

**MATCH NUMBER 93: DORSET V WILTSHIRE – MINOR COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP**

Played at Wimborne St Giles on Monday 21<sup>st</sup>, Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> August 1911

Result: Drawn (Wiltshire won on 1<sup>st</sup> innings) Points: Wiltshire 3 Dorset 1

Toss: Wiltshire Umpires: Debutants:

First day score: Wiltshire 181, Dorset 152-6 (C J B Webb 41\* & ??)

**Wiltshire**

H Taunton	c Hardy b W Harrison	25	( )	c Arundell b Webb	40
C S Awdry	c Bolton b Sewell	21	( )	c W Harrison b Webb	55
A W Newman	c Hardy b W Harrison	34	( )	b Webb	9
C Leverton	b W Harrison	0	( )	b Sewell	7
G C Davenport	c Cummins b W Harrison	10	( )	b Webb	11
E Fawcett	b Cummins	5	( )	b Sewell	27
*A M Miller	c Hardy b W Harrison	25	( )	c & b Webb	29
+C E Kendle	b Sewell	22	( )	b Webb	18
R Pinfield	c Hardy b W Harrison	2	( )	not out	53
H W Cobb	c Hardy b W Harrison	26	( )	not out	24
W Overton	not out	4	( )		
Extras		7			14
<b>Total</b>	<b>(all out)</b>	<b>181</b>		<b>(8 wickets declared)</b>	<b>287</b>

Fall of wickets	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
First innings										181
Second innings										

W Harrison	??	?	70	7	-	-	( )	00	0	00	0	-	-
Webb							( )	??	?	80	6		
3							( )						
4							( )						
5													
Extras	-	-	7	0	-	-				14	0	-	-
<b>Total</b>			<b>181</b>	<b>10</b>	-	-				<b>287</b>	<b>8</b>	-	-

**Dorset**

R H D Bolton	c Miller b Overton	16		c Kendle b Overton	18
F A S Sewell	b Newman	12		not out	18
R M Maunser	c Leverton b Overton	15	( )	c Kendle b Overton	1
Rev. W H Arundell	c Kendle b Overton	29		c Taunton b Overton	98
G M Gordon	b Overton	9	(3)	b Taunton	0
H B Cummins	lbw b Overton	16	( )	retired hurt	15
C J B Webb	b Newman	48	( )	c & b Pinfield	16
*C P Goodden	c Fawcett b Newman	13	( )	not out	18
A M Harrison	lbw b Overton	0	(2)	c Pinfield b Taunton	0
+J W Hardy	not out	9			
W Harrison	c & b Newman	0			
Extras		8			6
<b>Total</b>	<b>(all out)</b>	<b>175</b>			

Fall of wickets	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
First innings										175
Second innings										

Overton	??	?	43	6	-	-	( )	00	0	00	0	-	-
Newman	??	?	59	4			( )						
3							( )						
4													
5													
Extras	-	-	8	0	-	-		-	-	6	0	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>??</b>	<b>?</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>10</b>	-	-		<b>??</b>	<b>?</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>6</b>	-	-

Notes:

[Missing: Umpires, fall of wickets, breakdown of extras, bowling analysis & close of play score,

Sources: Cricket 1911, Sportsman 24/8/1911, Dorset County Chronicle

**DORSET v. WILTS.**

Dorset entered upon their last match of a fairly successful season on Monday, when they met Wilts in the Minor Counties' Championship in Wimborne St. Giles Park, placed at the disposal of the club by the Dorset President, the Earl of Shaftesbury, who entertained the teams, and put them up on Monday night. Ideal weather prevailed, and, despite the fact that the ground is three miles and a-half from the nearest railway station, Verwood, and nearly eight from Wimborne, there was a record attendance for Dorset matches, dozens of parties coming by motor. Wilts, winning the toss, elected to bat on a very fine wicket, and their innings realised 181, W. Harrison (Bridport) bowling with success, and claiming seven wickets for 70. Bolton and Sewell opened Dorset's innings, but the start was not encouraging, as with 25 on the board Sewell was cleaned bowled by Newman; whilst four wickets were down for 66. Arundell and Webb, however, put a better complexion on the game, and before the former was smartly caught behind the wicket, the score was carried to 117. Webb continued to play very steadily, and when stumps were drawn he had 41 to his credit, and Dorset were 152 for six. It was confidently anticipated that the home county would exceed the "Moonrakers'" total; but on Tuesday, when the game was resumed, they offered but feeble resistance to the attack, and were all out for 175. Overton and Newman shared the bowling honours, the former claiming six for 43 and Newman four for 59. The visitors were seen to much better advantage in their second innings, and they gave a consistent display of batting, putting up 287 for the loss of eight wickets and declaring. Webb bowled well, six wickets falling to him for the loss of eighty runs. Dorset, left with 294 runs to get to win, began disastrously, as with the first ball of Taunton's over A. M. Harrison was neatly dismissed by a one-handed catch by Pinfield at third slip, and with the last ball of the same over Gordon was clean bowled, two wickets being down without a run on the board. The Rev. W. H. Arundell, however, again came to the rescue, and, although he saw Bolton and Manser sent back with only 34 up, he continued to play a brilliant game, and severely punished the bowling. When he was within two of the century, however, he had the misfortune to lift a ball to Taunton, who had dropped back to the boundary, and a finely-played and practically faultless innings was brought to a close. He hit three 6's and fifteen 4's, and assisted to carry the score to 163. The Dorset captain and Sewell were together when stumps were drawn, with the score at 190, a draw thus resulting. Scores:—

