

**OXFORDSHIRE BEATEN.**

The County commenced their 1930 programme in the Parks on Friday, and were beaten on Saturday by the 'Varsity "A" by nine wickets. The defeat need not be looked upon as an ill-omen for the forthcoming championship games. Many of the players were short of practice, and one or two who were picked were not up to County standard, while S. C. B. Lee was unable to play and Arnold, unfortunately, is no longer available, being qualified for Hampshire next week. One of the most gratifying features of the match from an Oxfordshire point of view was the wicket-keeping of W. W. Inge, a son of the Vicar of St. Giles'. So good was he that it will not be surprising if he gets a trial for the 'Varsity and keeps his place. He is also no mean batsman, his stand with Walters in the first innings showing him up in a strong light. I do not think Oxfordshire will be the easy prey this season that some pessimists aver. If we get a dry summer the bowling should be quite 25 per cent. stronger than any other second-class county, and when Lee and young J. A. Evetts come in the batting will be stronger. Capt. Henry, however, is keenly alive to the necessity of the batting being strengthened, and it is a peculiar commentary on the assumed strength of the city and county batting that there is no outstanding player who one could indisputably say would be a success in Minor County cricket. If there is Capt. Henry would like to hear of him.

Scores:—

**OXFORDSHIRE—First Innings.**

H Walker b Scott	15
L Rogers c Oldfield b Burgess	23
N Bowell c Russell b Scott	4
E Hartley b Burgess	5
F Hartley b Dalmeny	16
C Walters c Gosling b Williams	50
D Artell c Williams b Dalmeny	2
R P Thomas c Oldfield b Dalmeny	0
W W Inge not out	61
J Rogers b Williams	0
B J Henry b Williams	3
Extras	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>185</b>

**Second Innings.**

H Walker c Oldfield b Nevinsion	0
L Rogers c Scott b Williams	16
N Bowell run out	7
E Hartley c Dalmeny b Williams	2
F Hartley c Harbord b Burgess	21
C Walters not out	11
D Artell b Nevinsion	16
R P Thomas b Dalmeny	0
W W Inge c Akers-Douglas b Dalmeny	1
J Rogers c and b Nevinsion	1
B J Henry c Oldfield b Nevinsion	0
Extras	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>83</b>

**'VARSITY "A"—First Innings.**

D N Moore c Bowell b F Hartley	21
W E Harbord b Walters	27
I Akers-Douglas run out	76
C H Gosling b J Rogers	36
D Russell b J Rogers	1
R S Scott run out	3
J S Williams not out	29
Lord Dalmeny b Henry	0
P C Oldfield b Henry	0
J H Nevinsion run out	1
J D Burgess b J Rogers	6
Extras	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>207</b>

**Second Innings.**

D N Moore not out	37
W E Harbord lbw b F Hartley	17
C H Gosling not out	2
Extras	6
<b>Total (1 wkt)</b>	<b>62</b>

**BOWLING ANALYSIS.**

**OXFORDSHIRE.** — First Innings: Nevinsion, 9-3-33-0; Dalmeny, 12-1-52-3; Scott, 14-4-34-2; Burgess, 13-4-25-2; Williams, 11-2-2-35-3; Russell, 2-0-20-0.  
 Second Innings: Nevinsion, 11-4-4-27-4; Scott, 8-4-10-0; Williams, 8-1-20-2; Burgess, 4-0-13-1; Dalmeny, 4-2-5-2.  
**'VARSITY "A."** — First Innings: Thomas, 5-0-25-0; J Rogers, 14-2-63-3; Walters, 15-0-59-1; F Hartley, 10-1-33-1; Henry, 6-0-22-2.  
 Second Innings: Henry, 2-0-14-0; J Rogers, 5-1-20-0; Walters, 5-2-7-0; F Hartley, 6-2-15-1.

# CRICKET.

# LEAVES FROM MY NOTE-BOOK.

## FIXTURES.

(On ground of first-named club.)

