

**CRICKET.**

**RESULTS IN BRIEF.**

Newport, 257; Panteg, 123.  
 Neath, 221 for 6; Ebbw Vale, 133.  
 Chepstow Standard Institute, 60; Portskewett, 31.  
 Chepstow, 125; Mordey and Carney, Newport, 114.  
 Bristol Grammar School, 103 for 6; Monmouth Grammar School, 71.  
 Ynysddu II., 31; Tredegar II., 18.  
 Pontllanfraith, 87; Abertillery, 50.  
 Llanhilleth, 71 for 9; Pontypool St. James, 25.  
 Abertillery II., 88; Pontllanfraith II., 129.  
 Newport Thirds, 80; Panteg "B," 71.  
 Abergavenny 181 for 7 (declared); Brynmawr, 67 for 7.  
 Pontymister II., 166; All Saints (Newport), 91.  
 Y.M.C.A., 41; Oakdale, 27.  
 Dowlais, 85; Blaira, 32 for 6.

**NEWPORT BEAT PANTEG.**

At Panteg. Scores:—  
 Newport.—A. S. Richards, c and b O. Williams, 35; J. E. Rust, c R. Phillips, b Rowlands, 11; J. P. Trelear, lbw, b Rowlands, 0; E. Gordon Phillips, c Evans, b R. Phillips, 52; J. E. Rees, c Harry, b Williams, 0; G. A. Webb, c Harris, b Williams, 7; E. V. Swallow, c Harris, b Williams, 20; G. D. Young, b Williams, 7; L. M. Jones, lbw, b R. Phillips, 7; A. A. Williams, c Harry, c R. Phillips, 9; Bryn Phillips, not out 0; extras, 9; total, 157.  
 Panteg.—A. Phillips, c Rust, b F. G. Phillips, 9; W. Harris, b Bryn Phillips, 4; G. Smith, run out, 22; A. C. Jones, b F. G. Phillips, 0; J. H. Evans, b Jones, 2; R. Harry, lbw, b Young, 20; C. Williams, c Rees, b Jones, 1; S. Wilcox, c Trelear, b Bryn Phillips, 41; E. Phillips, not out, 10; R. Phillips, st Williams, b Jones, 3; G. Rowlands, lbw, b Bryn Phillips, 1; extras, 9; total, 123.

**EBBW VALE v. NEATH.**

At Ebbw Vale on Saturday. Neath winning after a splendid afternoon's cricket. A feature of the match was the fine bowling of the Neath pro. bowler, Bestwick, who did the hat trick. Scores:—  
 Neath.—T. A. L. Whittington, b D. Davies, 50; D. J. Reason, b Sharpe, 39; W. Allen, b D. Davies, 43; W. J. Jones, b D. Davies, 14; J. D. D. Davies, b G. Morris, 14; Dr. Gwyn Thomas, c S. Pape, b Sharpe, 33; J. M. Bevan, not out 16; extras, 12; total for 6 wks, 221.—Innings declared.  
 Ebbw Vale.—A. M. Malthy, b Bestwick, 34; F. Pape, c Reason, b Bestwick, 2; R. S. Pape, b Bestwick, 27; P. Sharpe, b Arundale, 22; D. Davies, c Bevan, b Bestwick, 0; W. S. Baskerville, lbw, b Arundale, 3; E. Watkins, b Arundale, 3; Ivor Thomas, not out 9; J. E. Lord, b Bestwick, 15; D. Miles, b Bestwick, 0; G. Morris, b Bestwick, 0; extras, 18; total, 133.

**BRISTOL GRAMMAR SCHOOL DEFEAT MONMOUTH GRAMMAR SCHOOL.**

After defeating Hereford Cathedral School during the week, Monmouth Grammar School expected to do well against Bristol Grammar School, at Monmouth. However Bristol batted first and declared when they had made 103 for six. They got Monmouth Grammar School out for 71. Scores:—  
 Bristol Grammar School: Baker, run out, 27; Stone b Davies, 4; Hall c and b Davies, 27; Apted b Sutherland, 20; Gaisford b Sutherland, 1; Rossiter b Sutherland, 6; Punched, not out, 15; Fells, Field, Harris and Short did not bat; extras, 3—total, for six wickets, 103—innings declared closed.  
 Monmouth Grammar School: C. R. Price-Jones run out, 10; L. H. V. Clubb b Hall, 2; J. W. Gibbs, b Harris, 1; C. H. Sutherland b Harris, 0; B. Aston c Gaisford b Rossiter, 14; Freeman lbw b Rossiter, 22; P. J. Davies c Gaisford b Rossiter, 1; Prosser c Stone b Short, 5; H. Jones c and b Short, 8; Thorpe c Baker b Rossiter, 0; Phillips, not out 2; extras, 6—total, 71.

**Y.M.C.A. v. OAKDALE.**

At the Y.M.C.A. ground, Bas-aleg, the home team winning by 14 runs. Scores:—  
 Y.M.C.A.: N. Abraham b Brooks, 1; Rev. A. Kershaw lbw b Brooks, 1; V. M. Griffiths, c Lewis b Little, 13; R. Lonnnon c G. Brooks b W. Brooks, 4; A. V. Harding b Brooks, 10; N. W. Bryant b Brooks, 0; W. M. Davies c Little b Brooks, 0; L. Lonnnon c Lewis b Brooks, 4; I. Jones b Little, 1; W. Harding b Little, 0; A. Elms not out, 0; byes, 2—total 41.  
 Oakdale: W. Brooks b Abraham, 2; B. Burrows b Abraham, 5; J. Webb c Abraham b Bryant, 2; G. Brooks c Davies b Bryant, 0; J. W. Morgan c Davies b Bryant, 11; H. Little c L. Lonnnon b Bryant, 0; D. Lucas b Bryant, 0; W. Williams b Bryant, 0; A. Morgan b Abraham, 0; S. A. Lewis, not out, 5; extras, 2—total, 27.  
 Bowling: W. Bryant 7 for 14; N. Abraham 3 for 12.

**LYSAGHTS v. MALPAS.**

At Lysaghts, on Saturday. Scores:—  
 Lysaghts: B. Webb b Workman, 0; Sturdy b Hartland, 0; E. Baker c and b Workman, 0; E. J. Diver run out, 4; R. Roberts b Hartland, 1; W. Jones b Workman, 5; Richards b Hartland, 21; Attwood c Mason b Workman, 13; S. Jones c Fairfax b Clarke, 35; Allen not out, 2; F. R. Weight, b Clarke, 0; extras, 0—total, 84.  
 Malpas: W. Tucker c Jones b Jones, 18; G. Mason b Baker, 1; H. White b Baker, 0; J. Martin lbw b Baker, 0; H. Carter c Jones b Baker, 0; A. J. Fairfax c Attwood b Allen, 11; P. L. Clarke b Allen, 3; A. Workman b Allen, 11; R. Hartland lbw b Jones, 5; P. Tucker b Allen, 0; E. Hill, not out, 8; extras, 15—total, 72.

**MALPAS SECONDS v. LYSAGHTS SECONDS.**

At Malpas, on Saturday. Scores:—  
 Malpas: E. Palfrey run out, 6; A. Gillard b Robinson, 0; P. E. Jones run out, 12; A. Jeremiah run out, 2; Col. W. O. Phillips b Payne, 0; R. Carter b Robinson, 1; W. Penson c Hopton b Robinson, 4; E. Gillard b Payne, 0; H. Workman b Robinson, 3; R. Moss b Payne, 1; G. Day not out, 0; extras, 5—total, 31.  
 Lysaghts: W. Harrison b Penson, 0; C. Payne b Palfrey, 8; E. Edwards b Penson, 2; E. Saunders b Palfrey, 7; H. Dawney c Day b Palfrey, 0; A. Cockbill b Penson, 6; L. Robinson b Penson, 2; J. Phillips b Palfrey, 0; G. Phillips not out 1; L. Hopton b Palfrey, 2; R. Welford c Penson b Palfrey, 0; extras, 3—total, 31.

**ABERGAVENNY v. BRYNMAWR.**

At Abergavenny on Saturday. Scores:—  
 Abergavenny: Major J. R. Jacob, b G. Morgan, 32; R. F. Thurtle, b Mees, jun., 5; W. H. Robinson, b W. Prosser, 29; Dr. W. S. Tresawna, c Tranter, b Mees, sen., 53; J. Jonathan, lbw, b Prosser, 4; Major W. R. Lewis, run out, 7; Capt. W. H. Waller, c Prosser, b G. Morgan, 8; E. W. Morgan, not out, 18; extra 22; total (for 7 wks.), 181, innings declared. E. Rosser, J. J. Bishop and N. Gough did not bat.  
 Brynmawr: W. A. Mees, sen., b Gough, 4; D. Jenkins, b Gough, 0; W. Morris, b Gough, 4; W. H. Tranter, c Tresawna, b Gough, 6; W. A. Mees, jun., b Jonathan, 28; J. Evans, run out, 12; G. Evans, not out, 1; W. Jenkins, b Jonathan, 5; H. Morgan, not out, 1; extra, 6; total (for 7 wks.), 67. W. Prosser and G. Morgan did not bat.  
 For Abergavenny Gough took 4 wickets for 26, and Jonathan 2 for 8.

