	lbw b Perkes	13	absent ill
S. C. B. Lee	b Pickthall	32	c Wilcox b Perkes
O. Claydon	c Hodges	6	
B. Pickthall		9	lbw b Raikes
J. Arnold	c Wilcox	b	
Harris		49	run out
F. Hartley	lbw b Pickthall	27	not out
H. Walker	b Perkes	36	c Boughton b Perkes
C. Walters	c Pickthall	b	
E. Hartley	lbw b	1	c Boughton b Raikes
Harris		0	at Wilcox b Harris
R. P. Thomas	c Perkes	0	c Boughton b Pickthall
b Raikes		27	thall
J. Rogers	not out	0	b Pickthall
B. J. Henry	b Raikes	0	c Jones b Pickthall
Extras		11	Extras
Total		205	Total

MONMOUTHSHIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
A. E. Hodges	b P	7	c Henry b F Hartley
Hartley		1	b Walters
E. E. Lawdry	b J	8	c Thomas b J Rogers
Rogers		62	c Lee b J Rogers
E. A. Boughton	c	1	b J Rogers
Thomas b F Hartley		10	at Claydon b Walters
H. Jones c F. Hartley		19	b Thomas
b Walters		1	b J Rogers
L. Lewis c L. Rogers		10	at Claydon b Walters
b J Rogers		20	b Thomas
H. R. Siddall	c	1	c Claydon b J Rogers
Thomas b Walters		1	not out
C. K. Pikes b Walters		1	not out
R. Perkes c Henry b		2	b J Rogers
Walters		13	Extras
Wilcox c Arnold b		125	Total
Walters		94	Total
Pickthall c and b			
Walters			
Harris not out			
Extras			
Total			

OXFORD CITY'S YOUNG PLAYERS.

The City won two of their three matches last week. On Thursday they met a strong team at the Barracks during the Depot week, and thanks to the fine batting of Walker and Caudwell, who put on 122 for the first wicket, they won with the loss of only one batsman, after going in against a total of 201. Grant kept up his old form by scoring 60 not out for the Soldiers. On Saturday one team was at home to Knowle and Dorridge, the Warwickshire club, when two of the young brigade, Clayton and S. King (whose motto is "Youth will tell"), aided by Dick Thomas (7 for 31), enabled the City to win comfortably. The other side lost at Lechlade, where, however, another young player, W. Hodgkins, bowled so well that in a few years' time he should be indispensable to the club.

DEPOT O.B.L.I.		OXFORD CITY.	
Capt. Giles b King	22	H. Walker	b Miller
Lt. Hamersley b Field	10	W. S. Caudwell	not out
E. Grant not out	60	W. Field	not out
Sgt. Millet b Nash	37	J. King	F. J. Draper
Capt. Barnart c Nash	7	W. Whitworth	F.
Worth b King	32	S. Swyers	C. Nash
Pte Jackson b King	5	Hodgkins	F. Hodgkins
Pte Welch not out	33	J. W. Piper	and W. Healer did not bat.
Sgt. Bull, Pte. Mackinson, Pte. Whennman, Pte. Whittle and Pte. Busby did not bat.			
Extras	2	Extras	11
Total (5 wkts. dec.)	201	Total (one wk.)	252

KNOWLE AND DORRIDGE.		OXFORD CITY.		
J. Freeman	run out	24	H. T. Legendon	c Cox
J. B. Jeffries	at King	6	H. Green	30
b Walters		7	G. Holiday	lbw b L
C. Jones	b Thomas	5	Green	14
P. W. Mallin	b Thomas	18	N. Powell	c G. Green
C. T. Hughes	c Brad	11	H. I. Green	4
field b Walters		0	A. Taylor	b H. Green
H. Smith	b Thomas	0	D. Clayton	b H. Green
J. I. Green	b Thomas	2	C. Walters	b Hughes
H. Green	b Walters	5	S. King	c Malling
M. Willis	lbw b Thomas	1	Green	50
J. Cunningham	b	2	R. P. Thomas	b Smith
Thomas		2	G. Bradford	b Green
J. C. Cox	b Thomas	2	D. Kyd	c Smith
P. Green	not out	5	Green	8
Extras		21	A. Haynes	b Green
Total		90	S. Cotton	not out
			Extras	23
			Total	254

OXFORD CITY.		LECHLADE.		
R. C. Spiller	c Innocent	0	T. F. Meado	b Hodgkins
b Pudwell		0	G. Bowley	b Bickerton
G. W. Rowe	lbw b	1	Rey	W. Caldwell
Treath		0	Hodgkins	23
R. B. Cole	c Bowley	0	Hodgkins	0
b Pudwell		0	T. Stevens	b Hodgkins
P. L. Bickerton	b Pudwell	12	A. Tinney	c Upstone
L. Brown	run out	23	b Heather	37
F. Hunter	b Pudwell	4	J. Innocent	hit wicket
W. Hanson	b Treath	9	b Hodgkins	26
J. W. Piper	c Innocent	13	E. Sparks	c Hanson
b Sparks		13	Heather	16
W. Hodgkins	not out	10	N. Hoddinott	not out
E. J. Heather	b Treath	4	T. Pudwell	c Hunter
J. Upstone	b Sparks	7	R. Treath	not out
Extras		25	Extras	12
Total		107	Total (9 wkts.)	186

SCHOOLS CRICKET.

Magdalen College School for the second year in succession beat the City of Oxford School, though this year it was a much closer match. The City of Oxford School batted first and with the aid of Turner brought their score up to 54, while Nutt, the last man in, with 17 not out, raised it to 85.

Magdalen College School, left with just time to make the runs, at first did well, but a collapse set in and with ten minutes to go and two wickets to fall needed two runs, but Mayne, the vice-captain, refused to be dislodged and made the winning hit. For M.C.S. Mayne made 19 not out and took five wickets for 21 runs, and Toye (23) and Carter (21), while for the C.O.S. Turner made 23 and also shared cmf and Webb made 20. Scores:—

CITY SCHOOL.		MAGDALEN SCHOOL.	
G F Goddard b Mayne	14	A Bushell c Dalle	b
K Halsey b Mayne	3	Halsey	4
P H Edmonds c	0	G T Caster run out	21
Bushell b Mayne	0	E S Brown b Turner	4
E L Turner c Dutton	0	H G Toye c Edmonds	23
B Jackson	23	b Dalle	23
H Darlow c and b	1	J Woodin b Dalle	1
Toye	0	H Mayne not out	19
H Webb c Brown b	10	W Jackson st Webb	9
Jackson	20	b Turner	9
W T Dalle b Mayne	3	I Rigby c Taylor b	0
R J Owens lbw b	0	Edmonds	0
H Mayne	0	R Forsyth c Darlow	0
H Pusy lbw b Jackson	0	b Edmonds	3
R Taylor b Toye	0	P Fitch b Turner	1
W Nutt not out	17	P Dutton not out	1
Extras	3	Extras	2
Total	85	Total (9 wks.)	88

GOOD NORTH OXFORD PERFORMANCE.

North Oxford, who, by the way, are having a cricket week again in August, were at home to Purley on Saturday and had the satisfaction of beating them for the first time. Cyril Wyatt was home for the occasion and he and Bowtell were the means of dismissing the visitors for 166. Wyatt took 5 for 77. North Oxford opened with Wyatt and Cole, who put up 132 before they were parted, when Cole was lbw. He is in great form this season. Wyatt contented himself with keeping up his end while Cole was in, but on his departure he let himself go, and it was in hitting out he was stumped for a very fine innings of 75. Subsequently Khan and Halliday scored freely, and at the close North Oxford had the fine score of 261 for 7. The return match is at Purley to-morrow week.

PURLEY.		NORTH OXFORD.	
R Gadsden b Wyatt	10	C Wyatt	75
J Greenwood b Wyatt	20	I Clarkson	82
A Clarkson c Cole b	0	E Cole lbw b Frost	82
Money	61	M Khan c Clarkson b	20
H Glazebrook b Wyatt	0	Glazebrook	20
T Watson b Bowtell	11	E Bowtell c M Wat-	15
H Layington c Rising	0	son b Glazebrook	15
b Halliday	26	H Halliday c Clark-	31
M Watson c Money b	2	son b Gadsden	31
Bowtell	2	A Wiseman run out	0
R Nettleton c and b	4	C Franks b Gadsden	11
Bowtell	4	W Rising not out	6
A Goulding b Wyatt	17	W Money, F Gee and	0
J Frost not out	2	R Font did not bat.	0
W Caribrett b Wyatt	0		
Extras	13	Extras	21
Total	166	Total (7 wks.)	261

TWO GOOD WOODSTOCK PLAYERS.

Woodstock were in excellent form against the Oxford Downs on Saturday and won by 102 runs, after declaring their innings with six wickets down. Guy Buckingham carried off the batting honours with a capital 63, and Austin and Harper had a lively partnership. At 206 for 6 Tolley declared, and then so well did Harper (6 for 20) and Tolley bowl that the Downs were put out for 104. Going in late Percy Collett hit up 50 in double quick time and so spoilt bowling figures that would have bordered on the sensational.

WOODSTOCK.		OXFORD DOWNS.	
G Buckingham b Cox	63	A Bowen b Tolley	13
L Adams lbw b	1	A Barir c Paddon b	0
Plekford	1	Tolley	0
G Paddon b Plekford	14	T Plekford run out	10
H Fincke b Florey	7	T Florey b Harper	3
W Hammond run out	10	P Abrahams c Paddon	1
J Austin not out	38	b Harper	1
A Harper c and b	0	Dr Robinson b Harper	0
Cox	20	L Clack b Harper	0
C H Tolley not out	18	P Cox c G Bucking-	3
C Buckingham, W.	0	ham b Harper	3
Perrin, E Hall, W	0	P Collett b Harper	50
Carter did not bat.	0	A Toland c Adams b	15
		Tolley	15
		C Smith b Tolley	2
		T Leigh not out	5
		Extras	5
Extras	37	Extras	5
Total (6 wks dec)	206	Total	104

SPORTING FINISH AT BOURTON.

The Witney Old Grammarians, in pursuit of their policy of getting into a better grade of cricket, travelled to Bourton on Saturday and took part in a most exciting match, which, though lost, reflected the greatest credit on them. They declared their innings at 175 for 7, C. Jennings playing very finely for his 61. Bourton lost three wickets for six, after which Major Jendwine and Haines put on 124 and enabled their side to win by five wickets. Busby took each of the wickets that fell for 55. "Jony" Rogers, for Bourton, took 4 for 79 and Haines 2 for 29.

OLD GRAMMARIANS.		BOURTON VALE.	
J Busby b Rogers	3	J Mellicott lbw b	0
J Harwood b Rogers	18	Major Jendwine b	0
A Haley c Haines b	17	Busby	48
Witts	17	J A Rogers b Busby	2
A Shirley b Haines	16	Major Witts c Nash	3
J Barnes b Rogers	25	b Busby	3
C Jennings c Wood-	61	W Haines b Busby	85
ward b Rogers	61	E Tippet not out	10
W Crawley b Haines	0	P L Woodward not	0
I Jennings not out	14	out	20
C French not out	8	R M Mullett, P Buckle,	0
J Nash and P Knight	0	E Locke and L Hill	0
did not bat.	0	did not bat.	0
Extras	15	Extras	11
Td. (7 wks dec.)	175	Total (5 wks.)	170

GOOD BAME AT BICESTER.

In past years the Bicester Saturday XI. has rarely defeated Thame. The visitors on Saturday were without their slow bowler, Kirtland, who hurt his ribs whilst playing the previous week, and it has generally been Kirtland who has proved unplayable to most of the Bicester batsmen. Thame started none too well, but R. West and Lee pulled the game round, whilst Potter and Howland added 39 for the last wicket. On Bicester going in R. West took Philpott's and Strange's wickets in the first over. Harris and Fasham stayed in some time, and Gunning helped the total to 135 for nine wickets, leaving five runs for a win. A boundary by Merritt, followed by another by Hawkins enabled Bicester eventually to pull off the game.

THAME.		BICESTER.	
C Mott run out	0	H G Philpott b West	0
S C Wells c Simons b	0	C Harris c Wells b	0
Holliday	7	F Smith	37
A Higgins b Merritt	12	F Strange b West	20
R West b Hawkins	57	G Holway b West	6
S C B Lee b Hawkins	19	H Smith lbw b West	11
W Kirtland run out	0	E Fasham c Kirtland	48
A Chowus b Hawkins	4	b Lee	48
R Green c Fasham b	1	R Deeley c West b	7
Simons	1	Mott	7
P Smith b Simons	0	H Gunning b Mott	20
R Potter not out	23	J Simons b Lee	4
H Howland lbw b	0	P Merritt b Smith	13
Merritt	11	G Hawkins not out	19
Extras	5	Extras	19
Total	130	Total	117

OXFORD LEAGUE—DIVISION I.

The Oxford League was in full swing on Saturday, the first cricketing day of the Long Vacation. There were one or two unexpected results. South Oxford got home against Cowley St. John after a splendid match, keen but pleasant, and Charlbury, after carrying all before them, had their colours lowered on the Christ Church ground by the Y.M.C.A.

In the second division there was an incident that gave rise to some comment. Titup were playing against Cowley St. John II., and at 8.15 the game was abandoned, owing, it is said, to failing light. Other games, however, went on till 8.45. It is not clear exactly what happened in this game, and in order to save further incidents of this kind I append two rules, one of the O.C.A. and the other of the M.C.C.

The O.C.A. rule is: "Every match must, if the weather permits, be played until a definite result is reached, and for this purpose shall be continued as long as the light holds good."

The M.C.C. rule is: "The umpires are the sole judges of fair or unfair play, of the fitness of the ground, the weather and the light for play; all disputes shall be determined by them, and if they disagree the actual state of things shall continue."

In the League match between South Oxford and Cowley St. John, on the B.N.C. ground, the first ball was bowled at 2.30 and the last at a quarter to nine, and in the 53 hours in which play was actually in progress 427 runs were scored. Cowley St. John batted first and declared at tea-time for 213 for 9. H Walker and Carter put on 54 for the first wicket, and Fowler and England added 63 for the eighth wicket, when seven were out for 122. Carter's was a good knock. Coming after a spell of bad luck and small scores it should give him more confidence. Jones seemed the most difficult of the South Oxford bowlers and Searle is still keeping wicket well. Cooke and Franklin, who started at 5.45, gave South Oxford a first-wicket partnership of 70 and did

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OXFORDSHIRE'S THIRD COUNTY WIN.

HARRY WALKER'S CENTURY.

In beating Berkshire, by ten wickets at Reading on Wednesday, Oxfordshire accomplished what is probably their best achievement since the war. It has to be remembered that Berkshire are the Minor Counties champions, and that the victory was won without Oxfordshire being able to call on either Arnold or L. Rogers. Moreover, in the previous games (since the War) between the two counties, Oxfordshire have never beaten Berkshire, so even if we have to admit that our near neighbours are not as strong as last season, the feat is one upon which the County can be heartily congratulated. The bowlers had a big share in the victory, for to dismiss such a strong batting side as Berkshire twice in two days for 222 and 154, would not be possible to any but a strong bowling side. Captain Henry may be, and is, lucky to have the present attack at his command. He not merely has two quite fast bowlers in F. Hartley and J. Rogers, but two fast-medium in himself and Thomas, and that rather rare species, an accurate leg spinner, medium to slow, in Walters. I include D. skipper, as those who have played with him and watched him say he is now quite fast off the pitch and likely at any time to break up a partnership. His feat of taking five for 42 in the Berks match supports this view. As it is hoped most of these players will be available for nearly all the remaining five matches, the Oxfordshire attack looks like gaining further laurels. The feature of the Oxfordshire batting in the first innings was the stand by Walker and Walters, who, after four had fallen for 50, put on 99 runs by cricket of the highest merit. They not merely got on top of the Berkshire bowling, but made it possible for the tail to give it a further twist. Walker played in his best form. He still does not go across enough with the right foot for the late cut, or get near enough with the left foot to the ball he off-drives, but his defence is very strong and he is never flustered. In fact his temperament is ideal. One was glad to see Walters getting runs, and getting

them well, while in the second innings Lee also came out in his best form. In getting the necessary 105 runs without being parted Lee and Walker accomplished a performance of much distinction, and, indeed, were batting so well and easily that the Berkshire bowling was thoroughly mastered.

The next County game is against Cambridgeshire, on the Merton College ground, on Monday and Tuesday next, and it is hoped the following will play: B. J. Henry, F. Hartley, E. Hartley, O. Claydon, J. Arnold, L. Rogers, C. Walters, S. C. B. Lee, H. Walker, R. P. Thomas and J. Rogers.

BERKSHIRE.

Hon. P. F. Remnant c E. Hartley b	
Flowers	30
Bayles (G.) c Thomas b F. Hartley	24
R. C. Human b Walters	20
C. A. Caslon c F. Hartley b Walters	10
G. A. Browning c Claydon b Rogers	3
Dr. W. V. Woodburn c Thomas b Henry	31
R. H. R. Palmer b Rogers	31
F. S. Buckley c Claydon b Henry	51
M. Turner b F. Hartley	15
Caryer lbw b Walters	13
W. Newberry not out	0
Extras	24
Total	222

Second Innings.

M. Turner c F. Hartley b Thomas	0
G. Savles lbw b Henry	29
Hon. P. F. Remnant c Thomas b Henry	34
R. C. Human b Walker	4
C. A. Caslon c Claydon b Walters	15
Dr. W. V. Woodburn lbw b Henry	39
F. S. Buckley b Walters	30
G. A. Browning c E. Hartley b Walters	2
Caryer not out	4
W. Newberry c Rogers b Walters	5
Extras	18
Total	154

OXFORDSHIRE.

H. Walker c Remnant b Human	107
S. C. B. Lee b Woodburn	1
W. S. Caldwell c Buckley b Caryer	8
Frank Hartley b Caryer	0
E. Colton b Caryer	0
C. Walters b Caryer	5
E. Hartley lbw b Caryer	61
R. P. Thomas c Caslon b Woodburn	24
J. Claydon lbw b Woodburn	17
L. Rogers not out	32
B. J. Henry b Woodburn	0
Extras	12
Total	272

H. Walker, not out	61
S. C. B. Lee, not out	40
Extras	5
Total (for no wicket)	106

Oxfordshire Bowling.

First Innings: Thomas, 11-2-43-0; F. Hartley, 24.1-7-53-3; Rogers, 12-1-35-2; Walters, 23-4-30-3; Henry, 8-2-28-2. Hartley one no-ball.

Second Innings: Thomas, 6-1-21-1; Rogers, 9-1-44-1; F. Hartley, 6-2-29-0; Walters, 13-2-2-28-5; Henry, 6-1-14-3.

OXFORD CITY'S NEW BOWLER.

In their Thursday match the City beat Headington by seven wickets. Pietersen and Walker put on 55 for the first Headington wicket, but while the former was lucky, Walker batted well and was out in trying to force the pace. He was beaten several times by Walters, whose best balls just rose over the top. Haynes (six for 46) bowled well, and my correspondent considers he is a future County player. Left-handed, he is the son of a Sunningwell farmer. Draper and Caldwell took the City score to 84 before they were parted. The Headington bowling was very steady and of good length, and on a wicket on which the ball plays queer tricks the batsmen were forced to play carefully. T. Gurl bowled as accurately as of old, but has lost some of his pace.

On Saturday, Fairford scratched to the City, their excuse being that they had lost two of their best players. So the City were able to put all their best eggs in one basket and go to Swindon. Here the scoring was unusually low for this match. The homesters had the good fortune to bat when the pitch was at its best, and Nash and A. E. Lloyd made the most of their opportunity afterwards Walters (six for 44) and Haynes (three for 37) went through the rest quickly, and the City found themselves with a total of only 106. But they must have known their task was not easy as the pitch was getting more and more difficult. Walters was seen at his best on it, and after he had gone Bradfield played strictly on the defen-

sive. A draw seemed inevitable, but the Swindon captain made an astute change and with the last two City men failing to score Swindon won an exciting game by seven runs. Walters had a successful match and provided yet another opportunity of how a good cricketer can both take advantage of, conditions and rise superior to them.

