

### MATCH NUMBER 101 : WILTSHIRE V BERKSHIRE

At The County Ground, Timbrell Street, Trowbridge on Monday 22, Tuesday 23 August 1910

Result: Berkshire won by ten wickets Points: Berkshire 5 Toss: Wiltshire

Umpires: Not known Debutants: Wiltshire none; Berkshire 1 (G R Bradfield)

First day score: Wiltshire 128 and 61-4 wickets (A W Newman 26\*, WR C Laverton 1\*)

#### Wiltshire

C S Awdry	c Nepean b Belcher	8	(1)?	c F E Rowe b Belcher	11
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Newman, A W	c Nepean b Belcher	1	(3)	c Nepean b Belcher	34
G W Mathews	b Hawksworth	6?	(4)	c Shoosmith b Belcher	7
R W Awdry	c Nepean b Belcher	5	(5)	b Hawksworth	0
W R C Laverton	b Belcher	66?	(6)	c Willcocks b Belcher	20
Mitchell, -	b Belcher	6	(7)	st E F Rowe b Hawksworth	10
* A M Miller	(7)? c F Rowe b Belcher	7	(8)	b Hawksworth	0
Overton, W	c E Rowe b Shoosmith	16?	(10)	run out	3
Smart, J	run out	7	(9)	st E F Rowe b Belcher	10
+ C G Fraser	not out	0?	(11)	not out	7
Extras	?	0?		?	2
<b>Total</b>		<b>128</b>			<b>119</b>

Fall of wickets	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10			
First innings	12					38		100		128			
Second innings					74	75			112	119			
Belcher	14.1	1	54	7	-	-	(1)?	19.2	1	76	6	-	-
Hawksworth	19	5	50	1	-	-	(2)?	19	6	40	3	-	-
Woodburn	2	0	14	0	-	-							
Shoosmith	3	0	10	1	-	-	(3)	1	0	1	0	-	-
Extras	-	-	4	1	-	-		-	-	2	1	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>38.1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>		<b>39.2</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

#### Berkshire

G G M Bennett	c Smart b Miller	42	(1)	not out	26
F E Rowe	b R W Awdry	48	(2)	not out	15
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H F Willcocks	b Mitchell	7			
Extras	w 5, nb 2	19?		b 2	2
<b>Total</b>		<b>205</b>		<b>(no wicket)</b>	<b>43</b>

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First innings	52		72	146	148					205			
Second innings	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Grant	4	1	25	0	-	-							
Mitchell	10.2	0	32	4	1	-	(1)	3	1	12	0	-	-
Miller	14	2	55	3	-	-							
Newman	9	3	25	0	-	-	(2)	3	0	16	0	-	-
Overton	5	1	18	1	-	-	(4)	1.3	1	11	0	-	-
R W Awdry	9	1	31	2	4	2							
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Extras	-	-	19?	0	-	-		-	-	2	0	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>51.2</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>		<b>9.3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

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Extras	-	-	4	1	-	-		-	-	2	1	-	-
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**BERKS BEATS WILTS AGAIN.**

