

Cricket

CENTURY BY COLT

IN FIRST MINOR COUNTY MATCH

A YORKSHIRE "DISCOVERY"

CHESHIRE HIT BACK AT BARNESLEY

From Our Special Representative
BARNESLEY, Wednesday

A remarkable day's cricket here produced nearly 550 runs for the loss of nine wickets in Yorkshire second eleven's first match of the season against Cheshire. Though they lost their first four wickets for 40, Yorkshire were eventually able to declare at 393 for nine, and in the remaining 90 minutes left for play Cheshire's opening pair scored 151 without being separated. As a result they begin to-morrow 242 runs behind with all their wickets in hand.

That Yorkshire attained such a formidable total was due almost entirely to a magnificent fifth-wicket partnership of 192 between Halliday, a young batsman from Pudsey, playing in his first minor county match, and Hamer, the Golcar all-rounder, who was recently included in the County side against Essex and Gloucestershire.

Enterprising Batsmen

Coming together at a time when three wickets had fallen to Bartley, the Cheshire fast-medium bowler, in quick succession, and a fourth had been claimed when Dennison foolishly ran himself out, the pair showed refreshing confidence right from the start.

Hamer showed rather more enterprise, as was understandable in the more experienced player of the two, and when he was finally bowled playing forward to Gilbody at 232 he had no fewer than 14 fours in his 93.

Halliday's innings was quite remarkable. He is only 18 years old, but he showed all the assurance of Hutton at a similar age. He batted with commendable restraint when it was necessary, and played some delightful shots all round the wicket. He did not give a chance until he had passed his century in three hours, and when Colonel Chichester-Constable declared he was still unbeaten with 157.

Following Hamer's dismissal, the Yorkshire "tail" played most enterprising and entertaining cricket. Crick had several hair-raising escapes from all manner of fates, but he collected 37 runs very rapidly.

Hurricane Hargreaves

Then Hampshire hit up 19, including one 6, and Hargreaves outshone them all with a hurricane 47. He began with a cautious single, and then set about the Cheshire bowling with such terrific vigour that all his remaining 46 runs came from boundary shots.

He drove Parkinson, the former Lancashire leg-break bowler, twice over the sight screen and once over long-on for 6, and he also hit seven 4's.

It was no day for the bowler, for the wicket played dead true all the time, and in the circumstances Bartley could feel well satisfied with his four for 115.

Even though the wicket was all in favour of the batsman, no one expected Cheshire to make such tremendous headway in the last hour and a half. But Yorkshire's fast medium attack held no terrors for Dennis, and after a somewhat uncertain start, R. D. Fairburn, who plays for the same club—Fairburn—gave him admirable support. Both were particularly strong on the leg side, and Dennis made some glorious pulls and leg glides, with the result that they had 50 runs on the board in the first half-hour.

Fairburn, like Halliday, playing his first minor county innings, rapidly gained more confidence, and timed the ball better, so that the last hour saw another 100 runs added.

Scores:—

YORKSHIRE 2nd XI.—First Innings

G. A. Wilson, c Watts b Bartley	14
Watson, c Watts b Bartley	0
Halliday, not out	157
Beaumont, run out	1
Dennison, lbw b Bartley	4
Hamer, b Gilbody	93
Wilkinson, lbw b Parkinson	0
Crick, st Watts b Parkinson	57
Hampshire, c Dennis b Bartley	19
Hargreaves, b Timmis	47
B. 15, lb 6	21

Total (for 9 wks. dec.) ...393
Col. R. C. Chichester-Constable did not bat.

CHESHIRE—First Innings

Dennis, not out	77
R. D. Fairburn, not out	66
B. 5, lb 5	8

Total (for none) ...151
J. D. Worthington (capt.), B. J. Rogers, Parkinson, R. B. Crisp, C. W. Timmis, H. Watts, G. A. Hosking, Bartley and J. Gilbody to bat.

BOWLING ANALYSIS

YORKSHIRE 2nd XI.—First Innings

	o.	m.	r.	w.	o.	m.	r.	w.	
Dennis	24	4	87	0	Gilbody	9	1	33	1
Bartley	32	1	115	4	Timmis	5.2	0	22	1
Parkinson	33	5	115	2					

Umpires: Elliott and Franks

Hamer, and his final analysis of two for 38 in 20 overs was a most satisfactory performance.

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CHESHIRE—First Innings

Dennis, c Crick b Wilkinson	95
R. D. Fairburn, b Wilkinson	78
J. D. Worthington, c Dennison b Wilkinson	2
B. J. Rogers, c Hargreaves b Wilkinson	12
Parkinson, lbw b Wilkinson	22
R. B. Crisp, b Wilkinson	0
C. W. Timmis, b Wilkinson	1
H. H. Watts, c Hargreaves b Wilkinson	13
G. A. Hosking, not out	15
Bartley, b Hargreaves	3
J. A. Gilbody, b Hargreaves	0
B. 14, lb 7	21

Total255

CHESHIRE—Second Innings

c Crick b Hampshire	75
lbw b Dennison	74
c Hampshire b Dennison	22
b Halliday	4
not out	15
b Halliday	6
B. 3, lb 9, w. 1, n.b. 1	14

Total (for 5 wks.) 210

BOWLING ANALYSIS

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	o.	m.	r.	w.	o.	m.	r.	w.	
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CHESHIRE—First Innings

Hargreaves	18.4	3	74	2
Wilkinson	30	12	67	8
Hamer	5	0	32	0
Dennison	16	3	33	0

Second Innings

Wilson	8	1	22	0
Hamer	3	0	18	0
Halliday	20.4	6	38	2
Hargreaves	4	0	17	0

Umpires: Elliott and Franks.

COLTS HELD TO A DRAW

Batsmen on Top to End at Barnesley

WILKINSON'S FEAT

From Our Special Representative

BARNESLEY, Thursday

Although at one time Yorkshire second eleven seemed to have an excellent chance of forcing a victory in their first Minor County match of the season, they were foiled here to-day by a former Yorkshire player, Frank Dennis, and R. D. Fairbairn, who for the second time in the match put on over a hundred runs for the first wicket.

Dennis who had made a most attractive 95 in the first innings, scored 75 when he went in again, and Fairbairn followed up his 78 with a most valuable 74.

Cheshire followed on 140 runs behind, but when stumps were drawn they had gained a lead of 70 with half their wickets in hand, and Yorkshire had to be content with first innings points.

As soon as the first wicket stand had been broken this morning—Wilkinson bowled Fairbairn and Dennis, who hit ten 4's in his 95, was caught at the wicket—Yorkshire completely gained the upper hand, and Wilkinson at one time seemed likely to take the coveted "all ten" wickets.

First Eight Wickets.

He claimed the first eight, keeping an accurate length, and making the ball swing late in to the batsman; but Hargreaves clean bowled the last two men with successive balls, and Wilkinson had to rest content with 8 for 67 in 30 overs—a very good analysis.

Parkinson was the only batsman to impress apart from the opening pair, and he made one or two nice square cuts in scoring 22. Hampshire was most unlucky not to get a wicket; he bowled splendidly all through his spell, making the ball lift awkwardly, and no one faced him with confidence.

When Cheshire went in again, Dennis and Fairbairn gathered runs easily, though Dennis, who has improved out of all knowledge since he played for Yorksh'ire, caught the eye much more than his partner. He hit nine 4's in his 75, and J. D. Worthington stayed with Fairbairn while 32 runs were added for the next wicket.

By this time it was plain that the game was heading for a draw, and chief interest centred in the form of Yorkshire's bowlers. Of these, Halliday, who had scored 157 not out yesterday, was the most impressive. He bowls his off-spinners with more life than

LEEDS UNIVERSITY WIN EASILY

Manchester's Poor Total in U.A.U. Match

Leeds University defeated Manchester University by six wickets in a U.A.U. championship match at Westwood yesterday.

The Leeds bowlers were in their best form and Manchester were dismissed for 53. With Davies batting well for 25 (not out), Leeds were able to pass their visitors' total for the loss of only four wickets.

Scores:—

MANCHESTER UNIVERSITY		LEEDS UNIVERSITY	
Owen, b Calder	4	Saunders, b Golightly ..	2
Ashworth, b Metcalfe ..	0	Booth, b Golightly	17
Arnold, lbw b Metcalfe ..	1	Meredith, not out	1
Scholes, b Metcalfe	8		
Norbury, b Calder	5		
Heap, b Atkinson	2		
Davy, c and b Golightly ..	11		
Wintonley, c Chapman ..	1		
b Atkinson	1		
		Extras	1
		Total	53

LEEDS UNIVERSITY		MANCHESTER UNIVERSITY	
Riebig, b Davy	7		
Golightly, c Davy b Saunders ..	10		
Davies, not out	25		
Carter, run out	5		
Hare, b Saunders	12		
Seddon, not out	0		
		Extras	0
		Total (for 4 wks.)	57

LEEDS G.S. BEATEN

Herbert Sutcliffe's XI., in a match against the Leeds Grammar School, at the School ground yesterday, scored 145 (for 4 wickets). Wood, the Yorkshire County wicketkeeper, was the highest scorer with 54.

The School were dismissed for 140.

Scores:—

LEEDS GRAMMAR SCHOOL		H. SUTCLIFFE'S XI.	
Holton, b Halliday	2	Walker, c Holton b Phillipson	10
Carter, lbw b Halliday	89	Westere, not out	8
Smith, b Hockin	1	Roston, not out	2
Warburton, st. Wood b Everitt	19	Extras	2
Wadsworth, b Everitt	5		
Shepherd, c Walker b Everitt	1		
Rushton, b Halliday	9		
		Total (for 4 wks.)	145

H. SUTCLIFFE'S XI.		LEEDS GRAMMAR SCHOOL	
Wood, c Shepherd b Daykin	54	Lambert, not out	9
Johnson, lbw b Warburton	4	Phillipson, c Sutcliffe b Everitt	0
Elsworth, retired	29	Daykin, b Everitt	0
Sutcliffe, c Holton b Phillipson	36	Whitehead, c Westere b Everitt	0
		Extras	7
		Total	140

YORKSHIRE CENTRAL LEAGUE

Including May 21

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Dewsbury and Savile	4	4	0	0	12
Cleckheaton	3	5	0	0	9
Birstall	4	2	1	1	7
Heckmondwike	4	2	1	1	7
Liversedge	4	2	1	1	7
Gossett	4	1	1	2	5
Batley	4	1	2	1	4
Wakefield	4	1	3	0	3
Morley	4	0	4	0	0
Staincliffe	3	0	3	0	0

CRAVEN GENTLEMEN BEATEN

Warburton Shines for Leeds Grammar School

Leeds Grammar School gained an easy victory over Craven Gentlemen on the school ground yesterday. With Warburton batting confidently for 82 runs, the Grammar School totalled 180.

Warburton also did well with the ball, taking 5 for 32. Waddington returned 4 for 39, and the Gentlemen's innings realised only 83 runs.

Scores:—

LEEDS GRAMMAR SCHOOL		CRAVEN GENTLEMEN	
Holton, lbw b Figgess	4	Jackson, b Warburton	9
Carter, c Hay b Figgess	19	Dawson, lbw b Warburton	2
Smith, b Hay	9	Speck, c Smith b Wadsworth	39
Warburton, c Speck b Spence	82	Wadsworth	0
Spence	82	Spence, b Wadsworth	0
Wadsworth, c and b Figgess	1	Sykes, b Warburton	0
Lambert, b Figgess	4	Phillips, b Wadsworth	1
Shepherd, lbw b Hay	0		
		Extras	26
		Total	180

CRAVEN GENTLEMEN		LEEDS GRAMMAR SCHOOL	
Jackson, b Warburton	9	Hay, b Wadsworth	2
Dawson, lbw b Warburton	2	Sheldon, not out	15
Speck, c Smith b Wadsworth	39	Figgess, b Warburton	2
Wadsworth	0	Hirst Wood, b Warburton	1
Spence, b Wadsworth	0	Extras	12
Sykes, b Warburton	0		
Phillips, b Wadsworth	1	Total	83

MYERS BURNELL CUP—FIRST ROUND
York Clarence 60, York Revellers 61 for 4.

COLTS SOON IN TROUBLE COLTS BEATEN BY AN INNINGS

Lancashire II. Well on Top Halliday the Only Man to Defy Lancashire II.

FAULTLESS CENTURY BY CRANSTON EDGE IN FORM

From Our Special Representative

OLD TRAFFORD, Monday

Success in the toss meant a great deal here to-day, for no batsman could have wished for a more perfect wicket. Lancashire had the good fortune to win it, and, as everyone expected, they proceeded to make a big score before declaring after tea. Facing a total of 364, Yorkshire could hardly have fared worse in the closing 90 minutes of the day, for they lost six men for 81, and finished up 283 behind with only four wickets standing.

After two wickets had fallen for 15 runs, the spectators saw some really fine battling by three Lancashire amateurs. It is no exaggeration to describe D. M. Matthews as one of the best left-hand batsmen in the country at the present time, and he made a really delightful and invigorating 56.

Matthews helped C. H. Davies to put on 93 for the third wicket, hitting a 6 and eight 4's in the process, and Davies scored an admirable 65. Davies was more restrained than either Matthews or K. Cranston, but he, too, showed a wide range of shots.

The chief honours of the day, however, went to Cranston, who made a faultless 117. He took his time at the start without neglecting to score from any loose delivery, and as soon as he settled down, he gathered runs with effortless ease. None of the seven bowlers tried by Yorkshire made any impression on him, and he had three 6's and 12 4's to his credit when he was caught in the deep by Wilson.

Lancashire Declare

More excellent batting came from Garlick and Parkin, both of whom scored over 40 by correct and attractive cricket, and T. A. Higson declared soon after tea at 364 for 9.

Wilkinson again bowled well, and he was a long way the best of the Yorkshire attack, finishing up with five for 88. P. B. Brayshay, the Leeds fast bowler, made a good impression on his first appearance. He took two good wickets, and maintained his pace splendidly.

Of the Yorkshire innings, the less said the better. Hostile bowling and very keen fielding proved too much for them at the end of a tiring day in the field, but Hamer batted well to check the collapse in the last half-hour.

Scores:—

LANCASHIRE II.—First Innings	
Greenhalgh, b Wilkinson	4
C. R. Davies, c Cawthray b Wilkinson	63
A. E. Husband, b Brayshay	1
D. M. Matthews, c and b Wilkinson	56
K. Cranston, c Wilson b Dennison	117
A. J. Birtwell	did not bat.
Extras	7
Total (9 wks., dec.)	364

YORKSHIRE II.—First Innings	
G. A. Wilson, c Greenhalgh b Garlick	12
Watson, lbw b Garlick	0
Halliday, c Matthews b Edge	14
Beaumont, lbw b Garlick	9
Hamer, not out	28
Crick, P. B. Brayshay and Colonel R. C. Chichester-Constable	to bat.
Extras	2
Total (for 6 wks.)	81

BOWLING ANALYSIS

LANCASHIRE II.—First Innings		YORKSHIRE II.—First Innings	
o.	m. r. w.	o.	m. r. w.
Wilkinson	34.1 7 88 5	Dennison	20 2 76 1
Halliday	13 0 50 0	Cawthray	3 0 19 0
Hamer	5 0 17 0	Wilson	2 0 2 0
Dennison	20 2 76 1		

BOWLING ANALYSIS

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o.	m. r. w.	o.	m. r. w.
Wilkinson	34.1 7 88 5	Cawthray	3 0 19 0
Halliday	13 0 50 0	Wilson	2 0 2 0
Hamer	5 0 17 0	Brayshay	32 6 96 2
Dennison	20 2 76 1		

LANCASHIRE II.—Second Innings		YORKSHIRE II.—Second Innings	
o.	m. r. w.	o.	m. r. w.
Edge	11 5 22 1	Parkin	22 10 51 4
Garlick	12 1 24 5	Birtwell	9 2 47 2
Greenhalgh	7 1 12 0	Cranston	4 0 9 0

LANCASHIRE II.—Second Innings		YORKSHIRE II.—Second Innings	
o.	m. r. w.	o.	m. r. w.
Edge	16 3 48 7	Parkin	3 1 10 1
Garlick	5 2 5 11	Birtwell	9.1 1 18 1
Cranston	0 2 9 0		

Umpires—Hubble and Tranter.

From Our Special Representative

OLD TRAFFORD, Tuesday

Struggling from the start against a far better side, Yorkshire Second Eleven were defeated by the overwhelming margin of an innings and 120 runs here to-day, and had it not been for that remarkable young batsman, Halliday, their second innings would have been almost farcical.

All out for 148, Yorkshire II. followed on 216 runs behind, and Halliday batted beautifully to score 56 of his side's 98 runs in the second innings. Cawthray, who helped him to add 46 for the sixth wicket, was the only other player to reach double figures, and Edge, a young fast bowler, who maintained a splendid pace and accuracy, took seven wickets for 48—five of them clean bowled.

That Yorkshire's first innings score attained comparative respectability was due to some indifferent spin bowling by Birtwell. Both Hamer and Dennison hit a succession of full tosses hard to make 38, and Crick was unbeaten with a stubborn 25 at the end. Parkin was in great form this morning, and took all the remaining four wickets for 16 runs, finishing up with 4 for 31 in 22 overs—eloquent testimony to his accuracy.

Lack of Experience

Yorkshire's display when they went in again on a wicket which was still good for many runs was almost too bad to be true. One or two of their young batsmen are obviously too inexperienced as yet to make runs in this class of cricket, and they got themselves out to thoroughly bad shots. A typical instance was the dismissal of Watson, who made a wild and unnecessary stroke at a ball from Edge which was almost a wide on the off side, and gave Robinson an easy catch at the wicket.

Halliday, however, played really first-class cricket, driving well and making some lovely late-cuts and leg-glides. No batsman of recent years has made a greater impression in his early games for the Colts; his confidence and correct technique against good bowling in this match has been delightful to watch.

Scores:—

LANCASHIRE II.—First Innings	
Greenhalgh, b Wilkinson	42
C. R. Davies, c Cawthray b Wilkinson	65
A. E. Husband, b Brayshay	1
D. M. Matthews, c and b Wilkinson	56
K. Cranston, c Wilson b Dennison	117
A. J. Birtwell	did not bat.
Extras	7
Total (9 wks., dec.)	364

YORKSHIRE II.—Second Innings	
G. A. Wilson, c Greenhalgh b Garlick	12
Halliday, c Matthews b Edge	0
Watson, lbw b Garlick	0
Hamer, lbw b Parkin	38
Cawthray, lbw b Birtwell	6
Wilson, b Birtwell	6
Dennison, v Matthews	38
Crick, not out	25
P. B. Brayshay, b Parkin	0
Col. R. C. Chichester-Constable, lbw b Parkin	3
L.b. 1, n.b. 1, w. 1	3
Total	148

LINCOLNSHIRE'S BIG SCORE

Lincolnshire's batsmen had a day out at the expense of Suffolk at Scunthorpe yesterday, hitting up a total of 417. E. Houghton was top scorer with a magnificent 152.

Suffolk lost two wickets in scoring 44. Scores:—

LINCOLNSHIRE—First Innings		SUFFOLK—First Innings	
E. Houghton, run out	152	B. Ehrenfried, c Leech	1
M. V. Bennett, c Smith	72	b Pritchard	6
b Leech	72	H. W. Dods, not out	16
A. Brown, c Smith	24	V. A. Hodgkinson, c	10
Leech	24	Sangster b Goundry	10
J. Medwell, lbw	7	H. Lawton, c Catchpole	1
Sleigh	7	b Goundry	1
W. H. F. Watts, c	6		
Catchpole b Goundry	6		
J. Wilkinson, c Leech	84		
b Pritchard	84		
B. Bray, at Smith	24		
Pritchard	24		
		Extras	15
		Total	417

SUFFOLK—First Innings	
H. P. Waugh, c Bray	1
b Bennett	30
J. M. Sangster, not out	10
J. E. Rumball, c Bray	0
b Brown	0
G. W. Hocker, not out	3
Extras	3
Total (for 2 wickets)	44

LINCOLNSHIRE WIN BY AN INNINGS

Lincolnshire beat Suffolk by an innings and 160 runs in the Minor Counties match at Scunthorpe yesterday.

LINCOLNSHIRE—First Innings		SUFFOLK—Second Innings	
E. Houghton, run out	152	b Brown	3
M. V. Bennett, c Smith	72	b Hodgkinson	8
b Leech	72	J. M. Sangster	1
A. Brown, c Smith	24	b Bennett	1
Leech	24	40 c Dods b Bennett	1
J. Medwell, lbw	7	A. H. Sleigh, c Brown	3
Sleigh	7	b Bennett	3
W. H. F. Watts, c	6	0 at Lawton b Brown	3
Catchpole b Goundry	6	G. W. Hocker, c	19
J. Wilkinson, c Leech	84	Ehrenfried b Bennett	25
b Pritchard	84	c Brown b Bray	19
B. Bray, at Smith	24	H. Catchpole, b	13
Pritchard	24	Lawton b Brown	13
		Bennett	10
		J. H. Diggins, c Dods	10
		b Hodgkinson	10
		G. W. Smith, c	5
		Houghton b Ehren-	5
		fried b Brown	5
		H. B. Goundry, c	10
		Lawton b Ehren-	10
		fried	10
		A. W. Pritchard, b	20
		Brown	20
		R. C. Leech, not out	13
		not out	13
		Extras	6
		Extras	6
		Total	153

NORTHUMBERLAND ON TOP

Northumberland had all the better of the first day's play in the Minor counties' match with Durham at Chester-le-Street. They secured a first innings lead of 90, and before the close captured two wickets in Durham's second innings for 48.

Scores:—

NORTHUMBERLAND—First Innings		DURHAM—Second Innings	
W. G. Mackay, b	8	c Dixon b Saunders	21
Herbert	8	not out	19
W. S. Shield, b	0	14 lbw b Saunders	1
Herbert	0	D. C. H. Townsend	1
T. Goulden, b Glen	0	(capt.), b Saunders	8
J. S. W. Usher, c Carr	1	J. Grigor, run out	1
b Herbert	1	T. Collin, lbw b Booth	6
I. Murray, not out	60	Letchford, J. R., at	3
Robson (H.), c Grigor	17	Dixon b Robson	16
b Letchford	17	Carr (J.), lbw b Robson	0
T. A. W. White, c Carr	4	D. Glen, c Booth	0
b Grigor	4	Robson	12
		A. W. Austin, b Allan	0
		not out	0
		F. I. Herbert, not out	8
		Extras	8
		Extras	4
		Total	96
		Total (for 2 wks.)	48

NORTHUMBERLAND—First Innings		DURHAM—First Innings	
W. G. Mackay, b	8	N. Dixon, b Townsend	29
Herbert	8	C. H. Saunders, at	54
W. S. Shield, b	0	Austin b Grigor	54
Herbert	0	J. L. Allan, at Austin	0
T. Goulden, b Glen	0	b Grigor	0
J. S. W. Usher, c Carr	1	Booth (A.), b Carr	4
b Herbert	1		
I. Murray, not out	60		
Robson (H.), c Grigor	17		
b Letchford	17		
T. A. W. White, c Carr	4		
b Grigor	4		
		Extras	9
		Total	186

DURHAM BEATEN

Northumberland beat Durham at Chester-le-Street yesterday by six wickets. One night rain again rendered the wicket in favour of the Northumberland bowlers.

Scores:—

DURHAM—First Innings		NORTHUMBERLAND—Second Innings	
A. H. Parnaby, b	25	c Dixon b Saunders	21
Saunders	25	o b Robson	31
J. Beresford, b Booth	6	14 lbw b Saunders	1
C. L. Adamson, b	14	D. C. H. Townsend	1
Robson	14	(capt.), b Saunders	8
D. C. H. Townsend	8	J. Grigor, run out	1
(capt.), b Saunders	8	1 run out	14
J. Origor, run out	1	T. Collin, lbw b Booth	6
T. Collin, lbw b Booth	6	c Allan b Booth	45
Letchford, J. R., at	16	Dixon b Robson	16
Dixon b Robson	16	Carr (J.), lbw b Robson	0
Carr (J.), lbw b Robson	0	b Robson	5
D. Glen, c Booth	12	D. Glen, c Booth	12
Robson	12	b Allan	11
A. W. Austin, b Allan	0	Robson	11
not out	0	b Robson	0
F. I. Herbert, not out	8	not out	9
Extras	8	Extras	11
Total	96	Total	155

NORTHUMBERLAND—First Innings		DURHAM—Second Innings	
W. G. Mackay, b	8	c Collin b Carr	5
Herbert	8	o c Parnaby b Herbert	3
W. S. Shield, b	0	c Austin b Glen	5
Herbert	0	J. S. W. Usher, c Carr	3
T. Goulden, b Glen	0	b Herbert	3
J. S. W. Usher, c Carr	1	I. Murray, not out	60
b Herbert	1	not out	11
I. Murray, not out	60	Robson (H.), c Grigor	17
Robson (H.), c Grigor	17	b Letchford	17
b Letchford	17	T. A. W. White, c Carr	4
T. A. W. White, c Carr	4	b Grigor	4
b Grigor	4	N. Dixon, b Townsend	29
N. Dixon, b Townsend	29	C. H. Saunders, at	54
C. H. Saunders, at	54	Austin b Grigor	54
Austin b Grigor	54	J. L. Allan, at Austin	0
J. L. Allan, at Austin	0	b Grigor	0
b Grigor	0	Booth (A.), b Carr	4
Booth (A.), b Carr	4		
Extras	9	Extras	9
Extras	9	Total	186
Total	186	Total (for 4 wks.)	64

VETERAN TAKES COUNCIL HONOURS

A. TURNER IN FINE FORM

68 NOT OUT: 6 WICKETS FOR 52

WAKEFIELD SURPRISED BY OSSETT

A 52-years-old cricketer who played for Yorkshire in 1910 and 1911, took the honours in yesterday's Yorkshire Council programme for fine all-round work. He is Alban Turner, and he paved the way for Hickleton to win by nine wickets at Pontefract.