WILTS.	
H. Taunton c Hardy b	W. Harrison .. 25 c Arundell b Webb .. 40
C. S. Awdry c Bolton b	Sewell .. .. 21 c. W. Harrison b
Newman c Hardy b Harri-	Webb .. .. 55
son .. ..	34 b Webb .. .. 9
G. A. Laverton b W.	Harrison .. .. 0 b Sewell .. .. 7
Harrison .. ..	10 b Webb .. .. 11
G. C. Davenport c Cum-	5 b Sewell .. .. 27
mins b W. Harrison ..	A. M. Miller (capt) c
E. Fawcett b Cummins ..	Hardy b W. Harrison .. 25 c and b Webb .. 29
A. M. Miller (capt) c	C. E. C. Kendle b Sewell .. 22 b Webb .. .. 18
Hardy b W. Harrison ..	R. Pinfield c Hardy b W.
C. E. C. Kendle b Sewell ..	Harrison .. .. 2 not out .. .. 53
R. Pinfield c Hardy b W.	R. W. Cobb c Hardy b W.
Harrison .. ..	Harrison .. .. 26 not out .. .. 24
R. W. Cobb c Hardy b W.	Overton not out .. .. 4 did not bat
Harrison .. ..	Extras .. .. 7 Extras .. .. 14
Overton not out .. ..	181 For 8 wickets .. 287
Extras .. ..	DORSET.
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DORSET.	Overton .. .. 16 c Kendle b Overton 18
R. D. H. Bolton c Miller b	F. A. S. Sewell b Newman 12 not out .. .. 18
Overton .. ..	R. M. Manser c Laverton b
F. A. S. Sewell b Newman	Overton .. .. 15 c Kendle b Overton 4
R. M. Manser c Laverton b	Rev. W. H. Arundell c
Overton .. ..	Kendle b Overton .. .. 29 c Taunton b Overton 98
Rev. W. H. Arundell c	Kendle b Overton .. .. 9 b Taunton .. .. 0
Kendle b Overton .. ..	G. M. Gordon b Overton .. 48 c and b Pinfield .. 16
G. M. Gordon b Overton ..	C. P. B. Webb b Newman
C. P. B. Webb b Newman	H. B. Cummins lbw b
H. B. Cummins lbw b	Overton .. .. 16 retired hurt .. 15
Overton .. ..	C. P. Goodden (capt) c
Overton .. ..	Fawcett b Newman .. 13 not out .. .. 18
C. P. Goodden (capt) c	A. M. Harrison lbw b
Fawcett b Newman ..	Overton .. .. 0 c Pinfield b Taunton 0
A. M. Harrison lbw b	J. W. Hardy not out .. .. 9
Overton .. ..	W. Harrison c & b New-
J. W. Hardy not out ..	man .. .. 0
W. Harrison c & b New-	Extras .. .. 8 Extras .. .. 6
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DORSET v WILTSHIRE

Regent Wimburne St. Rules

Monday August 21 and Tuesday August 22, 1911

WILTSHIRE

Wicket	First Innings	Second Innings
H. Taunton	c Hardy b Harrison W. 25	c Arundell b Webb 40
C. S. Awdry	c Bolton b Sewell 21	c Harrison W. b Webb 55
A. Newman	Newman c Hardy b Harrison W. 34	b Webb 9
C. Laverton	G. A. Laverton b Harrison W. 0	b Sewell 7
G. C. Davenport	c Cummins b Harrison W. 10	b Webb 11
E. Fawcett	b Cummins 5	b Sewell 27
A. M. Miller	c Hardy b Harrison W. 25	c out b Webb 29
<del>S. C. E.</del> C. E. C. Kendall (wkt.)	b Sewell 22	b Webb 18
R. Pinfield	R. Pinfield c Hardy b Harrison W. 2	not out 53
H. W. Cobb	c Hardy b Harrison W. 26	not out 24
Overton	not out 4	
	Byes, etc 7	Byes, etc. 14
	Total 181	Total (8 wkt. dec.) 287