This championship match was commenced at Trowbridge on Monday. Wilts won the toss and batted first on a good wicket, but the light was bad. This probably was responsible for the poor start made by the homesters. Belcher was making the ball swing across a lot, and the first three batsmen were caught by Sir Charles Nepean in the slips off his bowling. The rot continued, no less than six wickets falling for 38. At this point W. R. Laverton was joined by Overton, and a lengthy partnership ensued. When six Laverton put a ball up at cover point, Bennett and Woodburn going for the leather. There was a collision, the ball dropping to the ground between them, and Woodburn was knocked out, play being stopped for a few minutes. Most of the runs were scored by Laverton, who afterwards batted exceedingly well, driving with great power. After the pair had added 54, and with the total at exactly 100, Overton was caught at the wicket. Jack Smart, who played owing to E. S. Warrilow failing to turn up, was playing comfortably when he called his partner for an almost impossible run, and had to pay the penalty. Laverton, who was last out, bowled for a splendid 68, which included nine fours, made in an hour and a quarter, the innings closing for 128. Lunch was then taken. Resuming, the light became much better, and Rowe and Bennett made a capital start for the visitors, 52 being put on before a separation was effected. Bennett's 42 included a six and eight fours. Rowe was lucky, for in addition to being almost held at point by Miller in the second over, he popped up several in the slips which just went over the fielders' heads. Three were down for 72, but Sir Charles Nepean hit merrily, hitting Newman twice over the rails. He was eventually well caught by Overton high up at point for 27, the fourth wicket falling at 146. Belcher played on two runs later. The remaining men each scored a few, and when the innings ended the visitors had secured a useful lead of 77 runs, the 285 having been made in just over 2½ hours. Wilts went in again at 4.45 and lost C. Awdry at 12. Grant and Newman added 30, when the former put his leg in front of a straight one and retired. Matthews hit recklessly at a ball and was caught, and R. Awdry failed to trouble the scorers. Newman, however, was playing confidently. W. Laverton joined the latter when an appeal was made against the light, which was bad, and play stopped at six o'clock instead of 6.30, Wilts being 16 runs behind with six wickets in hand.

Play was delayed for an hour on Tuesday morning owing to rain. A start was made at 12 o'clock, but only two overs had been bowled before a heavy shower came on, and the players retired to the pavilion, three runs having been added to the score. On resuming, ten runs were scored, when Newman was caught in the slips by Nepean, and one run later Miller was bowled for a duck. Jack Smart came in and got a couple of fours, but another adjournment was caused. However, the innings defeat had been saved, the score being 89. Lunch was then partaken of, but immediately on resuming Smart was beautifully stumped, and Mitchell, after making 10, was got rid of in the same way. At 112 Laverton was easily caught at mid-on, having played a patient innings for 20. Fraser made a few, but Overton went for an impossible run, and failed to get back, the innings closing for 119, leaving Berks 43 runs to win. These were knocked off by Rowe and Bennett without loss, although the former was twice missed, Laverton dropping every catch at square leg. Berks thus qualified, by a magnificent victory over the Champions, to meet Norfolk in the final. The victory was largely due to Berks' good fielding, practically every chance offered being accepted, while the returns were smart and accurate. Scores:—

WILTS.		BERKS.	
First Innings.	Second Innings.	First Innings.	Second Innings.
C. S. Awdry, c Nepean, b Belcher ... ..	8	c Rowe b Belcher ... ..	11
E. S. Grant, c Nepean, b Belcher ... ..	6	lbw, b Belcher ... ..	15
Newman, c Nepean, b Belcher ... ..	1	c Nepean, b Belcher ... ..	34
G. W. Matthews, b Hawksworth ... ..	6	c Shoosmith, b Belcher ... ..	7
R. W. Awdry, c Nepean, b Belcher ... ..	5	b Hawksworth ... ..	0
W. R. Laverton, b Belcher ... ..	68	o Wilcocks, b Belcher ... ..	20
A. M. Miller, c Rowe, b Belcher ... ..	7	b Hawksworth ... ..	0
Mitchell, b Belcher ... ..	6	st Rowe, b Hawksworth ... ..	10
Overton, c Rowe, b Shoosmith ... ..	16	run out ... ..	3
J. Smart, run out ... ..	7	st Rowe, b Belcher ... ..	10
C. G. Fraser, not out ... ..	0	not out ... ..	7
Extras ... ..	0	Extras ... ..	2
Total ... ..	128	Total ... ..	119