HEADINGTON.		OXFORD CITY.	
J T Pieterse c Walker	24	W S Cauldwell c Gill	57
b Bickerton	63	Copock b Pieterse	25
G Walker b Haynes	21	E J Draper b Hill	21
E Cox c Bickerton b	3	G Bradfield not out	17
Walters	7	E J Cotton c Pieterse	2
W Berry b Haynes	3	L Bickerton not out	2
W Parman b Haynes	7	H T Lewendon	8
A E Pashler b Walters	17	Gill Copock b Walters	8
Gill Copock b Walters	8	T Gull b Haynes	0
T Gull b Haynes	0	J Berry c Lewendon	0
J Berry c Lewendon	0	b Haynes	0
C Hill c Lewendon b	0	C Hill c Lewendon b	0
Haynes	0	Haynes	0
J Birch not out	0	J Birch not out	0
Extras	17	Extras	21
Total	141	Total (3 wks)	146

SWINDON.		OXFORD CITY.	
E M Nash b Walters	22	F R Wylie c and b	13
G Popple c Haynes	1	A E Lloyd	0
b Walters	47	R Taylor c Nash b	0
A E Lloyd c Atwell	4	A E Lloyd	11
b Haynes	8	D Astle c A E Lloyd	34
G C Wood b Haynes	8	b Wood	3
E C Lloyd c Haynes	8	C Walters c E H Lloyd	12
b Walters	0	b A E Lloyd	5
D Wooding b Haynes	0	R Thomas	4
E R Hart b Walters	0	Wesant b Wood	0
J Tinsley run out	9	S King c Beasant b	0
R Stone not out	9	Wood	0
W H Lawson b	0	H T Lewendon b A	0
Walters	0	E Lloyd	0
A Beasant c	13	D E Clayton c and b	0
Bickerton b Walters	13	A E Lloyd	0
Extras	6	G E Bradfield not out	0
Total	106	P L Bickerton st Nash	0
		b Wood	0
		A W Haynes b Wood	0
		Extras	6
		Total	99

DEPOT O.B.L.I. CRICKET WEEK.

As usual, the cricket week at the Depot was a huge success. Several well-known cricketers were to be seen on the excellently appointed ground and scoring was very high. S. C. B. Lee, J. H. L. Brownrigg (a son of the old County captain) and E. Grant made a lot of runs, and A. G. Skinner, the Bucks player, made a century. Millett bowled very well, taking eight wickets in four matches. As usual, the Band of the Line Regiment was present, and there were various entertainments, at which officers and "non-coms." proved ideal hosts. The results of the four matches are appended:—

REGIMENT.	IT. COL. S. E. ASHTON'S XI.		
Capt. L. W. Giles c	44	Capt. Bykes lbw b	11
Daly b Syke	83	S C B Lee b West	66
E Smith b Brownrigg	54	E G H Mock b Graham	0
Sgt. Millett b Daly	15	J H L Brownrigg not	80
M A R West b Mack	13	out	80
Capt. H E F Smyth	18	Sir R Gull c West b	32
J P A Graham b Daly	10	Millett	22
C.Q.M.S. Bull b Syke	16	Cpl J T Weatherby	40
Major R J Brett b	1	not out	40
Daly	2	not out	40
R H Doayne b Daly	2	not out	40
W Whitton not out	2	not out	40
Pte. Busby did not bat.	2	not out	40
Extras	25	Extras	26
Total (9 wks. dec.)	248	Total (4 wks.)	255

GENTS. OF BUCKS.	REGIMENT.		
R H J Brooke lbw b	0	Capt. L W Giles c	0
Millett	35	and b Battock	0
A James c Manning	96	E Smith b Rutter	0
b Millett	7	E Grant b Rutter	7
E Mallinson b Busby	163	Sgt. Millett b Battock	15
A G Skinner b West	12	M A R West c and b	12
J C R Clover c and	0	Lund	12
b Graham	67	H J S D Hamersley c	4
C Bray c Grant b	5	Clover b Lund	7
Busby	3	Pte Manning c Mallinson	1
W B Franklin not out	3	b Rutter	10
O G Battock b West	8	J P A Graham c and	10
V Lund, E H Rutter	8	b Rutter	10
and C Foster did not bat.	8	C.Q.M.S. Bull c Clover	8
Extras	17	b Lund	8
Total (7 wks. dec.)	393	Edm. Mackinson run	0
		out	0
		Pte Busby not out	0
		Extras	4
		Total	61

COL. WYNTER'S XI.	REGIMENT.		
M B Turner b Graham	0	E Grant not out	74
C Nicholson b	0	H J S D Hamersley	0
Millett	0	b Gumbleton	0
G N Capel c and b	12	Sgt. Millett b M Gumbleton	23
Graham b Millett	86	Mr E Smith c Peel b	33
H G Patterson not out	0	Lyon	33
R J B Snook b	0	M A R West b Lyon	0
Graham	8	J P A Graham c M	36
A D Polling b Busby	8	Gumbleton b Capel	36
T H Wilson b Graham	8	Cure	36
E R F Peel c and b	9	C.Q.M.S. Bull not out	16
Busby	52	J E D Kilburn, Pte.	0
M S Maxwell Gumbleton	52	Jackson, Bdm. Mackinson	0
not out	0	and Pte Busby	0
Col. C A Lyon and	0	did not bat.	0
Col. H W Wynter	0	Extras	30
did not bat.	0	Total	212
Extras	0	Total (5 wks.)	212
Total (7 wks. dec.)	194		

REGIMENT.	SANDHURST WANDERERS.		
Capt. L. W. Giles c	0	J B E Radcliffe b	14
Russell b Fitzmaurice	12	Busby	14
H J S D Hamersley	60	A C B Maunsell lbw	14
c Tilly b Russell	35	b Millett	82
E Grant b Russell	35	C L Troop not out	0
Sgt. Millett c Campbell	35	Major Mulloy c Busby	0
bell b Forsyth	35	b Millett	31
Capt. Barnard not out	4	A Tilly b Whittan	26
Rec. Welch b Russell	4	0 Capt. J Fitzmaurice b	8
Pte. Jackson c Tilley	4	Welch	2
b Russell	4	G H Russell not out	6
Pte. Manning c Fever	4	0 Capt. B M S Folliant	9
sham b Fitzmaurice	4	0 Capt. M S Folliant	9
sham b Russell	4	0 Capt. M S Folliant	9
W Whittan b Russell	4	0 Capt. M S Folliant	9
Pte. Busby lbw b	4	0 Capt. M S Folliant	9
Russell	4	0 Capt. M S Folliant	9
Total	188	Total (5 wks)	206

THAME BEAT COWLEY ST. JOHN.

Thame and Cowley St. John met for the first time for five or six years and had an interesting game on the Thame ground. The visitors' innings was interrupted once or twice by rain, and at six o'clock their captain declared, leaving Thame about an hour and a quarter to get 113 runs, which they did

for the loss of seven wickets. Leslie Walker, Pulker and West made their runs well and Fowler had six wickets for 40 runs. Score:—

COWLEY ST. JOHN.	THAME.		
L Carter c Lee b	0	G Ross c Chinkard b	30
West	22	Fowler	30
L Daniels c Mott b	11	R West b Butler	6
Cottrill	11	C Mott c Butler b	19
L Walker c and b	39	Fowler	12
Cottrill	39	W Kirtland c sub b	12
F J Fowler c Kirk	1	R Potter b Fowler	4
land b Lee	1	F Chowen c Butler b	13
R Pulker c Lee b	23	Fowler	10
Mott	23	A Higgins b Fowler	8
J A Chinkard c Leo	3	H Cottrill not out	8
b Mott	5	C Wells not out	0
J H Howe not out	2	D White and S C B	0
C Butler not out	2	Lee did not bat.	0
E Tobin, G Trodd	7	Extras	6
and P Duck did not bat.	7	Total (6 wks. dec.)	113
Extras	7	Total (7 wks.)	117

OXFORD DOWNS' FIRST WIN SINCE WHITSUN.

The Oxford Downs, who had not won a match since Whit-Munday, owing to depleted sides, accomplished a good performance in beating the strong Bourton Vale Club (which includes Rogers the Oxfordshire fast bowler). E. W. Pickford bowled well in taking five for 47, and was well supported by K. Florey (three for 20) and Upstone (two for 21). The Downs passed Bourton's total with two wickets down, chiefly due to the skipper, who again ran into good form with 77 not out. The win should give the Downs encouragement for their future fixtures.

BOURTON VALE.	OXFORD DOWNS.		
Major Jendwin c and	20	H F Davies not out	77
b Upstone	20	H R Mace c Hayward	0
E T Tippett c Abraham	10	b Taylor	23
ham b Pickford	13	R P Abraham b	19
H Holmes b Upstone	3	Wozers	0
Col. Burnow b Pickford	8	H Blair c Tippett b	0
W Bennett c K Florey	4	F Taylor	6
b Pickford	4	F W Pickford c	6
J A Rogers b Pickford	7	Taylor b Woodward	6
P L Woodward c K	16	F Florey b Woodward	16
Florey b Pickford	16	T Florey, J H. Abraham,	16
F Hayward c Pickford	16	K Florey, A. Ireland, and J Up-	16
b K Florey	16	stone did not bat.	16
R E East b K Florey	16	Extras	0
A G Taylor c Blair	16	Total	94
b Florey	16	Total (5 wks)	124
L Hill not out	16		
Extras	4		

CAMBRIDGE AGAIN—HOBBS' NEPHEW TO THE FORE.

The Clarendon Press paid their biennial visit to Cambridge on Saturday. Leaving Oxford at 7.10 they travelled via Liverpool-street and reached Cambridge at 11.30. The Cambridge University Printer (Mr. W. Lewis) presided at the lunch and welcomed the guests, and Mr. W. H. Wheeler responded. Except for one heavy storm the visitors had a perfect day, and wish to thank Messrs. Pickfords for the excellent travelling arrangements. Oxford lost both the cricket and bowls (reported under bowls news), the feature of the former game being a very fine innings by Hobbs, a nephew of Jack Hobbs, the famous cricketer.

CLARENDON PRESS.	CAMBRIDGE PRESS.		
C E Foster hit wkt	0	E Hobbs not out	57
b Marriott	0	J Muncey not out	22
J Day c Goddard b	0	S Tebbitt, W. Gordon,	0
Westwood	0	J Franklin, W. Rooker,	0
J Cross b Marriott	1	Westwood	1
H Battersby c Frank-	12	Horn, B. Goddard, T	12
lin b Marriott	12	Marriott, S Humbert-	12
A E Foster st Tebbitt	17	son did not bat.	0
b Westwood	17		
E Butt rs b Marriott	9		
C F Collins c and b	6		
Marriott	6		
R Rawlings b West-	1		
wood	1		
E Nurse c Rooke b	6		
Westwood	6		
T Weller not out	0		
C S Collett b West-	4		
wood	4		
Extras	0	Extras	1
Total	58	Total (no wkt)	80

OXFORD LEAGUE—DIVISION—I.

South Oxford secured their third League victory on Saturday, when they achieved the feat of defeating the Mills at Witney by ten runs. They now have the maximum points and must be feeling pretty confident about about the future outlook. Their bowlers dismissed the Mills for 69, Jones taking five for 16 and Ward three for a similar number. Room was the most successful of the Mills batsmen. South Oxford, on a rain-affected pitch, lost seven for 35, and their chance appeared to have vanished. However, Ward rose to the occasion and Merriman batted doggedly and the necessary runs were obtained. Ward's very straight bat was invaluable on such a pitch. He was able to watch the break and meet it without edging the ball, while when he had the over-pitched one his full-swing enabled him to take full toll. It was a really good innings, from a batsman whose methods might be copied with advantage by young cricketers. Hosier and Room took the fullest advantage of the pitch being in their favour. The game was typical of the close finishes we have had in the League this season.

WITNEY MILLS.		* SOUTH OXFORD.	
F Strong c Jones b	12	E E Cooke lbw b	0
Ward	7	Room	0
H Cooper b Ward	7	W T Franklin c Pear-	0
R Early c Jones b	5	son b Hosier	9
Franklin	5	G H Wilkins c Strong	0
B Room	22	b Room	0
Franklin	22	F E Chapman b Hosier	5
P Hosier b Jones	5	H Harley b Hosier	0
S Bridgman not out	15	R H Ward not out	30
T Pearson c Beer b	1	A Beer b Hosier	4
Jones	1	C Adams c Cooper b	4
M Pyfield c Searle b	0	Hosier	4
Hedges	0	O H Merriman c	18
H Beale c Beer b	0	Hedges b Beale	0
Jones	0	E T Searle run out	0
A Strong b Jones	0	C S Jones not out	7
J Hedges b Ward	0		
Extras	2	Extras	2
Total	69	Total (9 wkts.)	79

Kidlington, who commenced their career in the League so well, are now coming up against the "big fry" and finding them rather a different proposition. Their game at Cowley, like a good many others, did not commence till five o'clock on a damaged wicket. The Motors then went in and found the Kidlington bowling of good length, and steady, with the result that they could only subscribe 92. Bustin made the most of his opportunity and took six wickets. By this time the pitch had lost its virginal look, and, in fact, was, according to one of the batsmen, a "regular beast." Be that as it may, Kidlington could only collect just over half their opponents' score, and so lost by 4½ runs. Ferriman took six for 16 and Sturges the other four. The bowlers were well supported in the field, Fathers making no less than four catches.

MORRIS MOTORS.		KIDLINGTON.	
E Miles c Gates b	7	W Truly c Fathers b	11
Bustin	7	Ferriman	4
H Cockerott c Giles b	5	C Bennett b Ferriman	4
Bennett	5	A Wilsdon c Fathers	2
E Thurgton c Bates b	16	b Ferriman	2
Bustin	16	H Cox c Fathers b	3
B Herriman lbw b	0	Sturges	3
Bennett	0	R Smith c Thom-	3
G Sturges b Bustin	15	ton b Ferriman	3
F Bullock c Cox b	18	M Giles c Steele b	6
Bustin	18	Ferriman	6
R Eagles c Bennett b	4	A Bustin c Fathers b	7
Bustin	4	Sturges	9
W Fathers lbw b	8	B J Smith not out	0
Wilsdon	8	F Bates lbw b Ferr-	0
F Steele c and b	0	iman	0
Wilsdon	0	W Adams c Ferriman	0
B Ferriman at Smith	11	b Sturges	0
b Bustin	11	G Simmonds c Ferr-	1
G Hull not out	0	iman b Sturges	3
Extras	2	Extras	3
Total	92	Total	48

Cowley were badly defeated on the Swifts' ground at Witney by 131 runs. Vickers was far and away the highest scorer, and I imagine his 69 was the result of aggressive methods, which are bound to pay if the batsman has the courage to take risks when the ball is not behaving as it should do. On a drying wicket Hosier (five for eight), and Lloyd (five for 11) shot out Cowley for 19, which must be one of their lowest scores. The Cowley captain seems to have made an error of judgment in not batting when he won the toss.

WITNEY SWIFTS.		COWLEY.	
A Keates c Collins b	15	H Smith c Lloyd b	0
Hodgkins	15	Hosier	0
F Smith b Dyer	13	M Cook c Young b	0
D Bustin c Arnold b	0	Lloyd	0
Collins	0	W Hodgkins, jun.	0
H Bridgman b Hodg-	0	Smith b Lloyd	2
kins	0	F Arnold lbw b Hosier	10
G Vickers c Arnold b	0	H Jones b Lloyd	0
Jones	0	W Hodgkins lbw b	2
A Hosier c Hodgkins	0	Lloyd	2
b Dyer	10	R Collins b Lloyd	4
W Lloyd c Smith b	0	C Hore c Smith b	0
Hore	0	Hosier	0
E Luck b Dyer	0	B Stroud not out	0
C Rose b Jones	0	G Anns b Hosier	1
D Young not out	8	J Dyer c Hosier b	0
B Hosier run out	4	Hosier	0
Extras	16	Extras	0
Total	150	Total	19

Headington had a visit from the Y.M.C.A. and beat them by six wickets. Trafford carried off the bowling honours with six for 40, and he was ably supported by T. Gurl, while with the bat Newman and George Coppock made a stand when four wickets had fallen for next to nothing.

Y.M.C.A.		HEADINGTON.	
R C Higgins c Cop-	5	J Pieterzen c Higgins	1
pock b Trafford	5	b Thomas	24
A H Farnoll b Trafford	0	J Newman not out	0
J W Haydock c Dou-	18	I Evans b Greenwood	0
glas b T Gurl	18	A Gurl b Thomas	9
W G Hunnissett b	12	W Taylor b Green-	3
Trafford	12	wood	3
V G Crumley c Cop-	0	G Coppock not out	35
pock b T Gurl	0	E Webb, A J Dou-	0
T A Thomas c Traf-	12	glas, T Gurl, J	8
ford b T Gurl	12	Garratt and S	0
J N Greenwood "of	15	Garrett did not bat.	0
out	15	did not bat.	0
J Tyler b Trafford	10		
R F Hobbs b Trafford	0		
A Underwood b Traf-	0		
ford	0		
H C Lloyd c Pieter-	8		
zen b T Gurl	8		
Extras	6	Extras	13
Total	86	Total (4 wkts.)	91

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OXFORDSHIRE STILL UNBEATEN.

FINE WIN OVER CAMBRIDGESHIRE.

APPEAL FOR MORE SUPPORT.

By 4.15 on Tuesday Oxfordshire had secured their fourth victory in four matches in the Minor Counties Championship, beating Cambridgeshire by an innings and 90 runs.

The victory was secured by superior all-round cricket. The foundation was laid on Monday by a delightfully free exhibition of batting, runs coming at the rate of one a minute. Before lunch 187 runs had been scored, and before the tea interval the 400 mark had been past. I believe I am correct in saying this is the second time since the war the side has scored over 400, the other occasion being at Bedford, when they made 431 and Charlie Walters scored his 200. The feat was achieved by means of consistently good batting. From the moment Len Rogers began to throw his bat at the ball to punch it hard between the covers, or drive it straight or pull it, till the end of the innings the cricket was full of interest and liveliness. Nothing was better than Arnold's 105. Arnold is already a very fine cricketer, with beautiful footwork, which makes his shots look so easy and gives him so much time for the stroke. He should go far, as he has a level head and is keen to get on. Len Rogers is as effective in a rougher way. He has more thought of the effect of the stroke, its scoring power, than the stroke itself. Walters' innings was a slashing sort of affair, and when once he had settled down Ernest Hartley batted in a style that recalled his best form. He has been out of luck of late, and now that he has played himself into form should prove indispensable at No. 6 or 7.

Cambridgeshire went in just before tea, and at the close had lost five for 88. For a period on Tuesday they looked like saving the game, Williams, Keith Falkner (a professional singer well known to wireless enthusiasts) and Handscombe giving a lot of trouble. The County in this period grew a bit slack in the field and suggested they had lost their grip of the game. They were an entirely different side afterwards, and by keen fielding and well-managed bowling not only dismissed Cambridgeshire a second time, but had the game all over by the tea interval. As usual, Walters bowled very steadily, as his analysis shows. For the whole match his figures were:

O. M. R. W.
34 9 44 6

He seems able to pitch the ball with almost mechanical precision, and I

doubt if it is possible for any bowler to be so accurate for such long spells. His reliable form enables Capt. Henry to give his fastish bowlers a rest, and, working them as he does with excellent tact, no batsmen get a real chance of settling down. The other bowlers all pulled their weight, and, as I have said before, as long as the present weather lasts I do not see why Oxfordshire should be beaten.

In the course of the match, of which the Duke of Marlborough was an eye witness on Tuesday, Capt. Henry awarded Claydon and J. Arnold their County caps.

I understand that the gate receipts for the two days were £10, which is a record. Fancy £10 for a side which is proving invincible and is as attractive as any County team. Oxfordshire sportsmen, aren't you ashamed of yourselves? I'm not, you ought to be. If you can't afford us, to belong to the O.C.C.C., which sum admits you and a lady friend to all home matches, surely you would not miss the humble "tanner" now and again. I hope, therefore, you will roll up in your hundreds next Tuesday and Wednesday on the Merton ground, when our unbeaten Oxfordshire side are at home to Berkshire.

OXFORDSHIRE.—1st Innings.

H. Walker lbw b Merton 16
S. C. B. Lee st Cockerell b Merton 12
L. Rogers c Merton b Pask 61
J. Arnold b Pask 105
C. Walters b Cockerell 57
E. Hartley c and b Ayres 63
F. Hartley lbw b Falkner 16
O. Claydon, b Williams 9
R. P. Thomas c Cockerell b Pask 24
J. Rogers lbw b Ayres 12
B. J. Henry, not out 0
Extras 29
Total 404

CAMBRIDGESHIRE.—1st Innings.

H. B. Hart c Rogers (J) b F. Hartley 6
F. W. Parlett c Claydon b Rogers (J) 3
R. Covill c Walton b Thomas 36
K. Falkner b Lee 25
F. Merton b F. Hartley 2
E. Hobbs b Rogers (J) 9
P. Williams b Henry 60
P. Handcombe c Claydon b Walters 33
R. J. Ayres b Walton 9
D. Pask lbw b Henry 0
W. N. Cockerell not out 39
Extras 3
Total 225

CAMBRIDGESHIRE.—2nd Innings.

Hart b Rogers (J) 9
Parlett b Walters 6
Covill c Henry b Thomas 7
Falkner c E. Hartley b F. Hartley 16
Merton b F. Hartley 0
Hobbs run out 6
Williams c Thomas b F. Hartley 0
Handcombe b Walters 18
Ayres not out 11
Pask c Henry b Walters 0
Cockerell lbw b Walters 0
Extras 16
Total 80

Bowling Analysis.