**ALL SAINTS' (NEWPORT) v. PONTY-MISTER II.**

At Pontymister on Saturday. Scores:—  
 All Saints: J. Hurditch, run out, 0; F. Brown, b Hackling, 6; C. Dowlall, c Matthews, b Hackling, 1; C. Powell, st E. Knight, b Hackling, 0; A. Ford, b Jenkins, 47; W. C. Dowlall, c and b Harris, 6; H. Forester, lbw, b Harris, 11; S. Brown, run out, 0; Rev. Pictou, b Harris 8; D. Marsh, c Jenkins, b Stephens, 1; B. Wilson, not out, 1; extra 10; total, 91.  
 Pontymister: R. Harris, lbw, b Forester, 6; I. Knight, b Forester, 25; Hackling, b Pictou, 54; H. Hughes, b Pictou, 22; H. Jenkins, b Forester, 19; F. Stephens, c and b Brown, 2; G. Matthews, b Ford, 12; A. Hurn, b Forester, 10; I. Park, b Ford, 2; E. Knight, b Ford, 8; E. Davies, not out, 0; extra, 6, total, 166.

## SOUTH WALES CRICKET.

### MONMOUTHSHIRE MEET GLAMORGAN.

#### HONOURS DIVIDED.

The event of the week, so far as South Wales enthusiasts were concerned, was the meeting at Ebbw Vale between Monmouthshire and Glamorgan. A great amount of interest was centred in the match, but the indecisive result gave little satisfaction to anyone. When the match closed on Friday Monmouthshire was in the stronger position, and it was greatly disappointing that it could not be played to a finish. After leading by 38 runs on the first innings the home county compiled 169 for four wickets in the second before declaring, and before stumps were drawn Glamorgan had lost six wickets for 144 runs.

Excellent cricket was witnessed on both days. F. Gordon Phillips scored 44 in the first innings for Monmouthshire, and 58 not out at the second venture, each as the result of delightfully free hitting. W. R. Lewis, Abergavenny, displayed a steady defence for his useful contribution of 45, while K. C. Raikes (30) played good cricket, and A. Phillips, the Panteg player, hit up 20 of the best. These three players, in conjunction with the captain, placed the home side in a strong position.

T. R. Morgan, H. Evans, and D. J. Reason opened well overnight, but on Friday morning F. G. Phillips and Bryn Phillips bowled so well that six wickets fell for 120. Dr. Gwyn Thomas (24) afterwards gained his runs quickly, and L. Tennick (26) scored with several good shots, and the total reached 194. T. R. Morgan, the highest batsman, with 50, made his runs very slowly, and batted cautiously.

In the Monmouthshire second innings J. C. Clay, Chepstow, who has done well in local cricket, made 43 in finished style. He shaped exceedingly well. He has a splendid reach, and can make runs all round the wicket. Of the younger players, he was the most promising. Percy Sharpe, with a pretty innings of 35, delighted his own supporters, and ought to have been put in before the eighth wicket in the first innings. Glamorgan opened the second innings badly, two wickets falling cheaply, but T. R. Morgan and H. Evans saved the situation. Evans batted freely, and only failed by one run to reach the half-century. A. O'Brien's innings of 42 was not without blemish, but D. J. Reason (17 not out) was going strong when time was called.

The match aroused the enthusiasts in the neighbourhood, and there were more spectators than would perhaps have been the case at Newport. The Ebbw Vale ground is probably the best in the county, taking the accommodation and other essentials into consideration, and a perfect wicket had been prepared. There is seating accommodation for a large crowd, and workmen were employed both days on a bank that gave hundreds a perfect view of the play.

There is a whisper that the Devonshire match on August Bank Holiday will be played at Ebbw Vale. It was also stated that J. C. Clay, the Chepstow player, has been asked to assist Gloucestershire.

#### Newport Victorious.

Newport were visitors to Panteg, and ran out victors by 35 runs. Newport batted first, and, mainly owing to the efforts of F. G. Phillips (52), compiled a total of 157. Rev. A. S. Richards also put up a good exhibition until, at 35, he returned the ball to C. Williams, who made no mistake with the catch. F. V. Swallow played pretty cricket, his innings yielding 20. Panteg's first wicket fell when the telegraph registered 10, and others fell in quick succession. With the advent of the seventh batsman a great improvement was seen, and the score was taken from 41 to 87 without further loss. To the total of 123, the chief contributors were S. Wilcox 41, G. Smith 22, and R. Harry 20. For Newport the best bowling average was credited to F. G. Phillips, who took two wickets for 12 runs. L. Jones captured three for 27.

#### Abertillery Scholars' Victory.

For their game with Holy Trinity, Abergavenny, Abertillery County School fielded an unusually strong side, including Captain W. H. Hoskins, the Blaena Rugby centre, Arthur Hill, the Abertillery Rugby wing, and Percy Williams, of Cardiff University. The Abergavenny youths had little chance against their more experienced opponents, and had to submit to a seven wickets' defeat. The visitors only totalled 41, but before the County School reached that figure Abergavenny had the satisfaction of dismissing Hoskins. Arthur Hill and Percy Williams knocked off the required runs, and subsequently played havoc with the Abergavenny bowling, which was of a very poor character.

With the absence of Tawney, who was assisting the firsts, Abertillery Seconds cut a poor figure against Pontllanfraith Seconds, and could only total 68, 34 of the number being obtained by A. Sutton, the Abertillery footballer, who played superb cricket and carried out his bat. Travers (21) and Webb (68) were the chief scorers for Pontllanfraith.

#### A Narrow Win.

Pontypool Field Club succeeded in defeating Panteg "B" by 11. The Panteg bowling and fielding, however, were good, Cook doing particularly well, getting six wickets for 20 runs, while Jordan took five for 21. For the Field Club, E. Rowlands took seven wickets for the same number of runs, D. Jenkins one for two, and D. G. Price three for 17.

#### Crickhowell Under Strength.

Frequent showers of rain spoiled, to some extent, the match between Crickhowell and Garndiffaith on the ground of the former. Crickhowell were without their best batsmen (the captain, Rev. R. W. Cole Hamilton, Rev. T. C. W. Lewis, and W. Turberville), and excluding A. E. Davies, the attack did not reach the average standard. The slow bowler kept an admirable length, although handicapped by a wet ball, and took eight wickets for 46 runs, all clean bowled. Elkins who went in first wicket for Garndiffaith, carried out his bat for 33 runs. Phillips and Chivers played brisk cricket and all the batsmen were keen between the wickets. The Crickhowell fielding was mediocre. The innings yielded 124 runs. Crickhowell lost A. E. Davies with the first ball of the innings and, apart from Townsend, who was unluckily run out, and C. E. Jones, no one did much, and the side were dismissed for 43. Garndiffaith were a keen sporting side, and capable of beating strong teams. Behind the wicket they were well served, and the bowling was always too good for the batsmen. Crickhowell's total was 43, which gave Garndiffaith a margin on the right side of 81 runs.

#### An Exciting Match.

The match between Lysaght's and Malpas was both interesting and exciting. The spectators, who numbered 200 or more, applauded again and again, especially when W. Richards (one of the Newport County players) and Stan Jones turned the scale for Lysaght's by their vigorous hitting. Lysaght's, who batted last, were five wickets down for 7 runs when Richards went in, and six had fallen for 36 when Richards came out, and S. Jones followed. The latter's hitting was hard, and he gave only one chance. He and Attwood soon knocked off the necessary runs. Malpas also made a very bad start, having four wickets down for 11 runs. W. Tucker (18), A. J. Fairfax (11), A. Workman (11), seemed to be the most comfortable of their batsmen. Workman bowled very well, and took four wickets and Hartland three. To Malpas's score of 72 Lysaght's responded with 84.

#### Railwaymen Defeated.

At Newport the Railwaymen gained a decisive victory over the Cavalry Depot. The Cavalrymen batted first, their last wicket falling at 92. The chief scorers were: Private G. H. Bellinger 27 and Sergt. W. Vick 25. The Railwaymen made a very disappointing reply, and only two of their players (G. Williams 13 and J. Davies 10) achieved double figures. No less than five batsmen had to content themselves with the proverbial "duck."

#### Other Matches.

A match between Summerhill and Duckpool-road, at St. Julian's Park, resulted in favour of the former side by 24 runs. Small scores were characteristic of both sides, Duckpool-road being unable to muster more than 13 runs. The highest score was obtained for Summerhill by F. Greens, who retired with 7 to his credit.

Caeleion-road Juniors were opposed to the Corinthians, at St. Julian's Recreation Ground, and won comfortably by an innings and 1 run. Corinthians' first visit to the wickets yielded 36, but their second venture was even less successful, and totalled only 10. The Juniors had an easy task, and hit up 49 runs.

Cwmbran Wesleyans II. earned the unenviable distinction of compiling the lowest score of the day, the whole side being dismissed for a paltry 5. Alexandra Guild scored 61, and won by 48 runs.

**CRICKET.**

**MONMOUTHSHIRE v. GLAMORGANSHIRE.**

For the first time in the history of Ebbw Vale cricket, the County game between Monmouthshire and Glamorganshire was played at Ebbw Vale this season, and some really fine cricket was witnessed. Monmouthshire went to the wickets first, and by rapid scoring they were able to send up a total of 232; but most people felt that such a score was rather low against a formidable side like Glamorgan. On the Monmouthshire side there were really no large scores, but the side batted very consistently—the principal scorers being Major W. Lewis 45, J. G. Phillips (the Mon. skipper) 44, and Raikes 30. Glamorgan opened their innings on the first day, and when stumps were drawn they were 52 for the loss of 1 wicket. Next day there was some very fine play. Glamorgan did not meet with much success against the really good bowling of F. G. Phillips, Bryn Phillips, and Raikes, and, in fact, only one man (Morgan) was able to make anything like a score, and he played all through the innings, about four hours, for 53 runs. The Monmouthshire bowlers dismissed their visitors for 104, and then went into bat again. They met with even greater success on this occasion than they did in the first innings. Sharpe (the Ebbw Vale player) played a lovely innings for 34. He did some splendid batting. Maltby did not meet with the best of luck, but his cricket was good. Clay (the Chepstow batsman) was great, and gave a fine exhibition for 43, while F. G. Phillips played a very fine innings for 58 (not out). The home county declared with 4 wickets down for 169. Glamorgan again went to the wickets, but time alone saved them, being 6 wickets down for 144 runs when time arrived. However, in the two day matches, the first innings usually counts, and thus, for many years, Monmouthshire secured a victory.