WILTS.		BERKS.	
First Innings.	Second Innings.	First Innings.	Second Innings.
G. M. Bennett, c Smart, b Miller ... ..	42	not out ... ..	26
F. E. Rowe, b R. Awdry ... ..	48	not out ... ..	16
Shoosmith, c Newman, b Miller ... ..	16		
F. Belcher, b Miller ... ..	2		
Sir C. Y. Nepean, c Overton, b R. Awdry ... ..	27		
G. E. Bradfield, c Newman, b Overton ... ..	0		
W. Woodburn, c Smart, b Mitchell ... ..	13		
Whichelow, b Mitchell ... ..	21		
Hawksworth, c R. Awdry, b Mitchell ... ..	0		
Captain Rowe, not out ... ..	10		
H. P. Wilcocks, b Mitchell ... ..	7		
Extras ... ..	19	Extras ... ..	2
Total ... ..	205	Total (for no wkt.) ... ..	43

**ANALYSIS OF THE BOWLING.**

WILTS.—First Innings.				BERKS.—First Innings.					
Bowler	O.	M.	R.	W.	Bowler	O.	M.	R.	W.
Belcher	14	1	54	7	Woodburn	2	0	14	0
Hawksworth	19	5	50	1	Shoosmith	3	0	10	1

  

WILTS.—Second Innings.				BERKS.—Second Innings.					
Bowler	O.	M.	R.	W.	Bowler	O.	M.	R.	W.
Belcher	19	2	76	6	Shoosmith	3	0	10	1
Hawksworth	19	6	40	3					

  

WILTS.—First Innings.				BERKS.—First Innings.					
Bowler	O.	M.	R.	W.	Bowler	O.	M.	R.	W.
Grant	4	1	25	0	Newman	9	3	25	0
Mitchell	10	2	32	4	Overton	5	1	18	1
Miller	14	2	65	3	R. Awdry	9	1	31	2

  

WILTS.—Second Innings.				BERKS.—Second Innings.					
Bowler	O.	M.	R.	W.	Bowler	O.	M.	R.	W.
Mitchell	3	1	12	0	Smart	2	0	2	0
Newman	3	0	16	0	Overton	1	3	0	11

**WILTS v. BERKS.**

Berks won this match at Trowbridge yesterday by ten wickets, and thus secured the championship of the Southern Division. They have now to meet Norfolk in the final. Belcher again bowled well, and in the match took thirteen wickets at a cost of 20 runs each. Score:—

WILTS.		BERKS.	
1st Innings.	2nd Innings.	1st Innings.	2nd Innings.
G. B. Awdry, c. Newman, b. Belcher ... 8	P. H. Rowe, b. Belcher ... 11	P. H. Rowe, b. Belcher ... 11	Belcher ... 11
H. S. Grant, c. Newman, b. Belcher ... 8	1st w. b. Belcher ... 11	1st w. b. Belcher ... 11	Belcher ... 11
Newman, c. Newman, b. Belcher ... 1	c. Newman, b. Belcher ... 1	c. Newman, b. Belcher ... 1	Belcher ... 11
G. W. Matthews, b. Hawksworth ... 6	c. Shoosmith, b. Belcher ... 7	c. Shoosmith, b. Belcher ... 7	Belcher ... 11
R. W. Awdry, c. Newman, b. Belcher ... 8	b. Hawksworth ... 6	b. Hawksworth ... 6	Belcher ... 11
Belcher ... 23	c. Willocks, b. Belcher ... 10	c. Willocks, b. Belcher ... 10	Belcher ... 11
W. E. C. Loveton, b. Belcher ... 23	c. M. F. Rowe, b. Hawksworth ... 10	c. M. F. Rowe, b. Hawksworth ... 10	Belcher ... 11
Mitchell, b. Belcher ... 6	b. Hawksworth ... 0	b. Hawksworth ... 0	Belcher ... 11
A. M. Miller, c. P. H. Rowe, b. Belcher ... 7	not out ... 1	not out ... 1	Belcher ... 11
Overton, c. M. F. Rowe, b. Shoosmith ... 16	not out ... 10	not out ... 10	Belcher ... 11
Smart (L.), run out ... 7	not out ... 7	not out ... 7	Belcher ... 11
C. O. Fraser, not out ... 9	not out ... 7	not out ... 7	Belcher ... 11
Extras ... 6	Extras ... 3	Extras ... 3	Belcher ... 11
Total ... 158	Total ... 119	Total ... 119	Belcher ... 11