CAMBRIDGE, 1st Innings.—Rogers (J) 15-4-40-2; Thomas 6-1-20-1; F. Hartley 16-3-42-2; Henry 17-5-32-2; Walters 28-8-29-2; Lee 4-1-7-1; Arnold 3-0-10-0. Arnold one no ball.

CAMBRIDGESHIRE, 2nd Innings.—Henry 5-0-19-0; Rogers (J) 9-3-17-1; Thomas 9-2-8-1; Walters 6-1-15-4; F. Hartley 6-2-14-3.

OXFORD CITY GAMES.

The City played four games last week, two on Wednesday and two on Saturday. A weak side was no match for St. Edward's School, against whom, however, C. J. Godfrey bowled well, taking five for 55 in 14 overs. The batting broke down very badly. Another side went to Northampton, where they had rather the worst of a fairly tall-scoring game. Brownrigg ("C.E.'s" son) and Maxwell batted nicely, as also did Clayton and Wylie, with the result that the 200 was passed, but at the close the Northants Amateurs were in a strong position.

The best of the two Saturday games was that against Reading Town, who were saved from defeat by the intervention of the clock. Thomas played a vigorous and delightful innings, and Walters, going in late, was also in merry mood. Then came the task of the City bowlers, who were deprived of a win first by Stokes and then by Bennett, the latter batting skillfully at a critical moment. That keen village side, Teddington, came over to Oxford at their own request to get experience, and had an enjoyable game, marred by an accident to Surman. A second innings was played, Tiddington making 78 and the City 115 for two. P. L. Bickerton scored 48 and S. King 38.

Table with columns for ST. EDWARD'S SCHOOL and OXFORD CITY. Lists players and runs scored in various matches.

Table with columns for OXFORD CITY and NORTHAMPTON AMATEURS. Lists players and runs scored.

Table with columns for OXFORD CITY and READING TOWN. Lists players and runs scored.

Table with columns for TIDDINGTON and OXFORD CITY. Lists players and runs scored.

GOOD MATCH AT PURLEY.

In the return match at Purley between the local Club and North Oxford 439 runs were scored and the home side won by 47 runs—a really good match, thoroughly enjoyed by both sides. Merriman topped the century for Purley, and there were eleven fours in Watson's 49, including seven in succession. In the circumstances Bowtell's six for 54, which included the "bat-trick," bears out what I have said before about this young cricketer. What he is well worth higher honours. Stokes and W. Rogers scored with some freedom off the Purley slow bowler, Meakin, despite which he finished with the capital analysis of eight for 63. North Oxford fielded well and made their opponents go the whole way. Score:

Table with columns for PURLEY and NORTH OXFORD. Lists players and runs scored.

AN EXCITING THURSDAY MATCH.

Kidlington visited the B.N.C. ground last Thursday and lost an exciting match by three runs. Nicholls and Dunkley put on 70 for the first South Oxford wicket, and Dunkley went on to complete an excellent 58. Bustin returned five for 55 and deseryed even better figures. Bustin also made a big, but unavailing, effort to turn the game. For the winners Cooper had five for 34.

Table with columns for SOUTH OXFORD and KIDLINGTON. Lists players and runs scored.

THE CLOCK SAVES CHIPPING

The clock saved Chipping Norton from defeat on Saturday when they entertained Bicester. The visitors batted first and ran up 174 for seven wickets, when they declared at the tea interval. The principal contributors were H. G. Philpot (64) and R. E. Dickinson (58), Strange being the only other batsman to reach double figures. Parsons took six wickets for 43 runs, whilst Yates only let one bye. For Chipping Norton, Reason, Allen and Laidlaw batted very well, but the remainder of the side failed badly and they had lost eight wickets for 87 runs when stumps were drawn.

Table with columns for BICESTER and CHIPPING NORTON. Lists players and runs scored.

MORRIS' WIN BY THREE RUNS.

One of the Morris Motors' teams visited Lechlade on Saturday. They batted first and were put out for 114, Bridges taking six wickets for 41. For Lechlade "Padre" Caldwell, as usual, batted well, and with three wanted to win with three batsmen to go in, the odds were in favour of the Gloucestershire side. All the time Stone had been on the spot, and becoming suddenly inspired he took the last three wickets without having a run scored off him and enabled his side to win sensationally by three runs. Stone's record was five for 22, and I am told he has been bowling well all the season.

Table with columns for MORRIS MOTORS and LECHLADE. Lists players and runs scored.

OXFORD LEAGUE—DIVISION II.

At home Cumnor beat the Osberton Works by 30 runs. P. Coster (six for 9) and J. Walker (four for 17) revelled in the conditions, with the result that the Works could only muster 37. The two bowlers were well supported by Bennett at the wicket. Cumnor lost three for nine, after which Haynes and Knapp pulled the side round against some good bowling by Ward, who took five wickets.

Table with columns for OSBERTON WORKS and CUMNOR. Lists players and runs scored.

At Horspath the home side beat the Morris Garages by 74 runs. Hedges carried his bat through the Horspath innings for 55 and was batting 24 hours, whereas Walker hit his 33 in about 15 minutes. The Garages fell to the bowling of P. Coppock (seven for 20) for 54.

Table with columns for HORSPATH and MORRIS GARAGES. Lists players and runs scored.

AIREY CUP—FIRST ROUND.

GOOD PERFORMANCES BY THE PRESS "A" AND HEADINGTON.

As a result of the first round ties in the Airey Cup the following will be paired together in the second round on 27 July:

- Headington v. Church Army Press.
Titup v. Cowley St. John.
College Servants v. Clarendon Press "A."
Morris Motors v. City Police.

There are several quite good teams in, and it is difficult to prophesy even one of the results of the second round ties. In any case each of the visiting sides has a hard task. Not for many years have we had clubs so well-matched, which is as it should be, and it is very evident the struggle to get into the final will be harder than for some years past. We have got down to the level when all the teams are of approximately the same strength, and he would be a bold man indeed who could at this stage prophesy the final result.

South Oxford team, which has been doing so well in the League, failed in the Airey Cup, the Clarendon Press "A" team beating them after a good match by two wickets. For their total of 145 the tenants of the B.N.C. ground were indebted to three batsmen,

Harley, Merriman and Higgins, who contributed all but 42 of the runs. Clements found a wicket to his liking, and his five for 42 was a good performance. Collins, I notice, was absent, so that the Press are likely to be stronger in the next round. The start of the Press innings was a procession, five wickets falling for 35 runs. Not for the first time, Foster came to the rescue with his care-free methods. He was missed before he had scored, and taking the fullest advantage of his luck he hit to all parts of the field. Cross and Fathers gave him admirable support and enabled the Press to snatch a close victory by two wickets. For South Oxford, Tipping took four for 45. I consider this performance of the Press to be the best of the round.

SOUTH OXFORD.		CLARENDON PRESS.	
E. E. Cooke b Weller	14	W. Kisslingbury b Tip-	7
W. T. Franklin c	0	plum	3
Collett b Clements	12	C. Foster c King	5
H. H. Ward b Clements	1	Jones	3
H. Harley b Piper	34	C. Piper b Jones	2
C. S. Jones b Clements	3	H. Battersby b Tip-	2
G. Wilkins b Clements	0	pling	2
C. King st Collett b	0	R. Clements c King	4
Piper	0	b Jones	4
O. Merriman c and b	0	A. Foster b Harley	49
Clements	36	J. Cross not out	32
E. Higgins b Piper	33	E. Fathers b Tipping	22
E. Scarie run out	0	C. Collett b Tipping	8
E. J. Tipping not out	4	E. Nurser and T.	8
		Weller did not bat.	
Extras	3	Extras	17
Total	145	Total (8 wks)	146

The Clarendon Press "B" team were outplayed on the St. Catherine's ground to the tune of 180 runs. Plumley (50) and Coppock (48) put on 100 for the fifth Titup wicket, and going in against 200 the Press were all out for 29. E. Webb, who is quite young, taking six for 11. It looks as if Titup must be labelled "dangerous."

TITUP.		CLARENDON PRESS.	
F. Lee b Nutt	21	H. Harvey b Webb	0
O. Payne b Hutton	0	W. Wilkins b Plumley	2
E. Price b Masters	16	S. Masters b Webb	5
A. Massey b Kissling-	34	I. Stevens run out	0
bury	34	V. Hutton b Webb	3
L. Coppock c Enoch	48	E. Kisslingbury b	7
b Moss	48	Plumley	7
G. Plumley b Masters	50	C. Moss run out	0
F. Coppock not out	17	F. Str. c b Webb	0
I. Gurl c Kisslingbury	12	R. Enoch c and b	5
b Stewart	12	Webb	5
A. Webb st Stevens	0	R. Nutt not out	8
b Stewart	0	H. Edens b Webb	0
W. Wright b Kis-	0		
lingbury	0		
O. Higginson b	0		
Stewart	0		
Extras	11		
Total	209	Total	29

The Church Army Press left no manner of doubt as to their superiority over the Y.M.C.A., who were beaten by eight wickets. Their bowling was too good for the Young Men, Malyon taking three for 47, Keene three for 21 and Justice three for 20. Facing a total of 105, Ward and Windscheffell put on 53 for the first wicket, and then George Fletcher went in to drive the last nail into the coffin of the opposition. It is very evident that when the Press really get together, they will have to be considered for this competition.

Y.M.C.A.		CHURCH ARMY.	
A. H. Farnell b Keene	0	P. Ward b Greenwood	49
R. C. Higgins bow b	21	L. Windscheffell b Ear-	32
Justice	21	nell	32
H. J. Hutchins c Gur-	9	G. Fletcher not out	23
den b Malyon	9	H. Buckingham c	0
W. G. Hunnisset c	0	Greenaway	0
Malyon b Keene	0	Walker, J. Gurdon,	0
J. W. Haydock run out	4	T. Malyon, W.	0
J. A. Thomas b Jus-	13	Thornton, A. Keene	0
tice	13	and F. Justice did	0
J. W. Greenwood c	4	not bat.	
Ward b Justice	4		
E. L. Whiting b Mal-	15		
yon	15		
R. F. G. Hobbs b Mal-	11		
yon	11		
R. F. Hewitt c Ward	0		
b Keene	0		
H. C. Lloyd not out	2		
Extras	17	Extras	8
Total	105	Total (2 wks)	112

It is not surprising, perhaps, that the pitch at Wolvercote did not play too well. On the best of grounds the caretaker of the turf has had the most thankless task to get his pitches near perfection, and everyone realises how it is almost next to impossible for grounds such as Wolvercote to be made true. The Police and Wolvercote could only subscribe 196 in the two innings, and the former had the advantage at the finish of 34 runs. They owed much to Phillips, Cox and Rolfe, who went for the bowling after three, including Massey, had been dismissed cheaply. Sanders (three for 24) and Warmington (four for 14) were chiefly responsible for keeping the scoring low. But Wolvercote, on a dusty, crumbling pitch, were even more at the mercy of the bowlers, and Massey (six for 37) and Cox (three for 21) ran through them for 81. Thus the Police climb the first hurdle.

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- Morris Motors v. Pressed Steel.
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- Thame v. Wallingford.
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- Witney Grammarians v. Gloster Aircraft Co.
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WITNEY LEAGUE—DIV. II.

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WYFOLD LEAGUE—DIV. II.

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J. H. Brownrigg—Oxford City v. Cheltenham	51*
C. Allaway—Cowley St. John v. Headington	51*
P. Buckingham—Woodstock v. Elvaston	50*
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G. Coppock—Headington v. Y.M.C.A.	50
W. Dalton—City Imps v. Cassington	50
L. Carter—Cowley St. John v. Headington	50
R. Pulker—Cowley St. John v. Headington	50
E. Grant—Depot O.B.L.L. v. Tiddington	50

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T. Hartman—Blenheim v. Lloyd's Bank	6-34
R. Hickman—Cowley v. Old Victorians	6-35
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OXFORDSHIRE'S 5TH SUCCESSIVE WIN.

A FINE PARTNERSHIP—YOUNG ROGERS' GOOD BOWLING.

APPEAL FOR MORE PUBLIC SUPPORT.

On the Merton College ground on Wednesday Oxfordshire gained their fifth successive win in the Minor Counties' Championship, and since the Club was revived this is by far the best record they have achieved.

It is always an advantage in the present dry weather to win the toss, and Capt. Henry performed a good service by getting first use of a pitch which was likely to crumble. Walker and Lee set off on their task with easy confidence, and had up 72 before Walker was caught. Then for a time the pendulum swung round in favour of Berks, five of the side being out for 152. Lee was fourth out at 133 for a chanceless innings of 70, one of the best he has ever played. He scarcely made a false stroke, and the power he got behind the ball showed how well he was timing it. It was generally remarked how

thoroughly at home he seemed and how sprightly. He met with a nasty accident towards the end of his innings, jamming the handle of the bat into his thigh as he pulled up after a sharp run. Subsequently the brothers Hartley had a joyous partnership, Ernest playing particularly well. Indeed, he seems to be in quite his old form. A total of 245 was, however, rather disappointing, and one or two of the players were a little too anxious to force the pace before they had sighted the ball properly. Berks finished up on Tuesday evening 71 in arrears of the Oxon total with three wickets in hand.

When play started on Wednesday, therefore, it seemed that a great deal would depend on the first innings lead. With none of the Oxon bowlers save Thomas getting a length, this advantage fell to Berks by 15 runs, and then when Oxford went in a second time and lost four for 92, the adjoining County were still on top.

Then followed one of the best partnerships it is possible to imagine, between one of the young school, Arnold, and Ernest Hartley. For a long time the pair were compelled to play almost entirely on the defensive, and at one time Arnold was 20 minutes in making one run. These tactics were quite understandable. A failure at this stage might have turned the game definitely in favour of Berkshire. Arnold showed how well he can defend. He would not take the slightest risk and "killed" all the good balls with his perfectly straight bat. He wore down the bowling and then, having got on top of it, he began to force the pace, so brilliantly that, while he took an hour and 35 minutes to get his first 50, his second 50 only took him 25 minutes. In scoring his third successive century this season for Oxfordshire he showed himself not merely a fine batsman, but a cricketer with an ideal temperament. No less credit is due to Ernest Hartley, but then he was already a fine cricketer when Arnold was a schoolboy, and his success, to those who remember him before the war, was no surprise. The partnership was one of 129 runs, in one and a quarter hours, and it completely turned the game.

As soon as Arnold had completed his innings Capt. Henry declared, risking defeat, as he left his opponents two and a half hours to get 250 runs, a by no means impossible task, albeit an unlikely one.

By six o'clock, however, Berks had been dismissed for 92, and Oxon had won by 157 runs. Very few on the ground were prepared for such a dramatic finale. A good many considered a draw probable. But young J. Rogers made the occasion one on which to produce a bowling feat he will remember for all time. Splendidly nursed by Capt. Henry and well supported in the field—J. Rogers and Thomas both made very fine slip catches—Rogers bowled at a great pace and with a good length. He made the ball break back a lot and hit the wickets four times. No doubt he received some assistance from the pitch, which was worn, but most of the batsmen seemed confused by his pace, which is quite above the ordinary. His full record was:

O.	M.	R.	W.
13	6	47	7

It was the best performance Oxfordshire have accomplished this season. Twice on the last day they were in danger of losing the game, and on both occasions they made brilliant recoveries, first through Arnold and E. Hartley, and then through J. Rogers. Nothing could have surpassed these two performances, or the way the team pulled out their best when they had once got on top. After all, the test of a cricket team is their capacity to rise to

the occasion, and judged on this standard Oxfordshire are, at the moment, an invincible side. One's only hope is that, if only for the sake of their enthusiastic skipper, they will keep it up.

One is glad to hear that the "gate" was an improvement, nearly 400 paying £13 9s. 10d. on the two days. But this is still discredit to the City and County.

Next Thursday the County play their final home match against Bedfordshire, and I should like to see the above record go completely by the board. I suggest that all local matches are scratched by mutual consent, and that every cricketer spends a busman's holiday on the Merton ground. When Wednesday's game was over some 100 people congregated in front of the pavilion and gave the team a hearty reception, but neither in its enthusiasm nor its extent was it half as much as they deserved. Surely Oxford should be equal to a four-figure attendance next Thursday. Let us see to it that it is so.

OXFORDSHIRE.		Second Innings.	
S C B Lee c Stokes	70	b Caryer	8
H Walker c Remnant	22	lbw b Whitecombe	27
L Rogers c and b	1	c Stokes b Whitecombe	16
J Arnold c Palmer	32	c Colgate b Woodburn	9
F Caryer	42	c Woodburn b Whitecombe	18
C Walters b Caryer	12	at Stokes b Woodburn	18
E Hartley c Colgate	42	burn	29
H Woodburn	38	not out	29
O Clayton b Woodburn	7		
R P Thomas b Caryer	8		
J Rogers not out	7		
B J Henry lbw b Caryer	12		
Extras	15		
Total	245	Total (6 wks dec.)	264

BERKSHIRE.		Total (6 wks dec.)	
D W Stokes b F Hartley	17	lbw b Thomas	4
G Sales b Thomas	10	c L Rogers b J Hon. P Remnant	15
Walters	41	b Thomas	14
M C Dempsey lbw b Walters	10	b J Rogers	7
P S Whitcombe lbw b Walters	26	b Thomas	0
W Y Woodburn b F Hartley	37	b J Rogers	1
R H Palmer c and b J Rogers	9	b J Rogers	4
M Turner c E Hartley b Walters	6	b J Rogers	11
R Colgate run out	14	c Thomas b J Rogers	29
G E Palmer	16	b J Rogers	6
Thomas	9	not out	5
Caryer not out	15	Extras	6
Extras	15		
Total	260	Total	92

BOWLING ANALYSIS.
 BERKSHIRE.—First Innings: Thomas, 16-0-26-2; Rogers (L.), 17-2-1-74-1; Hartley (F.), 16-2-56-2; Walters, 31-8-04-4; Henry, 7-0-25-0.
 Second Innings: Thomas, 12-3-23-3; J. Rogers, 13-6-47-7; F. Hartley, 3-0-11-0; Walters, 4-1-5-0.

OXFORD CITY MATCHES.

LEWENDON AND WALTERS IN FORM.

During last week the Oxford City Club played four matches. They beat Cheltenham on Wednesday, the College Servants on Thursday, and on Saturday won against Swindon and lost to the Reading Biscuit Factory. Against the United Servants, Varnals, Draper and Caldwell made most runs and Pietersen took four for 37, while for the Servants, Field and Allen set an example in batting which the other members of the team failed to follow.

The Cheltenham match produced some very fine batting by Caldwell, Brownrigg and Pietersen, which, however, was eclipsed by the deadly bowling of C. Walters, whose analysis was:

O.	M.	R.	W.
18.2	9	27	9

The other batsman was run out. Walters' bowling this season is little short of remarkable. He never fails, and in his present form could carry almost any side on his shoulders.

The match against Swindon was played on the University College ground, and was notable for a first-wicket stand of 161 by Lewendon and Clayton. Lewendon played a very fine

innings of 139 not out, a tribute not merely to his skill, but to his physical condition, as, all those who played on Saturday will agree that the day was trying. There was scarcely a mistake during a long stay and, as usual, off-driving was a feature of the innings. The innings was declared at 251 for two, and then Thomas (five for 24) and Walters (five for 54) shot Swindon out for 85.

The other City team had a splendid game on the Merton ground. Thanks to young Sam King they scored 101, and when the last Reading man came in 12 runs were required to win. Mainly owing to good hitting by Manning these were obtained and Reading won by six runs. There were two excellent bowling performances, Pickering taking eight for 33 for the City, and Caryer, the Berks County player, nine for 21 for the Factory.