Pontefract won the toss and batted first, making 107. Hickleton would have fared badly without Turner, for he was the only bowler to cause the home batsmen much trouble, and he claimed six wickets for 52 runs in 20 overs.

Turner did even better when Hickleton batted. He and Routledge (39) started with a stand of 98 for the first wicket, and Turner went on to carry his bat for 68 runs—56 of which came from boundary strokes.

Ossett's Rally

Batsmen held the upper hand in the majority of the matches. Ossett sprang a surprise at College Grove. Wakefield declared, apparently safe from defeat, at 197 for eight, but the visitors passed that total for the loss of six wickets.

Top scorers for Wakefield were E. Crowhurst (55), M. E. Lofthouse (34), and D. Brooke (33). When Ossett lost six wickets in making 105, the Wakefield captain's declaration appeared likely to bring success, but then J. Brewin and F. Fozard came together, and were not separated.

Brewin hit the bowling to all parts of the field for his 59, scoring 20 in one over—two 6's, a 4, a 2 and a single—while Fozard made 60.

Rockingham were very fortunate to escape defeat at Wath. The home side batted first, and performed exceptionally well, each

man reaching double figures. Heaton and Senior paved the way with a good opening stand, and Roberts later hit out strongly, his 34 including two hefty 6's.

Rain to the Rescue

Gray (42) and Bramley (40) gave Rockingham a satisfactory start, but Green and O'Dowd were very troublesome to the later batsmen. Rain caused a hold-up at a vital time, when seven men were out for 113, and on the resumption Ivill and Pearson played out time, stumps being drawn at 144 for 7 wickets.

One of the best bowling feats of the day was to the credit of W. Burnett, who played a big part in Scholes's victory by 48 runs at Hemsworth. Burnett sent down 14 overs (seven maidens) for 27 runs and 3 wickets—a brilliant performance on a wicket from which he received no help.

Scholes batted first to make 153, B. Sykes claiming 56 of the runs, Hollingworth taking 5 wickets for 37 and S. Mortc 4 for 26. H. Hollinworth, with 42, took the batting honours for Hemsworth.

Pearson 90 Not Out

Scarborough were not extended at Bentley, and they defeated the Colliery team by five wickets. The Bentley batsmen, apart from Fletcher (48) could do little right against Adamson (4 for 24), and afterwards J. H. Pearson quickly put Scarborough on the winning track with a brilliant 90 not out. E. Broadhead took three wickets for 10 runs apiece for Bentley.

Brampton gave an inglorious display in their raway match with Mitchell Main. The wicket was all in favour of batsmen, and Mitchell Main made full use of their luck in winning the toss by putting up a score of 180 for the loss of four wickets before declaring. Smith was unbeaten for 65.

Brampton never recovered from a disastrous start. J. Senior took three wickets in his opening over, and the visitors were tumbled out for 63 to be beaten five minutes from time, by 97 runs. Senior finished with four wickets for 12, and E. Evans claimed three victims while conceding only seven runs.

7 Wickets for 5 Runs

Steeeton had a comfortable victory at the expense of Drighlington. The visitors were tumbled out for 52, Shackleton with seven wickets for five runs, proving unplayable. Steeton knocked off the runs for the loss of three wickets.

- *Firbeck 192 v. Brodsworth 159
- Harrogate 201 for 9 (dec.) v. Leeds Zingari 125 for 6.
- Thackley 189 v. *Knaresborough 160 for 8
- *Bentley Coll. 127 v. Scarborough 129 for 5.
- *Pontefract 107 v. Hickleton 109 for 1.
- Patherstone 71 v. *Ackworth 72 for 5
- *Wakefield 197 for 8 (dec.) v. Ossett 198 for 6.
- *Wath Athletic 225 for 9 (dec.) v. Rockingham 144 for 7.
- Illingworth 79 v. *Mexborough 82 for 6 (dec.).
- Frickley 240 for 7 (dec.) v. South Kirkby 180 for 6.
- Scholes 153 v. *Hemsworth Coll. 105.
- Heckmondwike 93 v. *Liversedge 74.
- *Steeeton 53 for 3 v. Drighlington 52.

Holiday Fixtures TO-DAY

YORKSHIRE COUNCIL

Addingham v. Gomersal	Batley v. Birstall
Brampton v. Frickley Colliery	Brodsworth v. Hemsworth Coll.
Cleckheaton v. Liversedge	Drighlington v. Leeds Zingari
Featherstone v. Pontefract	Glass Houghton v. Elsecar
Harrogate v. South Kirkby	Illingworth v. Steeton
Knaresborough v. Hanging Heaton	Mexborough v. Hartshead Moor
Morley v. Wakefield	Ossett v. Staincliffe
Rawmarsh v. Firbeck	Rockingham v. Ackworth
Salts (Saltaire) v. Rossington	Scarborough v. Heckmondwike
Thackley v. Tong Park	Thorncliffe v. Sowerby Bridge

YORKSHIRE LEAGUE

Castleford v. York	Doncaster Town v. Hull
Hallifax v. Whitwood Coll.	Sheffield Un. v. Rotherham Town

RIBBLESDALE LEAGUE

Ribblesdale W. v. Chorley	Leyland Mot. v. St. Anne's
Read v. Barnoldswick	Blackpool v. Leyland
Darwen v. Burnley	Lancaster v. Whalley

HUDDERSFIELD AND DISTRICT LEAGUE

DIVISION "A"

Rastrick v. Arncliffe	Broad Oak v. Lascelles
Huddersfield v. Elland	Colcar v. Paddock Hall
Lockwood v. Holmthirch	Slaithrow v. Marsden

DIVISION "B"

Dalton v. Almondbury	Shepley v. Brudley Mills
Honley v. Primrose Hill	Kirkburton v. Kirkheaton
Thongsbridge v. Lathwaite	Meltham v. Meltham Mills

BRADFORD LEAGUE

DIVISION "A"

Brighouse v. Bowling	Windhill v. Lightcliffe
Idle v. East Bierley	Farsley v. Bradford
	Spens Victoria v. Bingley

DIVISION "B"

Baldon Green v. Eccleshill	Keighley v. Locket Green
Undercliffe v. Pudsey	Bankfoot v. Saltaire
St. Lawrence	Queensbury v. Gt. Horton

AIREDALE AND WHARFEDALE LEAGUE

Osley v. Yeadon	Green Lane v. Horsforth
Skipton v. Guseley	Horsforth Hall Park v. Ilkley
Burley v. Farby	
Silsden v. Rawdon	

RIBBLESDALE LEAGUE

Clitheroe 165 for 7 v. Lancaster 191.
Leyland 73 v. Darwen 74.
Whalley 147 v. Blackpool 127.
St. Anne's 181 v. Read 102.
Chorley 153 v. Leyland Motors 56.
Barnoldswick 85 v. Ribblesdale Wanderers 90 for 3.

BRADFORD LEAGUE "HAT-TRICK"

S. Render's Feat for Windhill

The first Bradford League "hat-trick" of the season was performed in the match between Bingley and Windhill by S. Render, of Windhill, who had a final return of four for 32. The match was drawn. Bingley were out for 173, and Windhill had scored 102 for nine when the time limit was reached. L. Bullock, of Bingley, took six for 31.

There was an exciting finish to the match between Great Horton and Baildon Green. Great Horton, out for 130, dismissed their opponents for 127. A. Tetley taking six for 37. The best bowling performance of the day was by an Undercliffe player at Saltire. T. A. Jacques taking eight for 30. Undercliffe declared at 212 for seven, and dismissed Saltire for 96.

Three players each took five wickets in the game between Bowling Old Lane and Farsley. Bowling Old Lane, for whom W. A. Shackleton scored 61, declared at 150 for eight, after D. Waterhouse had taken five for 36. Farsley were out for 138. W. Webb and L. Powell taking five for 52 and five for 61 respectively.

F. Scott, of Spen Victoria, was the highest scorer of the day with 83 not out against Lightcliffe. H. Mortimer scored 62 for Spen Victoria, who declared at 206 for seven. Lightcliffe had scored 143 for eight when the time limit was reached.

Lidget Green dismissed Queensbury for 103 and passed the score with a wicket in hand. O. Glover, of Queensbury, took five for 55.

DIVISION "A"

Spen Victoria 206 for 7 (dec.) v. *Lightcliffe 143 for 8
Bradford 109 v. *East Bierley 110 for 7.
*Bowling Old Lane 150 for 8 (dec.) v. Farsley 138.
*Idle 119 v. Brighouse 121 for 4.
*Bingley 173 v. Kindhill 102 for 9.

DIVISION "B"

*Great Horton 130 v. Baildon Green 127.
Undercliffe 212 for 7 (dec.) v. Saltire 96.
Keighley 153 v. *Eccleshill 99.
Bankfoot 107 v. *Pudsey St. Lawrence 110 for 7.
Queensbury 103 v. *Lidget Green 109 for 9.

BRADFORD LEAGUE

DIVISION "A"

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Brighouse	6	3	0	3	12
Windhill	6	3	0	3	12
East Bierley	6	3	2	1	10
Lightcliffe	6	2	0	4	10
Bowling Old Lane	6	2	2	2	8
Idle	6	2	2	2	8
Spen Victoria	6	1	2	3	6
Bradford	6	1	3	2	5
Bingley	6	0	3	3	3
Farsley	6	0	3	3	3

DIVISION "B"

Eccleshill	6	3	1	2	11
Keighley	6	3	1	2	11
Pudsey St. Lawrence	6	3	1	2	11
Queensbury	6	3	1	2	11
Baildon Green	6	2	2	2	8
Great Horton	6	2	2	2	8
Lidget Green	6	2	2	2	8
Saltire	6	1	3	2	5
Undercliffe	6	1	3	2	5
Bankfoot	6	0	4	2	2

LOCKWOOD STILL AT THE TOP

Exciting Finishes at Huddersfield

Forcing a draw at Holmfirth, Lockwood retained the leadership of Section "A" in the Huddersfield League.

Slaithwaite defeated Marsden and advanced to second position, displacing Elland, who could only draw with Huddersfield at Hullen Edge.

When the time limit was reached in this game, Elland required only two runs to win, and had two wickets in hand.

There was a change in the leadership of Section "B." Bradley Mills, by playing forceful cricket, defeated Shepley at home by six wickets, and thus wrested the leadership from Meltham, who lost to their neighbours at Meltham Mills.

This match provided the best bowling performance of the day, G. Carter (Meltham Mills) securing 9 wickets for 56 runs. The match was actually won by a 6 hit by J. A. Wood, when there remained only two minutes for play.

The best batting feat of the day was by C. Walker (Slaithwaite), who scored 86 against Marsden. Two batsmen reached the 80 mark—H. Robinson (Paddock v. Golcar) and L. Haigh (Lascelles Hall v. Broad Oak).

SECTION "A"

Rastrick 160 for 9 v. *Armitage Bridge 159.
Lockwood 156 v. *Holmfirth 115 for 9.
Slaithwaite 222 for 4 (dec.) v. Marsden 92.
Huddersfield 143 v. Elland 142 for 8.
Lascelles Hall 192 for 8 v. Broad Oak 162 for 9.
Paddock 254 for 9 v. Golcar 179 for 7.

SECTION "B"

*Almondbury 157 for 4 v. Dalton 154.
*Bradley Mills 134 for 4 v. Shepley 128.
Kirkbaron 72 for 5 v. *Kirkheaton 69.
*Slaithwaite 111 v. Thongsbridge 100.
Hunley 207 for 9 v. *Primrose Hill 79.
*Meltham Mills 153 for 8 v. Meltham 147.

FINE CENTURY FOR REDCAR

North Yorkshire and South Durham League

Darlington R.A. were prevented by time from beating Redcar in the North-Yorks. and South Durham League.

The scorers scored 192, of which L. Bainbridge contributed an excellent 111.

Darlington R.A. made 191, and had one wicket in hand when the time limit was reached. E. Cockburn, with 61, was Darlington R.A.'s highest scorer.

Bishop Auckland 77 v. *Stockton 80 for one.
Synthonia 220 (for 5 dec.) v. *Norton 82 for 7.

CLUB MATCHES

*Ackworth School 92 v. J. P. McDougall's XI. 152.
Old Modernians 152 (for 8, dec.) v. Leeds University 76.

Pickering Cricket
Bradford 102 v. *Pickering 105 for 3.

HAT TRICK FAILS TO WIN MATCH

COUNCIL FEAT IN VAIN

Brothers in Record Stand at Illingworth

FEATHERSTONE "DERBY"

While batsmen again held the upper hand in the majority of yesterday's Yorkshire Council matches—there was a record at Illingworth—the outstanding feats of the day were to the credit of the bowlers.

Yet the best performance of the day failed to save the side for which it was accomplished, Wakefield suffering at Morley their second defeat on successive days.

N. Garthwaite claimed five of the Morley wickets for 17 runs, and also achieved the "hat-trick"; but the College Grove side were always struggling, and their last wicket fell 30 runs short of the home total of 140, C. Smith taking half the wickets for 33.

Rockingham hardly made the best use of their good fortune in winning the toss in the home fixture with Ackworth, for they were tumbled out for 77, the bowler to do the damage being A. Ball, who had all the batsmen in difficulties and returned the splendid analysis of seven wickets for 29. Ackworth lost only four wickets in knocking off the runs.

Illingworth Record

The brothers Norman and Willie Smith were concerned in a record stand at Illingworth. Their partnership for the ninth wicket was worth 101, and, thanks to it, Illingworth were able to total 189. Norman Smith claimed 81 and his brother 49—all but 69 of the total. Steeton made no effort to force a victory, and when stumps were

drawn they were 118 behind with six men out.

There was another century partnership at Harrogate, where South Kirkby won by six wickets. Harrogate were put out for 144, and when C. Hobson and S. Carr started with a century stand for South Kirkby the match was as good as over. Four wickets fell in quick succession, three of them to D. Jackson, but South Kirkby were in no real trouble, and when the winning hit was made Hobson was unbeaten for 83, Carr's contribution being 47.

Bowlers had a day of toil at Glasshoughton and Featherstone. At Glasshoughton, where Elsecar provided the opposition, over 400 runs were scored for the loss of only 13 wickets. Elsecar batted first to declare at 242 for the loss of eight wickets and rule out any hopes of a home success. Three men topped the half-century mark—L. Ellison (52 not out), C. Widdowson (51) and J. Norcliffe (51).

Century Stand

Glasshoughton were content to play for a draw, and when stumps were drawn they had scored 169 and lost six wickets. J. H. Walshaw, with 78 not out, was the top-scorer of the match.

The local "Derby" match at Featherstone ended in a draw, two members of the former Featherstone Rovers R.L. side, S. Denton and George Johnson, making a fine effort to force a win for the home team.

Pontefract had first use of 84 wickets, and batted consistently to declare at 225 with eight men out. J. Lindlay played a brilliant innings, his 76 not out including two 6's and eight 4's.

J. Bramley (49) and H. Wilcock (27) started with a stand of 76 for Featherstone's first wicket, but then the next four wickets fell for two runs, and a Pontefract success seemed possible. Johnson and Denton, however, quickly changed the course of the game with a stand which realised 100 runs in 40 minutes, each scoring 50. At the close Featherstone were 44 behind, having scored their 181 in less than two hours.

- * Featherstone 181 for 5 v. Pontefract 225 for 4 (dec.).
- * Harrogate 144 v. South Kirkby 146 for 4.
- * Glasshoughton 169 for 6 v. Elsecar 242 for 8 (dec.).
- * Illingworth 199 v. Steeton 81 for 6.
- * Morley 140 v. Wakefield 114.
- * Rockingham 72 v. Ackworth 75 for 4.
- * Brampton 118 v. Frickley 101.
- * Knaresborough 210 for 5 v. Hanging Heaton 255 for 8 (dec.).
- * Ocast 200 v. Stanncliffe 100.

YORKSHIRE LEAGUE FEATURES

Speak's 100 Out. of 135 in 67 Minutes

H. G. Kippax, of King Cross, the Yorkshire League leaders, must have been one of the most successful club cricketers in the county over the Whitsuntide holiday.

He played a big part in his side's victory by eight wickets over Barnsley at Star Lane yesterday. Barnsley put up the respectable score of 162, but they had not the bowlers to disturb King Cross, Kippax carrying his bat for 89 and D. E. Jowitt being undefeated for 69.

In three matches Kippax has scored 184 runs for once out, and he has taken eight wickets for less than seven runs apiece. His performances are:—

- v. York 19 not out, 4 wickets for 32.
- v. York 85, 4 wickets for 22.
- v. Barnsley 89 not out.

Castleford came very near their third victory in successive matches against York yesterday. They started badly, but a three-figure partnership for the fifth wicket between W. R. Allen (66) and J. Tomlinson (52) enabled them to declare with six men out for 212. York had to struggle hard for runs, and at the close were 66 behind with their last pair at the wickets.

A grand century by J. Speak brought Halifax a victory by nine wickets over Whitwood Colliery at Halifax. Whitwood won the toss, but could do little against the bowling of E. Durkin, who captured six wickets for 47.

Speak soon showed that there was nothing wrong with the pitch when Halifax batted. He completely dominated the scoring, as is shown by the fact that of the 135 runs scored, exactly 100 were to his name. He made his runs in 67 minutes, and four 6's and ten 4's were included in the best innings seen at Halifax for some time.

- * Castleford 212 (for 6 dec.) v. York 146 for 9.
- * Barnsley 162 v. King Cross 165 for 2.

CHAMPIONS LOSE

North Yorkshire and South Durham League

Norton, the champions of the North Yorkshire and South Durham League, suffered their first defeat of the season yesterday. They were playing against their neighbours Stockton, who won by 38 runs.

Norton were handicapped by the absence of D. C. H. Townsend, their captain, and J. Grigor, their best bowler, who were playing for Durham against Northumberland.

* Norton 97 v. Stockton 137.

GOOD WORK BY THE COLTS

EASY VICTORY FOR COLTS

Staffordshire Batsmen Struggle

Staffordshire Beaten by 9 Wickets

WEARING WICKET

PORTHILL, Monday
Yorkshire Colts gained a big advantage over Staffordshire in the Minor Counties match here to-day. The home county had to follow-on 122 behind and, losing two wickets for 46 in the second innings, still require 76 to avoid the innings defeat.

Yorkshire certainly gained a material advantage by winning the toss and taking first innings, for the wicket wore badly, and became almost dangerous after tea. Smith, Halton and Lowe were all hit by the fast bowlers and temporarily laid out.

The Staffordshire fielders made a few mistakes early in the game which were costly. Watson might have been caught in the slips before scoring, and Haigh and Beaumont were both missed. Had these opportunities been taken Staffordshire might have got in before the wicket became really bad, but the young Yorkshire batsmen took excellent advantage of their good fortune, and a score of 208 was definitely a good one in the circumstances.

Watson, a young left-hand bat, who had played three innings for the Second Eleven without scoring, batted in good style after his early escape, playing consistently steady bowling by Taylor and Crump with skill. He revealed a liking for the bowling of Shardlow, a slow left-arm spinner, hitting him to leg for 4 and 6 off consecutive balls. In two hours' batting he hit one 6 and seven 4's, driving and cutting well.

Beaumont also showed good form and an eagerness to punish anything loose. When run out he really sacrificed his own wicket to save that of Hamer, who started too impetuously for a second run.

Six wickets fell for 144, but Cawthray and Crick added 31, the wicket-keeper having some luck with several of his shots, though they did not go to hand.

Soon after the start of the Staffordshire innings the ball began to fly about, and the batsmen were in perpetual difficulty with the speed bowlers, Brayshay, Hampshire and Cawthray. The spectators "barracked" Hampshire, but it was not his fault, but that of the pitch, that he hit one or two home batsmen.

Cadman, playing his first game for the Second Eleven, also found a worn spot and bowled cleverly, turning the ball sharply from leg.

When Staffordshire followed-on, Cawthray did the visitors a good turn by clean bowling both the opening batsmen in five balls.

YORKSHIRE II.—First Innings	
G. A. Wilson, lbw b Hampshire, not out ...	14
Taylor ...	14
Watson, b Taylor ...	65
Haigh, b Crump ...	15
Beaumont, run out ...	27
Hamer, c Hollowood b Taylor ...	12
Cawthray, b Taylor ...	18
Cadman, c Hollowood b Taylor ...	5
Crick, b Taylor ...	27
Total ... 208	

STAFFORDSHIRE	
First Innings	Second Innings
A. B. Hollowood, b Hampshire ...	27
R. Smith, b Cawthray ...	12
J. T. Ikin, st. Crick b Cadman ...	8
R. S. Patterson, c Crick b Cadman ...	13
V. T. Troman, c Haigh b Hampshire ...	6
Reg. Halton, c Crick b Brayshay ...	7
S. Crump, run out ...	2
L. Lowe, b Brayshay ...	0
W. A. Adams, c Beaumont b Cadman ...	0
F. Shardlow, run out ...	5
B. Taylor, not out ...	1
Extras ...	5
Total ... 86	

YORKSHIRE II.—First Innings		Total for 2 wickets 46	
o.	m. r. w.	o.	m. r. w.
Taylor ... 40.2	14 72 7	Shardlow . 6	0 23 0
Troman ... 5	0 18 0	Ikin ... 7	1 51 0
Crump ... 35	11 56 2		

STAFFORDSHIRE—First Innings	
Brayshay . 11	5 22 2
Cawthray . 9	1 24 1
Hampshire . 5	1 16 2
Cadman ... 6.5	1 19 3

DEADLY SPELL BY BRAYSHAY

From Our Special Representative

PORTHILL, Tuesday
Yorkshire Colts gained a nine wickets victory over Staffs here to-day. Some such result was indicated by the overnight score, for with two of their best wickets gone for 46, the home county required 76 to avoid an innings defeat.

The pitch played rather more evenly than yesterday, and two juniors of the Staffs team, John Ikin and R. S. Patterson defied the Yorkshire attack for just over an hour and added 79, so that only two were needed to make Yorkshire bat again when Patterson cut Brayshay hard down the gully for Cawthray to make a fine catch. Patterson had batted for an hour and ten minutes, but might have been caught by the Yorkshire captain off Cadman with his score 14. Ikin hit seven 4's and played fine free cricket for nearly an hour and a half.

After their departure, things went badly for Staffs. Brayshay, coming on a second time at 118, took four wickets for 18 in his next eight overs, while Cadman finished off the innings by taking the last two wickets in an over.

Set to get 50 for victory, Yorkshire colts knocked off the runs in 40 minutes. Wilson and Watson scored 30 by brisk cricket before the left hander was leg before. Wilson had three 4's in his bright knock.

First Innings		YORKSHIRE II.		Second Innings	
G. A. Wilson, lbw b Taylor ...	14	not out	14	not out	25
Watson, b Taylor ...	65	lbw b Crump	15	not out	14
Haigh, b Crump ...	15	not out	4		
Beaumont, run out ...	27				
Hamer, c Hollowood b Taylor ...	12				
Cawthray, b Taylor ...	18				
Cadman, c Hollowood b Taylor ...	5				
Crick, b Taylor ...	27				
Hampshire, not out ...	16				
Brayshay, lbw b Crump ...	4				
Col. Chichester-Constable, c Shardlow b Taylor ...	1				
Extras ...	8			Extras	8
Total ... 208		Total (for 1 wkt.) ... 31			

STAFFORDSHIRE	
A. B. Hollowood, b Hampshire ...	27
R. Smith, b Cawthray ...	12
J. T. Ikin, st. Crick b Cadman ...	8
R. S. Patterson, c Crick b Cadman ...	15
V. T. Troman, c Haigh b Hampshire ...	6
Reg. Halton, c Crick b Brayshay ...	7
S. Crump, run out ...	2
L. Lowe, b Brayshay ...	0
W. A. Adams, c Beaumont b Cadman ...	0
F. Shardlow, run out ...	5
B. Taylor, not out ...	1
Extras ...	5
Total ... 86	

BOWLING ANALYSIS	
YORKSHIRE II.—First Innings	
o.	m. r. w.
Taylor ... 40.2	14 72 7
Troman ... 5	0 18 0
Crump ... 35	11 56 2
Second Innings	
Taylor ... 8	5 22 0
Crump ...	7.2 1 21 1

STAFFORDSHIRE—First Innings	
Brayshay . 11	5 22 2
Cawthray . 9	1 24 1
Hampshire . 5	1 16 2
Cadman ... 6.5	1 19 3
Second Innings	
Hampshire . 9	2 21 0
Cadman ... 10	5 25 2
Cawthray ... 11	2 33 2
Hamer ... 5	1 14 0
Wilson ... 9	2 28 1

CHESHIRE FOLLOW ON

Cheshire face the prospect of an innings defeat at the hands of Lancashire II. in their minor counties fixture at New Brighton. They are 189 behind with nine wickets standing.