WILTS.		BERKS.	
1st Innings.	2nd Innings.	1st Innings.	2nd Innings.
G. G. M. Bennett, c. Smart, b. Miller ... 43	not out ... 15	not out ... 15	not out ... 15
P. H. Rowe, b. B. Awdry ... 49	not out ... 15	not out ... 15	not out ... 15
Shoosmith, c. Newman, b. Miller ... 16	not out ... 15	not out ... 15	not out ... 15
Miller ... 16	not out ... 15	not out ... 15	not out ... 15
O. Belcher, b. Miller ... 1	not out ... 15	not out ... 15	not out ... 15
1st C. V. Newman, c. Overton, b. B. Awdry ... 37	not out ... 15	not out ... 15	not out ... 15
G. H. Bradfield, c. Newman, b. Overton ... 0	not out ... 15	not out ... 15	not out ... 15
W. J. Woodburn, c. Smart, b. Mitchell ... 13	not out ... 15	not out ... 15	not out ... 15
Mitchell ... 13	not out ... 15	not out ... 15	not out ... 15
Whiteley, b. Mitchell ... 23	not out ... 15	not out ... 15	not out ... 15
Hawksworth, c. B. Awdry, b. Mitchell ... 0	not out ... 15	not out ... 15	not out ... 15
Mitchell ... 0	not out ... 15	not out ... 15	not out ... 15
Capt. M. F. Rowe, not out ... 16	not out ... 15	not out ... 15	not out ... 15
M. F. Willocks ... 17	not out ... 15	not out ... 15	not out ... 15
Extras ... 10	not out ... 15	not out ... 15	not out ... 15
Total ... 225	Total (no wkt.) 43	Total (no wkt.) 43	not out ... 15

**ANALYSIS OF THE BOWLING.**

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Belcher ... 14 1 16 7	Woodburn ... 2 0 16 0	Belcher ... 14 1 16 7	Woodburn ... 2 0 16 0
Hawksworth ... 15 3 20 1	Shoosmith ... 1 0 10 1	Hawksworth ... 15 3 20 1	Shoosmith ... 1 0 10 1
SECOND INNINGS.			
Belcher ... 17 1 16 6	Shoosmith ... 1 0 1 0	Belcher ... 17 1 16 6	Shoosmith ... 1 0 1 0
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Miller ... 14 2 18 0	Awdry ... 3 1 11 1	Miller ... 14 2 18 0	Awdry ... 3 1 11 1
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Mitchell bowled one wide, and Awdry four wides and two no-balls.

**Wilts v. Berks.**

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WILTS.

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R. W. Awdry, c Nepean, b Belcher	5	b Hawksworth	0
W. R. Laverton, b Belcher	66	c Wilcocks, b Belcher	20
A. M. Miller, c Rowe, b Belcher	7	b Hawksworth	0
Mitchell, b Belcher	6	st. Rowe, b Hawksworth	10
Overton, c Rowe, b Shoosmith	16	run out	3
J. Smart, run out	7	st Rowe, b Belcher	10
C. G. Fraser, not out	0	not out	7
		Extras	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>119</b>

BERKS.

G. M. Bennett, c Smart, b Miller	42
F. E. Rowe, b R. Awdry	48
Shoosmith, c Newman, b Miller	16
G. Belcher, b Miller	2
Sir C. Y. Nepean, c Overton, b R. Awdry	27
C. F. Bradfield, c Newman, b Overton	0
W. Woodburn, c Smart, b Mitchell	13
Whichelow, b Mitchell	21
Hawksworth, c R. Awdry, b Mitchell	0
Capt. Rowe, not out	10
H. T. Wilcocks, b Mitchell	7
Extras	19
<b>Total</b>	<b>205</b>

Second Innings—G. M. Bennett, not out, 26.  
F. E. Rowe, not out, 16. Extras, 2. **Total, 43.**

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

WILTSHIRE—First Innings.