OXFORD CITY.		CHELTENHAM.	
D Clayton c Smith b Field	run out	44	C J Barnett lbw b Walters
G Bradfield c Barwell b Dale	5	R Walters c Caldwell	17
W S Caldwell	5	b Walters	3
Higgins b Barnett	77	H W South c and b Walters	2
J H Brownrigg not out	53	B Bloodworth c and b Walters	0
J Pietersen not out	60	T Hitchman lbw b Walters	0
C Walters	1	W J Higgins b Walters	0
Kreyer, R E Early, R W Haines, S C Boulton and L J Heather did not bat.		A V Gregory c Brownrigg b Walters	2
Extras	11	A V Rouch lbw b Walters	6
Total (3 wks dec)	235	W L Dale run out	5
		R E Barwell b Walters	6
		J T Smith not out	4
		Extras	8
		Total	74

COLLEGE SERVANTS.		OXFORD CITY.	
W Field run out	44	R Kreyer c Guilfoyle	7
W Allen b Pietersen	40	b Field	15
E Turner b Pietersen	2	M Varnals b Guilfoyle	22
W Spindler c Heather	6	F J Draper b Parker	41
Kreyer	15	W S Caldwell not out	37
A Parker b Pietersen	3	R W Haines lbw b Field	15
J Guilfoyle b King	15	E Heather c sub b Field	0
T Allen c Kreyer b Pietersen	2	J King b Field	0
P Martin b King	10	J Brownrigg, J Pietersen, G. Bradfield, and J W Eiper did not bat.	10
C Perry b Haines	1	Extras	3
H Harris c Brownrigg b Haines	4	Total	140
P Stomard not out	0	Total (6 wks)	141
Extras	3		

OXFORD CITY.		SWINDON.	
H T Lewendon not out	139	E M Nash b Thomas	7
D E Clayton c A E Lloyd b Hoare	57	G Popple c Kyd b Walters	24
D Kyd b A E Lloyd	37	A E Lloyd lbw b Thomas	8
E J Cotton not out	37	N W Litten b Walters	5
E E Axtell, C Walters, R P Thomas, F J Draper, G W Howe, R W Haines and T G Surman did not bat.		E B Lloyd b Thomas	8
Extras	10	P Pillingier b Walters	8
Total (2 wks, dec.)	251	W Sharpe c and b Walters	12
		J Hinsley b Thomas	4
		E R Hoare b Thomas	4
		Rev. K Hoare not out	1
		R Stone c Haines b Walters	0
		Extras	7
		Total	85

OXFORD CITY.		READING BISCUIT FACTORY.	
R Taylor b Caryer	15	C R Pateman	4
N Bowell lbw b Caryer	0	Pickering c Bradfield	29
G E Bradfield b Caryer	18	R H R Palmer	0
J Brownrigg b Caryer	4	Hodgkins b Pickering	0
W I Scott c Bullock b Caryer	0	E H Palmer	12
S B King b Caryer	32	Pickering	3
H M Eade b Caryer	0	B G Shears c Brownrigg	3
F D Pickering b Caryer	4	C A Gamble c Taylor	10
J W Pincz c Payton b Gamble	0	b Pickering	10
P L Bickerton not out	17	W Brown c Bowell b Pickering	7
W Hodgkins b Caryer	1	G Bullock b Bickerton	8
Extras	1	G Manning c Eade b Pickering	24
Total	101	R G Caryer c King b Pickering	0
		A B Croom not out	6
		Extras	4
		Total	107

WALLINGFORD BEATEN.

If G. A. Wood, captain of the Wallingford team, had batted earlier, a different complexion might have been put upon the match against the Royal Berks Regiment at Wallingford on Saturday. He chose to go in at the fall of the fifth wicket, and as no-one was able to make any stand with him (the last five wickets only produced 17 runs), the visitors won by 20 runs. Gore, for the soldiers, had the best bowling average, taking six wickets for 19 runs, J. Franklin coming next with five for 37. 13c

ROYAL BERKS REGT.		WALLINGFORD.	
M Wilder b Wood	37	D Buswell c Hillard	45
H Gore b Franklin	5	b Gore	1
A Stroud c Paxman	6	F N Paxman b Gore	7
b Franklin	6	T M C Hunt b Gore	1
R J Davies c Gray b Villiers	6	Conn. Villiers c Hall	10
L H S Hill b Hunt	8	b Stroud	2
Capt. H. Hillard	27	N Clarke b Stroud	21
Franklin	27	G A Wood not out	21
P Barrington lbw b Franklin	3	R G Gray c Carr b Wilder	0
E Nicholls b Franklin	0	C Holloway b Gore	0
H Barford not out	24	P Giles lbw b Wilder	9
T Gaston c Clarke b Villiers	16	G Holloway c Hall b Gore	1
F Carr c E Holloway b Villiers	4	J Franklin by Gore	0
Extras	3	Extras	20
Total	130	Total	119

A KEEN VILLAGE SIDE.

One of the keenest of our village sides is Tiddington, who accomplished quite a good performance on Saturday by defeating the Depot at Cowley by five runs. Surman hit a six, seven fours and five twos in his 52, and with the ball Brazell took six for 39. Grant played another good innings for the Depot, for whom Pte. Walsh took five for 39 and Capt. Siggars two for 12. There were eight fours in Grant's 50. Only a few weeks ago Tiddington came in to Oxford at their own request to play the City, and I hope next season other Oxford clubs will be prepared to give them games. Such enthusiasm should be encouraged.

TIDDINGTON.		DEPOT O.B.L.I.	
H F Maule c Grant	9	Sgt. Ponting lbw b Brazell	7
b Walsh	0	R Syne c G H Maule	0
A Simmons b Walsh	0	b Brazell	50
R E Steele b Walsh	18	b Grant b Brazell	0
P Cherry b Siggars	18	Pte Jackson b Surman	0
G H Maule b Ponting	8	Pte Walsh b Surman	22
W Couling lbw b Ponting	4	Capt Siggars b Brazell	15
W Surman b Walsh	52	Pte Wenman b Brazell	0
L Sell c Welsh b Jackson	8	A Theobalds b Couling	1
J H Maule b Walsh	8	Sgt. May b Couling	20
S Heley c Theobalds b Siggars	3	Bugler Jeffereys lbw b Brazell	1
F Brazell not out	6	Pte Wingfield not out	17
Extras	10	Extras	1
Total	124	Total	115

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**OXFORDSHIRE'S SIXTH WIN.
FINE ALL-ROUND CRICKET.**

Oxfordshire won their sixth successive victory in the Minor Counties Championship, on the Merton College ground, on Friday, when they beat Bedfordshire by an innings and 92 runs. The cricket was very much on the same lines as that which has brought Oxfordshire such remarkable success this season—consistently good batting, general excellence in the field, and finally, when victory outright seemed doubtful owing to the threatening weather a dramatic match-winning spell by the bowlers.

In regard to the Oxfordshire batting, Lee and H. Walker once more gave the County a fine start and both were at their best. Walker painstaking and careful and Lee on the look out for runs, so that the rate of scoring should not drag too much. Len Rogers came in to keep the score moving freely, and though Arnold unluckily lost his wicket, the brothers Hartley again had a long partnership, with the result that there was a satisfactory total of 321 runs, made, be it remembered, on a far from perfect pitch. At the close of the first day's play Bedfordshire were in a hopeless position, but going in again they had nearly 70 up with only one batsman out, and at this stage—3 o'clock—they seemed likely to save the game, even if the rain did not come down. Then, as I have said, came one of those dramatic turns to which we have become accustomed while watching our County side. Joe Rogers got two wickets in succession, two more batsmen were caught off F. Hartley, and then, when these two bowlers had done their bit, Thomas and Walters came on to finish off the match in summary fashion.

Mr. Harry Turner, the first secretary of the County side, tells me that the record of playing and winning outright of six matches is in excess of any performance Oxfordshire have accomplished. In the second or third year of their existence, when they had Hubert Bassett, T. B. Case, F. Deane, R. O. Schwarz, "Brusher" and Peter Rogers, Fred Arnold, and other fine players of that period, the County won most of their matches, and he regards this as Oxfordshire's vintage period. But the present generation are proving themselves worthy successors, and a challenge match between Oxfordshire and Surrey II, is apparently more than a probability.

OXFORDSHIRE First Innings.		Second Innings.	
H. Walker c C. Eaw- lins b Warboys .. 70	F. Hartley run out .. 50	R. P. Thomas b C. W. Walters .. 27	O. Claydon b Wise .. 2
S. C. B. Lee c Raw- lins b Warboys .. 44	J. Rogers not out .. 4	J. Rogers not out .. 2	B. J. Henry c Wil- lams b C. W. Raw- lins .. 2
L. Rogers c Wise b C. W. Rawlins .. 32	B. J. Henry c Wil- lams b C. W. Raw- lins .. 2	Extras .. 15	Extras .. 15
J. Arnold run out .. 12	Extras .. 15	Extras .. 15	Extras .. 15
F. Hartley lbw b C. W. Rawlins .. 14	Extras .. 15	Extras .. 15	Extras .. 15
C. Walters c Warboys W. Rawlins .. 40	Extras .. 15	Extras .. 15	Extras .. 15
Total .. 321		Total .. 114	

BEDFORDSHIRE First Innings.		Second Innings.	
R. Rawlins b J. Rogers .. 10	b J. Rogers .. 40	b J. Rogers .. 0	c Lee b Walters .. 16
W. A. Sims c E. Hart- ley b Thomas .. 2	b J. Rogers .. 0	c Lee b Walters .. 16	b J. Rogers .. 5
Holdstock run out .. 0	c Lee b Walters .. 16	b J. Rogers .. 0	c Lee b Walters .. 16
A. R. Alston b J. Rogers .. 17	c Claydon b J. Rogers .. 5	c Lee b Walters .. 16	c Lee b Walters .. 16
J. G. Cook lbw b Wal- ters .. 14	c Henry b J. Rogers .. 11	c Lee b Walters .. 16	c Lee b Walters .. 16
R. G. Wise b F. Hart- ley .. 4	c Arnold b F. Hartley .. 10	c Lee b Walters .. 16	c Lee b Walters .. 16
C. H. Williams b Wal- ters .. 5	b Walters .. 5	c Lee b Walters .. 16	c Lee b Walters .. 16
C. W. Rawlins c Clay- don b F. Hartley .. 5	c Walters b F. Hartley .. 0	c Lee b Walters .. 16	c Lee b Walters .. 16
L. F. Wheeler c L. Rogers b Thomas .. 8	lbw b Thomas .. 6	c Lee b Walters .. 16	c Lee b Walters .. 16
A. J. Warboys not out .. 36	b Thomas .. 9	c Lee b Walters .. 16	c Lee b Walters .. 16
E. Paas c Thomas b Walters .. 1	not out .. 4	c Lee b Walters .. 16	c Lee b Walters .. 16
Extras .. 4	Extras .. 8	c Lee b Walters .. 16	c Lee b Walters .. 16
Extras .. 4	Extras .. 8	c Lee b Walters .. 16	c Lee b Walters .. 16
Total .. 115	Total .. 114	c Lee b Walters .. 16	c Lee b Walters .. 16

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

BEDS.—First Innings: Thomas, 8-1-23-2; F. Hartley 11-1-26-2; Rogers (J.), 12-5-16-2; Walters, 17-7-29-3; Henry, 4-0-21-0.
Second Innings: F. Hartley, 11-2-27-2; Thomas 12-3-23-1; J. Rogers, 10-4-18-4; Walters, 12-5-6-22-2; Lee, 5-0-16-0.

WIN NUMBER SEVEN.

THE TWO ROGERS IN FORM.

BEDS BEATEN BY TEN WICKETS.

Journeying to Bedford on August Bank Holiday, the County commenced their return fixture against Bedfordshire. There had been some uncertainty about Frank Hartley playing, but Capt. Henry was determined to leave no stone unturned to get him, and when he sets out to do a thing he generally does it.

Once again the Oxfordshire skipper won the toss and for once Walker failed. Some brilliant hitting by Len Rogers and a fine partnership between Arnold and Walters enabled the County to put together the respectable total of 295. There is no finer hitter than Rogers when he has once settled down, and he not only knocked the bowlers completely off their length, but made it comparatively easy for those who followed him. Three times he sent the ball out of the ground, and four after four came from his bat. It is difficult to set a field to a batsman of this description and, for the bowler, to keep any sort of length. It is impossible to over-estimate the value of the innings, and it only remains to commiserate with Rogers on missing his century by six runs. Arnold and Walters carried on with more regard to style and less desire to keep up the terrific rate of scoring. Both in their own way played faultlessly, while Ernest Hartley's 24 cannot be over-praised, at the late batsmen failed. I am glad Walters made runs and got them as if he was back to his best form. Bedfordshire fared badly in the play that remained on Monday and lost seven wickets for 79. They were all out on Tuesday for 95, and it will be noticed that Joe Rogers took nine wickets. This is a great achievement for a young player, and his performance recalls the deeds of his two great-uncles, Peter and "Brusher." The fact that one is able to compare him with these old cricketers, though his style is dissimilar, is a great tribute. In the match Rogers took 14 wickets, and he was splendidly supported in the F. M. Claydon, Henry and Walters each making fine catches. Bedfordshire did better at their second attempt, but thanks to Rogers' bowling they had dropped so far in arrears that they had little chance of saving the game. Oxfordshire had to go in again to get 43 runs, which Walker and Len Rogers quickly knocked off.

So Oxfordshire were enabled to win their seventh match off the reel, an outstanding performance in Minor County cricket. In 1925 Northumberland won seven of their eight matches, drew one and finished with 100 per cent. It will be up to Oxfordshire on Monday and Tuesday next at Cambridge to surpass this record, which, in their present form, they are quite capable of doing. Everyone hopes they will finish up with a clean sheet, and so carry off, for the first time in their career, the championship. In that case their challengers will probably be Surrey II, and the match will be played either at the Oval or Oxford. Whether Oxford will give the necessary support to such a match seems doubtful, the "gates" throughout the season having been most disappointing and a reflection on the keenness of Oxford sportsmen. They must not, therefore, complain if it is decided to play at the Oval. There are enthusiasts, however, who would be disappointed if the Oval was the venue, and I have no doubt Capt. Henry will do his best to obtain a ground here and give Oxford the opportunity to prove that the charge of apathy brought against her general band of supporters is unwarranted.

It may be too early to sum up the reason for the gratifying success of the County. I should place in the foreground the splendid work of the skipper, in captaining the side and keeping them together. Then there is the almost unique fact that the same team have been able to play in every match, which obviously is a tremendous asset. In addition to this, the side have in J. Rogers a really fast bowler and such fine all-round cricketers as S. C. B. Lee, C. Walters, F. Hartley, R. P. Thomas and J. Arnold. Comparisons are odious, but I doubt if Oxfordshire have had such a strong side as this 1929 team, at least for many years.

The scores of the Bedfordshire game were:

OXFORDSHIRE.		BEDFORDSHIRE.	
First Innings.		Second Innings.	
H. Walker b C. W. Rawlins .. 13	not out .. 22	E. D. Dines c Henry b J. Rogers .. 15	c Claydon b J. Rogers .. 26
S. C. B. Lee b Ward .. 13	not out .. 22	F. Rawlins c Henry b J. Rogers .. 5	b F. Hartley .. 42
L. Rogers b Faulkner .. 04	not out .. 22	J. N. Holler b J. Rogers .. 0	c Henry b J. Rogers .. 0
J. Arnold b C. W. Rawlins .. 65	not out .. 22	H. Faulkner c Walters b J. Rogers .. 22	b Walters .. 1
C. Walters c Alston b C. W. Rawlins .. 53	not out .. 22	A. R. Alston c Walters b J. Rogers .. 14	c Thomas b F. Hartley .. 0
E. Hartley lbw b Ward .. 24	not out .. 22	Holdstock b Thomas .. 6	c J. Rogers b Walters .. 88
F. Hartley b Ward .. 7	not out .. 22	P. G. Wise b Rogers .. 0	c Thomas b F. Hartley .. 6
R. P. Thomas c Hold- stock b F. Rawlins .. 11	not out .. 22	W. Sims not out .. 0	c Henry b J. Rogers .. 43
R. P. Thomas c Hold- stock b F. Rawlins .. 11	not out .. 22	R. P. Ward b J. Rogers .. 0	c Henry b J. Rogers .. 19
B. Rawlins .. 10	not out .. 22	C. W. Rawlins c O. Claydon b J. Rogers .. 8	c Thomas b J. Rogers .. 0
J. Rogers b S. Rawlins .. 10	not out .. 22	E. Paas c Claydon b J. Rogers .. 1	b J. Rogers .. 0
O. Claydon not out .. 0	not out .. 22	Extras .. 16	Extras .. 26
Extras .. 11	Extras .. 1	Extras .. 16	Extras .. 26
Total .. 295	Total (no wkt) 45	Total .. 96	Total .. 243

The Oxfordshire record to-date is:
Monmouth (away). Won by seven wickets.
Monmouth (home). Won by 170 runs.
Berkshire (away). Won by ten wickets.
Cambridgeshire (home). Won by innings and 90 runs.
Berkshire (home). Won by 157 runs.
Bedfordshire (home). Won by innings and 92 runs.
Bedfordshire (away). Won by ten wickets.

The averages to date are:

Player	Inns.	Runs.	Times		
			Inns. out.	Avg.	
J. Arnold ..	9	405	105	1	50.6
H. Walker ..	10	379	107	2	47.8
F. Hartley ..	10	256	64	3	36.5
L. Rogers ..	9	268	91	1	33.5
E. Hartley ..	0	240	63	0	24.0
C. Walters ..	0	211	61	0	23.7
S. C. B. Lee ..	11	206	70	1	23.9
R. P. Thomas ..	8	181	35	0	22.6
J. Rogers ..	7	64	22	4	21.3
O. Claydon ..	8	103	51	2	17.2
B. J. Henry ..	8	39	27	1	5.5

Also batted: The Rev. W. S. Caldwell, A. G. Best and E. Cotton.

In bowling J. Rogers has taken 41 wickets, C. Walters 36, F. Hartley 29, R. P. Thomas 23, B. J. Henry seven and S. C. B. Lee one.

CRICKET.

FIXTURES.

(On the ground of first-named.)

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 Oxford Downs v. Summertown.
 Clarendon Press v. Wolvercote.
 Wallingford v. Ivanhoe (11 o'clock).
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 Depot O.B.L.L. v. Woodstock.
 Blenheim v. Kidlington.
 Dale, Forty and Co. v. Witney Old Grammarians.
 Aylesbury v. Thame.
 County Council Staff v. R.A.O.C. (Didcot).
 Littlemore Hospital v. Tiddington.
 Heyford v. Banbury II.
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 Elsheld v. Wytham.
 Radley v. Sandford-on-Thames.
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 Cooper and Stevens v. Boar's Hill.
 Islip v. Stanton St. John.
 Brera and Lyneham v. Field.
 Cumnor II. v. Hors-path II.
 Stadthampton v. Great Haseley.
 The Warneford v. Holton Avoary.
 Milton R.A.F. v. Stratton St. Margaret.
 Abingdon Imperials v. Appleton.
 Forest Hill v. Morris Motors Export.
 Benson v. Warborough.
 Bannton v. Swindon Victoria.
 Chalgrave v. Cuxham.
 Cothill v. Marcham.

OXFORD LEAGUE—DIV. I.

Cowley St. John v. South Oxford.
 Summertown v. Morris Motors.
 Witney Swifts v. College Servants.
 Y.M.C.A. v. Church Army Press.

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Appleton v. Cumnor.
 Kidlington v. Osberton Works.
 South Oxford v. Y.M.C.A.
 Morris Garages v. Hampton.
 Hors-path v. College Servants.
 Church Army Press v. Cowley.

ABBAY CUP—SEMI-FINALS.

City Police v. Cowley St. John II.
 College Servants v. Headington.

TELEGRAPH CUP—SEMI-FINALS.

Cowley v. Church Army Press.
 Titup v. Wolvercote.

WITNEY LEAGUE—DIV. I.

Leafield v. Charlbury.
 Cassington v. Stonesfield.
 Eynsham v. Combe.

WITNEY LEAGUE—DIV. II.

Combe v. Woodton.
 Woodstock v. Sutton.
 Charlbury v. Leafield.
 Cokethorpe v. Heley.

WYFOLD LEAGUE—DIV. I.

Garsington v. Ballou.
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EYNSHAM INSTITUTE CUP.

Eynsham Hall Park v. Titup.
 VALENTIA LEAGUE.
 Upper Heyford v. Middle Barton.

MONDAY AND TUESDAY.

MINOR COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP.
 Cambridgeshire v. Oxfordshire, at Cambridge.

TUESDAY.

Morris Motors v. Banbury.
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 Wallingford v. United College Servants.
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TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY.

South Oxford v. County Council Staff (evenings).
 THURSDAY.
 North Oxford v. Old Oxford Citizens.
 Oxford Booksellers v. United College Servants II.
 United College Servants v. Cowley St. John.
 South Oxford v. Headington.
 Summertown v. Kidlington.
 Bleicester v. Waddesdon.
 City Police v. Woodstock.
 Elvaston v. Thame.
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PERCY MILLS AND OXFORD CITY.

Percy Mills, the Gloucestershire professional, now coach at Radley College, has joined the Oxford City Club, and in his first match for them last Thursday, against the Beaumont Pilgrims, on the Worcester College ground, he had a big hand in the victory. Towards the City total of 191 for eight declared he was third highest scorer with 34, Clayton heading the batting honours with 49, and Jack King coming second with 38 not out. Then when the Pilgrims' turn came Mills proved nearly unplayable, his analysis being 16.1 overs, 3 maidens, 35 runs, 7 wickets. Mills may not play very regularly for the City, as no doubt Gloucestershire will want him again. When he can the club will only be too pleased to avail themselves of his services and always-cheerful presence.