Lancashire totalled 293, but Cheshire were never comfortable, and were all out for 117. Following-on, they lost a wicket in the last over of the day.

LANCASHIRE II.—First Innings	
Greenhalgh, b Dennis .. 42	T. A. Higson, c Canevall b Parkinson ... 48
Place, c Fairbairn b Winstanley .. 47	Bowes, lbw b Dennis... 6
D. D. Little, c Canevall b Dennis .. 11	Robinson, st Prescott b Parkinson .. 7
K. Cranston, b Dennis .. 15	Briggs, not out .. 2
A. E. Husband, b Parkinson .. 88	Extras .. 6
Parkin, b Winstanley .. 16	Total .. 293
Garlick, lbw b Parkinson .. 6	

CHESHIRE	
First Innings	Second Innings
Dennis, c Robinson b Bowes .. 10	
R. D. Fairbairn, c Greenhalgh b Cranston .. 32	
A. M. Wolstenholme, b Garlick .. 7	
J. D. Canevall, b Cranston .. 6	
G. A. McEntyre, c Briggs b Bowes .. 14	
Parkinson, c Robinson b Bowes .. 4	
J. D. Worthington, b Bowes .. 24	not out .. 3
G. A. Hosking, c Place b Parkin .. 1	
H. G. Prescott, lbw b Cranston .. 1	b Higson .. 1
M. Halliwell, c Greenhalgh b Cranston .. 0	
W. Winstanley, not out .. 12	
Extras .. 6	Extras .. 4
Total .. 117	Total (for 1 wkt.) 8

CHESHIRE BEATEN AT NEW BRIGHTON

Despite a fighting innings by Parkinson, who scored 75, including 11 4's, Cheshire were all out for 217 in their second innings, and were beaten by 10 wickets by Lancashire II. at New Brighton.

LANCASHIRE II.	
First Innings	Second Innings
Greenhalgh, b Dennis .. 42	not out .. 25
Place, c Fairbairn b Winstanley .. 47	not out .. 14
D. D. Little, c Canevall b Dennis .. 11	
K. Cranston, b Dennis .. 15	
A. E. Husband, b Parkinson .. 88	
Parkin, b Winstanley .. 16	
Garlick, lbw b Parkinson .. 6	
T. A. Higson, c Canevall b Parkinson .. 48	
Bowes, lbw b Dennis .. 6	
Robinson, st Prescott b Parkinson .. 7	
Briggs, not out .. 2	
Extras .. 6	Extras .. 4
Total .. 293	Total (for none).. 43

CHESHIRE	
Dennis, c Robinson b Bowes .. 10	b Garlick .. 10
R. D. Fairbairn, c Greenhalgh b Cranston .. 32	b Cranston .. 14
A. M. Wolstenholme, b Garlick .. 7	b Higson .. 20
J. D. Canevall, b Cranston .. 6	b Cranston .. 8
G. A. McEntyre, c Briggs b Bowes .. 14	c Husband b Garlick .. 13
Parkinson, c Robinson b Bowes .. 4	c Parkin b Garlick .. 75
J. D. Worthington, b Bowes .. 24	c Bowes b Garlick .. 13
G. A. Hosking, c Place b Parkin .. 1	b Bowes .. 50
H. G. Prescott, lbw b Cranston .. 1	b Higson .. 1
M. Halliwell, c Greenhalgh b Cranston .. 0	b Higson .. 1
W. Winstanley, not out .. 13	not out .. 13
Extras .. 6	Extras .. 19
Total .. 117	Total .. 217

SPORT AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS

A Cricket Experiment in the North

OLD BOY'S LETTER

Watson's First Century For Sedbergh

From Our Special Representative

The system of organising games does not vary a great deal among Public Schools, but I recently received an interesting letter from an Old Boy of a certain school in the North describing a rather surprising experiment which has just been introduced there.

In previous years cricket has been run on the following lines:—(1) House matches on a "knock-out" basis in which the best XI in the House took part, members of the school 1st XI included; (2) League games throughout the term between houses (four teams) with no members of the first or second elevens eligible to play; and (3) Organised practice for the first two elevens on one particular afternoon and matches on two other days in the week.

The new system, to which my correspondent appears to take strong exception, abolishes the "knock-out" House matches; retains the League scheme with an important alteration in that each House fields only two sides—their 1st XI and a Colts team (under 15); and with matches every week (on the days on which the first two elevens used to put in useful practice), the team scoring most points by the end of term becomes Cock House.

House Before School

What does seem most surprising is the accompanying edict that when a player is required both for a School event and a House match, the latter shall come first. My correspondent mentions in this connection that School Rugby Football, Fives and Squash Rackets matches were cancelled owing to the clashing of House fixtures last season.

Apparently the idea behind this change is to raise the general standard of games at the school, but as this letter points out, this aim is not achieved. "The members of the eleven stand out head and shoulders above the rest in most House games; they take things too easily and consequently lose their effectiveness when they meet stronger opposition; the weaker players are likely to become frightened at the prospect of tackling the bigger people or facing fast bowling on bad wickets, with the result that they lose their nerve and are no more use. The general outcome is a falling off in the standard of play in the school rather than an improvement."

One gives the points from this letter without comment. The lot of those responsible for coaching the Senior cricket at the school must, nevertheless, be somewhat unenviable.

Matches in Mid-Week

The only inter-school fixture in the North in this mid-week is between Leeds Grammar School and St. Peter's, York, at Leeds. Leeds G.S. have done very well indeed so far this term, and most of their opponents have found the all-round form of their captain, D. Warburton, rather too much for them. But the easy victory which St. Peter's gained over Worksop last Saturday will give them confidence, and one hopes that the weather will not spoil this game, as it has done so often in recent years.

Other games to-morrow include: Stonyhurst v. Preston; the annual visit of the Free Foresters to Wrekin; another annual match at Durham, where the School meet the Falcons; and Pocklington's visit to Londesborough Park. H. J. White, the former Dorset captain, is taking a side to play against Ashville College.

The Craven Gentlemen play at Giggleswick to day, and Repton meet the M.C.C., while Thursday's list includes matches at

Denstone and Sedbergh. Denstone meet strong club opponents in the Northern Nomads, who have fixtures with most of the leading Northern schools and Sedbergh have an equally formidable task against Durham County Pilgrims—their last game, incidentally, before they play Ampleforth.

SEDBERGH gained a victory over Grange C.C. (Edinburgh) by 105 runs. The School showed improved form, especially D. J. F. Watson, who scored his first century, and S. H. Johnston. The bowling of Grange was quite strong and included two Scotland bowlers. The visiting batsmen were rather short of practice and were unable to cope with some good spin bowling. Scores:—Sedbergh 195 (D. J. F. Watson 114, S. H. Johnston 37) Grange 90 (R. H. Edwards 5 for 37, R. W. W. Watson 5 for 25).

The School did well to dismiss a fairly strong Yorkshire Gentlemen's side for 109, but the fielding and accuracy of bowling left a good deal to be desired. The batting failed badly against D. Warburton, who bowled well to take 6 for 18. Scores:—Yorkshire Gentlemen 109; Sedbergh 59.

DURHAM were rather unfortunate not to win against a strong batting side brought by H. S. Harrison. The school batted first and Cunningham (36) and Orwin put on 77 for the second wicket. Cunningham was well caught on the square leg boundary at 99 and then Orwin (80) and Hall (40 not out) carried the score to 171. The innings was declared at 177 for 4 after Forster was out. Hall and Orwin both batted well. Harrison's XI had 5 wickets down for 25 but Iley and Darling stopped the rot, and though near time two more wickets fell Durham were unable to get the last two wickets, the total being 128 for eight at the close.

LEYS lost to the Cryptics by seven wickets. The school were 115 for 5 and the attacks on the bowling by White, Pepper and Skinner showed that this policy of aggression could have been usefully employed in earlier games. But "the tail did not wag" and the Leys were all out for 146, Bruce-Lockhart taking 7 for 53. The Cryptics scored the necessary 147 runs for the loss of only three wickets.

In the match with a strong M.C.C. team the latter amassed 330 runs for the loss of 9 wickets and declared. The Leys were 116 for 7 at the close of play.

ST. BEES lost at Giggleswick by 149 to 216. St. Bees fielding has been excellent all this season, but in this match it broke down badly and the game was thrown away. Ainley, who later batted very well for his 75 runs, gave two very easy chances before he had made 10, and as many other chances were missed the score rose steadily. When St. Bees batted several batsmen got themselves out just when they seemed well set. Rickerby made 40, and Morison, Costeloe and Lishman also did well. Still a team that wastes its chances does not deserve to win, and Giggleswick deserve every credit for making the most of their opportunities.

ROSSALL continue their run of close finishes. After losing to Yorkshire Gentlemen by one run, they drew another exciting game against Birkenhead Park. After losing their first four wickets for 9, the visitors were 45 for seven wickets at lunch. When play was resumed, E. Allen defended stubbornly while R. P. Bloor made the runs and the partnership took the score to 114 before Bloor was caught at the wicket having made an invaluable 56. The innings closed at 130. Rossall had to fight for their runs against some accurate fast bowling by White, the Worcestershire professional, and S. Coldwell. With 45 minutes to go Rossall with 3 wickets in hand, needed 41 runs to win, when the last over was started three runs were still wanted and there was the last man to come in. With the third ball White had P. G. Cliffe caught at the wicket and the match ended in a draw, Rossall 128 for nine wickets.

DENSTONE defeated Derby Grasshoppers by five wickets. D. E. Young hurt a finger and was quickly bowled by J. H. G. Deighton. D. G. Hodgkinson began with several fine shots but then hooked a shortish ball into square leg's hands, Johnstone-Monk making a good catch. J. H. G. Deighton, continuing to get an amount of speed off the wicket, took five for 24, and M. G. Hensman, left arm over the wicket had three for 20. In reply Denstone found just as much difficulty after D. H. Burrow had gone for 21, caught off a ball which rose sharply. But one or two useful scores enabled the home side to reach 86 with five wickets down.

YORKSHIRE COUNCIL
 Elsecar 258 (for 6 den.) v. Wath 58.
 NORTH YORKSHIRE AND SOUTH DURHAM
 LEAGUE
 Darlington R.A. 36 for 2 v. Bishop Auckland 55.

NORTHALLERTON C. S. v. RICHMOND G. S.
NORTHALLERTON—Cooper, c Calvert, b Pedley, 1; Mackintosh, b Pedley, 6; Brownbridge, b Whittingham, 4; Wood, b Pedley, 3; Metcalfe, b Whittingham, 15; Errey, b Pedley, 0; Ward, c Atkinson b Whittingham, 2; Clark, b Whittingham, 0; Pearson, c Calvert, b Whittingham, 3; Faubert, b Whittingham, 5; Wilson, not out, 16; extras, 9; total, 66.
RICHMOND G. S.—Fendlebury, b Metcalfe, 4; Harrison, not out, 25; Whittingham, b Cooper, 46; extras, 3; total (for 2 wickets) 78.

YORKSHIRE COUNCIL Championship Table for Week Ending June 11

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.	Per- cent.
Sowerby Bridge	9	8	1	0	56	88.88
Ackworth	8	7	1	0	52	87.50
Sheffield Coll.	5	4	0	1	29	85.00
Mexborough	8	6	0	2	32	80.00
Dewsbury and S.	7	5	1	1	28	75.00
Rawmarsh	6	4	0	2	24	75.00
Cleckheaton	8	6	2	0	32	75.00
Settle	4	3	1	0	16	75.00
Scholes	6	4	2	0	24	66.66
South Kirkby	7	4	1	2	28	64.28
Scarborough	8	5	3	0	32	56.25
Sleeton	9	5	2	2	26	61.11
Elsecar	7	4	2	1	28	60.71
Addingham	8	4	2	2	24	59.37
Furbeck Main	8	4	2	2	24	56.25
Osselt	8	4	2	2	24	56.25
Harthead Moor	8	4	2	2	24	56.25
Heckmondwike	8	4	2	2	24	56.25
Hunsworth	8	4	3	1	32	55.11
Hanging Heaton	7	3	3	1	28	50.00
Mitchell Main	4	2	2	0	16	50.00
Salts (Saltire)	9	4	3	2	36	50.00
Denaby and Cad'y	7	3	3	1	28	46.42
Wath Athletic	6	2	1	3	24	45.85
Rockingham	8	3	3	2	32	45.75
Thackley	8	3	3	2	32	45.75
Allerton Bywater	6	2	2	2	24	41.66
Bentley Colliery	6	2	2	2	24	41.66
Thornhill	6	2	2	2	24	41.66
Glasshoughton	6	2	2	2	24	41.66
Birstall	8	3	4	1	32	40.62
Liversedge	8	3	4	1	32	40.62
Brodsworth M. C.	8	3	4	1	32	40.62
Leeds Zingari	8	3	4	1	32	37.50
Morley	8	3	5	0	32	37.50
Wakefield	8	3	5	0	32	37.50
Batley	8	2	5	1	32	34.37
Frickley Colliery	6	1	1	4	24	33.33
Rossington	8	1	1	6	32	31.25
Hickleton Main	5	1	2	2	20	30.00
Harrogate	6	1	3	2	24	25.00
Featherstone	6	1	3	2	24	25.00
Tong Park	8	1	4	3	32	21.87
Menston	9	1	4	4	24	26.83
Illingworth	8	1	5	2	32	18.75
Pontefract	7	1	5	1	28	17.85
Gomersal	8	1	6	1	32	15.62
Erasmus	7	1	6	0	28	14.28
Thorncliffe	7	0	6	1	28	14.28
Drighlington	8	1	7	0	32	12.50
Knarborough	8	0	4	4	32	12.50
Staincliffe	8	0	5	3	32	9.37
Swinton	4	0	3	1	16	6.25
Monkton	5	0	5	0	20	—100

YORKSHIRE CENTRAL LEAGUE

Yorkshire Council

Up to June 11

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Dewsbury and Savile	8	5	1	2	17
Cleckheaton	8	5	1	2	16
Heckmondwike	8	4	1	3	15
Osselt	9	4	2	3	15
Birstall	9	3	4	2	11
Liversedge	9	3	4	2	11
Batley	9	3	5	1	10
Morley	9	3	5	1	10
Wakefield	9	3	5	1	10
Staincliffe	8	0	5	3	5

HUDDERSFIELD AND DISTRICT LEAGUE

Up to June 11

SECTION "A"

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Slathwaite	12	8	2	2	26
Elland	12	6	0	6	24
Lockwood	12	6	0	6	23
Huddersfield	12	5	5	2	19
Rastrick	12	4	3	5	18
Lascelles Hall	12	3	4	5	16
Holmfirth	12	3	4	5	12
Armitage Bridge	12	2	5	5	11
Broad Oak	12	2	5	5	11
Golcar	12	0	5	7	9
Paddock	12	1	6	5	8
Marsden	12	0	6	6	6

SECTION "B"

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Bradley Mills	12	8	2	2	26
Meltham	12	6	1	5	23
Honley	12	6	2	4	22
*Linthwaite	12	6	0	6	22
Kirkburton	12	5	5	2	22
Meltham Mills	12	4	4	4	16
Primrose Hill	12	4	4	4	16
Thongsbridge	12	4	4	4	14
Dalton	12	3	6	3	12
Kirkheaton	12	2	6	4	10
Almondbury	12	2	8	2	8
Shepley	12	1	8	3	6

* Six points deducted.

The Yorkshire Council match, due to be played on Saturday next at Wath-upon-Dearne, between Wath Athletic and South Kirkby will take place at Bolton-on-Dearne.

YORKSHIRE COLTS START BADLY

Northumberland Bowlers' Complete Mastery

WATSON'S VALUABLE INNINGS

From Our Special Representative

NEWCASTLE, Monday

Yorkshire Second Eleven have fared singularly badly against Northumberland here in recent years, and to-day's play suggests that this season's visit to Jesmond will bring them little recompense. In cold weather, with frequent showers sweeping the ground, Northumberland finished up with a lead of 66 runs, and four wickets still in hand, after Yorkshire had been dismissed for 153.

Yorkshire, who, without Halliday, are not a very strong batting side, had to face those two admirable left-handers, Booth and Robson, and their failure was not altogether surprising.

Watson, who watched the ball well, stayed nearly two hours for a painstaking and invaluable 30, and useful innings came from Wilkinson and Hamer. But the bowlers held complete mastery, and Robson, who kept an excellent length and made the ball swing off the pitch disconcertingly, deserved an analysis of 4 for 37.

Northumberland had the good fortune to bat while Yorkshire's bowlers laboured under the handicap of using a wet ball and, although Goulden was soon out, they never really looked like falling to gain a first innings lead.

Murray's Fine Display

J. S. W. Usher, who, like the Northumberland captain, T. A. W. White, and Booth, has played for the Yorkshire Second Eleven in the past, hit the loose ball very hard in front of the wicket to score 42, which included 8 boundaries and, after a valuable effort by Robson, a 19-year-old batsman, I. Murray gave a most attractive display on his second appearance for his county.

Murray scored 71 without being dismissed against Durham recently, and to-day he finished with 66, putting on 68 in an unbroken partnership with C. P. M. Hunting, an old Rubyelan, who is being given his first trial as wicketkeeper for Northumberland, Murray gave a difficult chance in the slips at the start of his innings, but otherwise he batted very well indeed, his driving being beautifully timed.

His captain helped him to put on 40 quick runs and, against Yorkshire's limited attack, Murray thoroughly enjoyed himself in the closing hour.

Under such conditions, it was difficult to assess the merits of the Yorkshire bowlers, but, apart from Wilkinson, who claimed three good wickets, they were certainly not impressive, and Tomlinson's length at times was an uncertain quantity.

Scores:—

YORKSHIRE SECOND—First Innings		NORTHUMBERLAND—First Innings	
G. A. Wilson, b Allan	16	W. S. Shield, b Brayshay	13
Watson, b Robson	30	T. Goulden, lbw, b Wilkinson	2
Weatherill, run out	11	J. S. W. Usher, c Hamer, b Wilkinson	42
Beaumont, b Robson	7	W. G. Mackay, lbw, b Wilkinson	7
Cawthray, b Allan	11	L. Murray, not out	104
Hamer, lbw, b Robson	21	Robson, b Hamer	22
Wilkinson, b Booth	28	T. A. W. White, b Cawthray	23
Crick, c Allan, b Saunderson	9	Extras	14
		Total (6 wickets)	219
			219

BOWLING ANALYSIS		YORKSHIRE—First Innings		NORTHUMBERLAND—First Innings	
o	m	r	w	o	m
Allan	15	2	50	Robson	15.4
Booth	17	5	22	Shield	1
Saunders	13	4	35		0

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Umpires: Franks and Tregear.

COLTS' USUAL FATE

Northumberland Inflict an Innings Defeat

YORKSHIRE'S NEED

From Our Special Representative

NEWCASTLE Tuesday

By four o'clock this afternoon Northumberland had gained a richly deserved victory over Yorkshire Second Eleven by an innings and 13 runs here, and, once again, the Colts had paid the inevitable penalty for fielding a side which contained only one bowler of any class, and which was deplorably weak in batting.

When they followed-on 152 runs behind, only four of their batsmen reached double figures in the second innings, the remainder appearing completely out of their class against some good, fast medium bowling by Allan.

Without a leavening of experienced players in their side, Yorkshire Second Eleven are likely to win, or even draw, few matches this season.

Murray's Fine Promise

Northumberland carried their overnight score of 219 (for six) to over 300 before declaring, and I. Murray had the satisfaction of completing his first century in Minor County cricket.

A young batsman who, in a short time, has gained almost as impressive a reputation as Halliday, he watched the ball carefully and made some lovely drives and cuts. In his three innings for Northumberland, he has made 175 runs—and he has not yet been dismissed.

C. P. M. Hunting helped him to put on 83 for the seventh wicket, and none of the tall batsmen seemed to find the Yorkshire bowling at all difficult. Wilkinson took three wickets for 57, but none of the remaining Yorkshire bowlers are yet up to Minor County class.

The Yorkshire second innings was only redeemed from ignominy by an attractive innings by G. A. Wilson, who has a fluent off-drive; the enterprise of Wilkinson, who hit Booth for six into the adjoining cemetery; a dogged effort by Hamer; and finally a gallant 27 not out by Tomlinson, who managed to stay in without ever looking very happy about it.

Allan made the ball get up awkwardly at times, and bowled consistently well throughout. His seven for 51 was a fine performance backed up by keen fielding.

First Innings		YORKSHIRE II.		Second Innings	
G. A. Wilson, b Allan	16	c Saunderson	b Robson	30	
Watson, b Robson	50	b Booth		1	
Weatherill, run out	11	c Mackay	b Allan	2	
Beaumont, b Robson	7	c Mackay	b Allan	2	
Cawthray, b Allan	11	b Allan		7	
Hamer, lbw, b Robson	21	b Allan		7	
Wilkinson, b Booth	28	c Shields	b Allan	56	
Crick, c Allan, b Saunderson	9	b Allan		0	
Tomlinson, st. Hunting	4	not out		27	
P. B. Brayshay, not out	9	c Mackay	b Robson	0	
Col. R. C. Chichester-Constable, b Robson	1	c Mackay	b Allan	0	
Extras	6	Extras		9	
Total	155	Total		156	

BOWLING ANALYSIS		YORKSHIRE—First Innings		NORTHUMBERLAND—First Innings	
o	m	r	w	o	m
Allan	15	2	50	Robson	15.4
Booth	17	5	22	Shield	1
Saunders	13	4	35		0

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MINOR COUNTIES
MATCH

Staffordshire's Strong Position
Against Durham

Staffordshire put themselves in a commanding position yesterday in their two days' match with Durham, at Norton, Stockton. They made 294, of which R. Smith, who was at the wicket three hours, contributed 116. His off-driving was of tremendous power and his score included nine fours.

Durham lost their first six wickets for 81, and it seems inevitable that they will be required to follow-on to-day.

STAFFORDSHIRE—First Innings		DURHAM—First Innings	
R. Smith, c Herbert b Grigor	116	E. Broderick, c Manners b Carr	25
A. B. Hollowood, lbw. b Carr	17	W. A. Adams, b Manners	0
G. Pedley, b Grigor	0	B. Shardlow, c Beresford b Grigor	33
J. T. Ikin, run out	2	W. Stubbs, not out	0
C. C. Clarke, c Townsend b Latchford	51	Extras	2
S. Crump, b Herbert	44	Total	294
R. Hammond, b Herbert	4		
DURHAM—First Innings		STAFFORDSHIRE	
D. C. H. Townsend, c Smith b Stubbs	19	E. Manners, b Shardlow	0
J. Beresford, lbw. b Ikin	10	J. Latchford, b Pedley	0
H. E. Bailey, c and b Shardlow	28	J. Grigor, not out	5
W. Barron, c Stubbs b Crump	6	Extras	7
		Total (6 wkts.)	81

STAFFORDSHIRE'S EASY
WIN

Durham Lose by Seven Wickets
At Norton

Staffordshire pressed home their advantage at Norton, yesterday, and won by seven wickets.

After Durham had made a creditable effort to make a fight of it, the remaining four wickets fell for 22 runs, and the home county had to follow-on 161 behind.

They gave an improved display at the second attempt, and not only avoided an innings defeat, but set Staffordshire to get 55 and got three good wickets down for 38 before Smith and Pedley settled the issue.