In the Glamorgan first innings Gordon Phillips (the Mon. skipper), who bowled remarkably well, took 5 wickets for 66 runs, Brinley Phillips 3 for 44, and Raikes 2 for 60. In the second innings Raikes took 1 for 46, B. Phillips 2 for 32, Sharpe 1 for 33, and Clay 2 for 29.

The following are the individual scores in the respective innings:—

**MONMOUTHSHIRE.**

**First Innings.**

A. M. Maltby, bowled E. Cooper ...	15
B. Carter, bowled Henwood .....	5
E. E. Francis, bowled Cooper .....	18
Major Lewis, c Tunnick, b Cooper ..	45
A. Phillips, bowled Cooper .....	20
F. G. Phillips, c Bevan, b Storrie ..	44
K. C. Raikes, c Obree, b Cooper .....	30
J. C. Clay, c Tunnick, b Henwood ...	9
P. Sharpe, not out .....	7
S. Wilcox, c Cooper, b Storrie .....	6
B. Phillips, bowled Storrie .....	0
Extras .....	43

Total ..... 232

**Second Innings.**

A. M. Maltby, lbw, bowled Reason ..	13
B. Carter, bowled Cooper .....	0
P. Sharpe, bowled Henwood .....	35
J. C. Clay, bowled Storrie .....	43
F. G. Phillips, not out .....	58
A. Phillips, not out .....	5
Extras .....	15

Total (for 4 wickets) ..... 169

\*Innings declared closed.

**GLAMORGANSHIRE.**

**First Innings.**

T. R. Morgan, lbw, b F. Phillips ..	59
H. Evans, c Francis, b F. Phillips ..	11
D. J. Reason, bowled B. Phillips ..	18
A. Obree, c Wilcox, b F. Phillips ..	1
J. M. Bevan, bowled B. Phillips ..	3
T. A. L. Whittington, b F. Phillips ..	2
J. H. Storrie, bowled F. Phillips ..	9
Dr. Gwyn Thomas, b B. Phillips ..	24
J. Henwood, bowled Raikes .....	8
I. Tunnick, bowled Raikes .....	26
E. Cooper, not out .....	9
Extras .....	24

Total ..... 194

**Second Innings.**

T. R. Morgan, bowled Sharpe .....	29
H. Evans, c Sharpe, bowled Clay ...	49
D. J. Reason, not out .....	17
H. Obree, bowled B. Phillips .....	42
Dr. Gwyn Thomas, bowled Clay ...	0
J. Henwood, c Clay, b Raikes .....	0
E. Cooper, bowled B. Phillips .....	3
Extras .....	4

Total (for 6 wickets) ... 144

**EBBW VALE v. NEATH.**

Probably the most attractive fixture in the Ebbw Vale Cricket Club's list was the match against Neath on Saturday, and the visitors brought a full side to Ebbw Vale, with the result that a most attractive day's cricket was witnessed. Neath won the toss, and went to the wickets first. T. A. L. Whittington opened the innings with D. J. Reason. Lord and George Morris were the bowlers. Both batsmen settled down to some good cricket, and delighted the crowd with some splendid batting. Reason hit the more freely at first, but he played very correctly; while Whittington also settled down to good work. It was not long before 50 was signalled from the telegraph, and it seemed that the batsmen were well set. Whittington was playing some lovely strokes and cut Lord to the boundary on a few occasions. With his score at 30, Reason was well bowled by Sharpe, and W. Allen took his place. He soon settled down with his captain, and once again the score went up by leaps and bounds. Whittington fell a victim to the bowling of Dai Davies when he had reached 50, having played a splendid innings. Allen reached 43 before being taken by the same bowler. Dr. Gwyn Thomas, with some delightful batting, ran up 33 in about 12 minutes, and the visitors declared with 6 wickets down for 221. Ebbw Vale were left with less than an hour and a half to get the runs—an almost impossible feat—but A. M. Maltby and F. W. Pape opened the innings with confidence, although the bowling of the Neath pro., Bestwick, was remarkably good. Maltby played him with confidence, and Pape, too, seemed to be quite at home until he was given out for a catch behind the wicket. It was, however, a particularly doubtful decision, and obviously Pape did not touch the ball. Dr. S. Pape then joined Maltby, and again these two batsmen settled down to some

very fine cricket, and everything seemed to point to a long partnership. Fifty was signalled; and still the Valians continued to play well. Pape, in particular, played Bestwick confidently. When Maltby had secured 34 his wicket was taken with a good ball from Bestwick, and P. Sharpe took his place. Another good partnership resulted when Pape, at 27, fell a victim to Bestwick, while Sharpe was well bowled by Arundale at 22. After this the home wickets fell rather swiftly, and apart from Lord who scored 15—there was very little scoring. On the point of time, in fact, it was just a little after, Ebbw Vale showed the good sporting spirit in playing the game out, Bestwick brought the game to an end by performing the hat trick. It was really a splendid game, full of good cricket, and the visitors were delighted with the Ebbw Vale wicket, which they were unanimous in declaring to be the best in South Wales. Scores:—

**Neath.**

T. A. L. Whittington, b D. Davies ...	50
D. J. Reason, bowled Sharpe .....	39
W. Allen, bowled D. Davies .....	43
W. J. Jones, bowled D. Davies .....	14
J. D. D. Davies, bowled G. Morris ...	14
Dr. Gwyn Thomas, c Pape, b Sharpe ..	33
J. M. Bevan, not out .....	16
Extras .....	12

Total (for 6 wickets) ..... 231

H. Arundale, D. J. Hopkins, L. Arnold and Bestwick did not bat.

**Ebbw Vale**

A. M. Maltby, bowled Bestwick .....	34
F. Pape, c Reason, b Bestwick .....	2
D. S. Pape, bowled Bestwick .....	27
P. Sharpe, bowled Arundale .....	23
D. Davies, c Bevan, bowled Bestwick ..	0
W. S. Baskerville, lbw, b Arundale ..	3
E. Watkins, bowled Arundale .....	3
Ivor Thomas, not out .....	9
J. E. Lord, bowled Bestwick .....	15
D. Miles, bowled Bestwick .....	0
G. Morris, bowled Bestwick .....	0
Extras .....	18

Total ..... 133



**EBBW VALE v. BRITON FERRY.**

The side Ebbw Vale got together for this match at Briton Ferry on Saturday last was perhaps the strongest they have turned out this season. Unfortunately their erst-while stock bowler, Bob Watkins, who accomplished some big performances last season, is not yet sufficiently recovered from a severe illness to assist his club. It was refreshing to see the popular Johnny Lord again in flannels. Like his confrere, he has been kept out of cricket through sickness, and the Ebbw Vale Club has felt very acutely this season the absence of two players on whom the onus of the bowling depended. Included in the team was Mr. Peart, the new secretary-manager of the Soccer Club. He is an undoubted acquisition, and probably big things will be heard of him from the cricket field.

The home skipper won the toss, and elected to bat on a good wicket. Bancroft, who had notched a century a week previously, and T. J. Thomas opened the innings to the bowling of Lord and Morris. Five runs only were scored when Thomas hoisted an easy one to the visitors' captain, and Stone (of Hampshire County fame) appeared. Both batsmen paid marked respect to the bowling - 15 overs being sent down for 30 runs when Bancroft ran himself out. A. Thomas came, scored a single, and retired, splendidly caught by Dai Davies in the slips. W. H. Davies filled the vacancy, and was clean bowled 10 runs later. Immediately afterwards a bad miss by Morris at point let off Stone, who, with Harling, carried the score to 80, when the latter, mis-hitting a swerver from Sharpe, was easily caught by Pierce running in from second slip. Stone, who had now settled down, made some well-timed and beautiful strokes, but was seized with cramp in the leg and had to be assisted to the pavilion. The occurrence was extremely unfortunate for Briton Ferry, for although he re-appeared later, the seizure still affected him, and he was caught at the wicket, and was unable to take any further part in the game. The remaining four batsmen hit lustily, each making double figures, and the venture closed for 167.

An hour and three quarters remained for play, and the visiting captain took F. Pape to the wickets. The bowling, which was entrusted to Harling and Gibbs, was good; consequently the batsmen started quietly. Eight overs were sent down for 10 runs, including two no-balls, when Maltby, in forcing the pace, departed from his usual carpet methods, and lifted Harling near the on-boundary, where Morris, judging the hit well, brought off a great catch. One wicket for 10 runs was by no means an encouraging start from the visitors' point of view, but Peart, joining Pape, some determined hitting was seen. The score rose rapidly to 73, when Peart, attempting to pull a slow straight one from Jones (who had taken the ball from Harling) missed it, and was bowled. F. Pape, who had played beautiful cricket, lost his wicket in similar fashion. Sharpe, too, in essaying a big hit off the slow bowler, was held by Davies in the out-field. Dai Davies and Pierce got together, but the partnership was brief, and only realised 12 runs. Pierce, in a mighty effort to land the ball in the next parish, missed completely, and the ominous rattle following told its own tale. Five for 100. The younger Pape now joined Davies, who greeted his new partner by lifting Gibbs clean out for the ground for 6, following this with three clean, hard drives for fours in the same over. This punishment brought on Harling again, but the Ebbw Vale bowler was incorrigible, and promptly hit him for 6, while Pape, who had, up to this point, been content with singles, straight drove that bowler beautifully to the boundary. Another big "whiz-bang" by Davies for 6 was retrieved from a neighbouring allotment, and having collected an aggregate of 52, which had undoubtedly won the match, he got in front of a straight one, and retired. Ivor Thomas took guard, two runs being required for victory, and these being immediately annexed a great and exciting game ended in a win for Ebbw Vale by 4 wickets.