OXFORD CITY.		BEAUMONT PILGRIMS	
D. E. Clayton	b De Lisle	G. Clifford	b Haynes
J. Lisle	c Finlow	J. A. De Lisle	c Bradfield
F. J. Draper	c sub	J. field	b Mills
G. E. Bradfield	c sub	G. Finlow	b Mills
b Wetherall		H. Hewitt	c Clayton
H. Bennett	b Wetherall	b King	
0 Ellison	b Mills	0	
P. Mills	c De Lisle	Burden	c and b Mills
Wetherall		C. Russell	c Bradfield
R. Kreyer	c R. Russell	R. Wetherall	c Kreyer
sell b Finlow		R. Wetherall	c Kreyer
P. L. Bickerton	c De Lisle	b Mills	
L. King	b Hewitt	3 Brodie Fowle	not out
F. J. Pieterse	c De Lisle	0	
L. King	not out	28	
F. J. Pieterse	c De Lisle	0	
R. W. Haynes	not out	10	
Extras	24	Extras	8
Total (8 wks dec)	161	Total	66

OXFORD CITY C.C. TOUR.

The annual tour of the Oxford City Cricket Club takes place from 17th August to the 24th. The party leave the Morton ground on Sunday, the 18th, and their programme is as follows:

- Aug. 18—Calford, at Calford.
- .. 19 and 20—Sir J. Power's XI, at Lynton.
- .. 22—Ventnor, at Ventnor.
- .. 23—United Services, at Portsmouth.

Their headquarters are the Angel Hotel, Calford, and the Grand Hotel, Portsmouth. This will be the sixth annual tour, and the tourists hope to keep up their exceptional record of never having been beaten. Mr. H. T. Lewendon, 65, St. Mary's-road, the organiser, will be in charge, and besides the cricket matches, he is arranging entertainments and other attractions. The party return on the 25th.

MIDDLE BARTON v. OXFORD GASWORKS.

This annual match was played at arton on Bank Holiday. At the end of the first innings the home side led by eight runs. Going in again the Gasworks made 59, Longford contributing 22 and Grain 16. Barton hit off the runs for eight wickets and finally made 92 (A. Stevens 30, F. Stevens 15, A. Prince 11). Longford, of the Gasworks, took eight for 12.

OXFORD GASWORKS.		MIDDLE BARTON.	
W. Surman	b Prince	J. Stewart	b Longford
Jones	b Prince	2	
G. Longford	c Benfield	A. Benfield	c and b
P. Prince		6	
P. Grain	b Prince	5	
Gray	run out	2	
Ward	c H. Stevens	0	
Stewart		1	
Griffith	b Stewart	0	
Wood	lb b Prince	0	
Maddin	st F. Stevens	0	
Chorley	not out	0	
Harling	b Stewart	0	
Extras	1	Extras	2
Total	24	Total	32

FARINGDON AND DISTRICT v. MR. G. S. L. WHITELAW'S XI.

Despite the unfavourable conditions this match was played to a finish last Saturday. G. Adams, a nephew of Faringdon's captain, home from school—Wellingborough—showed promising form with the bat for Faringdon, and Barton also showed up well.

MR. WHITELAW'S XI.		FARINGDON.	
A. Cottrell	c Knibbs	A. V. Arkell	b Sansum
b Ricketts		0	
R. Riley	run out	0	
M. Gauntlett	c Adams	0	
b Ricketts		8	
Capt. Waddington	b	23	
G. S. L. Whitelaw	c	9	
G. Sansum	b Ricketts	14	
8 Peel Yates	c Gauntlett	8	
lett b Ricketts		4	
J. Turner	b Gauntlett	18	
H. Moors	b Ricketts	0	
F. H. Moors	b Gauntlett	0	
lett		2	
A. Webb	not out	2	
Extras	8	Extras	14
Total	94	Total (1 wkt)	97

ANOTHER WIN FOR TIDDINGTON.

Tiddington had their usual whole-day match against Stadthampton on Bank Holiday and won on the first innings by 117 runs, while going in a second time the visitors, with only three wickets in hand, just failed to wipe off the arrears. Bowling unchanged, the brothers Slater dismissed Stadthampton for 38. A Slater taking eight for 21 and "W." three for 15. Tiddington looked like doing almost as badly, till the tail-enders came in, and as each scored freely the captain was able to declare at 155 for nine. Two of the Maules got into the twenties, but were eclipsed by Steele, who carried his bat for a vigorous 41. Going in a second time Stadthampton lost seven for 116.

STADHAMPTON.		TIDDINGTON.	
V. Lawrence	c Brazell	H. F. Maule	lb b
b A. Slater		6	
T. Wood	lb b A. Slater	0	
R. E. T. Wood	b A. Slater	0	
A. Slater		13	
G. Baker	b W. Slater	7	
V. Wood	b A. Slater	0	
A. Cherry	c and b W. Slater	0	
W. Wood		0	
H. Slater	c Brazell	0	
F. Ingram	b A. Slater	7	
J. Danbridge	b W. Slater	3	
Slater		0	
H. Cox	c Surman	0	
A. Slater		0	
C. Smith	b A. Slater	0	
G. Nichols	not out	0	
Extras	2	Extras	2
Total	38	Total (9 wks dec)	155

OXFORD LEAGUE—DIVISION I.

Rain sadly interfered with the League programme on Saturday, and some of the clubs are wondering how they are to get in their remaining matches, particularly those who are interested both in the League and the Cup. In one or two cases it looks as if mid-week games will be necessary, unless the League consent to extend the time by which the divisional finals should be completed. While the fine weather lasted there was naturally no thought given to the future, but in our short season it is surprising how one wet Saturday can upset matters and cause both the League officials and club secretaries some concern. The clubs, however, can help a great deal in such circumstances by mutually agreeing on the date of a re-fixed match.

OXFORD LEAGUE—DIVISION II.

Despite the rain Cowley and the Church Army Press second teams completed their fixture on the Trinity

ground. There were two outstanding batting successes, Jones carrying his bat for Cowley and S. Windscheffel making 34 out of 65 for the Church Army, while with the ball R. Gurden distinguished himself by taking seven for 23 and J. Johnson performed the "hat-trick" for Cowley. The Church Army won a low-scoring game by four wickets.

COWLEY II.		CHURCH ARMY PRESS II.	
R Stroud b R Gurden	11	L Windscheffel	b 2
P Hickman b Keene	3	Hodskins c Merritt	7
H Merritt run out	5	W Levitt c Merritt	7
H Barrett b R Gurden	2	b Hodskins	7
W Wallen b R Gurden	0	S Windscheffel	b 34
H Jones not out	21	A Keene run out	5
S King b R Gurden	4	R Gurden c Barrett	8
G W Butler c L Windscheffel	4	b Hodskins	8
Windscheffel b R Gurden	4	M Gurden not out	0
R O Hickman c R Gurden	0	J Goodley b Johnson	0
Gurden b Keene	0	W Thornton c and b Johnson	0
J Johnson b R Gurden	0	J Beesley not out	0
W Hodskins lbw b H Gibson	5	H Merritt did not bat	2
R Gurden	5	Extras	2
E Extras	0		
Total	64	Total (6 wkts)	65

The following are the positions of the clubs to date:-

SECTION "A."					
Club	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Oxberton Works	5	4	1	0	8
Cumner	5	3	2	0	6
Kiddlington	5	2	3	0	4
Appleton	5	1	4	0	2
SECTION "B."					
Club	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Combe	4	4	0	0	8
Summertown	3	1	2	0	2
Wolvercote	3	0	3	0	0
SECTION "C."					
Club	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Eynsham	3	3	0	0	6
South Oxford	3	2	1	0	4
Clarendon Press	2	1	3	0	0
Y.M.C.A.	2	0	2	0	0
SECTION "D."					
Club	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Headington	4	4	0	0	8
Horspath	4	3	1	0	6
Morris Garages	3	0	3	0	0
College Servants	4	0	4	0	0
SECTION "E."					
Club	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Church Army Press	3	3	0	0	6
Cowley	2	1	1	0	2
Wheatley	3	0	3	0	0
SECTION "F."					
Club	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Cowley St. John	4	3	0	1	7
Titup	3	1	1	1	3
Elfield	3	1	2	0	2
Morris Motors	4	0	4	0	0

AIREY CUP—SEMI-FINALS.

The semi-finals for the Airey Cup will be played to-morrow. Apart from the fact that it is notoriously unwise to prophesy a cricket result, the teams are so evenly matched that both games may be considered open. On the University ground the City Police are opposed to Cowley St. John. In the two previous rounds the Police have scraped home by the skin of their teeth, and Cowley St. John have had two comparatively easy victories. On paper the latter are the stronger side, as the Police, as in former years, depend too much on a few players. Still, should these come off, as Cox has done in the previous rounds, Cowley St. John will be given a hard fight. There is plenty of bowling and batting in the Cowley St. John team, and they are led by a captain who, cheery himself, gets the best out of his men. The other semi-final, between the College Servants and Headington, on the Running Ground, brings together two well-matched elevens. The Servants had a walk-over in the first round and then beat the Clarendon Press, while Headington were successful over Summertown and the Church Army Press. Headington have won the cup twice in the last three years, and the Servants won it in 1927. Both have good players barred through the two-medal rule. There should be very little in it, but the Servants should be stronger in bowling, and I always regard two stock bowlers—such, for example, as Field and Guifoyle—as an invaluable asset. We ought to see two good games.

WYFOLD LEAGUE—DIVISION I.

SANDFORD v. BALDON.

Despite the unfavourable weather these teams met at Baldon, when the visitors won on the first innings by 15 runs. C. Stone took eight wickets for 19 and made 14 runs for the winners, and for Baldon Harold Aldworth took seven wickets. In a second innings Baldon declared at 71 for six and Sandford lost two wickets for 33. Score:

BALDON.		SANDFORD.	
W Preston c and b	5	H Nash b H Ald-	0
C Stone	5	worth	0
T Preston run out	5	J Fox c T Preston b	0
J Druce not out	0	W Preston	0
H Aldworth, jun c	4	F Kerrod run out	4
Middleton b C	0	A Stone b H Ald-	0
Stone	0	worth	0
J Greenaway b C	13	F Smith b W Preston	17
Stone	13	C Stone b H Ald-	14
H Aldworth, sen b	9	worth	14
C Stone	9	H Payne b H Ald-	0
T Nicholls b C Stone	1	worth	0
E Bargas b Kerrod	6	H Smith b H Ald-	6
J Clinkard b C Stone	0	worth	0
J Rnigas b C Stone	0	F Middleton b H Ald-	4
J Aldworth b C Stone	0	worth	4
		G Taylor b H Ald-	3
		worth	3
		R Gibbons not out	4
		Extras	8
Extras	1		
Total	47	Total	62

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CRICKET.

FIXTURES.

(On ground of first-named club.)

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Morris Motors v. Chipping Norton.
Banbury v. Aylesbury.
Shipton-under-Wychwood v. Oxford Downs.
Summertown v. Church Army Press.
Stadhampton v. Summertown II.
Buckingham v. Bicester.
Stanton St. John v. Depot O.B.L.I.
Boar's Hill v. Kidlington.
Witney Old Grammarians v. Heyford R.A.F.
Kingham v. Milton-under-Wychwood.
County Council Staff v. Banpton.
Black and Decker v. Pressed Steel.
Littlemore Hospital v. Islip.
Blenheim v. Kidlington.
Shell Mex v. Oslington Works.
Clarendon Press II v. Morris Export (Jordan Hill).
Boddington v. Banbury II.
North Oxford II v. Oxford Exiles.
Bicester II v. Crendon.
Headington II v. Nuneham.
Kidlington II v. Middle Barton.
Dorchester v. Wallington.
Handborough v. Sandford-on-Thames.
Sandford II v. Sunningwell.
The Warneford v. Titup II.
Cooper and Stevens v. Sutton.
R.A.F. Bicester v. Kirtlington.
Kirtlington II v. Woodstock Clothiers.
Briern v. Kingham Hill.
Forest Hill v. Stadhampton II.
Holton Aviary v. Ickford.
Milton R.A.F. v. Swindon St. John.
Rutton v. Abingdon Imps.
Warnborough v. Ewelme.
Chilton v. Tiddington.
Abingdon Pavlova v. Harwell.
Benson v. Dorchester Missionary College.
Littlemore v. Islip.
Cuxham v. Chalgrove.
Wolvercote v. Chinnor.
Cumnor II v. Wolvercote II.
Eyfield v. Cotchill.

OXFORD LEAGUE—DIV. I.
South Oxford v. Witney Mills.
Cowley St. John v. Clarendon Press.
Cowley v. Witney Swifts.

OXFORD LEAGUE—DIV. II.
Clarendon Press v. Eynsham.
Y.M.C.A. v. South Oxford.
College Servants v. Morris Garages.
Wheatley v. Cowley.
Morris Motors v. Elfield.
Titup v. Cowley St. John.

WITNEY LEAGUE—DIV. I.
Charlbury v. Chadlington.
Leahfield v. Ascott.
Combe v. Cassington.

WITNEY LEAGUE—DIV. II.
Chadlington v. Charlbury.
Milton v. Shipton.
Handborough v. Halley.

VALENTIA LEAGUE.
Kidlington v. Tackley.

WYFOLD LEAGUE—DIV. II.
Horspath II v. Littlemore.

MONDAY AND TUESDAY.
Sir John Power's XI. v. Oxford City (at Lymlington).

TUESDAY.
R.A.F. Bicester v. Banbury.

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY.
County Council Staff v. Oxford Exiles (evenings).

THURSDAY.
Ventnor v. Oxford City.
Kidlington v. North Oxford.
Elvaston v. South Oxford.
Bicester v. Summertown.
Oxford City Police v. Swindon Police.
Y.M.C.A. v. Headington.
Thame v. Aylesbury.
Post Office v. Booksellers.

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MINOR COUNTIES' CHAMPIONSHIP.

COUNTY'S LAST MATCH DRAWN.

It is many years since the County C.C. has finished up in such a strong position as it has this year. Seven matches were won straight off the reel, and the last, with Cambridgeshire, was drawn, with Oxon taking the points for a first-innings lead. And so out of a possible 40 points the County has secured 38, and there is a possibility that they will finish up champions, although it is not definitely known, as other minor counties are still playing matches. The question of a challenge match has not yet arisen, but if the County receive one Capt. Henry will doubtless accept it.

The key to the County's success has undoubtedly been the fine generalship of Capt. Henry, and the fact that the County has been represented by practically the same eleven all through the season who have backed their captain up to the utmost.

Cambridgeshire fielded a stronger side for the return game at St. John's ground Cambridge, on Monday and Tuesday. Oxon made two changes in the side that so decisively won at Oxford, Haines and Clayton coming into the side for J. Rogers and Clayton.

Oxon won the toss and batted first on a good wicket.

Fussum took Lee's off-stump after half-an-hour's play, during which time he had contributed nine of a total of 29.

Walker completed his half-century in an hour and 20 minutes, while Rogers, who had come in half an hour later, secured his after 50 minutes, but immediately afterwards was bowled by Smith.

E. Hartley fell a victim to Wilkinson, who took his wicket with a leg-break. Walker secured his century after two hours and 35 minutes' batting, and at the same time sent 200 up on the board.

Seventeen runs later, however, Smith clean bowled him with a well-pitched ball. The innings closed at 257, which had taken Oxfordshire three hours 40 minutes to obtain.

Cambridgeshire did not make any too good a start, Harp being caught by Clayton off Frank Hartley's bowling for seven. Wilkinson also left early, but Covill and Rigeon defied Oxon's attack for a considerable time. Walters got Covill after he had scored 25, but Rigeon went on to make his 50, but nine runs later was clean bowled by Walters. When stumps were drawn Taylor and Fussum were associated.

Taylor and Fussum, the overnight not-outs, carried the total to 162 before Fussum skied a ball from Walters for Rogers to make a brilliant catch in the deep. Taylor left at 163, while nine runs later Parfitt was clean bowled by Walters.

Malt followed but did not score, Walters getting his middle stump, and Cambridgeshire were all out for 200.

Fussum again got Lee's wicket in Oxfordshire's second innings with a ball which broke in quickly from the off, after the batsman had scored only 12 runs.

Rogers batted well and scored 37, which included one six and three fours, before Fussum bowled him off his pads.

The game had been in progress nearly 20 minutes after lunch when Frank Hartley was clean bowled.

Uninteresting cricket followed and the 100 was raised after one hour and 35 minutes.

Charlie Walters contributed an invaluable 55, and found a good partner in Harry Walker, and Capt. Henry declared at 200 for seven, leaving Cambridge 258 to get to win.

Harp again failed, being bowled by Walters for seven, and Wilkinson and the two Covills also left early. Rigeon followed up his previous good innings by scoring a splendid century, and he was undefeated when stumps were drawn and the match declared a draw. Cambridge had then got 192 for the loss of only four wickets.

OXFORDSHIRE.	
H. Walker b Smith	117
S. C. B. Lee b Fussum	9
L. Rogers b Smith	50
J. Arnold c Cockell b Fussum	3
C. Walters lbw b Smith	4
E. Hartley b Wilkinson	25
F. Hartley b Fussum	3
E. Clayton b Smith	2
R. P. Thomas b Smith	3
B. J. Henry not out	3
R. W. Haine lbw b Fussum	8
Extras	8
Total	257

Second Innings.	
S. C. B. Lee b Fussum	12
L. Rogers b Fussum	37
J. Arnold lbw b Covill	10
C. Walters c Rigeon b Wilkinson	55
E. Hartley b Covill	8
H. Walker c Harp b Smith	51
F. Hartley not out	13
R. Thomas b Rigeon	1
Clayton not out	0
Extras	13
Total (7 wickets dec.)	200

CAMBRIDGESHIRE.	
H. P. Harp c Latham b F. Hartley	7
F. W. Wilkinson lbw b Thomas	1
R. J. Covill b Walters	25
F. Rigeon b Walters	55
V. J. Covill b Henry	12
H. W. Taylor b Henry	24
E. T. Fussum c Rogers b Walters	24
C. J. Smith c Arnold b Thomas	20
G. W. Parfitt b Walters	0
D. F. Malt b Walters	0
W. H. Cockell not out	1
Extras	14
Total	200

Second Innings.	
H. P. Harp b Walters	7
F. W. Wilkinson b F. Hartley	5
V. J. Covill b Henry	5
J. Covill c Clayton b Walters	28
F. Rigeon not out	102
H. W. Turner not out	40
Extras	5
Total (4 wickets)	192

OXFORD CITY C.C. TOUR.

The Oxford City C.C. annual tour takes place from 17 August to the 24th. The party leave the Merton ground on Sunday and go to Caiford, where they play the first match of the series against Caiford C.C.

The programme includes:

Aug. 19 and 20—Sir J. Power's XI., at Lynton.

Aug. 22—Ventnor, at Ventnor.

Aug. 23—United Services, at Portsmouth.

This will be the sixth annual tour and the tourists hope to keep up their good record of never having been beaten. Mr. H. T. Lewendon, 65, St. Mary's Road, is in charge of the party, which will return on the 25th.

OXFORD CITY CRICKET.

Oxford City enjoyed some good cricket last week. On Wednesday bowlers were in the ascendancy in the match with Monks Risborough, and in reply to the City's small total of 81 Monks Risborough hit up 96. Walters for the City and North for Monks Risborough were the most effective bowlers.

In the match with Lechlade the City were having the better of the deal. Thanks to good batting by Walters and J. King the City were able to declare with their score at 174 for nine. Walters followed up his batting by taking five wickets for 65, and eight Lechlade wickets had fallen for 129 when stumps were drawn.

A drawn game was that at Banbury on Saturday. The visitors compiled 162 for six, E. T. Clark being the chief contributor with 50 not out. The City lost three wickets for 88 when the game was stopped.

The City were much too good for the R.A.S.C. (Aldershot), who were sent back to the pavilion for 57, Walters Haynes and Mills being the destructive City bowlers. The earlier City batsmen failed, but Walters and Draper nullified the game round in favour of the City. A feature of this game was the fine wicket-keeping of that veteran J. W. Piper.