First Innings		DURHAM		Second Innings	
D. C. H. Townsend, c Smith b Stubbs	19	lbw b Crump	41		
J. Beresford, lbw. b Ikin	10	c Hammond b Broderick	41		
H. E. Bailey, c and b Shardlow	28	lbw b Ikin	5		
W. Barron, c Stubbs b Crump	6	b Broderick	55		
E. Manners, b Shardlow	0	c Broderick b Pedley	8		
J. Latchford, b Pedley	6	b Crump	7		
J. Grigor, b Pedley	16	not out	39		
Carr, c Shardlow b Pedley	9	b Crump	20		
D. Glen, b Crump	2	b Shardlow	9		
A. W. Austin, c Ikin b Shardlow	15	c Clarke b Shardlow	4		
F. I. Herbert, not out	12	b Shardlow	0		
Extras	10	Extras	8		
Total	233	Total	215		

STAFFORDSHIRE		DURHAM	
R. Smith, c Herbert b Grigor	116	not out	24
A. B. Hollowood, lbw. b Carr	17		
G. Pedley, b Grigor	0	not out	10
J. T. Ikin, run out	2	c Glen b Grigor	10
C. C. Clarke, c Townsend b Latchford	51	c Austin b Latchford	0
S. Crump, b Herbert	44	c Austin b Carr	5
R. Hammond, b Herbert	4		
E. Broderick, c Manners b Carr	25		
W. A. Adams, b Manners	0		
B. Shardlow, c Beresford b Grigor	33		
W. Stubbs, not out	0		
Extras	2	Extras	6
Total	294	Total (for 3 wkts.)	55

**SHEFFIELD COLLEGIATE
WELL PLACED**

**Annual Match With M.C.C. Side at
Sheffield**

Sheffield Collegiate were well placed at the end of the first day's play of their annual two days' game with an M.C.C. XI., at Sheffield yesterday, and with only two wickets down, they were 16 runs ahead.

The M.C.C., who fielded six professionals, made a good start, C. Danson and Harrington putting on 73 for the first wicket but, afterwards, the batsmen failed against Maddocks and Outram, and were dismissed for 159. Maddocks had five wickets for 51.

Buck and Carr put on 146 for Collegiate's first wicket and Buck at the close was undefeated with 93 to his credit. So far he has hit 10 4's.

Scores:—

M.C.C.—First Innings		J. V. Machell, w	
C. E. Danson, c Carr	26	J. V. Machell, w	9
b Barber (B.H.)	26	Outram	9
Harrington, c Barber	48	Haycroft, b Ibbetson	1
(M.) b Maddocks	48	Sharp, not out	10
F. D. Beattie, c Carr	16	Routledge, b Maddocks	13
b Maddocks	16	Major C. Wilson, b	3
Covill, lbw. b Maddocks	8	Outram	3
H. Birbeck, c Carr b	8	Extras	2
Maddocks	8	Total	159
Goldsmith, lbw. b	15		
Outram	15		

SHEFFIELD COLLEGIATE—First Innings

C. O. Buck, not out	93	M. Barber, not out	8
R. H. G. Carr, c Harrington b Sharp	54	Extras	16
A. W. Willows, c Machell b Harrington	6	Total (2 wks.)	177

**SHEFFIELD COLLEGIATE
DRAW**

**Partnership of 250 by M.C.C.
Batsmen**

A grand partnership of 250 in two and a half hours by F. D. Beattie and Covill, after two wickets had fallen for 30 runs in the M.C.C. second innings, was the feature of the second day's play in the annual game between M.C.C. and Sheffield Collegiate, which was drawn, at Sheffield, yesterday.

Beattie hit two 6's and ten 4's in his 134, and Covill two 6's and thirteen 4's in his undefeated 123.

First Innings		M.C.C. Second Innings	
C. E. Danson, c Carr	26	c Barber (B. H.) b	28
b Barber (B.H.)	26	Maddocks	28
Harrington, c Barber	48	lbw b Maddocks	1
(M.) b Maddocks	48	c Buck b Outram	154
F. D. Beattie, c Carr	16	c Buck b Outram	154
b Maddocks	16	c not out	123
Covill, lbw. b Maddocks	8	c not out	123
H. Birbeck, c Carr b	8	c not out	7
Maddocks	8		
Goldsmith, lbw. b	15		
Outram	15		
J. V. Machell, b	9		
Outram	9		
Haycroft, b Ibbetson	1		
Sharp, not out	10		
Routledge, b Maddocks	15		
Major C. Wilson, b	3		
Major C. Wilson, b	3		
Outram	2		
Extras	2	Extras	1
Total	159	Total (3 wks. dec.)	294

SHEFFIELD COLLEGIATE

C. O. Buck, c Covill	131	c Haycroft b Wilson	3
b Birbeck	131		
R. H. G. Carr, c Harrington b Sharp	54		
J. W. Willows, c			
Machell b Harrington	6		
M. Barber, c Beattie	20		
b Wilson	20		
W. M. Dixon, b Birbeck	14	not out	24
not out	55	not out	20
B. H. Barber, not out	55		
W. R. Maddocks, c and	0		
b Birbeck	0		
H. J. Ibbetson b Covill	15		
C. Thirsk, b Covill	0		
D. Browne, run out	0		
C. Outram, not out	12		
Extras	19	Extras	9
Total (9 wks. dec.)	326	Total (for 1 wkt.)	56

SPORT AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Ampleforth Beaten by Six Wickets

FEEBLE BATTING

Sedbergh Face an Easy Task

From Our Special Representative

The form of Ampleforth and Sedbergh in their earlier matches suggested that their meeting would provide us with a level and interesting game, but form is notoriously unreliable in school cricket and by a quarter past three Sedbergh had gained the easiest of victories by six wickets.

The complete failure of Ampleforth, who in their previous games had looked a sound batting side all the way down, was most disappointing. There was little excuse for it, for the wicket was good, and the Sedbergh bowling was not particularly hostile.

But right from the start Ampleforth played into their opponents' hands, extending diffident bats to the ball outside the off stump which should have been left alone, and placing three slips and a gully to quite medium paced bowling the Sedbergh captain had merely to wait for the opposing side to give themselves up.

Smith and Haywood-Farmer were both out with only a run on the board, and Mahony was caught at the wicket after batting quite nicely for 16. Apart from Garbett, who scored an invaluable 33, the remaining batsmen offered little or no resistance until the last pair came together to add 21 runs, J. M. Horner, the captain, scoring 16, and the innings closed at 106. Gunn took 4 for 20; R. W. Watson, a slow left-hander, had 3 for 28; and Ayre took 2 for 36.

Good Batting by D. J. F. Watson

So Sedbergh were left with all the afternoon to make the runs, and they never appeared in any difficulty against some good bowling, particularly by Munro, who had quite a formidable pace off the pitch. Bannister was out to a bad ball—a full toss outside the off stump which he nicked to the wicket-keeper—at 18, but Edwards and D. J. F. Watson batted very well to carry the score to 47.

They used their feet admirably, going right out to kill the spin of the slow bowling, and they made some lovely shots on the off side. The fielding at the start was very smart, with Sutton going down work at cover point, while Garbett kept wicket admirably, but as the innings progressed the ground work became rather ragged, and runs were scored with increasing freedom.

Watson, who gained his colours at Sedbergh as long ago as 1934, is a batsman very much above the average, and if he could curb his impatience he would score a tremendous number of runs. He has as wide a variety of shots as N. S. Mitchell-Innes and N. W. D. Yardley used to play but he lacks the steadiness of, say C. F. Grieve whom one remembers for a grand innings against Sedbergh in this match five years ago.

Watson watches the ball well, his footwork is first class, but he makes a surprising number of streaky shots—chiefly I think, because the average bowling which he faces in these games is not really quite good enough to compel complete concentration.

Second Wicket Stand Broken

He scored freely off Sutton, whose spin bowling is slow enough to enable the batsman to wait and hook or pull the ball nine times out of ten. The second wicket stand was broken by Horner in his first over, Edwards being clean bowled, but Whittle helped Watson to carry the total to 83.

Whittle plays with a beautifully straight bat, and his driving, like that of his captain, was most attractive to watch. Munro could, I thought, have bowled to a more sensibly placed field; he needed an extra cover much closer in, and instead of two slips he could

AMPLEFORTH COLLEGE		SEDBERGH SCHOOL	
E. Smith, c Cullingworth b Holmes	1	P. D. Parke, c Cory b Gunn	5
P. H. Haywood-Farmer, c Bannister b Ayre	0	J. Munro, c Edwards b Watson	0
A. Mahony, c Cullingworth b Ayre	16	J. M. Horner, lbw b Gunn	9
G. V. Garbett, c Cory b Gunn	33	M. Johns, not out	6
R. N. Cardwell, c Cullingworth b Watson	12	Extras	1
C. Walker, b Gunn	11	Total	106
S. F. Sutton, lbw	5		
Watson	5		
SEDBERGH SCHOOL		CRIVEN GENTLEMEN	
P. Bannister, c Garbett b Cardwell	6	D. R. Gunn, lbw b Johns	3
R. H. Edwards, lbw b Horner	18	C. K. Cory, not out	1
D. J. F. Watson, lbw b Johns	42	Extras	10
C. J. R. Whittle, not out	27	Total (4 wickets)	107

well have had a man at square leg, where many runs were scored.

Watson was in sight of his fifty when he apparently made up his mind to hit the next ball sent down to him—whatever its merits—into the swimming bath, and Johns had him lbw, playing a most atrocious cross bat shot. The fourth wicket fell ten runs later, when Gunn was also lbw to Johns, who at this stage had taken two wickets for one run.

But here Ampleforth's success ended, and with Whittle missed in the slips off Johns at 96—this chance might easily have been Sedbergh fight hard if it had been taken—Whittle and Cory knocked off the remaining runs.

Sedbergh went on batting until shortly after tea, and finished up with 235, Cory making 26, L. Bruce-Lockhart 25, R. W. Watson 31 and A. E. W. Ayre 24. Johns had the best analysis, with 3 for 22.

RUGBY had a most exciting match with Uppingham, which ended with Rugby needing 12 runs to win and their last pair at the wicket. Uppingham batted first on a perfect pitch, but despite an excellent innings of 46 by R. A. Carr, their captain, nine men were out for 155. Unexpected resistance, however, came from Mackenzie and Pennall, the last pair, who raised the total to 194. It was this gallant stand which robbed Rugby of victory. Rugby started badly and six men were out for 90. Bridger, however, remained unperturbed by the failure of his colleagues, and when A. J. Pickard joined him the Uppingham bowling was really collared. Sixty runs were added for the sixth wicket before Bridger played on, having made a splendid 70. Another wicket soon fell, but Pickard and Satterthwaite, scoring off nearly every ball, brought Rugby near to victory. Stumps were drawn when Pickard was bowled for a gallant 44, leaving Satterthwaite with 26 not out.

REPTON lost to the M.C.C. side. The M.C.C. lost Raper with only a dozen runs on the board. Parsons joined Riches and they stayed until after lunch, when Parsons fell to a catch behind the wicket off Barnett. Singleton started off at a fast rate but was out to a catch off a mis-hit, and none of the later batsmen stayed long, except N. Riches, who fell when four short of a century, and the innings was declared at 205 for 6. The school started badly, losing Laing, who was yorked by Singleton, and Hearne fell to a good catch in the slips. Little resistance was offered to the swing bowling until Barnett and Thwaites came together and added 100 runs for the 8th wicket. Thwaites hit very hard for his 69 not out. The innings closed for 185.

DURHAM were beaten by a fairly strong Falcons side by 95 runs. After Falcons had lost three wickets for 21, Status and Curle put on 72, and then the latter and Elliott added 99. Curle batted well for his 93 and the Falcons declared at 219 for 8. The school fielding was poor and many catches were missed. Cunningham and Greenwood gave the school quite a good start, but after the former had left wickets fell quickly, and with only two minutes to go the innings closed for 124.

ROSSALL made up for their defeat of last year by beating the Common Room by 189 runs. The school, after losing three wickets for 127 before lunch, went on to make 269 for seven before declaring. P. L. Pearce Gould scored 60, C. C. P. Pocock (57), and K. C. Watson Smith (51). With five wickets in hand 30 minutes before the end, it seemed possible that Common Room might make a draw, but P. G. Spry had both E. B. Peel and J. G. Wagener caught, and the innings ended for 80.

DENSTONE, against a Bromsgrove side which was not at full strength, recorded

their seventh win of the season. Denstone began well on an easy wicket, J. H. G. Deighton scoring a quick 65 before lunch, and in spite of D. H. Burrow's dismissal for 25, reached 248 for seven. B. M. Cunningham was not out with 46. R. M. Watson made 38, and R. L. Richards 31. A shower of rain stopped play for a time, and when Bromsgrove went in J. H. G. Deighton and D. Ogden proved almost unplayable, Deighton taking six wickets for 15. Bromsgrove were all out for 51.

WREKIN drew with Cheshire Wayfarers. The school scored very slowly, and although rain stopped play twice later in the afternoon the total was only 80 for 6 at tea-time. Afterwards Denham, who scored 79 not out, and Malloes made runs much quicker, and Malloes was not out until the score was 155. With the score 166 for seven the innings was declared. At 7.15 nine of the visitors' wickets had fallen, but the last pair managed to play out time, the total reaching 108. Fulton and Smith bowled steadily, but Malloes, who was playing for the first time, was the most effective, and was very unlucky not to get the "hat-trick."

ELLESMERE entertained Liverpool College. After quite a promising start Ellesmere collapsed, and were out for 88, Davies alone displaying any confidence. The Liverpool fielding played a large part in the collapse, six men being caught. Liverpool opened very steadily, but after the tea interval Lloyd (39) and Lees (21) brought the total to 89, to win the match by four wickets.

STONYHURST were beaten by Preston by seven wickets. Batting first the school made 91, Deavin taking 6 for 24, and Hide 4 for 51. Preston owed everything to J. P. Dewhurst, who scored 90 not out in a total of 131 for 7, hitting 15 4's. Corbet performed a remarkable feat for Stonyhurst, taking four wickets in four balls—three of them clean bowled. His final analysis was 4 for 30.

ASHVILLE, who had so far only lost one match—to the Masters—played a strong eleven brought by H. J. White, the former Dorset captain. The visitors, who included two Yorkshire 2nd XI. batsmen in G. A. Wilson and J. Brumfit, dismissed the school for 127 (T. P. Oliver 29, J. D. Walker 24, G. A. Wilson 6 for 47), and made 128 for 5. A. C. Dawson scoring 61 and J. Brumfit 42.

CRIVEN GENTLEMEN WIN

Craven Gentlemen, in a match against Rishworth School, at Rishworth, were successful by four wickets.

Scores:—

RISHWORTH SCHOOL		CRIVEN GENTLEMEN	
J. B. Lees, b Moon	6	E. N. Andrews, b Hirst	7
J. B. Lees, b Hirst	6	W. Longbottom, b Wood	4
H. Gaskroder, c Henshaw b Hirst	25	P. C. Rees, c Roblinson b Atkinson	0
A. S. Peel, c Sellars b Schofield	11	G. T. Hardy, run out	0
E. H. Lamb, c Hirst	2	P. Viney, not out	0
J. Eccles, c Austen b Atkinson	6	B. 21, n.b. 3	24
		Total	93

J. F. Pearson, b Gaskroder	12	A. J. M. Henshaw, b Lees	9
M. P. Robinson, c Lees	33	B. Sheldon, not out	5
B. Lamb, c Schofield, b M. Sellars	16	C. B. Atkinson, not out	2
E. J. Sellars, c Rees	4		
B. Lees, c Rees	4	B. 9, lb. 2	11
B. J. Austin, b Lamb	2	Total (for 6 wickets)	94

FORMIDABLE SCORE BY YORKSHIRE COLTS

G. A. Wilson's Fine Century Knock

DURHAM CAPTAIN'S SURPRISE MOVE

From Our Special Representative

SOUTH SHIELDS, Wednesday

D. C. H. Townsend, the old Oxford Blue, who captains Durham, must have regretted his rather surprising decision to put the Yorkshire Second Eleven in to bat here to-day for they scored 325 for 9 before declaring.

Durham were left with ninety minutes batting at the end of the day and they made 72 for the loss of Townsend's wicket, finishing up 253 behind.

The wicket played very well all day long, and A. H. Parnaby made a neat 41 (not out) in the closing stages which held a threat of many more runs scored off this comparatively innocuous Yorkshire bowling. But Yorkshire have no reason to be dissatisfied with their work to-day. True, the Durham bowling was never formidable, and J. H. Olsen, whose spinners are far too slow to be effective against batsmen who use their feet, presented many ridiculously easy runs, but D. Glen compelled watchfulness in his opening spell and, at times, E. Manners and the former Warwickshire all-rounder, T. Collin, who is now professional at Durham School, kept the batsmen quiet.

Beaumont's Promise

G. A. Wilson made a good century—his first in Minor County cricket—making some lovely shots of his back foot, but perhaps the most cheering feature of the innings was a very attractive display by Beaumont, who had not suggested any particular promise in his previous innings for the Colts.

Beaumont watched the ball very carefully, revealed an unexpectedly wide range of attacking shots and delighted everyone with his beautifully timed leg glides. This innings should ensure him a protracted trial in the side.

Wilson was at the wicket just over three hours for his 109, hitting a 6, and seven 4's and, although at times he was not too happy against Olsen's occasional better ball, he showed, in general, the greatest confidence. He is proving a most useful opening batsman for a side which badly needs stability such as he and Halliday impart to it.

Cawthray made 88 (not out) in an innings of sharp contrasts. For threequarters of the time he looked acutely uncomfortable, particularly against the slower bowlers. His timing on the leg side was hopelessly at fault but, when the need for quick runs was recognised after tea, he forced the pace admirably, his batting improving all round. He has many good shots if he cares to use them and should make a really useful number five.

Scores:—

YORKSHIRE SECOND ELEVEN.—First Innings	
G. A. Wilson, c Austin	109
b Parnaby	109
Watson, c Austin	6
Glen	6
Weatherill, c Collin	15
Manners	10
Beaumont, c Parnaby	88
b Olsen	88
Cawthray, not out	88
Tomlinson, P. B. Brayshaw, and Lieut.-Col. R. C. Chichester-Constable did not bat.	
Extras	23
Total (for 6 wts., dec.)	325

DURHAM.—First Innings

D. C. H. Townsend, b	15
Cawthray	15
A. H. Parnaby, not out	41
J. H. Beresford, not out	12
T. Collin, H. E. Bailey, W. Barron, E. Manners, J. H. Olsen, Carr, A. W. Austin, and D. Glen to bat.	
Extras	6
Total (for 1 wkt.)	72

BOWLING ANALYSIS

YORKSHIRE—First Innings		E. MANNERS		T. COLLIN	
o.	m. r. w.	o.	m. r. w.	o.	m. r. w.
Glen	26 8 61 1	Carr	15 4 35 0		
Manners	18 3 52 1	Parnaby	12 2 57 0		
Olsen	25 0 75 1	Townsend	5 0 20 0		
Collin	12 1 24 0				

Umpires—Bentley and Elliott

COLTS LOSE FIRST INNINGS POINTS

Durham Match Abandoned at South Shields

CASTLEFORD'S BOWLER'S SUCCESS

From Our Special Representative

SOUTH SHIELDS, Thursday

From the start to-day there was never any likelihood of a definite result in the match between the Yorkshire Colts and Durham here for the wicket, apart from one spot, showed no signs of wear and Durham, who had a useful batting side, seemed quite capable of making over 400.

As it happened, a collapse at the end of the innings prevented this occurring and they had to be content with a lead of 49 runs. But they can scarcely have hoped for any more tangible reward than first innings points, and the eventual abandonment of the game, because of rain, disappointed no one.

A. H. Parnaby batted very well when the Durham innings was continued this morning and he never looked like getting out until Tomlinson beat him with a ball which pitched on the one rough spot at the Sunderland end. He had then made 74, and his partnership with J. H. Beresford had produced 95 good runs.

Beresford, a very correct batsman, who watches the ball well and drives with confidence and grace on the off side, went on to score 136—a long and extremely valuable innings in which he only gave one chance just before reaching his century in three and three-quarter hours.

Hurricane Partnership

E. Manners helped to put on 91 for the sixth wicket and he took a rather less active part in a hectic seventh wicket partnership with Carr the Blackhall professional. Carr has changed the fortunes of a game on countless occasions by his inspired and furious assaults on the best of bowling. He was not at his best to-day but, even so, he gathered 52 runs in just over half an hour, hitting two majestic sixes off Tomlinson, and this hurricane partnership of 80, in 37 minutes, extinguished all hopes of a Yorkshire lead, and the only cheering feature from the Colts' point of view was the success of Tomlinson, the Castleford left arm bowler, who came out with 7 for 118 in 44 overs.

Carr spoilt his analysis but, on the whole, he bowled very accurately and well and managed to turn the ball quite a lot.

Scores:—

YORKSHIRE SECOND ELEVEN	
G. A. Wilson, c Austin	109
b Parnaby	109
Watson, c Austin	6
Glen	6
Weatherill, c Collin	15
Manners	10
Beaumont, c Parnaby	88
b Olsen	88
Cawthray, not out	88
Hamer, c Manners	15
Parnaby	15
Hampshire, c Olsen	3
Farnaby	3
Crick, not out	15
Extras	23
Total (for 6 wts., dec.)	325

Total (for 1 wkt.)... 28
Tomlinson, P. B. Brayshaw, and Lieut.-Col. R. C. Chichester-Constable did not bat.

DURHAM.—First Innings

D. C. H. Townsend, b	15
Cawthray	15
A. H. Parnaby, b	41
J. H. Beresford, b	12
T. Collin, H. E. Bailey, W. Barron, E. Manners, J. H. Olsen, Carr, A. W. Austin, and D. Glen to bat.	
Extras	6
Total (for 1 wkt.)	72

BOWLING ANALYSIS

YORKSHIRE—First Innings		E. MANNERS		T. COLLIN	
o.	m. r. w.	o.	m. r. w.	o.	m. r. w.
Glen	26 8 61 1	Carr	15 4 35 0		
Manners	18 3 52 1	Parnaby	12 2 57 0		
Olsen	25 0 75 1	Townsend	5 0 20 0		
Collin	12 1 24 0				

Second Innings	
Glen	7 1 15 1
Manners	7 2 12 0
DURHAM—First Innings	
Brayshaw	20 2 60 0
Cawthray	23 3 55 1
Hampshire	22 1 75 0
Tomlinson	44 1 8 116 7
Hamer	14 1 52 1

Umpires—Bentley and Elliott

STAFFORDSHIRE'S GOOD RECOVERY

Valuable Innings by Ikin Against Northumberland

Staffordshire had first use of the wicket against Northumberland, at Newcastle, yesterday, and after they had lost two early wickets, reached the total of 256.

Ikin batted well in his score of 76, hitting one six and seven fours.

Northumberland scored 167 (for three wickets) in reply, Goulden and Mackay scoring attractively in a stand of 77 for the second wicket.

Scores:—

Details—Northumberland v Staffordshire	
STAFFORDSHIRE—First Innings	
R. Smith, b Booth ... 7	E. Broderick, not out. 24
A. B. Hollowood, c 1	B. Shardlow, c Lee b 10
Dixon b Booth 1	W. A. Adams, b Robson 37
G. Pedley, b Robson.. 40	W. Stubbs, c and b 4
Ikin, b Lee 76	Robson 4
C. C. Clarke, b Booth 13	
S. Crump, c Shield b 21	Extras 5
R. Hammond, c Holden b Robson 18	Total 256

NORTHUMBERLAND—First Innings	
W. S. Shield, c 0	H. C. Lee, not out 38
Hammond b Stubbs 0	I. Murray, not out ... 2
T. Goulden, b Ikin ... 37	Extras 1
W. G. Mackay, b Pedley 89	Total (for 3 wks.) 167

NORTHUMBERLAND DRAW AT NEWCASTLE

Brilliant Innings By Clarke for Staffordshire

Northumberland secured first innings points by 14, after passing Staffordshire's score with only five wickets down. Shardlow, who had bowled well without luck both days, took 4 wickets for seven in his last two and a half overs.

Staffordshire again made a bad start but Smith and Clarke completely collared the bowling which was short of Allan, suffering from a strained back.

Clarke hit brilliantly, scoring 67 out of 126 in 63 minutes. He hit one six and ten 4's.

Staffordshire declared at tea but rain ended the match shortly afterwards.

Scores:—

STAFFORDSHIRE	
First Innings	Second Innings
R. Smith, b Booth ... 7	run out 91
A. B. Hollowood, c 1	Dixon b Booth 23
Dixon b Booth 1	lbw b Booth 0
O. Pedley, b Robson.. 40	c Saunders 4
Ikin, b Lee 76	c Dixon b Booth ... 67
C. C. Clarke, b Booth 13	b Saunders 21
S. Crump, c Shield b 21	c and b Booth 2
Robson 18	R. Hammond, c Holden b Robson 18
R. Hammond, c Holden b Robson 18	lbw b Robson 6
E. Broderick, not out. 24	st Dixon b Robson ... 9
B. Shardlow, c Lee b 10	not out 18
Booth 4	W. A. Adams, b Robson 37
W. A. Adams, b Robson 37	W. Stubbs, c and b 4
W. Stubbs, c and b 4	Robson 5
Robson 5	Extras 24
Extras 5	Total (for 8 wks. des.) 244
Total 256	

NORTHUMBERLAND	
W. S. Shield, c 0	not out 16
Hammond b Stubbs 0	c Ikin b Stubbs 5
T. Goulden, b Ikin ... 37	c Ikin b Shardlow ... 11
W. G. Mackay, b Pedley 89	b Shardlow 15
H. C. Lee, c Adams b Ikin 54	not out 2
I. Murray, c Hollowood b Shardlow 48	Robson, b Ikin 20
Robson, b Ikin 2	T. A. W. White, b Ikin 20
T. A. W. White, b Ikin 20	O. H. Saunders, c 1
O. H. Saunders, c 1	Pedley b Shardlow .. 8
Pedley b Shardlow .. 1	N. Dixon, not out ... 2
N. Dixon, not out ... 8	J. L. Allan, b 2
J. L. Allan, b 2	Shardlow 1
Shardlow 1	Booth, at Hammond b 8
Booth, at Hammond b 8	Shardlow 1
Shardlow 1	Extras 6
Extras 8	Total (for 2 wks.)... 53
Total 270	

PRIESTLEY CUP

In the match between Windhill, 181 for 4 (innings suspended), and Spen Victoria, 120 for 6, the continuation last night was prevented because of rain.