BOWLING

W. Harrison	7 for 70	Webb	6 for 80
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**CRICKET.**  
**MINOR COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP.**  
**Wilts v. Dorset.**

This match, which was played at Wimborne St Giles on Monday and Tuesday, ended in a draw, but Wiltshire scored points for leading on the 1st innings. Scores:—

WILTSHIRE.		DORSET.	
H. Taunton, c Hardy, b W. Harrison	...	23	c Arundell, b Webb 40
C. S. Awdry, c Bolton, b Sewell	...	21	W. Harrison, b Webb ... 55
Newman, c Hardy, b W. Harrison	...	34	b Webb ... 9
G. A. Laverton, b W. Harrison	...	0	b Sewell ... 7
G. C. Devonport, c Cummins, b W. Harrison	...	10	b Webb ... 11
E. Fawcett, b Cummins	...	5	b Sewell ... 27
A. M. Miller, c Hardy, b W. Harrison	...	25	c and b Webb ... 20
C. E. C. Kendle, b Sewell	...	23	b Webb ... 18
R. Pinfield, c Hardy, b W. Harrison	...	2	not out ... 53
H. W. Cobb, c Hardy, b W. Harrison	...	26	not out ... 24
Overton, not out	...	4	
Extras	...	7	Extras ... 11
<b>Total</b>	...	<b>181</b>	<b>Total (8 wks.) *287</b>
* Innings declared closed.			
DORSET.		WILTSHIRE.	
R. H. D. Bolton, c Miller, b Overton	...	16	c Kendle, b Overton ... 18
F. A. S. Sewell, b Newman	...	12	not out ... 18
R. M. Manser, c Laverton, b Overton	...	15	c Kendle, b Overton ... 1
Earl W. H. Arundell, c Kendle, b Overton	...	23	c Taunton, b Overton ... 38
G. M. Gordon, b Overton	...	9	b Taunton ... 0
H. E. Cummins, lbw, b Overton	...	16	retired hurt ... 15
C. J. B. Webb, b Newman	...	48	c and b Pinfield 16
C. P. Goodden, c Fawcett, b Newman	...	13	not out ... 18
A. M. Harrison, lbw, b Overton	...	0	c Pinfield, b Taunton ... 0
J. W. Hardy, not out	...	9	
Harrison (W.), c and b Newman	...	0	
Extras	...	8	Extras ... 6
<b>Total</b>	...	<b>175</b>	<b>Total (8 wks.) 190</b>

Table with 6 columns: Season, Inns, Not outs, Runs, Aver., High'st Score. Rows for years 1901 to 1911.

These are fine figures, representing as they do an average of over 40 for a period of eleven years. Allowing for the runs made in seasons prior to 1901, it seems likely that Silverlock is now nearing his 10,000 runs in second-class county cricket.

His highest score for the county to date is 246 not out v. Carmarthenshire at Newport in 1909. In 1905, when his average for Monmouthshire alone was 82.60, he played innings of 206 not out, 155 not out, and 123.

He is not a dealer in sensational hitting, though at times he scores quite fast. He plays the game, choosing the right ball to hit with great discrimination, and always giving the impression of being at home with the bowling.

As a bowler Silverlock has done good work without ever reaching the level of his batting achievements. In 1901 he took 35 wickets for the county at nearly 25 each; in 1902 he had 36 at under 16 each; in 1903 his bag was 39 at a slightly smaller cost.

J. N. PENTELOW.

CAMBRIDGESHIRE v. BEDFORDSHIRE.—Played at Cambridge on August 16 and 17 and left drawn. Score and analysis:—

Table showing match details for Cambridgeshire vs Bedfordshire, including player names, runs, and wickets.

Table showing batting and bowling statistics for Cambridgeshire and Bedfordshire in the first and second innings.

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THE MINOR COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP. THE FINAL MATCH.

STAFFORDSHIRE v. SURREY 2ND XI.—Played at Stoke on August 30, 31 and September 1 and won by Staffordshire by 334 runs. Score and analysis:—

Table showing match details for Staffordshire vs Surrey 2nd XI, including player names, runs, and wickets.

Table showing batting and bowling statistics for Staffordshire and Surrey 2nd XI in the first and second innings.

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DORSET v. WILTSHIRE.—Played at Wimborne St. Giles on August 21 and 22 and left drawn. Score:—

Table showing match details for Dorset vs Wiltshire, including player names, runs, and wickets.

Table showing batting and bowling statistics for Dorset and Wiltshire in the first and second innings.

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