OXFORD CITY.		MONKS RISBOROUGH.	
H. T. Lewendon c and	27	N. Calman c Black-	1
B. North	1	well b Walters	1
D. E. Clayton b Travis	1	A. Haggerty c King b	17
G. E. Bradfield c Lee b	2	Walters	17
Travis	29	M. A. Lee c Lewendon	37
F. Draper b North	2	J. North b King	15
C. Walters b North	0	J. Hallett c Blackwell	2
R. G. Kreyer run out	0	b Walters	2
J. King b North	2	P. Travis b Walters	2
A. Blackwell at Hal-	2	W. Ellbee b Walters	1
lett b North	0	W. Lavinton not out	4
I. Wastie b North	0	E. J. Ferris c Wastie	0
S. C. Boulton b North	0	b Walters	0
H. Pollicott not out	5	S. Lawrence b Wastie	0
		S. C. B. Lee did not bat	
Extras	13	Extras	13
Total	81	Total	96

OXFORD CITY.		LECHLADE.	
D. E. Clayton b Pud-	16	T. Meade b Walters	10
well	0	G. Bowley b Walters	15
D. Kyd run out	0	F. Cortes b Walters	2
C. Walters b Pudwell	0	A. Finney bow b	24
F. Draper b Freeth	3	Walters	24
S. C. Boulton bow b	0	P. Eavis at Clayton b	15
Pudwell	0	Lewendon	15
J. King not out	63	F. Innocent not out	40
P. L. Bickerton c	3	N. Hodinot c and b	0
Stephens b Sparkes	3	Lewendon	0
H. T. Lewendon c	4	F. Stephens b Lewen-	0
Stephens b Sparkes	4	don	0
C. Abraham c Stephens	4	E. Sparkes b Walters	12
b Sparkes	4	R. Freeth and F. Pud-	0
I. Wastie at Stephens	0	well did not bat.	
b Sparkes	0		
H. Lees not out	4	Extras	5
Extras	11	Total	129
Total (6 wks dec)	176	Total (4 wks)	129

BANBURY.		OXFORD CITY.	
J. Lowe b Thomas	20	D. Kyd c Webber b	20
A. R. Perry b Thomas	3	Windrow	20
G. Passmore b Thomas	8	G. L. Fisher not out	24
F. J. Clark not out	50	D. R. Axtell b Lowe	38
P. Bullock b Fisher	5	S. King b Lowe	0
M. Passmore b Pickering	4	G. E. Bradfield b L. P.	0
J. Waterfield b Bickerton	21	Wastie, F. D. Pickering,	0
E. Webber not out	26	G. W. Rowe	0
C. Windrow, C. W. Clark and E. Lowe	0	P. L. Bickerton and	0
did not bat.		R. P. Thomas did	0
Extras	10	not bat.	
Total (6 wks dec)	162	Extras	0
		Total (3 wks)	89

R.A.S.C., ALDERSHOT.		OXFORD CITY.	
Maj C. I. Tudor c King	7	B. J. Henry b Law-	14
b Mills	7	ton	14
Maj R. M. Airey b	9	H. T. Lewendon b	2
Walters	9	Varney	2
Lee-Corpl Bolton b	0	J. King c Varney b	0
Mills	0	Lawton	0
Lee-Corpl Ware b	0	P. Mills b Varney	1
Walters	0	D. E. Clayton bow b	0
Corpl L. Vance c	2	Varney	0
Walters b Mills	2	C. Walters b Varney	37
Capt. H. Hawkins c	0	J. Driscoll c Bolton	4
Blackwell b Walters	0	b Lawton	4
Lt-Col. Badcock c	0	F. Draper not out	52
Walters b Haynes	0	A. Blackwell c Tudor	10
Corpl J. Lawton b	4	b Ware	10
Walters	4	J. W. Piper c Tudor b	11
Pte Sadler b Haynes	10	Ware	11
Lieut. Rossell b	4	R. W. Haynes bow b	11
Haynes	4	Lawton	11
Serjt M. Varney not	2		
out	2		
Extras	1	Extras	5
Total	57	Total	156

NORTH OXFORD CRICKET WEEK.

The North Oxford C.C. had a successful six days' cricket last week. The Club led off with a match against Swindon, the visitors having slightly the better of the game. Young, Binnie and Silto all batted well for Swindon, and for North Oxford H. Webb, the City Schoolboy, scored 37 by faultless cricket. He is very young as yet and should be valuable to the club in years to come.

The game with the Police turned out to be the best and most exciting of the week. North Oxford batted on a very tricky wicket, nobody showing any confidence except W. Wyatt and Tucker. Leach took four for 27 and Varney three for 18. Ted Massey dominated the bowling from the start, and was undefeated with 61 to his credit. The fielding of the Police throughout the game was excellent.

The R.A.F. (Bicester) were the visitors on Wednesday. For the Air-men, Sales alone batted with any degree of confidence against some good bowling, his driving at times being brilliant. B. Rogers took six for 41 and Bowtell three for 21. Halliday, Rogers and Webb all batted well for North Oxford, but the attack was deplorably weak.

North Oxford had the worst of the game with Headington. Cox batted slowly but well for Headington, but the home side's bowling was ineffective. Halliday and Bowtell alone showed any confidence against good bowling by Gurl (five for 26) and Walker (four for 65), who bowled unchanged.

Against the Old Citizens, the North Oxford's batting was not very enterprising, but in view of the batting collapse against Headington the previous day the batsmen did not feel inclined to hit out. It was left to the Old Citizens to use the long handle and Sales' 62 included three sixes. Chamberlain and Franks gave the Citizens a good start.

In comparison with their previous performances North Oxford showed how quickly runs could be got in the last match of the series against Shipton. Bowtell, Halliday and Rogers all batted well, to enable North Oxford to declare with three wickets down. The batsmen scored at the rate of 100 runs an hour. Rogers and Khan ran through the Shipton batsmen, both being at the top of their form.

SWINDON.		NORTH OXFORD.	
W. Young b Wyatt	77	C. Wyatt b Miller b	61
C. Pound c and b	0	Varney	24
G. Gurney	0	F. Cole b Massey	0
J. Elliott	0	H. Halliday b White-	10
J. Silto c Dunkel b	0	hurst	10
Halliday	50	W. Wyatt c Miller b	22
H. Knapp c and b	0	Leach	22
Gurney	0	A. Chamberlain c Brad-	0
G. Binnie b Halliday	53	bury b Varney	0
P. King run out	3	H. Webb run out	3
L. Robinson b Wyatt	2	C. Franks c Phillips b	0
A. Binnie b Wiseman	25	S. Adams b Leach	1
S. Harwood b Wiseman	0	E. Tucker c Redman b	1
G. Brunger not out	5	Leach	16
Extras	11	M. Money c Bradbury	2
Total	226	H. Halliday not out	5
		Extras	15
		Total	100

NORTH OXFORD.		CITY POLICE.	
C. Wyatt c Miller b	61	E. Massey not out	0
Varney	24	W. M. J. b Tucker	0
F. Cole b Massey	0	W. Phillips run out	20
H. Halliday b White-	10	F. Varney c C. Wyatt	11
hurst	10	b Halliday	11
W. Wyatt c Miller b	22	A. Leach b Bowtell	5
Leach	22	A. Rolfe c Money b	0
A. Chamberlain c Brad-	0	Bowtell	0
bury b Varney	0	D. Bradbury b C. Wyatt	0
H. Webb run out	3	P. Whitehurst run out	0
C. Franks c Phillips b	0	G. Redman b Bowtell	10
S. Adams b Leach	1	A. Tall b C. Wyatt	1
E. Tucker c Redman b	2	W. Gibbs b C. Wyatt	0
Leach	16		
M. Money c Bradbury	2		
H. Halliday not out	5		
Extras	15	Extras	1
Total	100	Total	118

R.A.F. (BICESTER.)		NORTH OXFORD.	
Ruffell b Wyatt	15	E. Bowtell c Sales b	0
Stones b Rogers	15	Watkins	0
Arbuthnot b Rogers	42	H. Halliday c Watkins	66
P. Sales c and b Rogers	2	b Arbuthnot	66
W. Wyatt b Rogers	2	H. Canello c and b	41
Keck b Rogers	2	Canello	41
Haggerty c Rogers b	2	B. Rogers not out	50
Bowtell	2	R. Chaudy b Sales	18
Watkins c Halliday b	16	C. Franks b Sales	0
Rogers	16	M. Khan, M. Money, V.	0
Hare b Bowtell	10	Taylor, A. Wickson	0
F. Gee c Halliday b	10	C. Wyatt did	0
Bowtell	10	not bat.	
Canello not out	1	Extras	10
Total	87	Total (5 wks)	194

HEADINGTON.		NORTH OXFORD.	
G. Walker c Kreyer b	20	C. Wyatt c and b Wal-	5
Tucker	20	ker	5
E. Cox b Kreyer	47	E. Bowtell bow b Gurl	22
A. Pasha c Seddon b	4	H. Webb c Glanville b	3
Kreyer	4	Walker	3
W. Parriman run out	24	H. Halliday b Walker	26
G. Coppock run out	21	R. Kreyer b Gurl	0
C. Burke b Kreyer	0	at Chaudy b Walker	0
T. Gurl b Wyatt	0	E. Tucker b Gurl	0
C. Hill c Seddon b	0	N. Seddon c Coppock b	0
Wyatt	0	Gurl	0
A. Garrett run out	4	C. Dunkel not out	10
T. Glanville not out	8	H. Harris b Gurl	0
C. Brown b Kreyer	12	F. Gee not out	2
Extras	12	Extras	6
Total	149	Total (9 wks)	93

NORTH OXFORD.		OLD CITIZENS.	
M. Money c Chamber-	26	A. Chamberlain b R.	31
lain b Franks	7	Kreyer	31
E. Tucker b Adams	7	C. Franks c Fowler b	36
H. Webb c Bowtell b	36	Seddon	36
Adams	36	H. Sales not out	02
H. Halliday at Cham-	40	S. Adams c Tucker b	4
berlain b Franks	40	Khan	4
E. Kreyer bow b Bow-	0	R. Deley not out	7
tell	0	R. Chaudy, E. Bow-	0
C. Dunkel b Sales	0	tell, C. King, C.	0
N. Seddon not out	22	Broadhurst, H. Har-	0
M. Khan not out	2	ris an, R. Foote did	0
V. Taylor, E. Le Grande	0	not bat.	
and G. Fowles did	0		
not bat.		Extras	10
Extras	10	Extras	38
Total (6 wks dec)	149	Total (3 wks)	181

NORTH OXFORD.		SHIPTON.	
E. Cole c Franklin b	9	R. Hartley b Rogers	2
Hambridge	9	D. Pittaway c Cole b	0
B. Rogers c R. Hartley	54	Khan	0
b Franklin	54	F. Gillett b Rogers	0
E. Bowtell b Franklin	82	V. Bartlett b Khan	12
H. Halliday not out	80	W. Franklin b Rogers	4
N. Seddon not out	2	W. Hambridge run out	12
M. Wiseman, J. Rees,	0	E. Viner b Khan	0
M. Khan, L. Sims,	0	F. Smith bow b Rogers	4
R. Chaudy and M.	0	P. Aldon bow b Rogers	2
Money did not bat.	0	J. Slater bow b Rogers	13
Extras	6	N. Coombes not out	1
Total (4 wks dec)	338	Extras	0
		Total	61

A DIDCOT CENTURY.

The game between the County Council Staff and the R.A.O.C. (Didcot), on the Corpus Christi ground on Saturday, was marked by a splendid century by Lieut. Robinson for the latter. Going in first Robinson hit freely and all round the wicket, and when the R.A.O.C. declared, with their innings at 160 for six, Lieut. Robinson had contributed 102. When the County Council Staff went in Robinson followed up his batting success by securing four early wickets. H. Adams was the only Staff batsman to show any front to the attack and the County Council Staff were dismissed for 99.

R.A.O.C. (DIDCOT).		OXFORD COUNTY COUNCIL.	
Lt. Robinson b Tubb	102	H. Adams st Hillman	36
Sergt. Winter c Tubb	36	b Robinson	16
b Roberts	0	R. Allaway b Robinson	16
Sergt. Hillman b Eden	0	R. Tubb b Robinson	0
Eden	0	C G Roberts c and b	11
Pte. Wilkins run out	0	M Winter	8
Sergt. Dunn b Roden	0	M Stacey c Winter	4
Sergt. Goodall b Allaway	9	b Robinson	8
Sergt. Clarke not out	0	E Walker b Winter	4
Maj. De Wolf not out	1	G Roden st Hillman	0
Sergts. Cocker, Holland and Chapman did not bat.	0	b Winter	7
		R. Roberts not out	7
		J. Stacey run out	7
		W. Arison b Winter	0
		E. Arison run out	0
Extras	12	Extras	10
Total (6 wkts dec)	160	Total	99

A LOCAL DERBY.

A local Derby was the match between Warborough and Benson, the former winning by eleven runs. For Warborough, A. Belson and C. Bumpass were the principal run-getters, and F. Currell secured seven wickets for 53 runs for Benson. M. Currell got 28 runs for Benson. Score:

WARBOROUGH.		BENSON.	
T. Tutty b S. Currell	16	F. Currell b Vaughan	13
A. Belson c Austin b F. Currell	22	b Bumpass	13
F. Currell	23	F. Austin c Absolom b C. Bumpass	3
C. Bumpass b F. Currell	23	Bumpass	3
F. Gammon c Whic'hello b F. Currell	13	R. Brighting c Vaughan	1
A. S. Taylor b F. Currell	0	A. L. Saunders c N. Cheney b F. Currell	17
N. Cheney b F. Currell	4	J. Walters run out	0
F. Absolom c H. Whic'hello b M. Currell	0	M. Currell b Tutty	28
Whic'hello b M. Currell	0	H. Whic'hello c Tutty	0
L. Vaughan run out	2	b Belson	0
S. Townsend c H. Curney b F. Currell	2	H. Curney run out	3
G. Curney b F. Currell	0	G. Whic'hello b Tutty	0
A. Townsend not out	5	A. Curney not out	0
H. Wilkinson c F. Currell b N. Cutrell	0	T. Selwood c Vaughan	0
Extras	0	b Bumpass	0
		Extras	10
Total	95	Total	84

MORRIS MOTORS v. STOW-ON-THE-WOLD.

Morris Motors had a close game with Stow-on-the-Wold on Thursday week. R. Thornton was the only Morris' batsman to withstand the bowling and his 73 included three sixes and eight fours. Baker took six for 48 for Stow-on-the-Wold. Score:

STOW-ON-THE-WOLD.		MORRIS MOTORS.	
C. Williams b Miles	19	Geo. Sturges lbw b S. Brooker	2
S. Brooker b Stone	2	R. Thornton b Baker	73
Capt. Raiker b Ferriman	35	J. Poller b Williams	7
R. Milson b Miles	0	J. Senior b Baker	4
E. Watson c Thornton	15	E. Miles c Watson b Townsend	6
F. Baker b Sturges	10	R. Ferriman b Baker	0
A. Townsend c Thornton	10	R. Brooker c sub b Thornton	1
H. Foster run out	0	S. Burgess b Baker	16
W. Foster c Ferriman b Miles	11	H. Bradbury b Watson	2
R. Allaway b Simms	9	J. Stone not out	0
S. Fisher not out	3	H. S. Simms c Fisher	2
Extras	5	b Baker	2
		Extras	11
Total	122	Total	127

W. LANGRIDGE IN FORM.

W. Langridge was in fine form for Littlemore Mental Hospital in their match with Tiddington. Batting for 2½ hours, his 98 not out included 14 fours. R. Walton, A. Walton and W.

James shared the Hospital's attack, and when stumps were drawn Tiddington still required 98 runs to win with only two wickets to fall.

LITTLEMORE M.H.		TIDDINGTON.	
W. Langridge not out	98	H. F. Maule b R. Walton	24
A. Walton b Surman	14	W. Slater c Ruler b A. Walton	3
R. Walton run out	9	P. Tubby b R. Walton	6
A. Burnett c Neil b Slater	20	L. Nells c Burnett b James	0
F. Housman b Shepherd	7	W. Surinan c and b R. Walton	0
C. Buckland c H. F. Maule b Brazell	21	A. Simmons c and b Reynolds	10
R. Reynolds c H. F. Maule b Brazell	0	R. E. Steele b A. Walton	3
A. Ruler c Steele b Brazell	11	J. Maule c Taylor b James	12
W. Sandall b Brazell	0	H. G. Brazell not out	19
P. Taylor c J. Maule b Surman	6	G. H. Maule not out	5
		W. Shepherd did not bat	0
Extras	10	Extras	21
Total	200	Total (8 wkts)	103

CHIPPING NORTON POLICE v. WITNEY POLICE.

Chipping Norton Police lost their first match of the season on Tuesday when they entertained the Police of the Witney Division. The visitors' success was in no small measure due to the capital innings of Sergt. Ferriman, whose 56 out of a total of 122 was very useful. J. Busby (27) and P. C. Coles (17) were the only other double-figure contributors. Chipping Norton Police were dismissed for 72, P. C. Nelder (16 not out) being the top scorer. Score:

WITNEY POLICE.		CHIPPING NORTON POLICE.	
P. C. Allnutt b Stevens	0	Sergt. Stevens c J. Busby b Alexander	6
P. C. Candy b Alexander	4	P. C. Hooker b Allnutt	11
J. Busby b Alexander	27	P. C. Bolt c Ferriman	2
P. C. Holland run out	2	b Allnutt	2
Sergt. Ferriman b Bolter	76	P. C. Woods b Whitehorn	1
P. C. Whitehorn b Alexander	1	Supt. Green c and b Ferriman	4
Sergt. Basson c Green	5	Sergt. Alexander b Inspector Hudson	6
b Ripplington	7	Sergt. Ripplington b Alexander	2
Inspector Hudson b P. C. Coles b Alexander	17	P. C. Clarke b Allnutt	13
P. C. Buckingham not out	1	N. Bolter c Allnutt	9
P. C. Jeffries b Alexander	0	b Basson	16
P. C. Cherry b Whitehorn	1	P. C. Nelder not out	1
Extras	2	Extras	1
Total	122	Total	72

COWLEY C.C. v. TWICKENHAM C.C.

Cowley received Twickenham Club on Saturday in an all-day match and were defeated by four wickets. The home side batted first, and thanks to good displays by P. Hickman (48) and H. Smith (34) they compiled 182. W. Greenfield and F. Goodfellow shared the bowling honours, averaging four for 67 and four for 45 respectively. Twickenham opened their innings disastrously, D. Brockenshire being bowled by J. Dyer with only seven runs on the board, but W. Greenfield joined S. Goatly, and batting soundly they put up the hundred before they were parted. The seventh wicket fell at 200 runs, S. Goatly (62), W. Greenfield (43) and V. Wallbanck (37) contributing the majority of the visitors' runs.

- Combe, 54 (P. Patt 14, E. J. Busby 11, R. Timms 11); Eynsham, 37 (Busby six wickets for 11).
- Titup, 173 (W. Washington 55, Bateman 25) Post Office, 44 (T. Nicholson 17).
- Stanford-in-the-Vale, 136 (L. Johnson 41, R. Ebsworth 39); Wantage Police 59 (P. C. Hawkins 15)
- Tackley, 71 (J. Cleaver 35); Blechington, 34 (J. Cleaver six for 10).
- Horton, 74 (V. Jones 19, T. Bayley 17) fekford 22.
- Horton cum Studley, 103 (E. Jones 35, P. Jones 20); Carsington, 9 (V. Jones six for four) and 39.
- Langford, 85 (H. Harris 20, F. Jones 25); Morris Radiators, 44 (E. Collins 23, H. Harris six for 16).

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OXFORDSHIRE'S CRICKET TRIUMPH.

OVERWHELMING WIN AGAINST BUCKS.

FITTING CLIMAX TO SUCCESSFUL SEASON.

Oxfordshire, as winners of the Minor Counties Championship, were opposed to Bucks in the customary challenge match and the game was billed to take place on the Merton College ground on Wednesday, Thursday and to-day.

Just after one o'clock yesterday afternoon Oxfordshire had won a sensational victory by ten wickets, thus leaving no manner of doubt as to their superiority over their opponents and confirming in no uncertain manner, the form they have displayed in their previous eight county games, of which they won seven outright and the eighth on the first innings.

This is the first time Oxon have beaten Bucks since the War, though in the old days I can recall Oxfordshire victories at Aylesbury, Banbury and on the New College ground, "Brusher" Rogers in the latter match taking eight for 22.

The unexpected early finish of course affected the gate, despite which over £18 was taken in the two days, representing an attendance of nearly 800.

The principal factors in the victory were some fine bowling by Walters and Frank Hartley, the latter of whom accomplished the uncommon feat for County cricket of performing the "hat-trick," and a wonderful innings on Wednesday by Arnold. The whole team, however, pulled together splendidly and even the last minute substitution of Lewendon for Claydon as wicket-keeper did not weaken them.

Among those present in the course of the match were Mr. C. E. Brownrigg, a former Oxfordshire captain, "Brusher" Rogers, Mrs. James Gool, Mr. Claude Rippon, president of the Oxfordshire Cricket Association, Mr. Frank Gray, and many old cricketers, who have worn the County colours including Mark Arnett, F. E. Long, G. King, P. Harper and H. Walker.

Capt. Henry, to whose enthusiasm and skill the success of the side is very largely due, was overwhelmed with congratulations, which he modestly acknowledged, and the team were given a hearty reception as they came into the pavilion.

Wednesday's Play—Arnold's Great Innings.