BUCHANAN CUP

RICHMONDSHIRE v. RICHMOND G.S. OLD BOYS
 RICHMONDSHIRE.—R. Fawcett, b S. Simpson, 8; R. Dinadale, c Thistlethwaite b Worrall, 9; Hill, b Worrall, 15; H. Wheatley, b Worrall, 13; A. Swainston, b Thistlethwaite, 10; T. Bramham, not out, 26; G. Emmerson, b Worrall, 0; R. Bickerdike, lbw b Worrall, 2; W. Brown, not out, 11; extras, 8; total (for 7 wks.), 102.
 RICHMOND G.S. OLD BOYS.—C. H. Worrall, not out, 41; R. Pedley, b Bickerdike, 7; S. J. Simpson, c Wheatley b Hammond, 51; J. Simpson, b Bramham, 18; D. Molyneux, not out, 6; extras 14; total (for 5 wks.), 137.

Kilvington, Ackworth's medium-paced left-arm bowler, has signed professional forms with Bingley, the Bradford League club. Kilvington, who is 19 years of age, played last season as a professional with Rotherham, in the Yorkshire League. He returned to Ackworth this season, and, in nine matches, has taken 29 wickets for just under nine runs each.

LINCOLN CHARITY MATCH

In aid of Lincoln County Hospital, a cricket match was played on the Lindum ground, Lincoln, between teams representing His Majesty's Services, and the Press of Lincoln. The Services batted on Tuesday, and made 225, and the Press yesterday scored 86.

STAMFORD SCHOOL v. NORTHAMPTON SCHOOL

NORTHAMPTON SCHOOL—K. J. Brimley, c Williamson b Kettle, 0; K. Cochran, c Broad b Gutteridge, 2; R. F. Garnett, c Gutteridge b Kettle, 34; C. J. Judge, c Skinner b Gutteridge, 6; A. L. Riddle, c Flint b Kettle, 2; P. K. Robinson, c Kettle b Gutteridge, 0; A. Drew, at Flint b Gutteridge, 1; D. H. Barber, not out, 15; R. Foulger, c Staveley b Gutteridge, 2; J. Dartnell, b Skinner, 12; —, Durant, c Flint b Skinner, 0; extras, 5; total, 77.
STAMFORD SCHOOL—P. J. Draper, lbw b Garnett, 8; F. C. Smith, c Foulger b Garnett, 7; R. W. Williamson, lbw b Judge, 13; K. Kettle, c Robinson b Cochran, 14; F. C. Hind, b Dartwell, 27; M. S. Staveley, b Cochran, 19; R. J. Broad, b Dartwell, 1; W. F. Gutteridge, lbw b Cochran, 2; G. Skinner, c Robinson b Riddle, 12; N. Flint, b Durant, 26; G. Taylor, not out, 11; extras 2; total, 142.

NORTH YORKSHIRE AND SOUTH DURHAM LEAGUE

DARLINGTON 101, v. Bishop Auckland 103 (for 6).

*Stamford Bridge 102 for 8 v. The Wasps 81.

YORKSHIRE CENTRAL LEAGUE

(YORKSHIRE COUNCIL)

Up to June 18

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Cleckheaton	10	7	2	1	22
Dewsbury and Savila ...	10	6	3	1	20
Ossett	10	6	3	1	18
Heckmondwike	9	4	4	1	15
Liversedge	10	4	4	2	14
Batley	10	2	6	2	11
Birstall	10	3	6	1	11
Morley	10	3	6	1	11
Wakefield	9	3	5	1	10
Staincliffe	10	0	7	3	3

COLTS HELD UP

Only Two Overs Bowled at Wakefield

Play in the match between Yorkshire colts and Staffordshire at College Grove, Wakefield, yesterday, was restricted to two overs, in the course of which the visitors' opening batsmen scored two runs. A heavy shower stopped play, and there was more rain during the day.

It was against Staffordshire earlier in the season that the Colts won their first and only match so far in the season.

Captained by E. J. H. Dixon, of Oxford University, the Yorkshire side also includes M. A. C. P. Kaye, of Cambridge University.

Scores:—

STAFFORDSHIRE—First Innings	
R. Smith, not out	1
R. S. Patterson, not out	1
Total (for no wicket)	2
L. F. Gale, C. J. Clarke, T. R. Delighton, S. Crump, A. W. Ikin, E. Broderick, J. B. Blair, B. Shardlow, and W. Stubbs to bat.	
YORKSHIRE COLTS.—E. J. H. Dixon (capt.), Halliday, Weatherill, Watson, Beaumont, Hamer, Cawthray, M. A. C. P. Kaye, Tomlinson, Crick, and Vickers.	

COLTS' GAME ABANDONED

The match between Yorkshire Colts and Staffordshire at College Grove, Wakefield, was abandoned yesterday.

Overnight rain had soaked the pitch, and, although the final abandonment was delayed until an inspection after lunch, it was found the pitch had not recovered sufficiently to permit of play.

On the first day only two overs were bowled, the Staffordshire opening pair scoring two runs.

Scores:—

STAFFORDSHIRE	
R. Smith, not out	1
R. S. Patterson, not out	1
Total (for 0 wkt.)	2

SPORT AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Fine Performance by Sedbergh AGAINST AUTHENTICS Captain's 97 Not Out in Last Innings

From Our Special Representative
Several schools, among them Sedbergh and Repton, have finished their cricket season, and Rossall play their last match of the term to-morrow, against the North of Ireland.

Sedbergh, who have not done as well as they hoped at the start of the term, were very unlucky not to beat the Oxford University Authentics, for after declaring at 231 for 6 they dismissed eight of their opponents for 82 runs. D. J. F. Watson, the Sedbergh captain, ended a distinguished school career with a fine innings of 97 not out. I understand that he is very likely to play at Lord's next month.

Apart from the game at Rossall, there are few mid-week fixtures, but St. Bees start three days' cricket on Thursday with a match against T. J. Cowen's XI.

Cowen, a former St. Bees captain, was in the running for a Rugger Blue at Oxford last season; his team to play St. Bees includes R. M. Marshall, the Yorkshire and England forward, who captained Giggleswick at cricket two seasons ago. On Friday and Saturday St. Bees are at home to the Craven Gentlemen.

To Play for the North

Two more players have been invited to play for the North in the Public Schools match against the Craven Gentlemen on August 15-16 at Ilkley. They are R. M. Whitty (Trent) and J. H. G. Deighton (Denstone). Whitty has batted consistently well for Trent this year, and among his best performances are 154 not out and 3 for 13 v. Old Boys and 72 v. Wellingborough.

Deighton's bowling has been one of the outstanding features of Public School cricket this year. He has taken over fifty wickets already, and after doing the "hat-trick," and taking five wickets in six balls against the Old Denstonians, he went on to achieve another "hat-trick" and six wickets in seven balls in the next game against Trent.

In that particular match Trent were 45 for 5 at lunch, and in his first over after the interval Deighton proceeded to take all the remaining wickets.

RUGBY gained a handsome victory over the M.C.C. by ten wickets. Kershaw bowled so well that the M.C.C. who had quite a strong side, had 8 men out for 98. The last two batsmen, however, managed to keep their ends up while Goldsmith, who saved the side with a fine 87 not out, hit the bowling, which began to lose its length. The total thus reached 158. Kershaw had the fine figures of 7 to 27. Rugby had only two hours in which to make the runs, but against bowling which was steady without being much more, they hit off the runs in fine style in 110 minutes without losing a wicket. Hingley took the main share of the innings, scoring a splendid 105 not out, including 13 boundaries, but Bridger's contribution of 42 not out was equally valuable. Neither gave a chance.

ROSSALL drew the 12 a-side match with the Old Rossallians. After losing nine wickets for 137, Rossall eventually declared with 250 for ten. For this recovery they were to thank C. A. Harvey and G. D. M. Pocock. Harvey came into the side as twelfth man and more than justified his inclusion by making 63, while Pocock played a sterling innings of 40 not out. The Old Boys were all out for 196, P. G. Spry taking seven wickets for 63. Owing to the various activities of Prize Day the time for cricket on the second day was somewhat limited. Rossall made 95

for six, leaving the opposition 150 to make in an hour. When stumps were drawn they had made 74 for the loss of four wickets.

The M.C.C. match was spoilt by rain, no play was possible on Thursday. On the first day Rossall were all out for 101, to which total the M.C.C. replied with 264 for nine, the Rev. J. H. Parsons (62), G. Sharp (43), and P. Higson (42), being the chief scorers.

DURHAM lost rather badly to a strong Durham County Pilgrims team, chiefly owing to the failure of their batsmen. They did well to get a good batting side out for 165. The Pilgrims started badly against some good bowling and had two wickets down for 12 runs. Eventually after a good stand by Battle and Pickering (63), the innings closed for 165. Otwin had 6 for 72 and Cunningham 4 for 0. The Durham early batsmen fared disastrously, and despite a valiant effort by Hall and Breschnall to pull things round, they were all out for 57 to be beaten by 108 runs. Townsend bowled well for the Pilgrims, taking 6 for 24.

WREKIN were beaten in the home match with Denstone by seven wickets. The School were put in on a rain-damaged wicket, and after scoring 50 for two collapsed after lunch, and were all out for 99, E. A. C. Denham scoring 29 and C. E. M. C. Fulton 24 not out. J. H. G. Deighton took nine wickets for 30. Denstone replied with 100 for three wickets, D. H. Burrow 45 and Deighton 36, both not out.

In the away match with Ellesmere the school won by seven wickets. Ellesmere were dismissed for 72, Fulton taking five wickets for 37 and Smith four for 27. For the school Denham scored 25 not out and Willford 36.

LEYS played a drawn match with The Travellers C.C. The visitors batted first and declared at 255 for seven wickets. The chief scorers were G. W. Smith 58, A. E. Wright 41, and J. H. Weller-Poolley 75. The school amassed 217 for the loss of six wickets in two and a half hours. W. N. White made 75 and D. H. Pettigrew 44. In the drawn match with Bedford School 481 runs were scored during the day for the loss of only eight wickets. Oakley played a remarkable innings of 203 not out for Bedford, leaving the school to get 320 runs to win. Leys replied with 162 for five, D. M. Witherington scoring 88.

ELLESMERE lost to Shrewsbury, totalling 55 and Shrewsbury replying with 132 for five wickets, Wigley scoring 50.

POCKLINGTON drew the match with Ripon G.S., declaring at 128 for seven wickets, Leys 37, and Ripon scoring 71 for six.

SILCOATES drew their home match with Ackworth School. The visitors declared at 112 for eight wickets, J. M. Addey scoring 33, and Silcoates lost six wickets in totalling 71.

Craven Gentlemen v. Workshop College Masters XI, at Workshop College

Craven Gentlemen		Workshop College Masters XI	
S. D. Rhodes, b Farnes	0	J. W. Hay, b Farnes	2
Hirst Wood, b Mackie	34	F. N. Riding, c Surfleet b Mackie	8
D. A. Shepherd, c York b Farnes	0	H. G. Kippax, not out	45
J. Brumfitt, c Farnes b Farnfield	21	Extras	6
R. G. Williams, b Farnes	54	Total (7 wks. dec.)	170
F. J. Taylor, c B. Atkinson, and F. Metcalfe did not bat.			

Workshop College Masters XI		Craven Gentlemen	
C. W. F. Mackie, c Kippax b Williams	8	K. Farnes, lbw b Atkinson	22
D. F. Surfleet, c Metcalfe b Williams	2	J. D. Powell, not out	32
B. A. S. Farnfield, not out	34	Extras	3
C. E. Harden, N. A. York, G. F. Dark, C. R. W. Francis, S. J. Osborne, and H. E. D. Aston did not bat.		Total (3 wks.)	101

BRIGHT HITTING Oxford Authentics at Castle Eden

Durham County Pilgrims were 143 behind Oxford Authentics with three wickets in hand when stumps were drawn last night at Castle Eden at the end of the first day's play of the annual two-days match.

After three Oxford wickets had fallen for 30, Henriques and Young added 104 for the fourth wicket. Henriques hit one 6 and 10 4's in a brilliant 67.

Young, with well-placed shots all round the wicket, seemed well set for a century, but when 10 short he fell to the bowling of Doggart. His polished display included two 6's and 11 4's.

Towards the close, Grover flogged the tired bowling unmercifully, and his undefeated 79 included two 6's and 10 4's.

The Pilgrims opened their reply in convincing style, D. C. H. Townsend hitting 11 4's in his 64, and M. M. Walford included two 6's and eight 4's in 58.

Oxford Authentics—First Innings		Durham County Pilgrims	
R. Luyt, at Bailey b Townsend	19	J. N. Grover, not out	79
R. Cooper, c Guthrie b D. C. H. Townsend	2	J. D. Edgar, c D. C. H. Townsend	0
D. C. H. Townsend	2	H. L. Proud, lbw b Cooper	5
H. J. L. Marriott, b Townsend	7	C. E. A. Howe, b Henriques	0
D. J. A. Henriques, c P. Townsend b Battle	67	M. M. Walford, c M. M. Walford b Battle	11
D. E. Young, c Battle b Doggart	90	W. R. Battle, not out	0
A. H. Deane, c Guthrie b Howe	14	Extras	8
Total (for 8 wks. dec.)	324	Total (for 7 wks.)	181

OXFORD AUTHENTICS DRAW

Bad light 35 minutes from time robbed Oxford University Authentics of victory over Durham County Pilgrims at the end of the second and final day's play at Castle Eden yesterday. The Pilgrims were 203 behind with three wickets to fall when stumps were drawn. During the two days 1,014 runs were scored.

Oxford Authentics		Durham County Pilgrims	
FIRST INNINGS.—324 for 8 declared (D. E. Henriques 67).		FIRST INNINGS.—246 (D. C. H. Townsend 64, M. M. Walford 58).	
SECOND INNINGS.—284 for 6 declared (J. D. Edgar 94, H. J. L. Marriott 51 not out, A. R. V. Barker 65).		SECOND INNINGS.—160 for 7 (D. C. H. Townsend 62 not out).	

Huddersfield League XI.

The Huddersfield League side to entertain a Bradford League XI. at Fartown to-day week, was announced yesterday as follows:—
F. E. Greenwood (Huddersfield, captain), G. A. Dawson (Slaithwaite), A. Carter (Rastrick), J. Beaumont (Armitage Bridge), W. Watson (Paddock), A. Hamer (Golcar), W. Dennis (Elland), F. Haigh (Kirkburton), A. Coxon (Bradley Mills), H. Kirrchcliffe (Broad Oak), V. J. Evans (Golcar).

COLTS SEEKING REVENGE

Useful Lead Over Northumberland

EIGHT WICKETS FOR WILKINSON

From Our Special Representative

ILKLEY, Monday

The weather ruled to-day's play in the return match between Yorkshire second eleven and Northumberland here, for on a pitch affected by overnight rain, 28 wickets fell for 225 runs.

A hot sun transformed a freshly-cut and unprepared stretch of turf into a wicket which was a veritable paradise for the spin bowler, and if, at the outset, Northumberland had high hopes of repeating their victory by an innings in the recent game at Jesmond, their optimism must have been shattered by the time that stumps were drawn at half past seven.

With four second-innings wickets standing, Yorkshire lead by 115 runs, and on a badly damaged pitch it seems unthinkable that Northumberland can pass the hundred in their fourth innings against bowling which routed them for 55 runs this afternoon.

Batsmen in Distress

The pitch which had been prepared for the match was so obviously beyond repair after the rain of the previous night that some delay was caused while a new wicket was made ready. Yorkshire chose to bat first on it, and after much labour they scored 130—a surprisingly good total against fine bowling.

Booth and Robson, two left-handers of considerable experience and gulle, were on top from the start, and not one of Yorkshire's batsmen ever looked at all happy; but by devious methods Watson collected a valuable 39, D. A. Shepherd scored a patient 28, and Beaumont managed to carry his bat for 16.

Booth kept a perfect length, turned the ball a great deal, and finished with an analysis of four for 26 in 26.2 overs.

Wilkinson Unplayable

Northumberland's fate was sealed as soon as their innings began. They lost Mackay to a beautiful catch close in on the leg-side by Robinson before a run had been scored, and in an hour and a half they were all out for 55. Curiously enough it was Wilkinson's swerve and not Robinson's spin which did the damage, for Robinson, well though he bowled, generally turned the ball so much that it beat not only the batsman but the wicket-keeper.

Wilkinson made it swing off the pitch with deadly accuracy, and the Northumberland side were completely demoralised. Only two players—Murray and Saunders, who hit a six into the adjacent tennis courts—reached double figures, and Wilkinson finished with 8 for 28.

Yorkshire thus began their second innings with a useful lead of 75, and though wickets continued to fall like ninepins until the close, their 40 for 6 is not so insignificant as it might appear.

Scores:—

YORKSHIRE SECOND XI		First Innings		Second Innings	
G. A. Wilson, c	0	lbw b Allan	15		
Mackay b Booth	0				
Watson, c Hunting	39	lbw b Allan	2		
Lee	0				
Halliday, c Allan	6	b Booth	4		
Robson	0				
D. A. Shepherd, c	28	not out	1		
Mackay b Allan	16	c Saunders b Allan	0		
Beaumont, not out	16				
Cawthray, c Hunting	6	b Booth	6		
b Robson	4	b Booth	0		
Hamer, b Booth	5	not out	2		
Robinson, b Robson	15				
Robson, c Lee	0				
Wilkinson	0				
Crick, c Mackay	0				
Booth	0				
Tomlinson, b Booth	15	B. 6, lb. 4	10		
B. 11 lb. 2	150	Total (for 6 wickets)	40		

NORTHUMBERLAND—First Innings		C. P. M. Hunting, c		and b Wilkinson	
W. G. Mackay, c Robinson	0	W. G. Saunders, b	14		
N. A. Newman, b Wil-	6	J. L. Allan, b Wilkin-	1		
kinson	11	son	0		
I. Murray, not out	6	Booth, lbw b Wilkinson	0		
H. C. Lee, b Robinson	0				
T. Goulden, b Wilkinson	5	B. 14, n.b. 2	16		
Robson, c Shepherd	0	Total	55		
Robson, c Shepherd	0				
Wilkinson	0				
T. A. W. White, c	2				
Hamer b Wilkinson	2				

BOWLING ANALYSIS		YORKSHIRE II—First Innings		m. r w	
Allan	27	9	43	1	3 46 4
Booth	26.2	11	26	4	1 0 2 1

NORTHUMBERLAND—First Innings		Robson <th colspan="2">Lee </th>		Lee	
Wilkinson	12.5	1	28	8	4 11 2
Robinson	12	4	11	2	

Umpires: Hubble and Flint

SECOND VICTORY OF SEASON

Colts Beat Northumberland by 43 Runs

"SPORTING WICKET"

Batsmen Struggling from the Start

From Our Special Representative

ILKLEY, Tuesday

By lunch time to-day, Yorkshire second eleven had gained their second victory of the season in the Minor County Championship, defeating Northumberland by 43 runs.

Though Yorkshire's second innings realised only 58, it gave them a lead of 133, and Northumberland never appeared to have a real chance of getting the runs, for the wicket was just as treacherous as it had been all day yesterday, and probably Northumberland were quite pleasantly surprised at passing their first innings total.

After watching so many drawn games played on over-prepared pitches, it has been quite refreshing to note the contrast provided by a match fought out on a wicket such as this. The odds, however, have been rather too much against the batsman, and no one can blame the many good players who failed during this remarkable game, during which 40 wickets fell for 333 runs.

Booth's Haul

Yorkshire's remaining four wickets fell for 19 runs when play was continued this morning, and Booth and Allan, who bowled unchanged, finished with highly creditable analyses. Booth, the Yorkshireman who has for several years been professional to the Northumberland County Club, claimed altogether nine wickets in the match for 48 runs.

Northumberland's second innings was redeemed from complete disaster by H. C. Lee, who scored with grace and confidence, and T. A. W. White, the captain, who drove strongly on the off-side; but their courage only deferred the inevitable end, for Robinson had all the batsmen under his spell, and he came out with five wickets for 47.

Wilkinson also bowled well to take 3 for 23, and this brought his return for the match to 11 wickets for 51 runs—a remarkable achievement under any conditions.

Scores:—

YORKSHIRE SECOND XI		First Innings		Second Innings	
G. A. Wilson, c	0	lbw b Allan	15		
Mackay b Booth	0				
Watson, c Hunting	39	lbw b Allan	2		
Lee	0				
Halliday, c Allan	6	b Booth	4		
Robson	0				
D. A. Shepherd, c	28	c Newman b Allan	11		
Mackay b Allan	16	c Saunders b Allan	0		
Beaumont, not out	16				
Cawthray, c Hunting	6	b Booth	6		
b Robson	4	b Booth	0		
Hamer, b Booth	5	not out	2		
Robinson, b Robson	15				
Robson, c Lee	0				
Wilkinson	0				
Crick, c Mackay	0				
Booth	0				
Tomlinson, b Booth	15	B. 6, lb. 4	10		
B. 11 lb. 2	150	Total	58		

NORTHUMBERLAND		lbw b Wilkinson		Robinson	
W. G. Mackay, c Robin-	0	lbw b Wilkinson	13		
son b Wilkinson	6	b Robinson	6		
N. A. Newman, b Wil-	11	b Robinson	17		
kinson	6	b Wilkinson	7		
I. Murray, not out	6	c Shepherd b Wilkin-	5		
H. C. Lee, b Robinson	0	son	0		
T. Goulden, b Wilkinson	5				
Robson, c Shepherd	0				
Robson, c Shepherd	0				
Wilkinson	0				
T. A. W. White, c	2	b Tomlinson	22		
Hamer b Wilkinson	2				
C. P. M. Hunting, c	0	c Cawthray b Tomlin-	11		
and b Wilkinson	14	son	1		
W. G. Saunders, b	1	lbw b Robinson	0		
Robinson	1	not out	1		
J. L. Allan, b Wilkin-	0				
son	1				
Booth, lbw b Wilkin-	0				
son	16	B. 4, lb. 3, n.b. 1	8		
B. 14, n.b. 2	55	Total	99		

BOWLING ANALYSIS		YORKSHIRE II—First Innings		m. r w	
Allan	27	9	43	1	3 46 4
Booth	26.2	11	26	4	1 0 2 1

Second Innings		Booth <th colspan="2">m. r w</th>		m. r w	
Allan	16.1	6	26	5	1 7 22 5

NORTHUMBERLAND—First Innings		Robson <th colspan="2">Lee </th>		Lee	
Wilkinson	12.5	1	28	8	4 11 2
Robinson	11	4	11	2	

Umpires: Hubble and Flint

YORKSHIRE COUNCIL
Championship Table for
Week Ending July 16

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pos.	Pts.	Per-
					Pts	Obt	cent.
Sowerby Bridge	15	12	1	0	52	48	92.30
Settle	7	6	0	1	28	25	89.28
Acworth	12	9	2	1	48	57	77.08
Cleckheaton	12	9	2	1	48	57	77.08
Mexboro'	14	10	1	3	56	45	76.78
Hemsworth	12	8	3	1	48	55	68.75
Rawmarsh	11	7	3	2	44	30	68.18
Dewsbury	13	8	2	3	52	35	67.30
Scholes	10	6	2	2	40	26	65.00
Hartshead Moor	12	7	2	3	48	31	64.58
Sheffield	9	5	1	3	56	23	63.88
Collegiate	9	5	1	3	56	23	63.88
Elsacar	12	7	2	3	48	30	62.50
Osett	13	6	2	4	52	32	61.55
South Kirkby	11	7	2	2	44	27	61.36
Scarborough	11	6	3	2	44	26	59.09
Frickley Colliery	11	4	4	3	44	22	50.00
Thackley	11	4	4	3	44	22	50.00
Hanging Heaton	10	4	4	2	40	19	47.50
Steton	13	5	4	4	52	24	46.15
Rockingham	13	5	4	4	52	24	46.15
Heckmondwike	13	5	5	3	52	23	44.23
Salts (Saltire)	13	5	5	3	52	23	44.23
Firbeck Main	13	5	5	3	52	23	44.23
Addingham	12	4	4	4	48	21	43.75
Brodsworth	12	5	6	1	48	21	43.75
Main C.	12	5	6	1	48	21	43.75
Leeds Zingari	13	4	3	6	52	22	42.30
Denaby	12	4	4	4	48	20	41.66
and Cadeby	12	4	4	4	48	20	41.66
Thoruhill	9	3	3	3	36	15	41.66
Hickleton Main	10	3	3	4	40	16	40.00
Wakefield	10	4	6	0	40	16	40.00
Liversedge	11	4	6	1	44	17	38.63
Rossington	11	2	1	8	44	16	36.36
Allerton	12	3	4	5	48	17	35.40
Wath Athletic	12	3	4	5	48	17	35.40
Eywater	10	3	3	4	40	14	35.00
Harrogate	8	3	3	3	32	11	34.37
Featherstone	9	2	3	4	36	12	33.33
Bentley Colliery	9	2	3	4	36	12	33.33
Birstall	13	4	8	1	52	17	32.69
Ilkworth	12	3	6	3	48	15	31.25
Glasshoughton	10	2	4	4	40	12	30.00
Batley	11	2	4	5	44	13	29.52
Morley	12	3	7	2	48	14	29.16
Menston	8	2	5	1	32	9	28.12
Mitchell Main	8	2	5	1	32	8	25.00
Knarsborough	9	1	5	3	36	8	22.22
Swinton	12	1	6	5	48	9	18.75
Thorncliffe	12	1	6	5	48	9	18.75
Drighlington	11	2	9	0	44	8	18.18
Staincliffe	15	1	8	4	52	8	15.38
Pontefract	11	1	8	2	44	6	15.00
Tong Park	12	1	9	2	44	7	15.90
Gomersal	11	1	8	2	44	6	13.63
Brampton	12	1	10	1	48	5	10.41
Monckton	8	0	8	0	32	0	—100

N. STEAD, Hon. Secretary.

YORKSHIRE GENTLEMEN WIN
Yorkshire Gentlemen beat Escrick Park,
at Escrick Park.