The match (the first between the teams) was contested throughout in a delightfully sporting spirit, and great admiration was felt by the visitors when at a critical part of the game for his side, the home captain offered to extend the time for play, if necessary, in order that a definite issue might be arrived at.

The following are the scores and bowling analyses:-

Briton Ferry.	
T. J. Thomas, c Maltby, Morris .....	1
Bancroft, run out .....	6
Stone, c Miles, bowled Morris .....	57
A. Thomas, c Davies, b Morris .....	1
W. H. Davies, bowled Morris .....	5
Harling, c Pierce, b Sharpe .....	18
L. Venables, c Davies, b Morris ..	5
V. L. Morris, bowled Sharpe .....	10
W. T. Williams bowled Lord .....	20
E. Jones, not out .....	13
F. Gibbs, st Miles, bowled Davies ..	15
Extras .....	16

Total .....

Ebbw Vale.	
A. M. Maltby, c Morris, b Harling ..	5
F. Pape, bowled F. Gibbs .....	38
J. G. Peart, bowled E. Jones .....	27
P. Sharpe, c Davies, bowled Jones ..	6
D. Davies, lbw, bowled Harling .....	52
J. Pierce, bowled Gibbs .....	6
R. S. Pape, not out .....	16
Ivor Thomas, not out .....	1
Extras .....	19

Total (for 6 wickets) ... 170

J. E. Lord, D. Miles and G. Morris did not bat.

**Bowling Analysis.**

Briton Ferry: Morris, 5 for 50; Lord, 1 for 32; Davies, 1 for 31; Sharpe, 2 for 38. Ebbw Vale: Harling, 2 for 55; Gibbs, 2 for 60; Davies, 0 for 21; Jones, 2 for 14.

**HILL'S-PLYMOUTH v. BRITON FERRY.**

Hill's-Plymouth (Merthyr) defeated Briton Ferry at Merthyr on Saturday by 28 runs. S. Handy took 5 wickets for the home side for 11 runs. Scores:-

**Hill's-Plymouth.**

H. Evans, bowled T. Johns .....	1
R. Williams, c and b E. Jones .....	6
E. Davies, lbw, bowled T. Johns ..	5
A. Jones, bowled E. Jones .....	15
W. Thomas, st Williams, b E. Jones ..	7
J. Williams c and b E. Jones .....	0
S. Handy, c Venables, b E. Jones ..	0
F. Lloyd, c Venables, b E. Jones ..	7
E. George, bowled E. Jones .....	11
W. Emery, c B. Davies, b E. Jones ..	9
R. Thomas, not out .....	1
Extras .....	3

Total .....

Briton Ferry.	
T. J. Thomas, bowled J. Williams ..	4
A. Thomas, run out .....	1
W. H. Davies, bowled S. Handy .....	2
W. T. Williams, run out .....	4
B. Morris, c Davies, b Handy .....	7
L. Venables, bowled J. Williams ..	0
T. S. Johns, lbw, bowled S. Handy ..	3
J. Williams, st George, b Handy .....	0
E. Jones, run out .....	2
F. Gibbs, not out .....	5
A. Davies, c R. Thomas, b Handy ..	8
Extras .....	1

Total .....

**WIMBORNE INSTITUTE (DOWLAIS) v. MERTHYR LILLIES.**

Played at the Bryntau on Friday last. Scores:-

**Wimborno Institute.**

J. Bowen, c Ketcher, b L. Duenas ..	5
T. W. Thomas, bowled S. Morgan ..	11
M. Williams, c Elliman, b S. Morgan ..	0
T. Williams, lbw bowled Duenas ..	1
D. E. Thomas, bowled S. Morgan ..	0
J. Davies, run out .....	21
D. Davies, bowled Duenas .....	2
A. Smith, lbw, bowled Phillips .....	3
D. L. Morgan, bowled S. Morgan ..	0
B. Davies, c Elliman, b S. Morgan ..	1
D. Hutchins, not out .....	0
Extras .....	2

Total .....

**Merthyr Lillies.**

S. Morgan, bowled J. Davies .....	2
T. R. Jones, bowled J. Davies .....	2
F. Elliman, c Davies, b T. Williams ..	3
G. Protheroe, c J. Davies, b Williams ..	2
F. Pedlar, lbw, bowled J. Davies ..	0
L. Duenas, c Williams, b Davies ..	11
W. Davies, bowled T. Williams .....	2
R. Davies, bowled T. Williams .....	5
J. Morgan, bowled J. Davies .....	0
J. Ketcher, c Williams, b Williams ..	13
L. Phillips, not out .....	0
Extras .....	1

Total .....



### GLAMORGAN V. MONMOUTHSHIRE

Played at Briton Ferry, this being the first county match to be played in the town. Rain fell heavily just before the advertised time for a start, and it was 3 o'clock when Monmouthshire, winning the toss, opened the innings with R. Harris and A. Phillips. With the first ball of the match, Harris was clean bowled by E. H. James. A fine stand was made by A. Phillips and Major Lewis, but the best batting display was given by Raikes. J. John took six wickets for 44 runs, and E. H. James four for 54. Both bowlers are from Briton Ferry. Glamorganshire had an hour's batting, Whittington and Percy Morris giving a good display, the former getting half a dozen sixes. Morris also batted well. At the close of play Glamorgan were 12 runs ahead, with seven wickets to fall. Scores:—

**MONMOUTHSHIRE.—1st innings.**

A. Phillips, lbw b J. John .....	31
B. Harris, b E. H. James .....	0
Major Lewis, c Dr. Thomas b J. John...	14
J. A. Webb, c R. Bestwick b James ...	1
J. C. Clay, b E. H. James .....	0
F. G. Phillips, b J. John .....	15
B. Raikes, b J. John .....	29
D. Prout, c E. H. James b J. John .....	0
E. W. Morgan, b J. John .....	9
T. Taylor, b E. H. James .....	14
B. Phillips, not out .....	7
Extras .....	1
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>127</b>

**GLAMORGANSHIRE.—1st Ings.**

T. A. L. Whittington, st Taylor b Clay ...	89
Percy Morris, b Raikes .....	31
Dr. T. Reason, c Taylor b Clay .....	0
H. Tomlinson c Morgan b Raikes .....	31
Col. O'Brien b E. Phillips .....	116
Col. L. Morris not out .....	5
Dr. Gwyn Thomas not out .....	18
Extras .....	17
<b>Total (for 5 wks.) .....</b>	<b>328</b>

### GLAMORGAN V. MONMOUTHSHIRE

This game was resumed on the Briton Ferry Steelworks ground on Friday, in cold weather, which greatly mitigated against the attendance. Overnight Glamorgan had scored 136 for the loss of three wickets, and H. Tomlinson and Colonel O'Brien continued batting. Both batsmen played well, the colonel especially scoring fast. He was badly missed with his score at 8, but afterwards hit out merrily. His score of 116, which he got in three-quarters of an hour, included half a dozen 6's and 15 4's. Tomlinson only gave one chance, when he was caught immediately after getting his 80. Dr. Gwyn Thomas got in one mighty drive for 6, but was not in his usual good form. Soon after lunch the innings closed for 365, a fine score on the soft wicket. B. Phillips secured five wickets for 15, K. Raikes three for 131, and J. C. Clay two for 64, while F. G. Phillips had 51 runs knocked off him for no wicket. With a deficit of 236 runs, Monmouthshire had three hours to bat, but so well did E. H. James and J. John bowl that they were all dismissed for 129, or two more than their initial score. J. C. Clay gave by far the best display for his 39, and Major Lewis (25) and D. Prout (14) also played nicely. E. H. James took five wickets for 37 and J. John five for 53, and in the whole match John took 11 wickets for 102 runs and James nine for 61 runs. Score:—

**MONMOUTHSHIRE.—1st innings.**

A. Phillips, lbw b J. John .....	31
B. Harris, b E. H. James .....	0
Major Lewis, c Dr. Thomas b J. John...	14
J. A. Webb, c R. Bestwick b James ...	1
J. C. Clay, b E. H. James .....	0
F. G. Phillips, b J. John .....	15
B. Raikes, b J. John .....	29
D. Prout, c E. H. James b J. John .....	0
E. W. Morgan, b J. John .....	9
T. Taylor, b E. H. James .....	14
B. Phillips, not out .....	7
Extras .....	1
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>127</b>

**MONMOUTHSHIRE.—Second innings.**

A. Phillips lbw b J. John .....	1
B. Harris b E. H. James .....	6
Major Lewis c Morris b E. H. James.....	25
J. A. Webb b E. H. James .....	9
J. C. Clay c P. Morris b E. H. James.....	39
F. G. Phillips b J. John .....	1
K. Raikes b J. John .....	6
D. Prout c P. Morris b J. John .....	14
E. W. Morgan b E. H. James .....	4
T. Taylor c Bestwick b J. John .....	8
B. Phillips not out .....	0
Extras .....	16
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>129</b>

**GLAMORGANSHIRE.—1st innings.**

Percy Morris, b Raikes .....	31
T. A. L. Whittington, st Taylor b Clay ...	89
H. Tomlinson c Morgan b Raikes .....	60
Dr. T. Reason, c Taylor b Clay .....	0
Col. O'Brien b E. Phillips .....	116
V. L. Morris st Taylor b Phillips .....	10
Dr. G. Thomas c Raikes b Phillips .....	27
D. J. Reason st Taylor b Phillips .....	11
J. John c B. Phillips b Raikes .....	0
E. H. James c Prout b B. Phillips .....	15
R. Bestwick not out .....	0
Extras .....	16
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>365</b>

**NEWPORT MATCHES ABANDONED.**  
Owing to the heavy rain the matches between Newport Seconds and Lysaghts, and Newport Thirds and Alexandra Docks, at Newport Athletic Grounds were abandoned.