The first day's play was keen and, at times, exciting, and Oxfordshire finished up with a slight advantage. There was probably a certain amount of dampness on the turf, due to the early morning dew and the necessity of watering it, so that it should not crumble too soon. Whether it was this reason or some fine good-length bowling by Walters, Bucks made a very poor show up to a point, losing eight of their best wickets for 94. This was entirely unlooked for, more especially as some catches were dropped and the fielding, with Arnold a notable exception, scarcely up to the usual high standard. It wanted someone of high courage to tackle the bowling with resolution, and two young batsmen, Battock and Rutter, stepped into the breach. They slammed away to their hearts' content,

hitting four after four, and among others knocked off was Walters, who had been bowling with deadly effect. Courageously as the two played, Bucks had lost too much ground and a total of 148 can only be considered disappointing.

It was hoped that Oxfordshire would prove that it was good bowling rather than the alleged terrors of the pitch which was responsible for the Bucks downfall. Walters returned the fine analysis of six for 41. At one time he had taken four wickets without having a run hit from him and at another five for 10. He kept a splendid length and made the ball do a lot and sometimes jump nastily. The performance was only in keeping with his fine form this season. At one period, however, Oxfordshire wickets tumbled down so fast that it looked as if Bucks would actually gain the first innings lead. Walters, F. Hartley, Lewendon and Henry made useful stands, but it was Arnold, who pulled the side through and enabled them in the end to secure a lead of 45 runs. Arnold, so frequently and regularly were wickets falling at the other end, had to resist the temptation, which is always very acute to a young cricketer, to get runs quickly. He proceeded to play a great innings for his side. Watching the ball very carefully he invariably had time to meet it with the full face of the bat and it was rare that he allowed himself to hit out. The interests of his side had to be put before personal considerations. Tempt him they might, Arnold refused to take the bait, except when a rank bad ball came along and then he hit—he can hit. For nearly three hours he stayed in and when the last wicket fell he was still there, unconquered and unconquerable. There may not have been any of those flashy strokes some people consider are the be-all and end-all of cricket. There was certainly no attempt to commit blazing indiscretion. Arnold just set himself to work his side into a position that would put them on top and I cannot imagine an innings that, played in such circumstances against one of the best bowlers in England, on a pitch from which he derived some assistance, could have shown either higher courage or greater restraint or could have been so distinguished for its judgement and level-headedness. Arnold has an old head on young shoulders and he should go far.

Thursday's Play.

The few facts are sufficient to show how sensational was Thursday's play. At 11.30 Bucks came out to continue their second innings with one wicket down and still 28 in arrears. At 1.10 the last ball had been bowled and Oxfordshire had won.

The fall of the Bucks wickets on their second innings is worth setting out.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
9	27	56	56	56	56	57	58	61	61

It will thus be seen that the last eight wickets actually fell for only five runs!

What brought about such a startling collapse was the fine bowling of F. Hartley, Walters and J. Rogers, supported by some very clever catches.

Hartley was practically unplayable. Off his first eight overs eleven runs were hit and failed to get a wicket albeit he deserved one.

Then he began a spell which was as remarkable as it was unexpected. His figures this period were:—

O.	M.	R.	W.
3.1	1	4	6

He kept a perfect length, brought the ball back a great deal and retained his

fastest speed. It was match-winning bowling, such as bowlers only find in their inspired moments.

SCORE.

BUCKINGHAMSHIRE.		Second Innings.	
First Innings.	12	b Walters	17
R. H. Brooke b Walters	12	c Henry b J. Rogers	8
W. B. Franklin	0	lbw b J. Rogers	8
Arnold b Walters	17	c Thomas b F. Hartley	10
A. G. Skinner lbw b Walters	0	c Lewendon b F. Hartley	0
A. James c L. Rogers	0	c Hartley	0
b F. Hartley	0	c and b F. Hartley	1
C. V. Raffety b Walters	7	b F. Hartley	2
Pitchford lbw b Walters	0	c Lewendon b Walters	2
W. E. Hazellon b J. Rogers	11	not out	0
O. G. Battock not out	51	Extras	18
A. U. Payne c L. Rogers b Walters	7	Total	61
R. H. Rutter c and b F. Hartley	28	Total	148
Edwards b F. Hartley	0		
Extras	18		
Total	148		

OXFORDSHIRE.		Second Innings.	
First Innings.	7	not out	5
S. C. B. Lee b Rutter	7	not out	12
H. Walker lbw b Hazellon	12		
L. Rogers b Edwards	18		
J. Arnold not out	0		
E. Hartley at Frank-lyn b Edwards	0		
C. Walters lbw b Pitchford	28		
F. Hartley b Edwards	14		
H. T. Lewendon b Hazellon	15		
R. P. Thomas	0		
Hazellon	0		
J. Rogers b Hazellon	7		
B. J. Henry c Frank-lyn b Edwards	10		
Extras	20		
Total	193	Total (no wkt)	17

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

BUCKINGHAMSHIRE—First Innings.				
	O.	M.	R.	W.
R. P. Thomas	4	2	4	0
J. Rogers	11	0	57	1
C. Walters	13	5	41	6
F. Hartley	7	8	18	2
B. J. Henry	1	0	10	0
Second Innings.				
R. P. Thomas	4	2	8	0
J. Rogers	10	6	19	2
F. Hartley	11.1	8	15	6
C. Walters	5	8	6	2
OXFORDSHIRE—First Innings.				
	O.	M.	R.	W.
W. E. Hazellon	13	4	44	4
R. H. Rutter	6	0	25	1
Edwards	27.1	9	62	4
A. U. Payne	2	0	10	0
Pitchford	12	4	30	1
Second Innings.				
R. H. Rutter	2	0	11	0
W. E. Hazellon	1.1	0	6	0

For their matches against Andy Kempton's XI on Saturday and against Mr. J. R. F. Turner's XI on Monday and Tuesday, Oxford City will charge a gate.

Osberton Works 134 for six declared (Marks 54, Lawrence 230, East 20) Church Hanborough 40 (Ware three for 13).

FIXTURES.

SATURDAY.

North Oxford v. Banbury.
 Watlington v. Cowley St. John.
 Blenheim v. Clarendon Press.
 Headington v. Oxford City.
 Turner's Court v. Wallingford II.
 Church Army Press v. Woodstock.
 Wolvercote II. v. Church Army Press II.
 Shipton II. v. Pudlicote.
 Kidlington v. Blester.
 Bicester II. v. Arncott.
 Wytham Abbey v. Kidlington II.
 Witney Hill Grammarians v. Chipping Norton.
 Kingham Old v. Milton.
 Milton II. v. Pyfield.
 Shell-Mex v. County Council Staff.
 Pressed Steel v. Osberton Radiators.
 Littlemore Hospital v. Kirtlington.
 Cooper and Stevens v. Citchley Ward and Pigott.
 Holton Axiars v. Mr. T. Barlow's XI.
 Mr. G. Thomson's XI. v. Forest Hill.
 Tiddington v. Mr. T. Shepherd's XI.
 Cuxham v. Turville Park.
 Northcourt v. Sunningwell.
 Cowley College v. Wheatley.
 St. Jordan-Thames II. v. Cumnor II.
 Cumnor v. Mr. W. Lewendon's XI.
 Cotbill v. Cumnor.

SOUTH OXFORD LEAGUE.—Division I. Final.

South Oxford v. Morris Motors (B.N.C. ground).
WITNEY AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.—Final.
 Leaffield v. Witney.

WYFOLD CUP.—Division II.—Final.

Littlemore v. Wheatley II. (Oriel ground).

MONDAY.

Witney Mills v. Oxford City.

TUESDAY.

Stadhampton v. Mr. G. Coppock's XI.

CRICKETERS' ROLL.

Batting.

J. R. Busby—Witney O.G. v. Oxford Downs 126*
 H. Baldwin—A. Kempton's XI. v. Oxford City 82*
 T. Shepherd—A. Kempton's XI. v. Oxford City 70
 D. Clayton—Oxford City II. v. Boar's Hill .. 69
 F. B. Clarke—Warwick Imps v. Oxford City .. 68
 W. Rowen—Oxford Downs v. Witney O.G. .. 64
 C. Daily—A. Kempton's XI. v. Oxford City 63
 C. Walters—Oxford City v. A. Kempton's XI. 58*
 W. Scott—Oxford City II. v. Boar's Hill .. 51*
 *Not out.

Bowling.

W. Allen—J. R. Turner's XII. v. Oxford C. 10-43
 R. Heighton—Fyfield v. Marcham .. 8-12
 C. Walters—Oxford City v. North of Thames 8-38
 W. Field—United Servants v. Oxford Exiles 8-31
 J. Pratley—Leaffield v. Milton .. 7-7
 C. Walters—Oxford C. v. J. R. Turner's XII. 7-13
 D. Hamilton—Stadhampton v. Drayton .. 7-18
 C. Walters—Oxford City v. North of Thames 7-46
 C. S. Jones—South Oxford v. Headington .. 6-18
 K. Griffin—Stonesfield v. Blenheim .. 6-20
 T. Gurl—Headington v. South Oxford .. 6-24
 C. B. Samsworth—Cooper and Stevens v. County Council Staff .. 6-26
 A. Keen—Church Army II. v. Titup 6-27
 W. Slater—Tiddington v. Titup II. 6-40
 P. Ricketts—Warington v. North Oxford .. 6-43
 P. Mills—Oxford City v. Northampton A. .. 6-56

OXFORDSHIRE COUNTY CRICKET CLUB.

WHAT THE TEAM OWE TO CAPT. HENRY.

On Thursday in last week the Oxfordshire County Cricket Club finished their season in a blaze of triumph by beating Bucks, their challengers for the Minor Counties Championship, by the substantial margin of ten wickets.

Thus culminated a season that has brought success after success to the side and caused them to be compared with any of the fine combinations that have represented Oxfordshire in the past.

The Record.

Their full record is:—
 v. Oxford University "A" team. Oxfordshire 256 and 104 for 4; Varsity "A," 162 and 194 (won by six wickets).
 v. Monmouthshire. Oxfordshire, 162 and 65 for 3; Monmouthshire, 132 and 94 (won by seven wickets).
 v. Monmouthshire. Oxfordshire, 205 and 184; Monmouthshire, 125 and 94 (won by 170 runs).
 v. Berkshire. Oxfordshire, 272 and 106 for no wicket; Berkshire, 222 and 154 (won by ten wickets).
 v. Cambridgeshire. Oxfordshire, 404; Cambridgeshire, 225 and 89 (won by an innings and 90 runs).
 v. Berkshire. Oxfordshire, 213 and 264 for 0 (dec.); Berkshire, 200 and 92 (won by 157 runs).
 v. Bedfordshire. Oxfordshire, 321; Bedfordshire, 115 and 114 (won by an innings and 92 runs).
 v. Bedfordshire. Oxfordshire, 295 and 45 for no wicket; Bedfordshire, 90 and 243 (won by ten wickets).
 v. Cambridgeshire. Oxfordshire, 257 and 200 for 7 (dec.); Cambridgeshire, 200 and 102 for 4 (won on first innings, game drawn).
 v. Bucks (challenge match). Oxfordshire, 193 and 17 for none; Bucks, 148 and 61 (won by ten wickets).

The full record was:

P.	W.	L.	D.
10	9	0	1

The Averages—Individual Performances.

BATTING.

	Inns.	not out.	Ag.	Highest.		Avg.
				score.	Ag.	
J. Arnold	14	2	633	129	52.7	
H. Walker	16	3	591	117	43.4	
L. Rogers	14	1	417	94	32.9	
F. Hartley	15	4	344	64*	31.2	
C. Walters	14	1	313	61	24.0	
E. Hartley	13	0	294	63	22.6	
J. Rogers	9	5	81	32*	20.2	
S. C. B. Lee	15	2	292	70	20.1	
R. P. Thomas	11	0	185	39	16.8	
O. Claydon	9	2	112	51*	16.0	
B. J. Henry	11	2	52	27	5.77	

Also batted: A. J. Best, 22.0*, 22.0; K. G. Kryer, 8; E. Cotton, 18.5; Rev. W. S. Caldwell, 8; D. Clayton, 2.0*; R. W. Haynes, 0; H. T. Lewendon, 15.

Centuries for.

J. Arnold (3) 129 v. Oxford University "A," 105 v. Cambridgeshire, and 101 v. Berkshire; H. Walker (2) 107 v. Berkshire and 117 v. Cambridgeshire.

Centuries Against.

F. A. Edgson (Cambridgeshire) 102*
 Oxfordshire scored 3,555 for the loss of 130 wickets, an average of 27.2 per wicket, and their opponents 3,972 runs for 124 wickets, average 15.3.

BOWLING.

	Overs.	Maidens	Runs.	Wickets.	Avg.
O. Walters	285.1	81	544	54	10.0
J. Rogers	214.3	42	638	50	12.7
F. Hartley	229.2	46	639	44	14.5
R. P. Thomas	153.8	33	382	24	15.9
B. J. Henry	91	15	315	12	26.3

Also bowled: K. G. Kryer, 8-1-82-0; S. O. B. Lee, 9-1-28-1; J. Arnold, 3-0-10-0; L. Rogers, 6-0-26-0; R. W. Haynes, 3-0-7-0.

NOTABLE BATTING AND BOWLING FEATS.

The most notable performances were:

Batting: A. G. Best and J. Arnold, 89 for third wicket against Varsity "A"; O. Claydon and R. P. Thomas, 45 for ninth wicket when eight had fallen for 117 against Monmouth; H. Walker and C. Walters 99 for fifth wicket against Berks; H. Walker and S. C. B. Lee, 106 for first wicket (both not out) against Berks, 72 for first wicket against Berks, and 66 for the first wicket against Beds; L. Roger and J. Arnold 146 for third wicket against Cambridgeshire and 93 for third wicket against Beds; L. Rogers and J. E. Hartley 129 for fourth wicket against Berks.

Bowling: F. Hartley, nine for 61 against Varsity "A" and nine for 33 against Bucks; R. P. Thomas, nine for 86 against Varsity "A"; C. Walters nine for 31 against Monmouth, eight for 67 against Berks and eight for 37 against Bucks; J. Rogers, eight for 121 against Berks and 13 for 101 against Beds.

From this record it will be seen that the team proved much superior to any of their opponents. They were only twice in danger of defeat. The first occasion was the return against Berkshire when they were 15 down on the first innings and then dismissed their opponents in the second innings for 92 runs, and the second occasion was in the return against Cambridgeshire, when J. Rogers could not play. Their ability to rise to the occasion was very marked.

The Batting and Bowling Strength.

The batting of the side was consistently good. Walker and Lee made an ideal opening pair and often gave the side a splendid start and there was practically no tail and more than once the skipper, No. 11 on the list, stayed in long enough to enable his side to gain the first innings lead, which is often of the greatest value. Truly formidable was the bowling. J. Rogers, F. Hartley, Walters and Thomas were the four to bear the brunt of the work, and not once did they let down the side. Rogers had some wonderful spells and when on his length he was a great asset. Frank Hartley was always liable to break up a partnership and there were days, such as the Bucks match, when he was quite unplayable. Thomas, with the new ball, was often useful with his swerves, and Walters, slower than the others, was the personification of consistency. Those who stood behind him say his length was little short of wonderful, and his

variation distinctly clever. He did not merely bowl the leg-break. He often varied it with an off-break and sometimes used the top-spinner with great effect. In fact, Lewendon told me that in the Bucks match when he kept wicket, this ball came on the ground so fast that he was quite unprepared for it. The best captains have said that they do not require more than four bowlers. Capt. Henry thus seems to have had the ideal combination and if these failed he himself proved useful in an emergency. Oxford have had good bowling sides in the past. I doubt very much if they have ever had one to equal this brilliant quartette.

The fielding reached highest standard and there were days when the whole side could do nothing wrong. The slip catching was of the best, and though the side may have had its off-days, on the whole its liveliness and keenness on the hottest day was something to be admired.

The Influence of Capt. Henry.

It goes without saying that the side owe a great deal to the able captaincy of Capt. B. J. Henry. I am revealing no secret that during the winter month, "the skipper" secured for several members of the team special winter coaching, and that during the season his many acts of kindness and thoughtfulness had much to do in welding the side into a whole. He lived with them and for them, and in return every one of them began to look up to Henry and appreciate him at his true worth. This was very evident in the general demeanour of the side. They were as keen on repaying their captain by giving of their best as they were to wear the County colours.

A Public Dinner.

A movement is on foot to give a public dinner to the team to commemorate their great achievement. This will probably be organised by the Mayor of Oxford (Comm. G. T. Burton) and a special committee.

Old Oxford Cricketer's Tribute.

Mr. F. W. Woodward, a former captain of Kidlington and Kidmore End, writes: "As a native of Oxfordshire and one who has played cricket in more than two score villages in various parts of the county, I beg to tender my hearty congratulations to the County Team upon their recent success in the Minor Counties Championship. I have always followed the fortunes of my native county and look forward with pleasure to the receipt of the 'Oxford Times' each week with the account of their doughty deeds, and also of the records of the scores of excellent teams in the towns and villages of OXON.

"I see no reason why, with the excellent material they have to draw upon and with more generous support from the general public, Oxfordshire successes in 1929 should not be continued next season."

CONGRATULATIONS.

Capt. Henry has received many letters, telegrams and phone messages of congratulation, among them from Cambridge, Bedfordshire, Berkshire, Surrey and Durham, Mr. J. C. Masterman, the Hon. Villiers and Mr. G. H. Chapman, uncle of the English captain, A. P. F. Chapman.

OXFORD CITY CRICKET WEEK.

Some Good Performances.

The curl end-of-the-season cricket week, organised by the Oxford City Club, was this year carried through under difficulties. The success of the County meant that the Merton ground would have to be requisitioned for three days of the week, and some of the matches, therefore, had to be played on the New College ground.



H. T. Lewendon
(hon. sec.)

The opening match was against the North of the Thames, who were not quite so strong as usual. The City won by 74 runs, after declaring their innings closed. Lewendon, Draper and Walters

batted well, and in the two North of the Thames Innings Walters' analysis was 42 overs, 5 balls, 14 maidens, 84 runs, 15 wickets.

The second match was against the Northampton Amateurs, and this, played without the assistance of the County contingent on the New College ground, was won by the visitors by 38 runs. Early and Mills were the only two to make runs, and with the ball Pickering took three for 38 and Mills six for 56.

The match against the Warwickshire Imps on Thursday was commenced on the New College ground and was concluded on the Merton ground, as the County Challenge match was over early. The Imps kindly permitted the City to include Walker and Thomas after the match had been started, and so they well deserved their win by 59 runs. Sims, the Bedford player, was the highest City scorer, with 46, and as he also took five wickets he had a good match.



F. D. Pickering
(asst. hon. sec.)

Saturday saw the great event of the week, the match against Andy Keimpton's side, which included seven of the Surrey side and Herman, of Hants. This game was drawn after some fairly tall scoring. Shepherd and Daily batted very carefully, and Baldwin also gave the crowd and the City bowlers a taste of his high quality. The innings was declared at 291 for six, and the City easily saved the game, Walters carrying his bat for 56. On the same afternoon the City sent another team to Boar's Hill and beat the locals by seven wickets.

Though the match did not actually come in their week, the game against Mr. Turner's XI, made possible through the generosity of Capt. Henry, was one of the most enjoyable of the series, though in such a sporting encounter it is a great pity it was not brought to a finish. Bakewell showed how much he has improved since his Oxford days, and this also applies to Herman. Another player who gained distinction was Allen, of the College Servants, who in the City's first innings took ten of 11 wickets and caught the eleventh. I believe he accomplished a similar feat at Witney a few seasons ago. Walters, of course, was well to the fore with bat and ball, and it was pleasant to find Howells in the field again. Everyone remarked on the way Frank Draper preserves his age.

OXFORD CITY.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
H. T. Lewendon c			
F. Frisby b Evans	38	c Frisby b Evans	24
E. Draper lbw b T		b Mercer	47
P. Potter	27		
E. Cotton b Evans	12		
C. Walters c Taylor b			
Evans	14	lbw b Marchant	29
R. Early b Frisby	0	c D Potter b Mar-	chant
			8
B. J. Henry b Marchant	24		
F. D. Pickering not out	18	c Kempton b Taylor	17
E. C. Boulton c Kemp-			
ton b Bullock	1		
F. Swyers b Bullock	0	b Taylor	1
R. W. Haynes b Mar-			
chant	2	not out	0
L. F. Wastie b Mar-		run out	1
chant	0	Extras	15
Extras	20		
Total	151	Total (7 wks dec)	142

NORTH OF THAMES.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
C. Mercer c Henry b		c Cotton b Walters	12
W. H. Brooke c Cotton	36		
b Walters	17	not out	21
W. F. Frisby b Walters	16	b Pickering	0
A. Kempton c and b			
Walters	0	lbw b Walters	0
H. Evans c Henry b			
Pickering	2	c Henry b Walters	19
B. Bullock c Henry b			
Walters	0	lbw b Walters	2
R. Taylor lbw b			
Walters	0	lbw b Walters	13
T. C. Potter b Walters	7	c Henry b Haynes	2
D. Potter b Walters	10	b Walters	10
B. Marchant c Wastie			
b Walters	9	c Bolton b Walters	2
A. E. Wicks not out	1	b Henry	26
Extras	0	Extras	16
Total	107	Total	117

OXFORD CITY.