YORKSHIRE GENTLEMEN		ESCRICK PARK	
J. G. Troup, b Danby	54	W. Austin, not out	39
R. H. Howard-Taylor, b T. Meek	3	W. Wormald, b W. Meek	3
C. W. C. Facker, b Hall	70	Capt. E. W. Wood, not out	10
T. C. Palmer, b Hall	2	Extras	2
A. Wilson, c Wells	0	Total (for 6 wks. dec.)	183
A. Crookall	0		
F. Crookall, st. Troop	5	S. Wells, b Wilson	0
b Russell	5	T. Meek, c and b	0
T. Skerratt, lbw b	4	W. Meek, b North	5
Packs	18	G. Dalby, not out	6
V. Hall, b Palmer	1	H. Danby, c Wormald	5
R. Richardson, b	1	b North	23
M. D. Thompson, c	5	Extras	23
Wormald b Palmer	5	Total	84
J. Drury, b Palmer	12		

CRAVEN GENTLEMEN WIN
Craven Gentlemen beat Bootham School
in a match at York.

BOOTHAM SCHOOL		CRAVEN GENTLEMEN	
J. T. Eadie, c Pearson	1	J. W. Carrington, st	45
S. b Crane	20	Leyland b Dixon	0
T. S. Curtis, run out	11	Rev. C. E. D. Crane, run out	0
J. L. Crockett, st	6	C. D. Shepherd, c	26
Sugden b Carrington	4	Halliday b Hetherington	26
W. K. Dixon, st Sugden	4	D. M. Sugden, c Dixon	29
b Carrington	6	J. M. Pearson, b	12
F. T. Halliday, run out	4	Scott	3
P. T. Halliday, run out	4	Extras	2
B. V. Hetherington, st	4	Total	152
Sugden b Carrington	4		
D. W. Robinson, not out	66	M. Robinson, not out	28
Extras	4	H. E. Sellers, b Scott	0
Total	129	B. M. Rigby, st	0
		Leyland b Dixon	1
		F. L. Seville, c	6
		Crockett b Scott	0
		B. M. Phillips, c Scott	0
		b Halliday	0
		Extras	2
		Total	152

CRAVEN GENTLEMEN v. ST. BEES SCHOOL

ST. BEES SCHOOL		Second Innings	
A. D. Rickerby, b	12	b Peacock	1
Moxon	31	b Atkinson	3
J. M. Glen, b Hirst	24	c Atkinson b Peacock	6
W. N. R. Scott, c	4	b Atkinson	19
Hallas b Hirst Wood	8	c Sugden b Hirst Wood	8
L. C. R. Thom-Postlethwaite, c Pawle	4	b Atkinson	11
Hirst Wood	13	c Atkinson b Hirst Wood	0
P. N. F. Nixon, b	5	b Atkinson	4
Peacock, lbw b H. J.	11	b Atkinson	0
T. Elliot	0	b Atkinson	3
White, b H. J.	14	not out	0
L. Williams, b	7	Extras	2
Peacock	158	Total	58

CRAVEN GENTLEMEN		Total (for 1 wkt.)	
H. J. White, b Thom-Postlethwaite	6	b Thom-Postlethwaite	15
T. J. Cowen, b	17	not out	16
Manning	9	not out	1
G. J. Sellers, c	39		
Rickerby b Thom-Postlethwaite	39		
P. Hallas, c and b	4		
Elliot	25		
J. A. Sykes, c Costelloe	27		
b Elliot	9	Extras	3
S. J. S. Pawle, c	12	Total (for 9 dec.)	182
Scotter b Elliot	12	Total (for 1 wkt.)	35
C. B. Atkinson, run out	25		
C. S. Moxon, not out	9		
A. N. B. Sugden, c	3		
Costelloe b Elliot	9		
D. P. Peacock, c Manning b Elliot	3		
Extras	9		

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Rockingham149 Monckton (for 4) ..150

CATTERICK GARRISON v. FREE FORESTERS
FREE FORESTERS.—R. W. Thompson, c Gray b Penno, 11; Capt. M. J. Beckett, b Penno, 7; F. T. S. Brown, run out, 1; A. C. Dawson, b Penno, 18; J. A. Higson, b Carpenter, 15; W. A. Lupton, run out, 5; P. van Straubensee, c Penno b Basset, 25; M. Wilson, b Carpenter, 1; F. S. Shuttleworth, c Gray b Penno, 10; Capt. E. W. Wood, b Penno, 59; J. Elmhurst, not out, 0; extras 15; total 145.
CATTERICK GARRISON.—Major Bonavia, not out, 11; C. B. M. Carpenter, not out, 7; total (for none) 18.

COLTS HEADING FOR VICTORY

Cheshire Only Seven Ahead with Four Men Out

DAY FOR BOWLERS

Robinson and Dennis Take the Honours

From Our Special Representative

CHESTER, Wednesday

Remarkable progress was made here to-day when Yorkshire second eleven began the last away match in their Minor County programme. Twenty-four wickets went down for less than 250 runs, and even if play is only possible for an hour or two to-morrow, Yorkshire should gain their third victory of the season. They gained a first innings lead of 43, and Cheshire had passed this by only seven runs—and had lost four valuable wickets in the process—when a veritable deluge put an end to play.

The bowlers held complete mastery on a natural wicket which was a trifle rough at one end, and Robinson's off-spinners were altogether too much for Cheshire, who were dismissed before lunch for a paltry 80.

Backed up by good fielding, Robinson and Tomlinson found little opposition to their wiles after Dennis and Wolstenholme had left, and Robinson finished with six wickets for 34 runs. Tomlinson pegged away steadily and deserved his three for 18 in 13 overs.

Smurthwaite Helps

Included in the Yorkshire side are two new players in Smurthwaite, who has made only one previous appearance with the Colts, and Fiddling, a wicket-keeper who plays for Todmorden. Smurthwaite was not called upon to bowl in the first innings, but called upon to bowl in the second, and he played an exceedingly useful little innings of 20 after seven wickets had fallen for 80 runs in the afternoon. He helped Beaumont to add 35 in the only stand of note for the Colts, who found Cheshire's bowling too good for them.

Dennis was at the top of his form, and bowling fast and with plenty of "life"—with a fairly stiff cross-wind to help him—he took five wickets for 39 runs.

Shepherd batted well for his 28, and Watson looked very safe until he was beaten by a ball from Parkinson, the former Lancashire all-rounder.

Cheshire would have had roughly an hour and three-quarters batting at the end of the day if the rain had not intervened, but in the short time at their disposal, Yorkshire made a flying start by getting rid of four men for 50 runs.

Fairbairn and Dennis began confidently enough, but with 33 runs scored a surprising collapse occurred, three wickets falling at the same total. Fiddling caught Dennis, and a little later he brought off a really brilliant piece of stumping to dismiss Gilbody, who lifted his back foot for a fraction of a second as he played forward to Cawthray. Then came the rain, which may make Yorkshire's task even more easy on the morrow.

Scores:—

First Innings		CHESHIRE		Second Innings	
R. D. Fairbairn, b Cawthray	0	b Cawthray	15		
Dennis, c Shepherd	25	c Fiddling	b Robinson	14	
A. M. Wolstenholme, b Tomlinson	21	lbw b Cawthray	0		
A. G. Gilbody, b Robinson	0	st Fiddling	b Cawthray	10	
A. E. Edwards, c Shepherd	4	not out	0		
Parkinson, b Robinson	0	not out	7		
R. M. Dutton, lbw b Robinson	12				
F. Hack, lbw b Robinson	1				
L. N. Jones, b Tomlinson	3				
H. G. Prescott, not out	8				
Bartley, lbw b Robinson	1				
Extras	5	Extras	4		
Total	80	Total (for 4 wickets)	50		

YORKSHIRE SECOND XI.—First Innings		CHESHIRE—First Innings		
G. A. Wilson, b Dennis	1	Smurthwaite, c Prescott	b Dennis	20
D. A. Shepherd, lbw b Jones	28	Tomlinson, c Dutton	b Dennis	1
Halliday, b Dutton	4	P. B. Brayshaw, b Dennis	2	
Watson, lbw b Parkinson	15	Extras	5	
Beaumont, not out	25	Total	125	
Cawthray, b Parkinson	0			
Robinson, b Dennis	13			
Fiddling, b Bartley	1			

BOWLING ANALYSIS		CHESHIRE—First Innings	
Brayshaw	5	1	15
Cawthray	5	1	10
Tomlinson	15	7	18
Robinson	12	5	4

YORKSHIRE SECOND XI.—First Innings		CHESHIRE—Second Innings	
Bartley	15	3	21
Dennis	15	2	5
Dutton	8	1	20
Jones	10	0	20
Parkinson	4	2	18

THIRD VICTORY OF SEASON

Colts Survive Shocks to Defeat Cheshire

4th-WICKET STAND

Robinson Returns Analysis of 11 for 74

From Our Special Representative

CHESTER, Thursday

Yorkshire Second Eleven took only two and a half hours to finish off their return match with Cheshire here to-day, and they gained their third victory in the season's Minor County championship by seven wickets. Cheshire lost their remaining six wickets for 53 runs, and after a calamitous start Yorkshire knocked off the 61 runs needed without any real difficulty.

Robinson bowled very well on a wicket which suited him when the Cheshire second innings was continued this morning, and nine men were out for 67 before any determined resistance was made.

At this point Bartley, whose runs for Cheshire have been few and far between, joined Hack, and playing some surprisingly good shots in front of the wicket for a number eleven batsman he scored 25 out of 33 before he skied a ball and was caught behind the wicket. The bowler was Smurthwaite who, for some reason, had not been put on before, and he finished off the innings in his opening over.

Robinson's Reward

Robinson finished up with 5 for 40, and this satisfactory reward for some really good spin bowling brought his return for the match to 11 for 74. Cawthray also bowled well to take three for 12, but Tomlinson failed to make the most of his opportunities on a wicket which should have suited him admirably this morning.

Cheshire's fast-medium opening pair, Dennis and Bartley, began with such hostility that at one time there seemed a remote possibility of a startling collapse in Yorkshire's second innings. Bartley clean bowled both D. A. Shepherd and Halliday before they had scored, and G. A. Wilson was leg-before to Dennis at 15; but an admirable fourth-wicket partnership between Watson and Beaumont, two young batsmen from the Huddersfield League, spared the Colts further indignities.

Watson, a left-hander, made some very attractive forcing shots off his back foot in a neat innings of 35, and both he and Beaumont showed a sound and workmanlike defence until Cheshire's early optimism gave way to resignation.

Beaumont eventually won the match with a hook for 4 off Dutton, and at this point he and his partner had put on 47 runs by first-rate cricket.

Scores:—

First Innings		CHESHIRE		Second Innings	
R. D. Fairbairn, b Cawthray	0	b Cawthray	15		
Dennis, c Shepherd	25	c Fiddling	b Robinson	14	
A. M. Wolstenholme, b Tomlinson	21	lbw b Cawthray	0		
A. G. Gilbody, b Robinson	0	st Fiddling	b Cawthray	10	
A. E. Edwards, c Shepherd	4	c Wilson	b Robinson	5	
Parkinson, b Robinson	0	b Robinson	7		
R. M. Dutton, lbw b Robinson	12	lbw b Tomlinson	10		
F. Hack, lbw b Robinson	1	not out	9		
L. N. Jones, b Tomlinson	3	b Robinson	4		
H. G. Prescott, not out	8	b Robinson	0		
Bartley, lbw b Robinson	1	c Robinson	b Smurthwaite	25	
Extras	5	Extras	3		
Total	80	Total	105		

YORKSHIRE SECOND XI.—First Innings		CHESHIRE—Second Innings	
G. A. Wilson, b Dennis	1	lbw b Dennis	8
D. A. Shepherd, lbw b Jones	28	b Bartley	0
Halliday, b Dutton	4	b Bartley	0
Watson, lbw b Parkinson	15	not out	0
Beaumont, not out	25	not out	35
Cawthray, b Parkinson	0	not out	18
Robinson, b Dennis	13		
Fiddling, b Bartley	1		
Smurthwaite, c Prescott	20		
Tomlinson, c Dutton	1		
Dennis	1		
P. B. Brayshaw, b Dennis	2		
Extras	5	Extras	1
Total	125	Total (for 3 wickets)	62

BOWLING ANALYSIS		CHESHIRE—First Innings	
Brayshaw	5	1	15
Cawthray	5	1	10
Tomlinson	15	7	18
Robinson	12	5	4

YORKSHIRE SECOND XI.—First Innings		CHESHIRE—Second Innings	
Bartley	15	3	21
Dennis	15	2	5
Dutton	8	1	20
Jones	10	0	20
Parkinson	4	2	18

BOWLING ANALYSIS		CHESHIRE—Second Innings	
Brayshaw	10	4	15
Robinson	25	10	4
Cawthray	6	2	3
Smurthwaite	1	0	2

YORKSHIRE SECOND XI.—First Innings		CHESHIRE—Second Innings	
Bartley	6	2	10
Dennis	1	2	2
Jones	4	0	19
Dutton	2	5	0

Umpires—Elliott (H.) and Flint.

DURHAM RECOVER AFTER POOR START

Durham, at the close of play in their Minor Counties match with Lancashire Second, at Blackhill yesterday, were 23 behind with one wicket to fall.

Lancashire II. totalled 208. Durham started badly with four wickets down for 31. Barrow and Adamson then added 46, but eight were out for 126, when Manners and Olsen added 51.

Scores:—

LANCASHIRE SECOND XI.—First Innings	
C. R. Davies, c Carr b Olsen	17
Place, b Townsend ..	2
Whitworth, c Barron b Collin	35
Wilson, c and b Olsen ..	6
E. A. Husband b Carr ..	37
Parkin, c Adamson b Carr	50
Garlick, c Townsend b Manners	15
Extras	
Total	

DURHAM—First Innings	
A. H. Parnaby, b Garlick	9
J. H. Beresford, c Robinson b Bowes	5
T. Collin, b Bowes ..	2
J. A. Adamson, lbw b Birtwell	31
D. C. H. Townsend, c Robinson b Bowes ..	9
W. Barron, lbw b Parkin	25
Extras	
Total (for 9 wkts.) ..	

Bowes, b Manners ...	0
A. J. Birtwell, not out	15
Robinson, c and b Olsen	8
Roberts, b Olsen ...	10
Extras	
Total	

LANCASHIRE SECONDS' FIRST DEFEAT

Durham won a great victory over the unbeaten Lancashire Second Eleven at Blackhill yesterday by two wickets, with five minutes of extra time to spare.

Scores:—

LANCASHIRE SECOND XI.

First Innings	Second Innings
C. R. Davies, c Carr b Olsen	17
Place, b Townsend ..	2
Whitworth, c Barron b Collin	35
Wilson, c and b Olsen ..	6
E. A. Husband b Carr ..	37
Parkin, c Adamson b Carr	50
Garlick, c Townsend b Manners	15
Bowes, b Manners ...	0
A. J. Birtwell, not out	15
Robinson, c and b Olsen	8
Roberts, b Olsen	10
Extras	15
Total	208

DURHAM	
A. H. Parnaby, b Garlick	9
J. H. Beresford, c Robinson b Bowes	5
T. Collin, b Bowes ...	2
J. A. Adamson, lbw b Birtwell	31
D. C. H. Townsend, c Robinson b Bowes ..	9
W. Barron, lbw b Parkin	25
Extras	
Total (for 8 wkts.) ..	

c Collins b Glen	2
b Glen	51
b Carr	1
b Glen	37
c Townsend b Glen ...	0
c Beresford b Glen ...	0
b Collin	0
c Barron b Glen	14
not out	12
c Beresford b Collin...	2
c Townsend b Olsen...	21
Extras	8
Total	148

Craven Gentlemen Win

Craven Gentlemen were successful in a match against a Southport and Birkdale eleven, at Birkdale.

Scores—

Craven Gentlemen		Southport and Birkdale	
P. Holliday, b Duckham	3	J. W. Fawcett, b Duckham	1
J. W. Carrington, b Duckham	8	F. P. Sawyer, c T. Wood, b Medrington	0
A. C. Jackson, c Threlfall, b Ainley	38	J. Gregory, c T. Marsland, b Medrington	0
J. Brumfitt, b Duckham	16	G. J. Sellers, b Medrington	11
J. H. Sunderland, b Medrington	21	Hirat Wood, not out	7
J. S. Smith, b Duckham	21	Extras	13
		Total	139
Southport and Birkdale		Craven Gentlemen	
Ainley, lbw b Gregory	2	M. A. P. Alliston, not out	9
G. W. Yates, b Gregory	8	R. A. Wood, c Sellers, b Gregory	7
Extras	8		
Total	67		

HEAVY WOOLLEN CUP SEMI-FINALS

The draw for the semi-final rounds of the Heavy Woollen district cricket Cup competition, to be played on Saturday, is as follows.
—Hartshead Moor v. Ossett; Hanging Heaton v. Heckmopdwike.

Durham Pilgrims' Two-Day Match

Durham County Pilgrims were left in a favourable position at the close of the first day's play in their two days match with Edinburgh Academicals, at Castle Eden last night.

EDINBURGH ACADEMICALS.—J. H. Stevenson, c A. J. Bailey, b Davey, 5; P. J. Oliphant, run out, 41; B. R. Tod, b Davey, 0; R. J. Henderson, c A. J. Bailey, b Daggart, 12; G. D. Bonner, run out, 18; G. L. D. Hole, c Daggart, b Davey, 1; R. Tod, c Costello, b Howe, 34; J. R. Mair, lbw b Booth, 53; B. A. Stonehouse, b I. A. Costello, 11; A. B. Scott, c Weightman, b Daggart, 9; D. W. J. Menzies, not out, 2; extras 6; total 194.

DURHAM COUNTY PILGRIMS.—A. J. Bailey, c Oliphant, b Stevenson, 5; M. Davey, retired, 29; W. Weightman, c and b Henderson, 31; R. Booth, c B. R. Tod, b Stevenson, 6; N. A. Daggart, c Mair, b Henderson, 21; C. H. A. Howe, not out, 28; J. B. Graham, c Oliphant, b Stevenson, 23; A. L. Costello, c Oliphant, b Stevenson, 10; R. B. Carter, b Stevenson, 0; I. A. Costello, not out, 0; extras 11; total (for 7 wickets) 170.

Leeds University Lose

Leeds University were beaten at Skegness yesterday by a side of Grimsby Town footballers. H. Betmead scored a century and was undefeated at the close, the footballers' total being 204 (for 8 wickets).

The University were all out for 155.

Scores—

LEEDS UNIVERSITY.—W. Holdsworth, c Betmead, b Vincent, 4; H. Brearley, c Vincent, b S. Hodgson, 8; W. Gollightly, b Walker, 53; O. B. Rigby, c Hodgson, b Vincent, 1; J. Bartle, c J. Hodgson, b Vincent, 0; M. Hare, b Vincent, 33; G. Atkinson, lbw b Vincent, 2; H. Shaw, c Vincent, b Little, 22; H. Cooper, b Vincent, 8; T. Davis, run out, 1; G. D. Salmon, not out, 7; T. Wheatley, c Shaw, b Spence, 4; extras 12; total 155.

GRIMSBY TOWN FOOTBALLERS.—S. Hodgson, c Shaw, b Gollightly, 19; M. Holmes, b Gollightly, 4; F. Crack, lbw, b Gollightly, 3; H. Betmead, not out, 107; J. V. Hodgson, c Davis, b Gollightly, 25; R. Walker, lbw, b Gollightly, 5; E. Vincent, c Hare, b Gollightly, 3; J. Shaw, b Bartle, 1; T. Little, c Cooper, b Bartle, 5; R. Bartholomew, not out, 19; extras 13; total (for 8 wickets) 204.

Leeds Zingari's Match Abandoned

Leeds Zingari's match with Llandudno, at Llandudno, was abandoned because of rain.

LLANDUDNO.—T. Taylor, b Gledhill, 2; K. Bradshaw, c Padden, b Gledhill, 4; J. Humphreys, not out 32; E. Griffiths, at Booth, b Champion, 45; A. Parry, b Daphne, 3; Hall, c Everett, b Champion, 5; Fernmore, at Booth, b Champion, 0; D. Roberts, b Daphne, 8; M. Mudd, b Gledhill, 4; R. Gradwell, b Daphne, 1; J. Robinson, c Ward, b Everitt, 11; extras 6; total 121.

LEEDS ZINGARI.—A. Ramsden, at Taylor, b Hall, 21; J. Ward, not out 19; G. Hargreaves, not out 2; extras 4, total (for one wicket) 46.

Bramham Moor Hunt Beaten

At Hillam Hall, yesterday, the Badsworth Hunt beat the Bramham Moor Hunt by six wickets. The visitors side included W. E. Harbord, the Yorkshire cricketer, who made 56 out of 106, including nine boundaries. Lewis took six Bramham Moor wickets for 25. Badsworth made 156.

Scores—

BRAMHAM MOOR HUNT.—H. Lindall, c Lobley, b Lewis, 9; J. M. Dawson, b Beaumont, 14; W. E. Harbord, c Lobley, b Lewis, 56; B. J. Douthwaite, b Lewis, 5; B. H. Harker, b Heptinstall, 0; F. Shutt, c Wordsworth, b Heptinstall, 2; C. Yorke, c Lewis, b Heptinstall, 0; E. M. Richmond, b Lewis, 2; F. Ingham, b Lewis, 4; M. Oldfield, b Lewis, 0; B. F. Douthwaite, not out, 0; extras 14; total 106.

BADSWORTH HUNT.—H. Wordsworth, lbw b Harker, 21; J. Dundas, c and b Harker, 22; H. Lobley, c and b Richmond, 23; G. Heptinstall, lbw b Harker, 42; R. Howard Taylor, lbw b Harbord, 3; J. Lewis, c Yorke, b Richmond, 0; Capt. G. Barker, c Dawson, b Yorke, 12; Col. J. Landon, b Harker, 6; W. Beaumont, c Harker, b Oldfield, 17; W. Nutt, c Shutt, b Yorke, 0; A. E. Lyon, not out, 4; extras 6; total 156.

Yorkshire Gentlemen Draw

Yorkshire Gentlemen drew their match with Catterick Garrison at Catterick.

Scores—

Yorkshire Gentlemen		Catterick Garrison	
R. W. Thompson, c Gander, b Carpenter	41	Major Boniva, c Anson, b Vaukard	27
C. E. Anson, c Waddington, b Carpenter	42	C.S.M. Carpenter, b Austin	2
P. Vaukard, c Boniva, b Carpenter	0	Major Morkill, b Austin	9
R. Cradock, b Carpenter	79	Sec. Lt. Hayles, c and b Austin	1
C. C. Fairweather, b Anson	31	Cp. Waddington, c b Austin, b Hyde	0
A. R. Phillips, run out	0	Set. Gardner, not out	22
A. P. G. Hyde, c Anson, b Carpenter	7	Capt. Frost, c Thompson, b Vaukard	6
J. E. Holmes, b Beaumont	41		
D. Waddington, not out	6		
P. L. Gray, not out	2		
Total (for 8 wickets dec. 209)		Extras	4
		Total (for 6 wickets)	71

GRIMSBY AND WHEATFEDALE EVENING LEAGUE CUP FINAL
Hall Park 134, Oley 135 (for 5).