**EBBW VALE v. ABERCARN.**  
The match arranged between Ebbw Vale and Abercarn, at Ebbw Vale, on Saturday, was abandoned on account of the rain.

CRICKET.

NEWPORT v. CARDIFF.

At Newport. Cardiff won by 90 runs. Scores:— Cardiff: N. V. H. Riches lbw b Raikes 62, G. E. Cording lbw b Vaughan 45, J. R. Morgan c Rice b Raikes 7, H. W. Llanur lbw b Vaughan 0, H. J. Symonds c Williams b Vaughan 18, P. R. Evans c Rust b Vaughan 0, M. Braddon run out 2, E. Jenkins b Raikes 2, extras 9, total (for 8 wks.) 110. Innings declared.

Newport: J. F. Rust, b Nash 0, R. S. C. Plummer c Nash b Symonds 0, J. P. Trehear c Morgan b Nash 2, J. E. Rees b Nash 4, Gordon Phillips b Nash 8, C. Raikes c Spiller b Nash 12, G. A. Webb b Symonds 2, P. Trehear b Nash 0, Dr. O. E. De B. Marsh b Nash 0, Vaughan not out 0, A. A. Williams b Nash 0, extras 12, total 69.

ALL SAINTS v. NEWPORT RAILWAYMEN.

At Newport. All Saints won by 34 runs. Scores:— All Saints: S. Sharpe b Williams 1, S. Brown run out 5, W. E. Dowdall c Davies b Williams 3, C. A. Ford c Clarke b Williams 4, C. Williams c Smith b Howells 20, Rev. E. G. Pictou, C. F. J. Howells 1, H. Forrester c Simpson b Howells 3, C. Powell b Howells 5, J. Hayditch b Howells 10, D. Marsh b Cox 2, C. R. Dowdall not out 0, extras 2; total 55.

Newport Railwaymen: J. Williams b Watkins 4, A. Howells b Ford 3, H. Simpson b Watkins 9, D. Smith b Watkins 0, J. Rouse b Watkins 0, A. Cox b Watkins 0, G. Clarke b Watkins 0, J. Davies b Watkins 0, F. Jones b Watkins 0, D. Maddock c Rev. Pictou b Ford 5, C. Clement not out 0, extras 1; total 22.

C. Watkins took five wickets with six balls.

MALPAS v. ROYAL GWENT HOSPITAL.

At Malpas. The home side won by 50 runs. Scores:— Malpas: H. White c Dymond b Dr. Dowling 11, P. L. Clarke lbw b Dr. Dowling 47, J. Martin lbw b Isaacs 17, R. Hartland st Grabner b Dowling 5, A. Fairfax b Dr. Roche 9, T. Orphan b Dr. Roche 2, E. Hill st Grabner b Dr. Dowling 0, T. Mason not out 6, P. E. Jones not out 0, extras 5; total (7 wks., declared) 102.

A. Workman and E. J. Carter did not bat. Royal Gwent Hospital: P. Williams b Orphan 0, Dr. Robertson run out 5, Dr. Comyns b Hartland 13, Dr. Roche b Workman 13, Dr. Dowling b Workman 6, R. Dymond run out 0, F. Grabner b Workman 12, R. Isaacs b Hartland 1, T. Downs b Hartland 1, L. Dymond c Fairfax b Hartland 0, A. Gillard not out 1, extras 1; total 52.

ABERGAVENNY v. MR. H. K. FOSTER'S XI.

At Abergavenny. The home side were defeated by three wickets and 41 runs. Scores:— Abergavenny: Major J. B. Jacob c James b Cripps 1, J. Askey b Thorne 1, W. H. Robinson c Theobald b Thorne 28, Dr. Trezona b Cripps 18, Major W. H. Lewis run out 1, Longman c and b Thorne 0, C. Partridge run out 19, Major Wallis c Dr. Cress b Cripps 4, W. H. Waller not out 25, E. Rosser lbw b Cripps 0, E. W. Morgan lbw b Cripps 3, extra 1, total 96.

Mr. H. K. Foster's XI: H. K. Foster c Partridge b Wallis 85, J. P. Machan c Askey b Robinson 4, H. A. Clive run out 10, G. R. Theobald b Robinson 36, T. E. Kent b Askey 3, E. R. Maywood b Robinson 12, Major Dolgan b Robinson 3, P. James not out 5, H. T. Cripps not out 5, extras 14, total (for 7 wks.) 137. Dr. Cress and H. Thomas did not bat.

CRICKHOWELL v. NANTYGLO WESLEANS.

At Crickhowell. Nantyglo Wesleians lost by 31 runs. Scores:— Crickhowell: Rev. T. C. W. Lewis b Powell 1, W. Towneend c T. Williams b W. Williams 1, W. Turberville c Williams b W. Williams 5, C. E. Jones c Harvard b Powell 4, Hedger b Williams 4, R. Evans run out 0, A. Provan b Powell 10, C. T. Hudson c T. Williams b Powell 1, Harry Bailey not out 14, Longman b Powell 0, H. Parsons c and b Jenkins 8, extras 9, total 60.

Nantyglo Wesleians: G. Williams b Longman 16, H. Ann b Provan 4, A. Williams b Longman 3, T. Harvard b Provan 8, W. Williams c Hedger b Provan 0, W. Jenkins c Hedger b Provan 1, Powell b Longman 0, Davies c W. Turberville b Longman 0, T. Williams b Longman 0, J. Walters b Provan 41, W. Morgan not out 1, extras 5, total 87.

PONTYPOOL LIBERAL CLUB v. PONTYPOOL FIELD CLUB.

The Field Club won by 12 runs. Scores:— Liberal Club: Theo. Evans b Rowlands 2, A. Penhorwood b Rowlands 2, A. R. Lavis c Fowler b Price 4, H. Penhorwood c Price b Rowlands 3, P. Penhorwood c Strangward b Price 11, H. Vaux b Howells 4, R. Pedrick b Howells 8, R. Jasper run out 0, A. Evans b Rowlands 0, T. Herbert b Rowlands 0, J. Jones not out 0, extras 7, total 31.

Field Club: T. S. Winsor c H. Penhorwood b T. Evans 2, D. J. Price c T. Evans 1, E. Rowlands c P. Penhorwood b T. Evans 4, C. Francis b T. Evans 0, R. Morris b H. Penhorwood 4, W. Morgan b A. Penhorwood 0, H. Fowler b A. Penhorwood 0, H. Strangward b A. Penhorwood 0, M. Howells c H. Penhorwood b A. Penhorwood 3, J. Williams not out 7, E. Amphlett c H. Vaux b Evans 6, extras 7, total 48.

ABERCARN v. PONTYMINSTER.

At Abergarn. The home side won by 117 runs. Scores:— Abergarn: Millorchip hit wicket b W. J. Lewis 17, Osmund lbw b Lewis 11, Bruce Harris b Pearson 27, Ken Harris b Pearson 4, L. A. Evans c Pender b J. R. Edwards 6, W. Edwards not out 43, Ivor Evans b W. J. Lewis 0, Bryn Edwards lbw b W. J. Lewis 15, Trevor Evans c J. Williams 0, G. Harris b Pearson 4, G. Powell not out 5, extras 9, total 172.

ABERTILLERY II. v. EBBW VALE II.

Ebbw Vale Seconda won by 62 runs. Scores:— Ebbw Vale: D. White lbw b Richards 0, M. Rose lbw b Griffiths 14, G. Chislett lbw b Richards 14, R. Tagg b Sutton 17, G. Williams (capt.) run out 4, J. Richards c sub b Sutton 24, B. Sharp b Richardson 4, G. Norris c Howse b Richards 1, G. Jones c and b Richards 8, F. Greenough not out 0, V. Greenough b Sutton 0, extras 8, total 62.

Abertillery II: B. Norris 3, A. Sutton c Rose b Norris 0, I. Baker c Tagg b Norris 1, F. Sheppard b Jones 4, G. House lbw b Norris 0, C. Griffiths (capt.) b Norris 0, G. Richards Greenough b Jones 1, T. Spencer b Jones 0, W. Richardson c Rose b Jones 0, W. H. Brickell not out 6, F. Baker c and b Jones 0, extras 10, total 14.

PONTILANFRAITH v. YSTRADMYNACH.

Ystradmynach defeated Pontilanfraith at home by 45 runs. Scores:— Pontilanfraith: A. G. Adams c A. Davies b J. Bland 0, Joe Lewis b Bland 0, F. Ackland c J. W. Sproule b B. Davies 2, H. B. Burberry not out 10, R. Brown b Bland 1, W. H. Williams c Sproule b Bland 2, J. H. James b B. Davies 0, D. Brox b Davies 0, D. Burrows c B. Davies b Bland 4, D. Williams b Bland 0, E. Williams b Bland 0, total 20.