R. E. Early st Payne		W. H. S. Dunn b Mills	13
b Venes	24	W. Howlin st Swyers	0
F. D. Pickering c Dunn		b Mills	
b Miller	1	P. G. Henry c and b	7
S. C. Boulton c Miller		T. Pitt c Swyers b	2
L. Giles b Chatter-		worth	0
L. Daniels b Charles-		worth	0
worth	10	L. E. Holland b Mills	0
P. Mills b Holland	26	F. G. Watta c and b	22
G. E. Bradfield b Hol-		Pickering	34
land	6	A. C. Payne c and b	
R. W. Haynes b Venes	0	Pickering	34
F. H. Swyers b Venes	0	R. L. Charlesworth b	3
E. G. Heather b Venes	0	Mills	14
F. Francis not out	0	H. Lamb b Mills	14
		E. F. Fuller not out	6
		R. S. Venes c Early b	
		Heather	13
		Extras	10
		Total	124

NORTHAMPTON AMATEURS.

W. H. S. Dunn b Mills	13	W. Walker c Horton	
W. Howlin st Swyers	0	b Greening	13
P. G. Henry c and b	7	R. E. Early c and b	
T. Pitt c Swyers b	2	Greening	1
L. E. Holland b Mills	0	W. A. Sims c Wood	46
F. G. Watta c and b	22	P. B. Clarke	40
Pickering	34	E. Turner b Morter	1
R. L. Charlesworth b	3	F. D. Pickering lbw	10
Mills	14	b Greening	10
H. Lamb b Mills	14	R. Thomas b F. B.	
E. F. Fuller not out	6	Clarke	12
R. S. Venes c Early b		Mills lbw b Morter	6
Heather	13	G. E. Bradfield c Tip-	
Extras	10	per b Greening	0
Total	86	J. L. Bickerton c	
		Impcy b Anstey	21
		R. W. Haynes b Morter	3
		J. Walker not out	7
		Extras	17
		Total	137

MR. A. KEMPTON'S XI.

T. Shepherd c Haynes		A. C. B. Lee run out	5
b Walters	70	G. E. Bradfield b Shep-	
C. Daily b Henry	63	herd	30
E. Wilson lbw b		F. J. Draper c Shepherd	10
Walters	4	b Lock	10
H. Baldwin not out	82	D. R. Astell b Shep-	
A. Kempton b		herd	13
Walters	24	F. D. Pickering b Shep-	
A. Geary c Upton b		herd	22
Walters	16	C. Walters not out	56
T. Brookes b Henry	5	E. J. Cotton b Herman	24
H. Lock, A. Blackwell,		F. W. Haynes not out	8
G. Fallon and J. O.		H. T. Lewendon, B. J.	
Herman did not bat.		Henry and J. Up-	
Extras	23	stone did not bat.	
Total (6 wks dec)	391	Extras	18

BOAR'S HILL.

F. Candy at Claydon b		D. E. Clayton b Sallis	69
Bickerton	0	D. L. Howells b Jones	31
E. J. Whibin c Claydon		W. Scott not out	51
b Scott	9	P. L. Bickerton c Mon-	
W. Buckland b Bickert-		on b Smith	0
on	21	G. W. Rowe not out	9
H. Jones b Thomas	20	R. P. Thomas b J.	
D. T. Monthie b		Heather	1
Thomas	0	Wastie, H. Pollicott,	
J. E. Edginton b		J. Sims and A. Bat	
Thomas	5	did not bat.	
W. Lewendon c Scott			
b Heather	5		
F. Smith c and b			
Scott	33		
R. C. Coupland run			
out	9		
W. Sallis c Heather b			
Bickerton	30		
G. Battrett not out	4		
Extras	13		
Total	154	Extras	4
		Total (8 wks)	164

Mr. TURNER'S TEAM.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
A. H. Bakewell c		c Bickerton b Walters	130
Henry b Herman	22		
S. C. B. Lee c Howells		19 c Walker b Henry	4
b Mills	19	W. A. Sims c Mills b	
W. A. Sims c Mills b		Walters	20
Walters	30	b Herman	2
Nawab of Pataudi b			
Walters	20	lbw b Walters	16
H. M. Lee b Walters	1	a Mills b Walters	0
S. O. Wells c Black-			
wall b Mills	6	lbw b Walters	8
A. Franklin c Mill-			
b Walters	24	b Henry	4
W. Allen c Bickerton			
b Walters	0	b Herman	10
J. Gullforde b Henry	1	b Walters	0
J. Walker b Allen	4	c Henry b Walters	4
W. F. Cooke not out	15	c Henry	3
W. Spindler b Walters	0	b Henry	8
E. G. Turner	0	not out	8
Henry b Walters	0	Extras	17
Extras	12		
Total	130	Total	311

OXFORD CITY.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
P. Mills c Cooke b		c Spindler b Sims	7
Allen	34		
A. Blackwell c Frank-		b Allen	2
lin b Allen	32	b Turner	20
E. J. Draper b Allen	15	not out	2
J. Walker b Allen	4	c Wells b Lee	18
L. Carter lbw b Allen	0		
H. Lewendon c and b		Allen	24
Allen	5	run out	24
O. Herman lbw b Pataudi	20	c Franklin b Allen	4
C. Walters c Pataudi			
b Allen	0	c and b Turner	29
R. W. Haynes c Allen			
b Lee	2	not out	3
A. Howells c Wells b			
Allen	21	c Pataudi b Turner	20
P. L. Bickerton not out	21		
B. J. Henry c Bake-			
wall b Allen	7		
Extras	11	Extras	18
Total	173	Total (8 wks)	160

THE WITNEY OLD GRAMMARIANS.

During the past fortnight the Witney Old Grammarians have met the Oxford Downs and a Morris Motors side. They drew against the former, when, owing to a fine innings of 126 not out by J. R. Busby, his second this season, the declaration was put in force at 202 for six. Bowen saved the Downs by his steady play at a crisis. Busby hit a six and 19 fours and Bowen two sixes and ten fours. The most successful of the bowlers were Florey (four for 46) and Packford (two for 8).

Against Morris Motors the Grammarians again exceeded the 200. Gardner played nicely when five wickets had fallen cheaply, and Nash and Willoughby put on over 80 for the ninth wicket. Gunbrill and Surman saved the Motors from defeat, the latter defending very stubbornly. Ferriman (three for 33) and Busby

(four for 12) returned the best figures. It is to be hoped that the Grammarians will be seen in Oxford more often next season, and local clubs desirous of a match should get into touch with Mr. L. C. Jennings, 60, Mill-street, Witney.

GRAMMARIANS.		DOWNS.	
J. R. Busby not out	126	H. F. Davis c and b	3
W. Shirley c Mace b	9	W. Barnes	37
Florey	4	W. Bowen run out	64
J. Jennings b Florey	4	R. Bury run out	1
A. Haley c Mace b		P. Collett c Jennings	
Florey	21	b Busby	5
J. R. Barnes b Florey	0	R. P. Abraham b	
K. Gardner b Pickford	14	French	20
J. Harwood b Pickford	9	H. H. Mace b Harwood	3
C. French not out	1	K. Florey c Jennings	12
P. Knight, C. Broome		b Harwood	12
and K. Miles did not		J. Abraham b Broome	5
bat.		A. Blair not out	0
		E. Pickford not out	0
		G. Holton did not bat.	
		Extras	11
		Total (6 wks dec)	202
		Total (6 wks)	124

GRAMMARIANS.		MORRIS MOTORS.	
J. Busby c Thornton		O. Ward b Crawley	12
b Ferriman	19	M. Gunbrill b Busby	37
W. Shirley b Ferriman	1	H. Sims c Haley b	
W. Crawley b Ferriman	1	Nash	0
A. Haley c Ferriman		B. Herman b Busby	16
b Gunbrill	18	F. Thornton b Busby	0
J. Jennings c Thorton	12	E. Surman c Busby b	
on b Herman	42	C. Jennings	18
K. Gardner b Sims	42	E. Miles c Willoughby	
C. Jennings run out	5	b Busby	2
W. French b Stone	0	G. Hull not out	5
J. Nash b Ward	43	J. Stone, R. Ferriman	
M. Willoughby not out	33	and S. Burgess did	
K. Miles b E. Miles	5	not bat.	
Extras	27	Extras	13
Total	212	Total (7 wks)	108

OXFORD LEAGUE—I.—RE-PLAYED SEMI-FINAL.

SOUTH OXFORD v. HEADINGTON.
Owing to the difficulty experienced by Headington in obtaining an Oxford ground for this re-played tie, the game was re-played on the B.N.C. ground. Apparently South Oxford were not notified until late in the week, with the result that a pitch was hurriedly prepared. This, no doubt, is the explanation of the very slow scoring. In the previous match nearly 400 runs were scored for the loss of 11 wickets, but on Saturday 20 fell for 95. South Oxford, who were without Best, collapsed badly before the two girls, and were out for 58, of which Harley and Adams made 41, leaving, with two extras, 12 between the other nine batsmen! T. Gurl took six for 24 and his brother three for 9. But the Headington innings was even more sensational. They made a fairly good start, but Jones then got on the spot and after having 13 hit off him without getting a wicket, he took six wickets for five runs. Five of the Headington players failed to score. No doubt Jones had read about Frank Hartley! He has been bowling well all the season, but without much luck. Jones' full figures were six for 18 and Massey's four for 15.

The final between South Oxford and Morris Motors will commence on the Brasenose ground to-day (Friday) and will be continued to-morrow.

SOUTH OXFORD.		HEADINGTON.	
R. H. Ward b T. Gurl	0	G. P. Davies b Massey	10
W. T. Franklin lbw b T. Gurl	1	J. Newman c Tipping b Massey	10
E. E. Cooke b T. Gurl	0	W. Taylor b Jones	1
E. Massey c Douglas	7	A. J. Douglas c Frewer	6
D. J. Trafford	7	b Massey	0
H. Harley b A. Gurl	22	W. Trafford b Jones	0
C. Adams b T. Gurl	22	A. Gurl c Frewer b	0
O. Merdman b A. Gurl	0	Jones	2
L. Frewer b T. Gurl	0	G. Coppock lbw b	0
C. S. Jones b A. Gurl	2	Jones	4
E. Tipping b T. Gurl	1	C. Burch b Massey	0
E. T. Searle not out	1	T. Evans b Jones	0
		T. Gurl b Jones	0
		J. Trafford not out	0
		J. Trafford	4
Extras	2	Extras	4
Total	58	Total	37

Mr. W. J. Hawkins, hon. secretary of the Headington United Club, writes:—

With reference to the report of the Headington and South Oxford game in the "Oxford Times," 6 September, would you please let me know from whom it originated? The report states that a Headington player was warned several times by the umpire and was lucky not to be sent off. This is wrong, which you can prove by consulting Mr. Levitt, the umpire. The report also states that when Headington had four down for 35, the shower came, etc. I would point out that it did not rain during the innings of Headington, but that the showers came in the afternoon when South Oxford were batting. However, the Headington Club wish to obtain a printed apology from the person who reported the match for the remarks made concerning one of their players.

OXFORD CRICKET LEAGUE—II. SEMI-FINALS.

The semi-finals of the second division of the Oxford Cricket League were played on Saturday. Titup and the Church Army Press met on the Wadham ground and Titup batted first, but Keen (six for 27) bowled so well that they were out for 79. The Church Army Press appeared to have an easy task, but so well did Webb (four for 12) and Plumley (four for 9) bowl that they were beaten by 52 runs. Nerves had a great deal to do with the breakdown of the batting.

TITUP.		CHURCH ARMY.	
F. Lee c Windscheffel	4	L. Windscheffel b Webb	0
b. Gurden	4	W. Levitt c Lee b	0
J. Payne c Goodey b	10	Webb	0
Keen	27	S. Windscheffel at Lee	0
L. Price b Keen	0	b Plumley	5
A. Mansey c Bensley	0	W. Thornton b Plumley	1
b Keen	12	A. Keen run out	7
A. Webb b Keen	0	M. Gurden b Plumley	0
G. Plumley c Bensley	0	J. Bensley run out	0
b Keen	0	H. Coulson b Webb	4
O. Higinson c Keen	1	I. Goodey c L. Coppock	4
b Merritt	16	b Plumley	4
L. Coppock b Merritt	6	B. Gurden not out	0
J. Coppock not out	2	D. Merritt b Webb	0
I. Gurl b Levitt	2		
W. Wright c Gurden	6		
b Keen	6		
Extras	5	Extras	6
Total	79	Total	27

In the other semi-final on the Trinity ground Headington were no match for Combe. The Oxford side collapsed badly and were all out for 44, to which Combe replied with 166 for three. W. Busby had a good match. I assume that owing to Combe being also in the Witney final, their final with Titup will be postponed till to-morrow week.

HEADINGTON.		COMBE.	
G. Fletcher b W. Busby	0	H. Hucks c Florey b	11
A. Shepherd c Oliver b	0	Morris	11
Winterbourne	0	A. Collier c Jacobs b	6
E. Webb run out	6	Florey	26
R. White c E. Busby b	4	W. Busby retired	32
W. Busby	4	A. Timms not out	52
P. Grain b W. Busby	1	A. Oliver not out	30
F. Newman c Pimm b	1	F. Margetta, R. Timms,	
Winterbourne	1	F. S. Putt, W. Winter-	
S. Jacobs b Winter-	0	bourne, E. Busby	
bourne	0	and G. Pimm did not	
P. Cooper b Margetta	21	bat.	
E. Florey run out	4		
E. Schofield c Winter-	2		
bourne b Pimm	2		
W. Morris not out	1		
Extras	4	Extras	5
Total	44	Total (3 wkts)	166

AMOS GEORGE CUP—FINAL. CLARENDON PRESS v. UNITED COLLEGE SERVANTS.

The Juniors of the Clarendon Press and the United College Servants met on the Balliol ground on Saturday in the final of the above competition, when the Press won by 28 runs. Despite some good bowling by Darlow (six wickets) the Press made 99. Stewart and Evans showing particularly good form. The Servants were dismissed by Smith (three for 19) and Strange (four for 3) for 71 runs. Mr. Claude Hippon, president of the Oxford Cricket Association, gave away the cup, congratulating the teams on the excellent game they had both played. Score:—

CLARENDON PRESS.		UNITED COLLEGE SERVANTS.	
F. Stewart b Turner	1	C. Stone b Richards	4
R. Strange c Nelson	43	F. Nelson c Smith b	14
b Darlow	5	L. Richards	14
J. Evans b Hancock	22	b. Hinton c Wilkins	18
W. Smith b Turner	0	J. R. F. Turner c	4
J. Elens run out	3	Evans b Smith	4
J. Richards b Pellow	3	B. J. Darlow b Smith	4
W. Kemp c Abbott	3	E. Walker lbw b	0
b Darlow	0	Strange	17
C. Ball lbw b Darlow	2	H. Hanson b Strange	0
H. Woodley b Darlow	0	J. Warren lbw b	0
F. Wilkins not out	0	Strange	0
Extras	17	L. Abbott b Smith	3
		Extras	2
		S. Sawyer not out	0
Total	99	Total	71

WITNEY LEAGUE—I.—SEMI-FINAL. LEAFIELD v. MILTON.

Leafield and Milton met in the semi-final of the senior division of the Witney League for the right to oppose Combe in the final this week-end, and was productive of some sensational cricket. Leafield led on the first innings by 29, and then going in a second time were dismissed for 32. Thus Milton were set only 62 to win, and when time intervened they had lost six for 30 and the game was decided on the first innings, Leafield winning. In the Milton first innings three wickets were down for 30, when Pratley came on, and a remarkable change came over the game. With the last three balls of one over Pratley did the "hat-trick," and with the first three of the next he accomplished a similar feat. To take six wickets in six balls is a great achievement and it is understood this is a League record. Pratley's final record was seven for 7. A. Pritchard, of Milton, must have bowled equally well, as in the two innings he took 15 wickets.

LEAFIELD.		MILTON.	
F. Collicutt b Pritchard	16	F. Bridges lbw b	4
J. H. Pratley b Pritchard	11	R. Miles b J. Pratley	9
W. Pratley c Collier b	1	U. Smith run out	12
Smith	1	D. Wiggins b J. Pratley	3
F. Cross c Smith b	3	D. Collier b J. Pratley	0
Pritchard	3	G. Rathbone b J. Pratley	0
R. Pratley c Rath-	0	A. Pritchard c Colli-	0
bone b Pritchard	0	cunt b J. Pratley	0
P. Townsend b Prit-	19	R. Parsloe not out	3
chard	0	B. Edginton b Pratley	0
S. Hooper b Pritchard	0	J. W. Jennings b Prat-	0
A. Collicutt run out	0	ley	0
J. Pratley not out	2	F. Kite b Shaylor	0
A. Wiggins b Pritchard	0	Extras	5
W. Shaylor b Pritchard	0		
Extras	3		
Total	96	Total	85

WITNEY LEAGUE—II.—FINAL. WOOTTON v. ASTHALL.

Charlbury was the venue of the final of the junior section of the Witney and District League on Saturday and the spectators witnessed a close game, which Wootton won by 19 runs. Morris, Harris, Kinchin and Clarke bowled well for their respective sides, and the stand by G. Harris and Hoare went a long way towards giving Wootton the victory. Canon Payne, president of the Charlbury club, presented the cup to the winners. Score:—

ASTHALL.		WOOTTON.	
J. Kinchin lbw b	1	C. Harris c Wilkins b	25
Morris	1	A. Clarke	0
C. Kinchin b Harris	0	A. Harris run out	0
L. Mills b Harris	5	J. Hoare c Mills b	0
C. Jackson b Harris	4	Clarke	23
H. Wilkins b Morris	0	A. Allmond b Kinchin	8
J. Walker b Hoare	19	A. Palmer b Clarke	2
Clarke b Allmond	2	A. Day c Kinchin b	18
Clarke not out	15	Clarke	18
G. Arnold b Hoare	0	B. Hoare c and b Cox	6
Neville b Hoare	0	Parsons b Kinchin	3
Cooke b Harris	6	Parsons b Cox	3
		A. Lay c Walker b	1
		Kinchin	1
		Burgins not out	0
Extras	8	Extras	7
Total	60	Total	68

WYFOLD CUP—II.—FINAL. LITTLEMORE v. WHEATLEY II.

The final of Division II, which was played between Littlemore and Wheatley II. on Oriel ground on Saturday, had a most exciting finish. Wheatley, batting first, totalled 75 runs. They had started very shakily, having six wickets down for a very few runs, but the later batsmen rose to the occasion and took the score to 75. Littlemore opened well, their first wicket remaining intact until over 30 runs were on the board. Soon, however, wickets fell faster, and when the last Littlemore man went in to bat seven runs were required to win. They could not quite get these, but they got six, and the last wicket fell at 75, making the match a tie of 75 runs each. The re-play, which this tie makes necessary, will be played on Oriel ground to-morrow at 2.30 p.m.

BUCKS ALLIANCE CUP—FINAL. MARSH GIBBON v. MURSLEY.

At Buckingham. Mursley batted first and thanks to the effective bowling of R. Simms (seven wickets) could only raise 64. Marsh Gibbon replied with the fine total of 183, and, dismissing their opponents for 61 at their second attempt, won by an innings and 58 runs. There was a record attendance. The Mayor of Buckingham presented the cup and medals to the winners and medals to Mursley. There was great excitement at Marsh Gibbon when the cup was brought home. Score:—

MURSLEY.		MARSH GIBBON.	
C. North lbw b Phipps	17	H. Parker b B. Dickens	18
B. Dickens b Simms	2	J. Anson c Jackman b	4
b Simms	7	Lines	4
G. Lines b Simms	0	J. Batechelor b B.	8
J. Bond c H. Parker b	0	R. Dickens	20
Simms	10	R. Simms b North	30
A. Phipps b Simms	0	L. Lane c Brown b	8
H. Jackman b Simms	0	E. Britnell b B. Dickens	24
W. Grace b Benfield	0	b C. Dickens	4A
I. Dickens c Phipps b	0	C. Parker b B. Dickens	2A
Simms	1	A. Phipps b Phillips	2A
E. Brown not out	23	F. Benfield b C. Dickens	1
F. Dickens b Benfield	0	G. Herring b Phillips	1
Extras	4	F. Tompkins not out	6
Total	64	Total	183

BRIEF RESULTS.

Horton-cum-Studley, 107 (V. Jones 29, W. Beckett 24, P. Jones 23); Arncott, 58 (E. Wilkins 13, W. Elliott 17).
South Oxford II., 120 for seven declared (E. Wiggins 38, R. Merriman 34, E. Judge 25 not out); Telford, 49 for 7 (Henton four for 4, Parsons three for 5).

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