HALLIDAY 133 NOT OUT COLTS RALLY IN FINE STYLE OLD RIVALS IN TROUBLE LANCASHIRE II. MAY FOLLOW-ON

From Our Special Representative
REDCAR, Monday

In recent years, however well Yorkshire second eleven have fared against other minor county sides, they have invariably emerged with little credit from their games with the Lancashire Colts. Defeat in the Lancashire fixtures has become almost a commonplace event, and so it was all the more encouraging to watch them have very much the better of to-day's play against Lancashire here.

After losing seven wickets for 128, Yorkshire recovered so well that the last three wickets put on 167. Lancashire were left with an hour and a half's batting, and though they started with almost aggressive confidence they had lost half their wickets for only 101 runs by the time stumps were drawn.

The most welcome feature of Yorkshire's batting was the return to form of Halliday, who has struck a bad patch of late. Going in at the fall of the first wicket, he stayed for nearly five hours to score an admirable 133 not out, and if he is still rather uncertain in his play on the leg side he showed once again in this long innings that he is a batsman of tremendous possibilities.

Useful Stands

Halliday seemed to be seeing the ball well right from the start and he made some lovely shots on the offside, gathering most of his runs from cover drives and occasional square-cuts.

Three other batsmen helped him in partnerships of note, and the best of these innings was played by Cawthray who was promoted to open with G. A. Wilson. He hits the loose ball uncommonly hard, and his 44 included no fewer than seven 4's, which was as many as Halliday hit during his innings.

After Cawthray left there was a sad slump, and it was not until Crick came in at the fall of the seventh wicket that Yorkshire regained their mastery.

Parkin and Roberts bowled exceptionally well, and in Roberts, a left-hander, who keeps a very accurate length and flights the ball with considerable skill, Lancashire appear to have found a young cricketer of high promise.

Crick Holds Out

Crick was beaten so many times by both these spin bowlers at the start that he seemed unlikely to survive more than an over or two, but he gradually settled down to play one of his most valuable innings for Yorkshire. He hooked anything short of a length with quite surprising ferocity, and he helped Halliday to put on 102 for the eighth wicket before he fell to Parkin when only two short of what would have been his first half century for the side.

Crick's good example was followed by Johnson, who took part in a stand producing 55 for the next wicket, and so Yorkshire finished up with a highly creditable score. Roberts came out with four for 42 in 27.5 overs, and Parkin took three for 68.

Lancashire's early batsmen flattered to deceive. Most of them made fine, concise, notably Place, who hit two fident shots, notably Place, who hit two glorious boundaries off his back foot, before he fell to Smurthwaite; but in the end only Parkin, who made an extremely good and enterprising 58, stayed for long.

Smurthwaite got rid of both Place and Cranston with successive balls at 66, and Husband was bowled neck and crop by Cawthray in the last ten minutes. Lancashire, therefore, still need 94 to save the follow-on, and on a wicket which was beginning to crumble by this evening their task is not an enviable one.

YORKSHIRE SECOND XI.—First Innings

G. A. Wilson, c Robinson b Garlick	2	Smurthwaite, b Bowes	0
Cawthray, c and b Roberts	44	Crick, c Robinson b Parkin	28
Halliday, not out	133	Johnson, lbw.	48
D. A. Shepherd, b Parkin	5	Hargreaves, c Green-halgh b Roberts	5
Watson, b Roberts	9	B. 4, lb. 5, w. 2,	12
Beaumont, lbw. b Garlick	9	n.b. 1	12
Wilkinson, b Parkin	2	Total	295

LANCASHIRE SECOND XI.—First Innings

Greenhalgh, b Hargreaves	2	T. A. Higson, not out	0
Place, b Smurthwaite	14	Robinson, not out	0
Parkin, b Smurthwaite	58	Extras	16
K. Cranston, lbw. b Smurthwaite	0	Total (for 5 wks.)	101
A. E. Husband, b Cawthray	11		

BOWLING ANALYSIS

YORKSHIRE SECOND XI.—First Innings

	o.	m.	r.	w.		o.	m.	r.	w.
Garlick	16	3	45	2	Parkin	35	9	68	5
T. A. Higson	8	0	25	0	Roberts	27	5	42	4
Bowes	21	4	59	1	Greenhalgh	2	0	2	0
K. Cranston	6	0	19	0	Place	8	0	23	0

COLTS MAKE NO MISTAKE LANCASHIRE II. WELL BEATEN HARGREAVES IN FORM CHANGES FOR MATCH TO-DAY

From Our Special Representative
REDCAR, Tuesday

Yorkshire Second Eleven gained their third successive victory here to-day in the Minor County Championship, and this win by seven wickets against the Lancashire Second Eleven was perhaps the most gratifying result achieved for many years.

There has been no mistaking the emphatic superiority of the Yorkshire side in this game, and it put an end to a dreary sequence of heavy defeats and discreditable drawn games with Lancashire colts in recent seasons. Victory was gained chiefly through the batting of Halliday and the bowling of Smurthwaite and Hargreaves, but everyone played his part in this Yorkshire triumph, and if this form can be maintained in the last match of the season—against Durham here to-morrow—the colts will finish with a better record in minor county cricket than they have had since the memorable Summer when Norfolk were defeated by ten wickets at Norwich.

"Tail" Fails to Wag

Lancashire's remaining five wickets fell for 60 runs when their first innings was continued this morning, for apart from T. A. Higson, who hit out with resolution, the tail batsmen found the bowling of Smurthwaite and Cawthray too much for them.

Smurthwaite, who is to make his first appearance in first-class cricket at Leicester to-morrow, is an off-break bowler of considerable promise, for he has a deceptive flight and can spin the ball quite a lot. At present his erratic length is liable to make him a somewhat uncertain quantity, but this fault should be remedied with added experience. He took five for 57, and Cawthray—perhaps the most improved all-rounder in the side—claimed three for five in only six overs.

Lancashire thus followed on 134 runs behind, and the agent of their discomfiture in the second innings was Hargreaves, who took five wickets for 54 with off-spinners. Hargreaves has bowled off-breaks comparatively little for the second eleven, and this

was by far his best performance with this method of attack.

Once again it fell to Parkin to play a lone hand, for after Cranston had gone, he could find no one to stay with him for long. Cranston is a most attractive batsman to watch when he is "set," and to-day he went for the bowling with a confidence which no other batsman on his side showed. He hit a 6 off Smurthwaite over square-leg and seven 4's, but when he had helped to put on 78 for the fourth wicket he was smartly stumped by Crick, and the remaining players surrendered to Hargreaves.

Parkin's Brave Effort

Parkin made a brave 74, and though he was somewhat fortunate in the number of balls which beat him without hitting his wicket—in addition he was badly dropped at cover point soon after reaching his 50—his achievement in reaching his half-century for the second time in a low scoring innings was one of real distinction.

Yorkshire made light of their task in the second innings and lost three cheap wickets in trying to speed the victory within their grasp. G. A. Wilson eventually knocked off the runs in spectacular fashion, for after Halliday had left—brilliantly caught at short-leg by Greenhalgh—he scored all the remaining runs, actually making 33 out of 35 put on while he was at the wicket.

With Smurthwaite playing for the first team, and Wilkinson out of the side with a strained muscle, the Colts' eleven for concluding fixture with Durham here to-morrow will be completed by Tomlinson and Bainbridge, a Redcar batsman who has made one or two appearances for Yorkshire second eleven in previous years.

YORKSHIRE SECOND XI.—First Innings

G. A. Wilson, c Robinson b Garlick	2	not out	33
Cawthray, c and b Roberts	44	b Parkin	4
Halliday, not out	133	c Greenhalgh b Cranston	2
D. A. Shepherd, b Parkin	5	not out	0
Watson, b Roberts	9	Garlick	9
Beaumont, lbw. b Parkin	2	b Parkin	0
Wilkinson, b Parkin	0		
Smurthwaite, b Bowes	0		
Crick, c Robinson b Parkin	48		
Johnson, lbw. b Roberts	28		
Hargreaves, c Greenhalgh b Roberts	5		
B. 4, lb. 5, w. 2, n.b. 1	12	Extra	1
Total	295	Total (for 3 wks.)	40

LANCASHIRE SECOND XI.—First Innings

Greenhalgh, b Hargreaves	2	lbw b Smurthwaite	8
Place, b Smurthwaite	14	b Halliday	1
Parkin, b Smurthwaite	58	b Halliday	74
K. Cranston, lbw. b Smurthwaite	0	at Crick b Hargreaves	42
A. E. Husband, b Cawthray	11	b Hargreaves	0
T. A. Higson, not out	24	b Johnson	15
Robinson, run out	5	run out	2
D. L. Little, lbw b Smurthwaite	14	b Hargreaves	5
Garlick, b Smurthwaite	0	c Wilkinson b Hargreaves	0
Bowes, b Cawthray	12	b Hargreaves	12
Roberts, b Cawthray	2	not out	0
Extras	10	Extras	11
Total	161	Total	173

BOWLING ANALYSIS

YORKSHIRE SECOND XI.—First Innings

	o.	m.	r.	w.		o.	m.	r.	w.
Garlick	16	3	45	2	Parkin	35	9	68	5
T. A. Higson	8	0	25	0	Roberts	27	5	42	4
Bowes	21	4	59	1	Greenhalgh	2	0	2	0
K. Cranston	6	0	19	0	Place	8	0	23	0

LANCASHIRE SECOND XI.—First Innings

Wilkinson	5	1	15	0	Wilson	3	0	10	1
Hargreaves	15	3	36	1	Cawthray	6	2	5	3
Johnson	3	0	12	0					
Smurthwaite	10	5	57	5					
Cawthray	10	2	31	1	Johnson	2	0	10	1
Hargreaves	10	4	54	5	Wilson	3	0	10	0
Smurthwaite	5	1	33	1	Halliday	7	2	19	1

Umpires: Tranter and Flint

LINCOLNSHIRE BOWLING PUNISHED

Up to lunch time at Fenners, Cambridge, yesterday, the Lincolnshire bowling against Cambridge was good, but then it fell off, and the home county ran up a big score.

H. W. F. Taylor not only scored his first century in the championship, but dominated the day's cricket, batting for a total of nearly five and a quarter hours. He hit 17 4's.

Scores:—

CAMBRIDGESHIRE—First Innings		LINCOLNSHIRE—First Innings	
C. E. Coote, b Hodgkinson	0	Smith (C. J.), c Bray b L. Clark	51
M. A. Crouch, c J. Clark b L. Clark	26	L. A. Covill, b Hodgkinson	26
H. W. F. Taylor, at Lawton b L. Clark	181	W. T. Whewell, hit wkt. b Hodgkinson	13
F. W. Wilkinson, c Lawton b Ehrenfried	13	H. J. Rose, hit wkt. b Hodgkinson	0
F. W. Parfitt, c Hodgkinson b Ehrenfried	73	S. M. Tebbit, not out	1
F. A. Ridgeon, c Wilkinson b J. Clark	51	Extras	18
		Total	453
LINCOLNSHIRE—First Innings		LINCOLNSHIRE—First Innings	
H. V. Bennett, not out	2	H. V. Bennett, not out	2
A. Brown, not out	2	A. Brown, not out	2
Total (for none)	4		

LINCOLNSHIRE SAVED BY DODS

Fine batting by Dods, their captain, saved Lincolnshire from defeat in their Minor County match at Cambridge, yesterday.

Cambridgeshire forced the follow-on, but in the end, had to be content with first-innings points.

Scores:—

CAMBRIDGESHIRE—First Innings		LINCOLNSHIRE—Second Innings	
C. E. Coote, b Hodgkinson	0	Smith (C. J.), c Bray b L. Clark	51
M. A. Crouch, c J. Clark b L. Clark	26	L. A. Covill, b Hodgkinson	26
H. W. F. Taylor, at Lawton b L. Clark	181	W. T. Whewell, hit wkt. b Hodgkinson	13
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F. A. Ridgeon, c Wilkinson b J. Clark	51	Extras	18
		Total	453
LINCOLNSHIRE—First Innings		LINCOLNSHIRE—Second Innings	
H. V. Bennett, lbw b Covill	98	b Whewell	28
A. Brown, b Wilkinson	25	b Rose	7
H. W. Dods, c Smith b Rose	58	lbw b Covill	46
J. Robinson, lbw b Wilkinson	11	not out	20
J. Wilkinson, b Rose	0	b Covill	16
L. A. Clark, c Crouch b Rose	0	not out	10
B. Ehrenfried, c Ridgeon b Wilkinson	11		
B. Bray, run out	0		
V. A. Hodgkinson, c and b Smith	21		
H. Lawton, not out	25		
J. Clark, c Crouch b Smith	5		
Extras	24	Extras	5
Total	278	Total (for 4 wks.)	132

**YORKSHIRE GENTLEMEN
DRAW**

In a match at Escrick Park, Yorkshire Gentlemen drew with The Borderers.

Scores:—

THE BORDERERS	YORKSHIRE GENTLEMEN
D. C. H. Townsend, c	M. Barber, b A. Town-
Heaton, b Higson 45	and 24
C. Grover, b Higson 9	J. Barber, c Grover, b
J. N. Grover, lbw	S. Darling 62
b Kimbirst 5	R. H. Howard Taylor,
A. Townsend, not out 147	c March b Straker 0
C. Bewicke, b Elm-	T. A. Higson, c
hirst 32	Bewicke b A. Town-
T. A. W. White, c Hig-	send 15
son, b Kimbirst 6	W. Wormald, c White
A. Straker, lbw b Kim-	b Walford 0
hirst 0	T. M. Heaton, not out 24
S. G. March, c Kim-	R. G. M. Quance, not
hirst b Higson 9	out 5
T. Lovibond, b Elm-	
hirst 0	
D. Walford, not out 34	
Extras 12	
Total (for 5 wks) 299	Total (for 5 wks) 146

YORKSHIRE LEAGUE

**Hull-Rotherham Match
Ends in a Tie**

One of the most exciting finishes of the season in the Yorkshire League resulted in the match between Hull and Rotherham, at Hull yesterday, ending in a tie.

Rotherham batted first and declared when nine wickets were down for 153, L. Leadbeater being top scorer with 50.

Hull made a good response, with useful contributions of 38 from Flood and 34 from Riches, but in the last over of the match Hull's last wicket fell, the batsman being run out in an attempt to score the winning run.

Whitwood Colliery followed up their victory over the League leaders on Saturday by defeating a weakened Barnsley side on the Colliery ground.

W. E. Bedford knocked up a useful but rather lucky 50 for Barnsley, and A. Wales again bowled splendidly, taking seven wickets for 48 runs. Barnsley were out for 180.

R. Beavors (47) and L. Crozier (44) scored very freely when Whitwood replied, and the Colliery side won by four wickets.

Doncaster Town gained their third victory of the season when they met Castleford at Doncaster. The Rev. P. R. K. Whitaker, captain of Doncaster, played another fine innings of 54.

Doncaster declared at 171 for 8, and Castleford made 122. A. Aldred (24) was Castleford's top scorer. For Castleford, J. Tomlinson took four for 34, and for Doncaster, J. Burton had five for 42.

Whitwood Coll. (6)	184	Barnsley	180
Hull	153	Rotherham ('9 dec.)	153

SALTBURN WIN

**North Yorkshire and South
Durham League**

As a result of alert fielding and good batting, Saltburn defeated Blackhall by 47 runs in their North Yorkshire and South Durham League match at Saltburn yesterday.

Saltburn batted first and G. B. Wood was dismissed when only two runs short of his half century. Despite a well-earned 31 contributed by G. Brownbridge, Blackhall could only total 116 as compared with Saltburn's 163.

Saltburn	163	Blackhall	116
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LANE FOX CUP FINAL

Kippax defeated Garforth by five wickets in the final of the Lane Fox Cup competition at Colton yesterday.

Scores:—
GARFORTH.—J. Flows, b W. Barton, 9; G. Kilburn, c Roberts b W. Barton, 18; L. Hancock, c G. Barton b Thompson, 1; C. Roberts, b W. Barton, 7; J. Smith, b Thompson, 3; L. Wilson, c Roberts b Morley, 9; L. Smith, not out, 1; J. Glover, c Collinson b G. Barton, 9; A. Burnley, lbw b Thompson, 0; G. Backhouse, c and b Morley, 5; P. Rumford, lbw b Morley, 0; extras, 74.
KIPPAX.—C. Flows, b Smith, 12; E. Roberts, lbw b Hancock, 6; G. Hastings, run out, 12; W. Collin, b Kilburn, 24; H. Thompson, b Roberts, 7; C. Collinson, not out, 4; G. Barton, not out, 8; extras, 4; total (for 5 wks.), 77.

ACKWORTH LOSE GROUND

**YORKSHIRE COUNCIL
SURPRISE**

**Featherstone Win by
62 Runs**

EXCITING FINISHES

While Mexborough strengthened their claims to a position in the final "first four" of the Yorkshire Council by defeating Denaby and Cadeby by six wickets yesterday, Ackworth, who are also challenging the leaders, were beaten by Featherstone.

Ackworth were set to make 162 runs to win on an easy wicket, but only R. Clarke (40), one of the opening batsmen, showed any ability to play the spinners of J. Bramley, who took 7 wickets for 35 runs, including a deadly spell of 5 for 13 in six overs. Ackworth were all out for 100.

Featherstone were greatly indebted to G. Johnson (83) and B. Kershaw (42), who added 73 runs after the fifth wicket had fallen at 49. Glong in at the fall of the third wicket, Johnson was last out. He was a victim of P. Moran, who finished the Featherstone innings by taking three wickets for five runs in nine balls.

A 6 to Win the Match

A hit for 6 with the last pair at the wickets brought victory to Bentley Colliery in their home match with Sheffield Colliery. There remained about a quarter of an hour for play.

The Sheffield team batted first, scoring 216, of which B. H. Barber contributed 82 not out.

The Bentley team replied steadily, C. Maddison leading the scoring with a fine 50, when the last pair came together seven runs were still required. E. Broadhead was the scorer of the six which won the match.

W. Clarkson included 11 boundaries in a fine innings of 94 for Rossington Colliery against Hemsworth Colliery. Rossington declared at 207 for 9, and Hemsworth were lucky to escape defeat, having made only 99 for the loss of eight wickets when stumps were drawn. A. Blount, for Rossington, took five wickets for 26.

Before the match the teams lined up and observed a two-minute silence in memory

of Mr. O. Askwith, a member of the Rossington Cricket Club committee, who died in the morning.

For the first time for several seasons Frickley Colliery beat their neighbours, South Kirkby Colliery. It was due to good batting displays by J. Seagrave (86) and A. Ward (56) that Frickley replied with 184 to South Kirkby's attack. H. Williams took five Frickley wickets for 35.

South Kirkby scored slowly, and except for S. Carr (69) and E. A. Miskin (32), the rest of the batsmen between them contributed only 39 runs to a total of 160. E. Govier was the most successful of the five Frickley bowlers, taking six for 43.

Century for Zingari

Bright batting by Leeds Zingari, and the narrow escape of the home team were features of a drawn game at Harrogate. A. Ramsden and J. Ward opened for Zingari with a century partnership, and the former went on to score 101. E. Smith rattled up 53 not out, and the declaration was made at 226 for four.

A much weakened Harrogate eleven never looked like getting the runs, but grimly held on until the close, when nine wickets had fallen for 143.

Glass Houghton gained an exciting victory by one wicket over Allerton Bywater, taking first innings, were dismissed for 80. E. Norton and N. MacDonald bowled unchanged, and took six wickets for 31 and four for 35 respectively.

Glass Houghton required only ten runs for victory when their fifth wicket fell, but they had a shock when the next four men were out for the addition of five runs. E. Norton and G. Holmes, however, stayed together until the winning run was made. E. Jarvis, of Allerton, had six wickets for 33 runs.

In appreciation of 30 years' service as a player, Cyril Utting, a former captain, received from supporters and members of Mitchell Main Cricket Club a grandmother clock. The presentation was made by Mr. J. Edwards during the tea interval at the match against Wath, which had been set aside as Utting's benefit.

Utting joined Mitchell Main when he was 15, and had played with no other club except one match with Mexborough. In his younger days he was a contemporary of Kilner, and of his uncle, the late Irving Washington, all of whom went from Mitchell Main to play for the county.

Wakefield (for 5 dec.)	118	Dewsbury (for 8)	110
Denaby and Cadeby	85	Mexborough (for 4)	85
Harrogate (for 9)	145	Leeds Zingari (4 dec.)	226
Firbeck Main	117	Scarborough	125
Featherstone	161	Ackworth	100
South Kirkby Coll.	160	Frickley Coll.	184
Mitchell Main (for 5)	125	Wath	121
Glass Houghton (9)	84	Allerton Bywater	83

COLTS TO MEET LEAGUE XI.

Yorkshire second eleven will end their season with a friendly one-day fixture with the North Yorkshire and South Durham League at Thornaby on August 10. The following side has been chosen to play against the League in this match:—

G. A. Wilson, D. A. Shepherd, Fiddling, Halliday, Watson, Beaumont, Smurthwaite, Cawthray, Pollard, Wilson (J. V.), and Johnson.

Wilson (J. V.) is a promising left-hand bat from Malton, and Pollard is another batsman from Worksop, in the Bassettlaw League.

WARNE FOR LEAGUE CRICKET

F. Warne, the Worcestershire professional, who is Australian born, has secured an engagement as professional with Rishton, the Lancashire League club, for next season. He is being released by Worcestershire at the end of this summer.

RIBBLESDALE LEAGUE

Barnoldswick	111	Whalley (for 8)	114
Leyland Motors (9)	105	Cilthorpe	102
Ribblesdale W	68	Leyland	102
Read	100	Lancaster	111
St. Annes (for 6)	95	Darwen (for 7 dec.)	130
Chorley (for 8 dec.)	200	Blackpool (for 5)	101

CLUB MATCHES

Easingwold	140	Crayke	81
Sand Hutton	79	St. Michael-le-Belfry	85
Escrick Park	127	Stamford Bridge (7)	127
Sessay	127	York (for 6)	128
North Leeds (for 5)	166	Eccleshill	163

AN UNOBTRUSIVE CRICKETER'S CAREER

VALUABLE PLAYER FOR YORKSHIRE

CYRIL TURNER'S MERITS

SPLENDID ALL-ROUND WORK

By J. M. KILBURN,
Our Cricket Representative

Of all the modest cricketers I have known none ranks higher in the list of the self-deprecatory than does Cyril Turner, who is at the moment nursing the latest of a series of unhappy injuries experienced in the pursuit of his calling.

Turner is genuinely unassuming to a remarkable degree and cloaks his most handsome achievements beneath an air of apology. When his innings is ended he walks away unemotionally as though to say "I am not in the least surprised at that," and when he bowls you out he stands in apparent amazement and sorrow that any action of his should have caused so much stir in the world.

He has not, I am convinced, the slightest conception of his own worth as a cricketer, yet there is not a county in England but would rejoice in the opportunity of claiming his services. His work for Yorkshire has been beyond all computation in terms of mathematics. Through good times and bad he has pursued his steady course, neither exultant in success nor desperate in failure.

Never within him have burned the alarming flames of genius, never has he stood lonely upon the pinnacles of the truly great. Yet he has brought to his cricket a quiet



Turner

affection, a patient determination and an unflinching loyalty. No situation has found him unprepared, no call has found him unwilling to strive to the limit of his capacity.

Bowled Quietly On

Once upon a time an indifferent yet boundlessly enthusiastic cricketer was given opportunity to play in the same team with Turner and was bidden moreover to share with him the bowling. The batsmen (and

may I be forgiven for this expression of prejudiced opinion) seemed in little comfort, yet they preserved their existence and the enthusiastic one impatiently suggested the indulgence in bowling experiment.

Turner, without offering one word in disparagement of untimely ideas, bowled quietly on and, of course, claimed his wicket. I have never admired him more than in that moment. Everything seemed to be against us, yet no word of complaint escaped him, no suspicion of a suggestion that ours was a thankless and hopeless task and that the gods had hidden their faces. I am glad to say (now!) that Turner took several wickets; the unduly anxious one took none.

That was a match of no extrinsic significance, yet Turner, participant in a hundred stirring battles, gave it all his attention and all his talent. It was not in his nature to do otherwise. If he plays at all he must play to the full extent of his capacity, and Yorkshire have many times had cause for gratitude to that capacity.