Belcher	14	1	54	7	Woodburn	2	—	14	—
Hawk's'th	19	5	50	1	Shoosmith	3	—	10	1

2nd Innings.

Belcher	19	2	75	6	Shoosmith	1	—	1	—
Hawk's'th	19	6	40	3					

BERKSHIRE—First Innings.

Grant	4	1	25	—	Newman	9	3	25	—
Mitchell	10	2	32	4	Overton	5	1	18	1
Miller	14	2	55	3	R. Awdry	9	1	31	3

2nd Innings.

Mitchell	3	1	12	—	Smart	2	—	2	—
Newman	3	—	16	—	Overton	1	3	11	—

ACSH/MCCA COLLECTION OF MINOR COUNTIES SCORES PROJECT : 1895 TO DATE																	
MATCH NUMBER: 10		1910 HOME TEAM: WILTSHIRE				VERSUS: BERKSHIRE											
Ground:		Venue: TROWBRIDGE				Date: 22/23 AUGUST 1910											
Toss won by:		Result: BERKS WON BY 10 WKTS															
BATTING WILTS		FIRST INNINGS:						SECOND INNINGS									
Ord	Name	How Out	Runs	Mins	Balls	6s	4s	Ord	How Out	Runs	Mins	Balls	6s	4s			
1	C.S. ANDRY	c NEPEAN b BELCHER	8						c F.E. ROWE b BELCHER								
2	E.S. GRANT	c NEPEAN b BELCHER	6						L.B.W. b BELCHER								
3	NEWMAN	c NEPEAN b BELCHER	1						NOT OUT								
4	G.W. MATTHEWS	b HAWKSWORTH	1						c SHOOSMITH b BELCHER								
5	R.W. ANDRY	c NEPEAN b BELCHER	5						b HAWKSWORTH								
6	W.R. LAVERTON	b BELCHER	65						NOT OUT								
7	MITCHELL	b BELCHER	6														
8	A.M. MILNER	c F.E. ROWE b BELCHER	7														
9	OVERTON	c F.E. ROWE b SHOOSMITH	15														
10	SMART J	RUN OUT	7														
11	C.G. FRASER	NOT OUT	3														
Extras		b lb w nb	4					b lb w nb									
128-10 WKTS TOTAL		Mins: Overs:						Mins: Overs:		119-10 WKTS							
BATTING BERKS		FIRST INNINGS:						SECOND INNINGS									
Ord	Name	How Out	Runs	Mins	Balls	6s	4s	Ord	How Out	Runs	Mins	Balls	6s	4s			
1	G.G.M. BENNETT	c SMART b MILLER	42						NOT OUT	26							
2	F.E. ROWE	b R. ANDRY	48						NOT OUT	15							
3	SHOOSMITH	c NEWMAN b MILLER	16														
4	G. BELCHER	b MILLER	2														
5	SIR C.Y. NEPEAN	c OVERTON b R. ANDRY	27														
6	G.R. BRADFIELD	c NEWMAN b OVERTON	0														
7	W.Y. WOODBURN	c SMART b MITCHELL	13														
8	WHICHELOW	b MITCHELL	21														
9	HAWKSWORTH	c R. ANDRY b MITCHELL	0														
10	CAPT E.F. ROWE	NOT OUT	16														
11	H.F. WILCOCKS	b MITCHELL	7														
Extras		b lb w nb	13					b lb w nb		2							
205-10WKTS TOTAL		Mins: Overs:						Mins: Overs:		43-0WKTS							
BOWLING		FIRST INNS:						SECOND INNINGS						FALL OF WICKETS			
Ord	Name	O	M	R	W	w nb	Ord	O	M	R	W	w nb	Wkt	1st	2nd	1st	2nd
1	BELCHER	14.1	1	54	7		19.2	1	76	6			1st				
2	HAWKSWORTH	19	5	50	1		19	6	40	3			2nd				
3	WOODBURN	2	0	14	0								3rd				
4	SHOOSMITH	3	0	10	1		1	0	1	0			4th				
5													5th				
6													6th				
7													7th				
8													8th				
9													9th				
10													10th				
Extras/ROS																	
TOTAL														Close of Play:			
BOWLING WILTS		O	M	R	W	w nb	Ord	O	M	R	W	w nb					
1	GRANT	4	1	25	0												
2	MITCHELL	10.2	0	32	4	1	3	1	12	0							
3	MILLER	14	2	55	3												
4	NEWMAN	9	3	25	0		3	0	16	0							
5	OVERTON	5	1	18	1		1.3	1	11	0							
6	R. ANDRY	9	1	31	2	4 2											
7	SMART						2	0	2	0							
8																	
9																	
10																	
Extras																	
TOTAL														Sources: CRICKET - A WEEKLY RECORD OF THE GAME			
														Completed by: ROY NEW			
														Date:			