Ystradmynach: B. Davies b Burberry 1, L. Lancyer b Adams 1, E. T. Thomas b Burberry 1, L. Sanders c Ackland b Burberry 3, J. Bland not out 28, J. Lowe c Adams 4, R. Davies c A. Brown b Ackland 20, Rev. J. W. Williams b J. H. James 8, J. W. Sproule b E. James 1, H. G. Jones b E. Williams 1, J. Jarman b E. Williams 1, extras 4, total 74.

LYSAGHT'S v. CHEPSTOW.

At Chepstow. Lysaght's won by 40 runs. Scores:— Lysaght's: H. Webb c C. Clay 12, A. R. Allen b M. Holley 1, J. Baker b C. Clay 11, W. E. C. Hadden b Bird 5, A. Sturdy lbw b Clay 6, A. J. Way b M. Holley 10, W. Richards b M. Holley 14, S. Jones c Bird b Holley 18, J. Davies b Dyson 1, A. Roberts c Holley b Clay 12, P. R. Wright not out 0, extras 8, total 98.

Chepstow: H. H. Clay b Roberts 7, R. C. Francis b Allen 1, C. R. Clay c and b Roberts 6, R. C. Huddell run out 1, E. Thomas b Roberts 7, H. Lumsden b Roberts 0, A. E. Dyson c Jones b Baker 0, M. Holley b Roberts 3, W. Wiles b Roberts 7, T. Bird not out 1, S. Holley c and b Hadden 7, extras 7, total 88.

For Lysaght's Roberts took 6 for 10 runs, and for Chepstow C. Clay and M. Holley had 4 wickets each.

MACHEN II. v. CROSS KEYS II.

At Cross Keys. Scores:— Machen II: P. Scott b Jenkins 10, B. Beaton b Jenkins 0, D. C. Price b Cuff 11, F. Probyn b Cuff 2, W. Davey c and b Cuff 7, S. Smith b Jenkins 0, W. Williams b Jenkins 0, M. Dwyer b Cuff 1, Smart b Cuff 0, Woolford not out 0, Powell b Cuff 0, extras 6, total 36.

Cross Keys II: Rev. G. P. Cammish c Scott b Probyn 2, Harris lbw b Smith 8, Edwards b Smith 5, Molder b Smith 2, Cuff b Probyn 1, Jenkins b Probyn 1, Jenkins b Probyn 8, Lush run out 5, Hicks b Smith 0, Collins b Smith 1, Thomas c Scott b Smith 10, Denston c Beaton b Smith 2, Birch not out 1, extras 0; total 46.

BRITHDIR v. TREDEGAR WESLEANS.

At Brithdir. The home side won by 13 runs. Scores:— Brithdir: W. Godfrey b E. Davies 1, D. Dudley run out 1, J. Griffiths c Williams b Roberts 12, R. Beynon lbw b Rev. R. E. Roberts 1, W. Cooper b Rev. R. E. Roberts 0, W. Bevan b Rev. R. E. Roberts 0, R. West b E. Davis 8, Meyrick b E. Davis 0, H. West b E. Davis 18, G. Godfrey b Rev. R. E. Roberts 6, R. Godfrey not out 3, extras 4, total 54.

Tredegar Wesleians: A. Coombes lbw b Beynon 7, W. Sutton run out 0, E. Davis lbw b Beynon 5, W. Williams c Dudley b R. Beynon 2, H. Constance c Godfrey b Dudley 17, A. T. Burrows b R. Beynon 0, R. Thomas b R. Beynon 0, Rev. R. E. Roberts b R. Beynon 0, A. West run out 7, W. Davies b Dudley 0, J. Smith not out 1, extras 2, total 41.

TREDEGAR PARK v. NEWPORT THIRDS.

At Tredegar Park. The home side won by 83 runs. Newport Thirds: Hutchings c J. Rees b Evans 11, A. Williams b J. Evans 0, Dolman b Jack Evans 0, M. Lewis b Jack Evans 4, Carr c Gardner b Jack Evans 1, A. Baker run out 1, Hazell c J. Evans b C. Barrett 0, E. Lewis b Jack Evans 2, Stibbory c C. Barrett b Evans 0, Loucher not out 3, Stibbory b C. Barrett 1, Canning c J. Evans b Barrett 2, extras 6, total 87.

Tredegar Park: J. Rees b Stibbory 0, G. Osmund b Williams 5, C. Barrett b A. Baker 21, Col. R. Smith c Stibbory (jun.) b Stibbory 17, J. Evans c and b Stibbory 4, L. E. Fledman c Carr b Stibbory 1, S. Smith b Dolman 15, G. Gardner b Dolman 14, W. Barrett b Dolman 14, J. Evans b Hazell 0, F. Mullins not out 4, G. Barnes b Hazell 7, extras 2, total 120.

Dowlais 131; Ebbw Vale Seconda 101. Millstreet 53; Duckpool-road Baptist 42. Llanelly 142 (C. C. Warner 31); Swansea 146 (P. Morris 45).

Fleur-de-Lys 44 (Beckett 25 not out). Rhymney, 71 for 4 wks. Malpas 102 for 9 wks (innings declared). Royal Gwent Hospital 63.

CARDIFF II. v. NEWPORT II.

At Cardiff. Newport II. won by five wickets. Scores:— Cardiff II: D. S. Sparkes b Benson 23, D. L. Davies c Morris b Berrow 5, W. Pritchard b Berrow 4, J. B. James run out 5, E. O. Stephens run out 0, H. G. Carron c Armistead b Morris 6, H. Pritchard c Hodges b Berrow 0, B. Rooney b Morris 0, J. S. D. Taylor b Morris 5, Dr. C. J. Der Shert lbw b Hodges 12, G. Lloyd not out 10, extra 1; total 68.

Newport II.: J. E. Dunn run out 6, R. T. Morris b E. O. Stephens 2, P. S. Ernon c Pritchard b D. L. Davies 0, A. Hodges lbw b D. L. Davies 26, F. Jones b E. O. Stephens 12, E. E. Armistead not out 13, P. W. Lawrence not out 3, extras 7; total (5 wks.) 71.

HILL'S PLYMOUTH v. ABERTILLERY.

At Putebach. Hill's Plymouth won by 67 runs. Scores:— Hill's Plymouth: A. Evans c Robins b Powell 1, R. Williams c Powell b Rees 22, S. Handy run out 0, H. Evans b Powell 22, A. Jones b Powell 13, W. Thomas lbw b Powell 13, T. H. Howells c Morgan b Jeffries 6, F. Lloyd b Jeffries 12, W. Emery not out 7, E. George run out 2, R. Thomas c and b Emery 16, extras 16, total 125.

Abertillery: W. Robins b R. Thomas 2, W. Jeffries b Emery 0, C. Corbett c Emery b Handy 0, E. Jeffries b Handy 3, J. Howse c and b R. Thomas 0, A. Baddley b W. Thomas 1, C. Robins b W. Thomas 0, A. Rudge b W. Thomas 0, J. Rees b R. Thomas 0, A. Baddley b R. Thomas 3, L. Davies not out 0, extras 2; total 58.

## Monmouthshire v. Devonshire

### RAIN CURTAILS PLAY.

The first day's play in this two days' fixture, at Newport, opened on Wednesday. There was only a small attendance of spectators. Rain was falling slightly when Bryn Carter (Abercarn) and J. F. Rust (Newport) opened the home county's account to the bowling of W. F. Sturt and Jennings. The wicket was sodden, and rather slow. Gwent made a bad start, Carter returning Sturt's second ball into the latter's safe keeping, the telegraph reading 1-0. With only two runs on the board Smith (Panteg), the new-comer, was taken in the slips by Clarke, off Sturt. Then with Harris (Abercarn) and Rust associated, matters improved, Rust getting Jennings nicely away to leg for the first four of the match—all run. Harris also, was not by any means idle, but the rate of run getting was slow. When the score had been carried to eighteen Light displaced Jennings at the Power Station end. At 12.40, after half-an-hour's play, and with the score standing at 25 for 2, rain drove the players to shelter. With the weather outlook still unpromising it was decided, shortly afterwards, to take the luncheon interval.

Rain continued without cessation till well into the afternoon, when it was decided to postpone the continuation of the game until 11.15 on Thursday morning. Present Scores:—

#### MONMOUTH.—1st Innings.

B. Carter, c and b W. F. Sturt	0
J. F. Rust, not out	11
Smith, c R. Clarke, b Sturt	1
K. Harris, not out	6
Extras	7

Total (for 2 wks.) 25

J. C. Clay (Chepstow), E. G. Phillips, K. C. Raikes, J. F. Rees, B. Harris, L. V. Vaughan, and A. Williams to bat.

## Monmouthshire v. Devonshire

### SECOND DAY'S PLAY.

In consequence of the rain only half an hour's play was possible in this two days' match, at Newport, on Wednesday—the first day—and during that time Monmouthshire, who took the first knock, put on 25 for the loss of two wickets, the overnight not outs being J. F. Rust (11) and K. Harris, of Abercarn (6). J. F. Rees, who played on Wednesday, was taken ill with influenza during the night, and G. H. Webb took his place in the Monmouthshire team.

The continuation of the game was fixed for 11.15 to-day, but rain again delayed the start until shortly after 12 o'clock, when Rust and K. Harris had to face the bowling of W. F. Sturt and Jennings. Rust drove Sturt to the off for three, and got Jennings to leg for a couple. The rain-sodden wicket was playing dead slow. Rust added two more, and then, in stepping out to Jennings, missed the ball, and was smartly stumped by Carroll. The score then stood at 32, the third wicket having yielded 20 runs. J. C. Clay (Chepstow) joined K. Harris, and with one run added Light went on vice Jennings. Clay took a little time to settle down before opening his account, and then he got busy, scoring seven in one over off Sturt. At 41 K. Harris was beaten by Light, and F. Gordon Phillips, the home county captain, followed in. He got a single off each bowler, and then drove Sturt to the off for a brace of twos. The half century was telegraphed at 12.40. Clay made some fine off hits, but lost his partner at 59, Phillips returning one to Sturt. K.