When he has left the fields his name will not long be remembered by those who see cricket only in the headlines. He will become a word in Wisden with his hour of glory here and there, but those who played with him and lived with him day by day, will not so readily forget. They will recall innings of patient strength, overs of ceaseless striving and fielding of consistently high quality. Is it accident, I wonder, that so

diffident a cricketer should find his greatest distinction as an ally to a colleague?

Turner's batting may be regarded as no more than useful, his bowling as lacking inspiration, but upon the standard of his fielding there can be no two opinions. He holds slip catches so brilliant that we sometimes do him injustice and honour by writing "c Mitchell"; he stands in the leg-trap with the truest of all courage, which is found in the conquest of actual fear, for no man can suffer injury in the leg-trap and stand there again in absolute equality.

All his cricket is unobtrusive and efficient, he is one of the few bowlers of this lazy age to take the trouble to return to his wicket when a run is being attempted. That any bowler should neglect this elementary part of his duty is, of course, beyond ordinary understanding; that he is being exceptionally dutiful has probably never occurred to Turner because he is a cricketer by nature.

Most of Turner's great work for his county has consisted of brave little innings in support of one colleague or another or the taking of some much-needed wicket, but on two occasions at least the honours of the day have been his alone.

On a bitterly cold May day of 1935 he found conditions exactly suited to his inswingers and in 33 overs he took seven Gloucestershire wickets for 54 runs. At Scarborough in 1934 Yorkshire were sent in by Warwickshire on a wicket of rare mischief, three men were gone for 12 runs, and of the total of 101 Turner made 51 by superb batsmanship.

Value as a Coach

These feats are not insignificant in the whole of cricket's story, but they are not Turner's true memorial. That lies in half a hundred expressions of his earnestness and unflinching willingness to serve. If his later years can be spent in the persuasion of the coming generation upon right and proper ways cricket will be markedly the richer.

Youth will note his steady overs wherein length is always regarded as the primary virtue; will observe that watchfulness is the keynote of successful batting; that concentration and intelligent application of knowledge gives difficult feats of fielding an appearance of ease. Youth will learn, moreover, that if the lesson of cricket be self-control their mentor has the highest qualifications.

YORKSHIRE TO TRY NEW BOWLER

Rapid Promotion for Young Colt

The Yorkshire team to meet Leicestershire at Leicester to-day will include a young Juleborough bowler, J. Smurthwaite, who gets his chance in first-class cricket after making only three appearances with the Colts. Born at North Ormesby, he stands 5ft. 11in. and is 21 years of age.

Smurthwaite is a promising off-break bowler, who plays for Gulsborough in the North Yorkshire and South Durham League, and is a useful bat. Playing against Redcar on Saturday he took eight wickets for 23 runs.

Frank Wilkinson, the Hull inswing bowler, should have joined the Yorkshire team in place of P. A. Gibb, who will be assisting Scotland against the Australians. Wilkinson is unable to play, having strained a muscle in the side.

It is hoped that Smalles will have recovered from his ankle injury by the weekend and will be able to rejoin the Yorkshire team for the match against Derbyshire at Sheffield on Saturday.

Turner, whose nose was broken in the match against Northamptonshire at Scarborough last week, has now almost recovered from his injury and hopes to leave Scarborough Hospital on Friday.

The two vacancies in the Colts team to meet Durham, at Redcar to-day, will be filled by Tomlinson and M. Bainbridge, of Redcar. K. R. Davidson, the Leeds batsman, who had a full season as professional for Yorkshire before he went to America, would have been asked to make the journey to Redcar, but the P. A. Gibb, he is to play for Scotland against the Australians.

UPHILL BATTLE FOR COLTS

Durham in Sound Position at Redcar

PARNABY BATS WELL

From Our Special Representative REDCAR, Wednesday

After Yorkshire second eleven's fine victory over Lancashire, to-day's play in their last minor county match of the season against Durham came as something of an anticlimax. Without two of the bowlers—Smurthwaite and Wilkison—who had played against Lancashire, their attack was seriously weakened, and they allowed Durham to score 254 on a wicket which helped the bowler throughout the day.

In reply to this Yorkshire lost half their wickets for 98 runs in the closing two and a half hours, and only a timely partnership between Beaumont and Brumfitt saved the follow-on.

When stumps were drawn these two had carried the score to 157, and the Colts continue their innings to-morrow 97 runs behind with four wickets standing.

Durham soon found that the pitch had a nasty "spot," and Hargreaves, who found it repeatedly from the railway end in the early stages, proved very difficult. He clean bowled D. C. H. Townsend in his first over, but A. H. Parnaby batted extremely well, and he found sound support from J. A. Adamson and W. Barron. Adamson, who made some lovely shots on the off-side, helped him to put on 55 for the third wicket, and Barron took part in a stand of 67.

Parnaby showed a very sound defence, and gathered runs with little effort whenever a loose ball came along, making some nice cover drives and square cuts. He was finally beaten by a good ball from Wilson, which must have come back quite sharply, when he had scored 67, and Durham's position was materially improved in the closing stage of the innings by a characteristic display of hitting by Carr.

Carr Hits Out

Swinging his bat hopefully at almost every ball sent down to him, Carr drove Wilson for two colossal 6's into Coatham Road, and hit six 4's before he fell to a good catch in front of the sight screen by Shepherd. He made 47 in little over half an hour.

Hargreaves again bowled his off-spinners with conspicuous ability, and he finished up with six wickets for 110.

Yorkshire found the Durham bowling much too good for them, and though Cawthray and Halliday put on 42 for the second wicket, they never gained the upper hand. It was Grigor, a left-hander with an unusual action and delivery, who proved the chief agent of the Colts' destruction.

Fighting the ball cleverly, and turning it in quite astonishing fashion, he dismissed Cawthray, Halliday and Wilson in quick succession, and though he lost his accuracy in his next spell, he had done valuable work.

Fortunately, Beaumont found a resolute partner in Brumfitt, and the pair remained together for the last 40 minutes, when they put on 53 runs. Carr also bowled well, but he would have had more prospect of success if he had been given a chance at the opposite end to which he was tried. The state of the wicket at the Coatham Road end would have given more assistance to his off-breaks.

The fielding reached a very high level, Yorkshire's work being brilliant throughout the Durham innings, with Cawthray, Johnson and Wilson outstanding.

Scores:—

DURHAM—First Innings		J. A. Close, b	
D. C. H. Townsend, b	2	J. Hargreaves	4
Hargreaves	67	Carr, c Shepherd, b	47
A. H. Parnaby, b	67	Wilson	1
Wilson	6	J. Grigor, lbw b Wilson	1
J. H. Beresford, b	6	A. W. Austin, lbw b	2
Hargreaves	37	Hargreaves	1
J. A. Adamson, c	37	P. I. Herbert, not out	1
Halliday b Cawthray	31	Extras	26
W. Barron, lbw b	31	Total	254
Hargreaves	30		
Collin, lbw b			
Hargreaves			

YORKSHIRE II.—First Innings		Watson, lbw b Carr	
L. Balnbridge, lbw b	2	Beaumont, not out	32
Close	2	J. Brumfitt, not out	18
Cawthray, lbw b Grigor	30	Extras	21
Halliday, b Grigor	23	Total (for 6 wkts.)	157
G. A. Wilson, b Grigor	4		
D. A. Shepherd, c	18		
Austin b Herbert	18		
Crick, Johnson and Hargreaves to bat.			

BOWLING ANALYSIS DURHAM—First Innings		O. M. R. W.							
Hargreaves	36	6	110	6	Cawthray	10	1	15	1
Halliday	14	5	39	0	Johnson	4	1	14	0
Wilson	15	6	40	3					

COLTS WIND-UP WITH DEFEAT

Good Start on Final Task Not Maintained

WIN FOR DURHAM

From Our Special Representative

REDCAR, Thursday

In their last match of the season Yorkshire Second Eleven were beaten by Durham by 86 runs here to-day. Durham gained a first innings lead of 79, and scoring 103 when they went in again they left Yorkshire to get 183 for victory.

Yorkshire made an encouraging start. Cawthray and G. A. Wilson putting on 61 for the first wicket, but the spin bowling of Carr and Grigor on a very difficult pitch brought about a sudden collapse, and the last nine wickets went down for only 35 runs.

It would have been fairly safe to predict at the start that the side which won the toss would win the match, for this Redcar wicket behaved disconcertingly from the first few overs, and bowlers held the upper hand right to the end. If youth had been blended with experience in Yorkshire's side they might have made a much better fight, but any eleven who had to take fourth innings on a wicket wearing as badly as this one did would have done well to score 150 runs.

Yorkshire's last four wickets added only 18 runs when the game was continued this morning, and Grigor, who claimed two victims for six runs, finished with the satisfactory analysis of five for 42.

Promise of Hargreaves

Durham's second innings brought more admirable off-break bowling by Hargreaves, and had Yorkshire held all their catches the total would have fallen a long way short of the century. J. A. Adamson, who again batted extremely well to score 40, was dropped when he had made six, and Hargreaves, the bowler to suffer, saw two other chances missed off him.

In spite of this he came out with five wickets for 53, and this reward brought his bag for the two matches here to 17 wickets for 277 runs. Nearly all of these were gained with off spinners, and it would seem that he has a very promising future with this type of bowling. Considering the extent to which he suffered from fielding mistakes both against Lancashire and Durham his success has been indeed remarkable.

Apart from Adamson, Barron, who made a useful 20, and Parnaby, who was brilliantly caught low down at forward short leg by Brumfitt, were the only batsmen to stay for long. The total just struggled past the hundred.

Yorkshire began their second innings with such confidence and enterprise that for a while victory did not seem such a remote possibility as it had been to those who appreciated the venom of the wearing pitch. Perhaps the effects of the roller took rather longer to disappear than one expected, but in any event Cawthray and G. A. Wilson went for the bowling with refreshing vigour and in little over half an hour they sent up the 50.

Cawthray batted with glorious freedom, his hooking and driving being perfectly timed, and he made 31 of the 61 put on for the first wicket before he jumped out to Grigor and was smartly stumped.

Dramatic Collapse

Then came the dramatic collapse, and Carr and Grigor wrought havoc with the rest of the Yorkshire side. Wilson was bowled by a full toss from Grigor when he had made a neat and workmanlike 26, and Halliday fell to an ordinary straight ball bereft of any other virtue.

The remainder, however, were victims of really good bowling and alert fielding. Adamson holding three catches close in off Carr, who took five wickets for 26 runs. Grigor had four for 45, and by tea time an eventful game was over.

Durham, who meet the Australians at Sunderland on Monday, had shown that their recent triumphs over Lancashire II and Northumberland were no mere flash in the pan.

Scores:—

DURHAM		Second Innings	
D. C. H. Townsend, b	2	run out	4
Hargreaves	67	c Brumfitt b M. Hargreaves	16
A. H. Parnaby, b	67	b Hargreaves	4
Wilson	6	c Wilson b Hargreaves	40
J. H. Beresford, b	6	b Halliday	20
J. A. Adamson, c	37	c Balnbridge b Wilson	1
Halliday b Cawthray	37	c and b Wilson	5
W. Barron, lbw b	31	c Beaumont b Wilson	0
Hargreaves	30	c Wilson b Hargreaves	0
J. A. Close, b	4	lbw b Hargreaves	2
Carr, c Shepherd	47	not out	0
Wilson	1	Extras	11
J. Grigor, lbw b Wilson	2	Total	103
A. W. Austin, lbw b	2		
Hargreaves	26		
P. I. Herbert, not out	26		
Extras	26		
Total	254		

YORKSHIRE II.		Second Innings	
L. Balnbridge, lbw b	2	c Adamson b Carr	0
Close	2	st. Austin b Grigor	31
Cawthray, lbw b Grigor	50	b Carr	9
Halliday, b Grigor	23	b Grigor	26
G. A. Wilson, b Grigor	4		
D. A. Shepherd, c	18	lbw b Carr	1
Austin b Herbert	18	c Adamson b Carr	11
Watson, lbw b Carr	7	c Adamson b Carr	7
Beaumont, st Austin b	52	st. Austin b Grigor	5
Grigor	18	run out	1
J. Brumfitt, b Herbert	18	b Grigor	0
Johnson, b Carr	6	not out	0
Crick, b Grigor	7	Extras	15
Hargreaves, not out	0	Total	95
Extras	25		
Total	175		

BOWLING ANALYSIS DURHAM—First Innings		O. M. R. W.							
Hargreaves	56	6	110	6	Cawthray	10	1	15	1
Halliday	14	5	39	0	Johnson	4	1	14	0
Wilson	15	6	40	3					

Umpires—Elliott and Franks

BRILLIANT DENNIS

Six Wickets for 44 and Innings of 145

Frank Dennis, the former Yorkshire cricketer, achieved a brilliant all-round performance for Cheshire in their Minor County match on the Porthill ground at Stoke yesterday.

Dennis claimed six Staffordshire wickets for 44 runs, and followed this fine bowling performance with a magnificent innings of 145. He batted four hours, hitting two 6's and 18 4's.

Staffordshire, 208 behind on the first innings, lost three wickets for 15 runs in the final quarter of an hour.

Scores:—

STAFFORDSHIRE	
First Innings	Second Innings
L. H. Crump, b Dennis 30	not out 6
W. M. Arkinstall, c	
Eaves b Dennis ... 13	lbw b Bartley..... 0
J. T. Ikin, c Prescott b	
Dennis 2	b Bartley 0
C. C. Clarke, b Dennis 4	c Prescott b Bartley.. 1
R. Halton, b Barber . 46	
T. R. Deighton, b	
Bartley 0	not out 5
S. Crump, lbw b	
Bartley 0	
B. Shardlow, c Bartley	
b Dennis 1	
W. D. A. Sims, b Dennis 20	
J. E. Blair, b Barber.. 0	
E. Binns, not out ... 1	
Extras 8	Extras 3
Total .....131	Total (for 3 wks.) 15

CHESHIRE—First Innings	
Dennis, c Binns b	J. N. Halliwell, run
Shardlow .....145	out 25
R. D. Fairbairn, c	Barber, c Crump b
Clarke b Binns ... 5	Shardlow 2
A. M. Wolstenholme, c	H. G. Prescott, b
Arkinstall b Binns 57	Crump 0
J. D. Worthington, c	Bartley, not out ... 2
Ikin b Crump..... 0	J. Lewis, c Arkinstall
A. Gilbody, c Blair b	b Shardlow 5
Halton 45	Extras 25
G. K. Eaves, st Blair	
b Shardlow 29	Total .....339

BOWLING ANALYSIS

STAFFORDSHIRE—First Innings									
o	m	r	w	o	m	r	w		
Barber	..... 0	1	21	2	Bartley	...15	0	58	2
Dennis	.....12.3	2	44	6					

CHESHIRE—First Innings									
o	m	r	w	o	m	r	w		
Deighton	...13	2	66	0	Binns	.....21	3	73	2
Shardlow	...17	3	63	4	B. Crump	..22	4	55	2
Ikin	..... 4	0	23	0	Halton	.... 8	1	35	1

CHESHIRE TAKE AMPLE REVENGE

Staffordshire Beaten by an Innings

One hundred minutes sufficed to finish the match between Cheshire and Staffordshire yesterday at Stoke, Cheshire winning by an innings and 92 runs.

L. Crump and Deighton batted soundly for Staffs against accurate bowling, but when Crump was stumped, the rot soon set in, and the second innings only realised 112.

Cheshire thus took ample revenge for their defeat earlier in the season.

Scores:—

STAFFORDSHIRE	
First Innings	Second Innings
L. H. Crump, b Dennis 30	st Prescott b Lewis ... 24
W. M. Arkinstall, c	
Eaves b Dennis ... 13	lbw b Bartley..... 0
J. T. Ikin, c Prescott b	
Dennis 2	b Bartley 0
C. C. Clarke, b Dennis 4	c Prescott b Bartley.. 1
R. Halton, b Barber . 46	
T. R. Deighton, b	
Bartley 0	b Barber 21
S. Crump, lbw b	
Bartley 0	c Prescott b Bartley ... 3
B. Shardlow, c Bartley	
b Dennis 1	not out 11
W. D. A. Sims, b Dennis 26	b Barber 5
J. E. Blair, b Barber.. 0	b Bartley 0
E. Binns, not out ... 1	b Bartley 0
Extras 8	Extras 15
Total .....131	Total .....116

CHESHIRE—First Innings	
Dennis, c Binns b	J. N. Halliwell, run
Shardlow .....145	out 25
R. D. Fairbairn, c	Barber, c Crump b
Clarke b Binns ... 5	Shardlow 2
A. M. Wolstenholme, c	H. G. Prescott, b
Arkinstall b Binns 57	Crump 0
J. D. Worthington, c	Bartley, not out ... 2
Ikin b Crump..... 0	J. Lewis, c Arkinstall
A. Gilbody, c Blair b	b Shardlow 5
Halton 45	Extras 25
G. K. Eaves, st Blair	
b Shardlow 29	Total .....339

BOWLING ANALYSIS

STAFFORDSHIRE—First Innings									
o	m	r	w	o	m	r	w		
Barber	..... 0	1	21	2	Bartley	...15	0	58	2
Dennis	.....12.3	2	44	6					

Second Innings									
o	m	r	w	o	m	r	w		
Bartley	...15	4	31	6	Barber	...12	1	35	3
Dennis	... 3	0	12	0	Lewis 5	0	25	1

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CRAVEN GENTLEMEN WIN AT WHITBY

Craven Gentlemen defeated Whitby at Whitby by seven wickets.

Scores:—

WHITBY		CRAVEN GENTLEMEN	
E. A. Hutton, c Jackson b Atkinson ...	36	R. Black, c Day b Kippax	1
C. H. Smith, b Crowther	6	H. Metcalf, c Moore (J.) b Kippax.....	18
P. M. White, c White b Kippax	56	C. Plinpot, b Kippax	1
F. L. Grainger, b Kippax	7	D. P. Maclean, not out	0
W. L. Frankland, b White	15	H. Fothergill, c Wroth b Kippax	0
B. S. Wilkins, b Moore (J.)	26	Extras	9
		Total	175
CRAVEN GENTLEMEN		CRAVEN GENTLEMEN	
S. Crowther, c Wilkins b Metcalf	21	H. J. White not out...	101
R. Moore, c Fothergill b Plinpot	20	J. Moore, not out ...	31
H. G. Kippax, lbw b White	2	Extra	1
		Total (for 3 wks.) ..	176

NOTED PLAYERS TO VISIT HUDDERSFIELD

A cricket match between a Huddersfield side and an eleven chosen by Edwin St. Hill, the West Indian cricketer, will be played at Fartown, on Wednesday, August 17, in aid of Huddersfield Royal Infirmary.

It is hoped to include in St. Hill's side Amar Nath, Nelson's Indian professional, and others will be:—E. St. Hill, L. N. Constantine (West Indies and Rochdale), Amar Singh (India and Colne), Elias Constantine (West Indies and Rochdale), E. J. Fuller (West Indies and Royton), C. C. Thorpe (Huddersfield), F. C. Scott, H. Mortimer, E. Walker (Spens Victoria), and F. Wharton (Undercliffe).

The Huddersfield eleven will be:—S. Denton, A. Sykes, R. E. Haigh, and H. Holdsworth (all Huddersfield), G. Senior (Baldon Green), W. Dennis and W. S. Hammond (Eland), H. G. Kippax (King Cross), G. Dawson (Slatthwate), F. Haigh (Kirkburton), and L. Haigh (Lascelles Hall).

CRAVEN GENTLEMEN DRAW

In the third match of their Bank Holiday tour, Craven Gentlemen drew with Scarborough, at Scarborough yesterday.

Scores:—

CRAVEN GENTLEMEN		SCARBOROUGH	
C. Crowther, b Richardson	47	F. Temple, b Metcalf	1
C. P. Wilcockson, lbw b Pallreman...	12	J. A. Richardson, c Moore (J.) b Atkinson	55
R. Moore, c and b Pallreman	1	J. M. Pearson, c Moore (R.) b Moore (J.)	42
H. J. White, b Richardson	16	V. Wilson, not out ...	72
J. Moore, not out ...	50	A. H. Maynard, not out	27
D. P. Maclean, c Richardson b Temple	0	Extras	7
		Total (for 3 wks.) ..	204
CRAVEN GENTLEMEN		CRAVEN GENTLEMEN	
A. C. Jackson, c Temple b Pallreman	77	H. Metcalf, b Brooker	10
H. Metcalf, b Brooker	10	C. L. English, b Purkris	5
P. M. Hall, not out	2	Extras	15
		Total (for 8 wks., dec.) ..	235

SKEGNESS FESTIVAL WEEK

LINCOLNSHIRE GENTLEMEN v. BELVOIR ESTATES

LINCOLNSHIRE GENTLEMEN.—R. E. Pearson, b Hawley, 22; E. Searby, b Wright, 50; R. Chatterton, b Wildman, 97; G. C. Wellcole, c Mills b Wright, 6; R. Bellwood, not out, 40; Rev. H. Mack, b Tongue, 12; Rev. V. S. Bell not out, 9; extras 5—total (for 5 dec.) 241.

BELVOIR ESTATES.—W. J. Wildman, c Dollery b Mack, 52; W. H. Mackinder, c Wilson b Chatterton, 29; R. Mills c Bellwood b Chatterton, 0; D. Maule, not out, 34; G. Goddard, c Bellwood b Dollery, 8; R. S. G. Wright, run out, 8; F. I. Selwood, b Chatterton, 0; H. Watson, not out, 44; extras 0—total (for 6) 175.

COLTS END THEIR SEASON

Match with N. Yorks and S. Durham League

CAWTHRAY BATS WELL

From Our Special Representative
THORNABY-ON-TEES,

Wednesday

The grey vapours which had made some of the Australians glad of their second sweater at Ashbrooke swirled and eddied over the cricket ground here to-day, when Yorkshire Second Eleven ended their season with a friendly match against the North Yorkshire and South Durham League.

In such cheerless weather it was surprising that there were any spectators, but the hardy few who came to watch the best players from this loyal outpost of Yorkshire cricket face the County Colts saw an interesting, if not particularly eventful, game end in a victory for Yorkshire II, in the last ten minutes of the day.

The Colts won by 41 runs, but such mathematical precision seems somewhat out of place in the circumstances, for the Yorkshire score presented a curious appearance, three of the side retiring at various stages in their innings. This wise procedure enabled the Second Eleven captain to watch the newcomers to the team, but it is doubtful whether he learnt anything of real value from their performance.

Two New Players

The players in question were Wilson (J. V.), a left-hand bat from Malton, and Pollard, another batsman from Worksop, in the Bassetlaw League. Wilson, a finely built player with a sound defence, batted for some three-quarters of an hour, but he scored only four runs. The ball was certainly turning a good deal more while he was in than at any time in the Colts innings, but one felt that he might have shown a little more enterprise.

Pollard shaped quite well, but when he had made 8 he was bowled by a ball which pitched so far outside the off stump that the batsman left it alone in misguided optimism.

The best batting by far came from Cawthray, who scored a delightfully free half-century, full of good shots all round the wicket. Both in batting and bowling he has improved out of all knowledge this season.

When eight players had batted, and the score was 163, the Yorkshire innings was declared. The Colts were without D. A. Shepherd, who injured his arm while fielding at Redcar last week; Hargreaves was chosen as his deputy, but the message did not reach him in time.

Promising Left Hander

The best of the League bowlers seemed to be Harrod, who, though he only took one wicket, impressed as a left hander of considerable promise. He has a nice, easy action, and flights the ball well, but the wicket gave little help to the spin bowler for most of the time.

The League innings prospered for a time, W. Atkinson, a left hander, batting extremely well for 35, while L. Bainbridge hit an occasional loose ball hard on the leg side. But the bowling of Cawthray (4 for 31), and Johnson (3 for 27) was too good for most of their players, and had it not been for a cheerfully aggressive effort by J. Thompson the total would not have reached the century.

Scores:—

YORKSHIRE		SECOND XI.	
G. A. Wilson, c	Wilson (J. V.), not out	4	
Thompson, b Atkinson	Smurthwaite, c Tyre-	5	
Cawthray, retired	man b Spence	15	
Halliday, retired	Extras	15	
Watson, retired			
Pollard, b Spence			
Fiddling, lbw b Harrod			
Beaumont, S. G. S. Pawle, and Johnson did not bat.	Total	165	
NORTH YORKSHIRE AND SOUTH DURHAM LEAGUE			
R. Hunt, b Smurthwaite	W. K. Pickering, b	0	
V. Parker, c Fiddling	J. Thompson, not out	25	
L. Bainbridge, lbw b	R. Harrod, st Fiddling	1	
Halliday	b Johnson	1	
W. Atkinson, c G. A.	J. E. Thomas, c G. A.	0	
Wilson b Cawthray	Wilson b Johnson	0	
F. H. Bruntton, c	E. Spence, c Beaumont	1	
Smurthwaite	b Johnson	1	
Cawthray	Extras	20	
J. Tyreman, b			
Cawthray	Total	122	