**WILTS v. BERKS.**

Berks won this match at Trowbridge on Tuesday by ten wickets, and thus secured the championship of the Southern Division. They have now to meet Norfolk in the final. Belcher again bowled well, and in the match took thirteen wickets at a cost of ten runs each. Full score:—

WILTSHIRE.		2nd Innings.	
1st Innings.		c F. E. Rowe	b
C. S. Awdry c Nepean b Belcher...	8	Belcher	... 11
E. S. Grant c Nepean b Belcher ...	6	lbw b Belcher	... 15
Newman c Nepean b Belcher ...	1	c Nepean b Belcher	34
G. W. Matthews b Hawksworth ...	6	c Shoosmith	b
R. W. Awdry c Nepean b Belcher	5	Belcher	... 7
W. R. C. Laverton b Belcher	68	b Hawksworth	... 0
Mitobell b Belcher	...	c Willcocks	b
A. M. Miller c F. E. Rowe b Belcher	7	Belcher	... 20
Overton c E. F. Rowe b Shoosmith	16	st. E. F. Rowe	b
Smart (J.) run out	...	Hawksworth	... 10
C. G. Fraser not out...	...	b Hawksworth	... 0
Extras	...	run out	... 3
		st. E. F. Rowe	b
		Belcher	... 10
		not out	... 7
		Extras	... 4
Total	... 128	Total	... 119

BERKS.		2nd Innings.	
G. G. M. Bennett c Smart	...	Dr. W. Y. Woodburn	c
b Miller	... 42	Smart b Mitchell	... 18
F. E. Rowe b R. Awdry	... 48	Whitchlow b Mitchell	... 21
Shoosmith c Newman b	...	Hawksworth c R. Awdry	b
Miller	... 18	Mitchell	... 0
G. Belcher b Miller	... 2	Capt. E. F. Rowe not out	... 10
Sir C. Y. Nepean c Overton	...	H. F. Willcocks b Mitchell	7
b R. Awdry	... 27	Extras	... 19
G. E. Bradfield c Newman	...		...
b Overton	... 0	Total	... 205

Second Innings: Bennett not out 26, F. E. Rowe not out 16, extras 2—total (no wkt.) 42.

**ANALYSIS OF THE BOWLING.**

WILTS.—First Innings.				BERKS.—First Innings.				
O.	M.	R.	W.	O.	M.	R.	W.	
Belcher	14	1	54	7	Woodburn	2	0	14
Hawksworth	19	5	50	1	Shoosmith	3	0	10
Second Innings.				Second Innings.				
Belcher	19	2	76	8	Shoosmith	1	0	1
Hawksworth	19	5	49	0				
BERKS.—First Innings.				BERKS.—First Innings.				
Grant	4	1	25	0	Newman	9	2	25
Mitchell	10	2	32	4	Overton	5	1	19
Miller	14	2	55	3	R. Awdry	9	1	31

Mitchell bowled one wide, and Awdry four wides and two no-balls.