C. Raikes came next, and made some good hits to leg and the off. With the score reading 82 for 5, E. G. Butcher, a fast right-hand bowler, relieved Sturt at the Pavilion End, and Reid took the ball from Light. Clay scored well off Reid, but with his individual contribution at 29 and the total 95, Clay had his stumps disturbed by Butcher. The partnership of Raikes and Clay realised 36 runs. B. Harris, the latest comer, and the century was reached at 1.25 without further loss. At 102, however, Reid bowled Harris, and G. A. Webb joined Raikes. Sturt went on again in place of Butcher. The luncheon interval was taken at 1.30, the score then reading 103 for 7, the not outs being Raikes 21, and Webb 1.

On resuming after lunch Raikes left without any addition to the total, being taken at the wicket by Carroll off Reid. Webb and L. V. Vaughan scored fairly freely and took the score to 124 before Vaughan fell a victim to Sturt. Webb was taken by Sturt at cover point, and the innings closed for 126.

F. H. Carroll and J. F. Shelley opened Devon's account to the bowling of K. C. Raikes (Pavilion end) and J. C. Clay.

#### MONMOUTH.—1st Innings.

B. Carter, c and b W. F. Sturt	0
J. F. Rust, st Carroll, b Jennings	18
Smith, c R. Clarke, b Sturt	1
K. Harris, b Light	7
F. Gordon Phillips, c and b Sturt	9
J. C. Clay, b Butcher	29
B. Harris, b Reid	3
K. C. Raikes, c Carroll, b J. W. Reid	21
G. A. Webb, c Sturt, b Light	10
L. V. Vaughan, b Sturt	14
A. Williams, not out	0
Extras	14

Total 126

#### DEVON.—1st Innings.

F. H. Carroll, st Williams, b Raikes	6
J. F. Shelley, c Webb, b Raikes	29
W. F. Sturt, b Vaughan	14
Light, not out	41
R. S. Clarke, c Webb, b K. Harris	1
E. G. Butcher, b Vaughan	4
J. W. Reid, not out	0
Extras	9

Total (for 5 wks.) 164

#### BOWLING ANALYSIS.

##### MONMOUTH.—1st Innings.

W. F. Sturt	o.	m.	r.	w.
Jennings	23	7	44	4
Light	7	2	12	1
E. G. Butcher	12.5	10	28	2
J. W. Reid	3	0	8	1
Extras	8	0	22	2

Light bowled two no balls.

## CRICKET.

### MONMOUTHSHIRE v. DEVONSHIRE.

At Newport, on Wednesday and Thursday. Scores:—

#### MONMOUTH.—1st Innings.

B. Carter, c and b W. F. Sturt	0
J. F. Rust, st Carroll, b Jennings	18
Smith, c R. Clarke, b Sturt	1
K. Harris, b Light	7
F. Gordon Phillips, c and b Sturt	9
J. C. Clay, b Butcher	29
B. Harris, b Beach	3
K. C. Raikes, c Carroll, b Beach	21
G. A. Webb, c Sturt, b Light	10
L. V. Vaughan, b Sturt	14
A. Williams, not out	0
Extras	14

Total 126

#### MONMOUTH.—2nd Innings.

T. Smith, not out	25
B. Carter, not out	16
Extras	4

Total (for no wkt.) 45

#### DEVON.—1st Innings.

F. H. Carroll, st Williams, b Raikes	6
J. F. Shelley, c Webb, b Raikes	29
W. F. Sturt, b Vaughan	14
R. S. Clarke, c Webb, b K. Harris	1
E. G. Butcher, b Vaughan	4
J. W. Beach, b Raikes	6
Light, c Smith, b Raikes	70
C. S. L. Hopping, not out	2
Jennings, b Vaughan	0
Rev. E. Reid, b Vaughan	0
Rev. D. G. Samuel, b Vaughan	0
Extras	10

Total 142

#### BOWLING ANALYSIS.

##### MONMOUTH.—1st Innings.

W. F. Sturt	o.	m.	r.	w.
Jennings	23	7	44	4
Light	7	2	12	1
E. G. Butcher	12.5	10	28	2
J. W. Beach	3	0	8	1
Extras	8	0	22	0

Light bowled two no balls.

##### DEVON.—1st Innings.

K. C. Raikes	o.	m.	r.	w.
J. C. Clay	17	5	36	4
L. V. Vaughan	13	1	39	0
K. Harris	9.5	1	32	5
G. F. Phillips	4	0	13	1
Extras	2	0	11	0

Clay bowled four no balls.

### MONMOUTHSHIRE GENTS. v. CARMARTHENSHIRE GENTS.

Played at Abergavenny on Wednesday and Thursday. The start was delayed till after lunch each day through rain, and the match was unfinished. Monmouthshire led on the first innings, and were in a strong position at the close. For the home team Gough took 5 wickets for 31, and Robinson 3 for 15 in the visitors' first innings, and in the second innings Gough took 3 for 24, Robinson 2 for 33, and Watkins 2 for 8. For Carmarthenshire A. R. Trubshaw took 4 for 20, and Price 4 for 22. Scores:—

#### MONMOUTHSHIRE GENTS.

E. Watkins, c and b C. S. Trubshaw	13
W. H. Robinson, b Davies	3
Dr. Tresawna, c and b A. R. Trubshaw	38
J. R. Jacob, b A. R. Trubshaw	11
J. Jonathan, c Jones, b A. R. Trubshaw	8
C. Hill, c Trubshaw, b Price	12
W. J. Morris, b A. R. Trubshaw	4
W. H. Waller, c H. Jones, b Price	4
J. Askey, c Davies, b Price	4
F. Rosser, not out	5
A. L. Gough, b Price	0
Extras	9

Total 111

#### CARMARTHENSHIRE.—1st Innings.

T. C. Jones, b Gough	11
D. Davies, b Gough	2
W. Thomas, b Robinson	9
C. S. Trubshaw, c Hill, b Gough	6
A. R. Trubshaw, b Gough	9
W. G. Jones, b Gough	0
H. Jones, b Robinson	5
T. L. Price, b Gough	3
N. L. James, lbw, b Robinson	0
H. Rees, run out	0
S. R. Griffiths, not out	2
Extras	1

Total 48

#### CARMARTHENSHIRE.—2nd Innings.

T. C. Jones, b Robinson	9
D. Davies, c Waller, b Robinson	6
W. Thomas, c Waller, b Gough	1
H. Jones, b Gough	1
A. R. Trubshaw, run out	2
W. Jones, b Gough	9
T. L. Price, c Jacob, b Watkins	21
N. L. James, not out	18
H. Rees, b Watkins	3
S. R. Griffiths, not out	2
Extras	2

Total (for 8 wks.) 72



**CRICKET.**

**MONMOUTHSHIRE GENTS. v. CARMARTHENSHERE GENTS.**

On the Abergavenny ground on Wednesday and Thursday Monmouthshire Gents. composed mainly of local players met Carmarthenshire Gents. The start was delayed both days by the rain and stumps were drawn early on Thursday. At that time the visitors looked like being heavily defeated, as they had but two wickets of their second innings in hand and were only nine runs ahead of their opponents' first innings. For the home team L. Gough took six wickets for 31 in the visitors' first innings, and Robinson two for 39, while in the second innings Gough had three for 24, Robinson two for 39 and Watkins two for eight. For Carmarthenshire A. R. Trubshaw took four for 20 and Price four for 22. Scores:—

**CARMARTHENSHERE GENTS.**

<b>1st Innings.</b>	
T. C. Jones, b Gough.....	11
D. Davies, b Gough.....	2
W. Thomas, b Robinson.....	9
C. S. Trubshaw, c Hill, b Gough.....	0
A. R. Trubshaw, b Gough.....	9
W. G. Jones, b Gough.....	0
H. Jones, b Robinson.....	5
T. L. Price, b Gough.....	3
N. L. James, lbw, b Robinson.....	0
H. Rees, run out.....	0
S. R. Griffiths, not out.....	2
Extras.....	1
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>48</b>
<b>2nd Innings</b>	
T. C. Jones, b Robinson.....	9
D. Davies, c Waller, b Robinson.....	6
W. Thomas, c Waller, b Gough.....	1
H. Jones, b Gough.....	1
A. R. Trubshaw, run out.....	2
W. Jones, b Gough.....	9
T. L. Price, c Jacob, b Watkins.....	21
N. L. James, not out.....	10
H. Rees, b Watkins.....	3
S. R. Griffiths, not out.....	2
Extras.....	2
<b>Total for 8....</b>	<b>74</b>

**MONMOUTHSHIRE GENTS.**

<b>1st Innings.</b>	
E. Watkins, c and b C. S. Trubshaw....	13
W. H. Robinson, b Davies.....	3
Dr. Tresawna, c & b A. R. Trubshaw....	38
J. R. Jacob, b A. R. Trubshaw.....	11
J. Jonathan, c Jones, b Trubshaw.....	8
C. Hill, c Trubshaw, b Price.....	12
W. J. Morris, b A. R. Trubshaw.....	4
W. H. Waller, c H. Jones, b Price.....	4
J. Askey, c Davies, b Price.....	4
E. Rosser, not out.....	5
A. L. Gough, b Price.....	0
Extras.....	9
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>111</b>

**ABERGAVENNY v. DR. TRESAWNA'S XI.**

As Cardiff cancelled their fixture on Saturday, Dr. Tresawna got a team together to play Abergavenny. The Club team had the worst of matters in a good scoring match. Abergavenny had declared with 150 for nine, but their opponents were only 16 runs behind with seven wickets intact when stumps were drawn. The feature of the Abergavenny innings was a fine half century not out by Askey, who was the only player to tackle Clay's difficult bowling with any confidence. He took risks, but his policy was the right one. E. Watkins (67) and J. C. Clay (48 not out) played good cricket for Dr. Tresawna's XI. Clay took seven wickets for 72, while for Abergavenny Major Wallis and E. W. Morgan had one each for 12 and Phillips one for 21.

**CRICKHOWELL v. BRECON.**

Crickhowell gave an accountably poor display at Brecon on Saturday in the opening match between these clubs on Saturday. The Brecon ground was not in a good condition for playing, and a visiting side used to a field like that of the Crickhowell Club is at a serious disadvantage. All things considered, however, Crickhowell were well beaten and Brecon deserved their victory. Brecon batted first, and up to a point Crickhowell did well, the bowling being straight and the fielding keen and reliable. When Provan and Bailey were taken off, however, the slide went to pieces and the bowling, with the exception of Geo. Rowland, was poor stuff indeed. Rowland ought to make a very useful bowler if he will not sacrifice length for pace. But this fault is common to young players. Apart from Shelton and E. R. Davies, there was little in the Brecon batting to cause alarm. The old Talgarth player hit the loose balls mercilessly and Davies played correct cricket. The absence of Arthur Davies and Longman was keenly felt by the visitors; the wicket would have suited bowlers of their type. Crickhowell were all out for 30. Turberville alone showed any form and the players were out to bowling that had little to commend it except that it was straight. Scores:—

**BRECON.**

W. P. Evans, c Lewis, b Provan.....	3
S. R. Phillips, c Jones, b Provan.....	9
E. R. Davies, c Parsons, b Rowland....	25
T. Williams, st Lewis, b Turberville....	0
E. C. Maisey, b Provan.....	0
T. Cattell, b Turberville.....	4
L. Shelton, b Bailey.....	31
C. S. Jones, c Townsend, b Cole Hamilton	10
P. H. Evans, lbw, b Provan.....	10
E. S. Edwards, c Townsend, b Bailey..	7
W. Williams, not out.....	0
Extras.....	8
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>107</b>

**CRICKHOWELL.**

W. Townsend, c Williams, b E. R. Davies	0
Rev. Cole Hamilton, c Jones, b Shelton	2
W. Turberville, st Phillips, b E. R. Davies	12
C. E. Jones, c and b Davies.....	1
A. Provan, b Shelton.....	0
Rev. T. C. W. Lewis, b Davies.....	1
G. F. Loam, b Davies.....	0
H. Bailey, c Edwards, b E. R. Davies..	0
G. Rowland, lbw, b Shelton.....	0
H. Parsons, c Evans, b Shelton.....	0
A. Wallace, not out.....	0
Extras.....	8
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>30</b>

**CRICKHOWELL v. EBBW VALE A.**

Crickhowell lost to the powerful Ebbw Vale Reserve team on Bank Holiday, at Crickhowell. Unfortunately the home club were without A. E. Davies, Provan and Parsons. The homesters, as on Saturday, failed badly with the bat, the side being dismissed for the small total of 25. Townsend, who was out to a very doubtful decision, was top scorer with six.

Ebbw Vale opened well, Chislett driving Bailey out of the ground for six. Oliver in attempting a short run was smartly thrown out by Wilfred Townsend, and Chislett was caught by Bailey from a skier. A minute later Norris was well taken by Loam and Lloyd was out to a good left-handed catch by Wallace. Five wickets were down for 24 and six for 27, Longman and Bailey bowling finely. Then Williams made a few hits and helped by White took the score to 60, Ebbw Vale eventually winning by 46 runs after an interesting game. Longman took four wickets for about 18 runs, and although Bailey was more expensive he did very well. Scores:—

**CRICKHOWELL.**

W. Townsend, lbw, b Lloyd.....	6
Rev. Cole-Hamilton, c and b Morris....	3
W. Turberville, b Lloyd.....	1
Rev. T. C. Lewis, c Robins, b Norris....	5
H. Bailey, b Norris.....	0
G. F. Loam, run out.....	4
P. Longman, c Waters, b Lloyd.....	1
A. Wallace, c White, b Norris.....	2
Brewerton, c B. Waters, b Lloyd.....	0
C. E. Jones, b Lloyd.....	0
F. Evans, not out.....	0
Extras.....	3
<b>Extras.....</b>	<b>25</b>

**EBBW VALE.**

E. Oliver, run out.....	5
G. Chislett, c and b Bailey.....	12
G. Norris, c Loam, b Longman.....	0
T. Lloyd, c Wallace, b Bailey.....	1
W. Robins, b Longman.....	6
G. Williams, b Longman.....	14
B. Waters, b Longman.....	6
J. Richards, b Bailey.....	2
D. White, b Bailey.....	9
T. Waters, c Brewerton, b Turberville..	4
T. Jones, not out.....	12
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>71</b>

South Wales Amns  
 Tuesday 21 September 1920

## CRICKET IN MONMOUTHSHIRE.

### Averages for 1920 Season

#### CAPTAIN HEADS BATTING LIST.

The following batting averages and bowling analysis for the Monmouthshire County Club are interesting:

	Inns.	Not out.	H'gst score.	Total Runs.	A'ge.
F. G. Phillips	7	1	115	274	45.66
J. C. Clay	7	0	51	169	24.14
K. C. Raikes	4	0	30	86	21.50
W. R. Lewis	5	0	45	160	20.00
B. Carter	5	1	46	78	19.50
A. Phillips	6	1	31	77	15.40
Ken. Harris	3	0	19	40	13.33
E. C. Francis	3	0	18	37	12.33
H. Phillips	3	2	7*	7	7.00
G. A. Webb	3	0	10	20	6.66
B. Harris	3	0	6	9	3.60
Also Batted.					
B. Sharpe	2	1	35	42	42.00
A. Smith	2	1	25*	26	26.00
J. F. Rust	1	0	18	18	18.00
A. M. Maltby	2	0	15	28	14.00
J. F. Rees	2	1	9*	14	14.00
Vaughan	1	0	14	14	14.00
P. Prout	2	0	14	14	7.00
T. Taylor	2	0	14	22	11.00
E. W. Morgan	2	0	9	13	6.50
N. Rocyn Jones	2	0	13	13	6.50
S. Wilcox	2	1	6	6	6.00
J. P. Treloar	2	0	7	11	5.50

\*Not out.

#### BOWLING.

	O.	M.	R.	W.	A'ge.
Vaughan	9.5	1	32	5	6.40
K. Harris	35.3	6	86	10	8.60
F. G. Phillips	56	6	197	10	19.70
B. Phillips	51	3	295	10	20.50
K. C. Raikes	82	16	294	1	26.40
J. C. Clay	42.2	1	231	8	28.87
N. Rocyn Jones	18	1	70	2	35.00
P. Sharpe	5	0	33	1	33.00

## THE WORLD OF SPORT.

### MONMOUTHSHIRE CRICKET.

#### Championship of the Minor Counties.

##### REVIVED INTEREST IN THE CLUB.

A meeting with the object of formally re-starting the Mon. County Cricket Club was held at the Queen's Hotel, Newport, on Wednesday, when Mr. L. Foster-Stedman presided, supported by Colonel F. Gordon Phillips (N.A.C.), Mr. Edward Phillips, and Mr. E. C. Francis (Chepstow).

The Chairman explained that during the war the club had been in a state of suspended animation, and that last year, though a few matches were played, they were quite informal, had nothing to do with the minor counties competition, and were arranged by Colonel F. Gordon Phillips. Subscriptions and generous donations from the members of the club had wiped off the deficit and left a balance at the bank of £12. Their outstanding debts might be a little more, but they were solvent, and could make a start with a clean sheet. The subscriptions and donations amounted to £150 17s. 6d.

Mr. Stedman referred to the fact that Mr. Aubrey Butler had left the district for Oxfordshire, and accordingly had resigned the position of hon. secretary to the club. He moved that the resignation be accepted with regret, and that a hearty vote of thanks be accorded Mr. Butler. Mr. F. Phillips seconded, and the resolution was warmly supported.

In proposing Mr. K. C. Raikes for the hon. secretaryship (pro tem.), Mr. Stedman described him as not only a good player, but a young man who was keenly interested in all forms of sport.

Mr. E. C. Francis seconded, and the motion met with approval.

It was stated that Mr. Raikes was unfortunately confined to his bed, and the hope was expressed that he would speedily recover from his indisposition.

The election of other officers was left over until the annual meeting in March, but it was decided to appoint a committee to proceed with the business of the club in the meantime. The committee consists of one representative of each affiliated club, and the following: Mr. L. Foster Stedman, Colonel F. Gordon Phillips, Alderman F. Phillips, Mr. E. Phillips, Dr. E. M. Griffith, J. P. (Abercarn), Messrs. C. L. Clay (Chepstow), J. R. Williams, F. T. Bircham, E. P. Steer, T. Blandford (N.A.C.), G. Edmunds (Usk), Tudor Henry (Ebbw Vale), George Boots (N.A.C.), W. E. C. Hudden (Lysaghts), F. H. Dauncey (N.A.C.), L. D. Whitehead and H. Harte (Messrs. Mordey and Carney).

It was also decided to enter the minor counties competition, but to leave the question of arranging friendly matches to the annual meeting.