Second Innings.				Second Innings.				
Mitchell	2	1	12	0	Smart	2	0	2
Newman	5	0	16	0	Overton	1	1	11

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WILTSHIRE.

O S Awdry c Nepean b Belcher	8	c. E. F. Rowe	0
E S Grant c Nepean b Belcher	6	b W. b Belcher	11
Newman c Nepean b Belcher	1	c Nepean b Belcher	31
G W Matthews c Hawlaworth	6	c Shoosmith	0
R W Awdry c Nepean b Belcher	5	b Belcher	7
W R O Laverton b Belcher	46	c Willocks b Belcher	20
Mitchell b Belcher	6	st. E. F. Rowe	10
A M Miller c E F Rowe b Belcher	7	b Hawksworth	0
Overton c E F Rowe b Shoosmith	16	run out	3
J Smart run out	7	st. E. F. Rowe	7
C G Fraser not out	0	not out	10
Extras	0	Extras	2

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BERKSHIRE.

G G M Pennett c Smart b Miller	42
F R Rowe b R Awdry	48
Shoosmith c Newman b Miller	16
G Belcher b Miller	2
Sir C V Nepean c Overton b R Awdry	27
G E Bradfield c Newman b Overton	0
W J Woodburn c Smart b Mitchell	13
Whichelow b Mitchell	21
Hawksworth c R Awdry b Mitchell	0
Capt E F Rowe not out	10
H F Willocks b Mitchell	7
Extras	19

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Second Innings.

Bennett not out	26
F R Rowe not out	15
Extras	2

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### ANALYSIS OF THE BOWLING.

WILTSHIRE.		BERKSHIRE.	
o. m. r. w.	o. m. r. w.	o. m. r. w.	o. m. r. w.
Belcher	141 1 51 7	Woodburn	2 0 14 0
Hawksworth	19 5 50 1	Shoosmith	3 0 10 1

Second Innings.

WILTSHIRE.		BERKSHIRE.	
o. m. r. w.	o. m. r. w.	o. m. r. w.	o. m. r. w.
Belcher	192 1 76 6	Shoosmith	1 0 1 0
Hawksworth	19 6 40 3		

Second Innings.

WILTSHIRE.		BERKSHIRE.	
o. m. r. w.	o. m. r. w.	o. m. r. w.	o. m. r. w.
Mitchell	102 0 32 1	Overton	5 1 18 1
Miller	11 2 51 3	R Awdry	9 1 31 2

Mitchell bowled 1 one wide and Awdry four wides and two no-balls.

### THE COMPLETED TABLE.

Following is the completed table of results in the South and West Section of the Minor Counties' Competition:—

County	P.	W.	Inns.	D.	Pts.		Per.
					pos.	obt.	
Berkshire	10	9	0	0	50	45	90.00
Gloucestershire	10	9	0	0	50	45	90.00
Monmouthshire	8	5	1	6	40	24	76.00
Surrey (2nd)	10	5	2	1	50	31	68.88
Cambridgeshire	8	3	0	0	40	15	37.50
Hertfordshire	8	3	0	0	40	15	37.50
Devon	9	2	1	1	45	13	32.00
Dorset	9	2	1	0	45	13	28.88
Cornwall	8	2	0	0	40	10	25.00
Wiltshire	10	1	2	0	50	11	22.00
Buckinghamshire	8	0	0	0	40	0	0.00

Five points for a win; three points for a match decided on the first innings; drawn matches—i.e., matches in which no result on the first innings is obtained—ignored.

Norfolk's record in the North and East Section is:— Played 10, won 6, won on first innings 2, drawn 0, points possible 50, points obtained 36, percentage 72.00.