### SATURDAY.

Varsity v. Glamorgan (1st day).  
 Reading Biscuit Factory v. Oxford City.  
 Trinity College v. Oxford City.  
 Lincoln College v. Cowley St. John.  
 Jesus College "A" v. Cowley St. John II.  
 Queen's College v. University Press.  
 University Press v. Christ Church Warrigals.  
 Worcester College v. University Press.  
 St. John's College v. South Oxford.  
 Oxford Downs v. South Oxford "A."  
 Headington v. Cowley.  
 Kible College "A" v. Headington II.  
 Wadham College Freshcutters v. North Oxford.  
 Woodstock v. Mr. F. R. Rex's XI.  
 Banbury v. Northampton Saints.  
 Rugby B.T.H. v. Banbury.  
 Depot O.B.L.I. v. Tiddington.  
 Handborough v. Oxford Exiles.  
 Thame v. Queen's College.  
 E.W.S., Reading, v. Wallingford.  
 Chipping Norton v. Heyford R.A.F.  
 Littlemore Hospital v. St. Edmund's Hall.  
 Brasenose College v. Church Army Press.  
 Sandford-on-Thames II. v. Church Army Press II.  
 Baldon v. Church Army Press II.  
 Witney Old Grammarians v. Witney Mills.  
 St. Catherine's v. City School.  
 City School II. v. Burford Grammar School II.  
 Burford School v. City School (under 15).  
 City School (under 14) v. Central School.  
 R.A.O.C. (Didcot) v. County Council Staff.  
 Exeter College Busters v. Kirtlington.  
 The Watneford v. Titup.  
 Trinity College II. v. Kidlington.  
 Islip v. Balliol College Erratics.  
 Bucks County Surveyors v. Thame "A."  
 Milton R.A.F. v. Abingdon Wesleyans.  
 Radley v. Marcham.  
 Bletchington v. Middleton Stoney.  
 Kirtlington II. v. Clifton.  
 South Moreton v. Hasbourns.  
 Brackley v. Croughton.  
 Abingdon School II. v. Abingdon Imperials.  
 Boar's Hill v. Oxford Nomads.  
 Forest Hill v. Studhampton.  
 Langford v. City Imperial League.  
 Wyck Hill v. Kingsham Hill II.  
 Pressed Steel v. Osberton Works.  
 Eaton v. Osberton Works II.  
 Stanton St. John v. University College Utopers.  
 Ickford v. Holton Aviators.  
 Turner's Court v. Didcot.  
 Morris Motors v. Mr. N. K. Stott's XI.  
 Pembroke College v. Morris Motors.  
 Sergeants' Mess, R.A.F., Halton, v. Morris Motors.

### OXFORD LEAGUE.

#### Division II.

Wolvercote v. Kidlington.  
 Barton v. Morris Garages.

#### WITNEY LEAGUE.

#### Division I.

Charlbury v. Milton.  
 Leadfield v. Ascott.  
 Eynsham v. Combe.  
 Witney Swifts v. Cashington.

#### Division II.

Minster v. Shipton.  
 Nutton v. Woodstock II.  
 Ashtell v. Lebbell II.  
 Finstock v. Church Handborough.  
 Huxley v. Chadlington II.  
 Milton II. v. Charlbury II.

### WYFOLD LEAGUE.

#### Division I.

Tetworth v. Wheatley.

#### Division II.

Garsington II. v. Horton-cum-Studley.  
 Great Milton v. Cuddesdon.  
 Wheatley II. v. Horspath II.

### EYNSHAM INSTITUTE LEAGUE.

Cumnor v. Titup.  
 Eynsham Hall Park v. Eynsham II.

### FILKINS AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.

Black Bourton v. Bradwell Grove.  
 Beize Norton v. Clantled.  
 Filkins v. Shilton.

### LITTLEMORE CUP.

#### Preliminary Round.

Horspath v. Chalgrove.  
 Nuneham v. Sandford-on-Thames.

### MONDAY.

Witney Division Police v. Byards.

### MONDAY AND TUESDAY.

Varsity v. Glamorgan (2nd and 3rd days).

### TUESDAY.

St. Edmund Hall v. Oxford City Police.  
 Banbury v. Banbury Police.  
 Exeter College v. Banbury.  
 Stanton St. John v. Byards (6.30, also Wednesday).

### WEDNESDAY.

Balliol College Erratics v. University and College Servants.

Wallingford v. New College Nomads.  
 St. John's College v. Oxford City Police.  
 Exeter College v. City School.

Radley College v. City School (under 15).  
 R.A.F., Heyford, v. Banbury.  
 Bloxham School v. Abingdon School.  
 Abingdon School II. v. Bloxham School.

### WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY.

Varsity v. Lancashire (1st and 2nd days).

### THURSDAY.

New College v. Oxford City.  
 Exeter College Busters v. South Oxford.  
 Balliol College v. Headington.  
 Thame v. Christ Church Warrigals.  
 Woodstock v. Kible College Vagabonds.  
 Kidlington v. Oriel College Outcasts.  
 Appleton v. Abingdon Wesleyans.

## BY F.J.F.

### WEDNESDAY.

J. A. Evetts, who is captain of Westminster School this season, has accepted an invitation to play for Oxfordshire when the School season ends in August. He is a son of Mr. William Evetts, of Tackley Park, who played many fine innings for Oxford City in the days when this club, now approaching its centenary, took on all comers. Young Evetts should compensate for the loss to the County of Johnny Arnold, as he had an average of over 48 for his School last summer.

Nothing was more gratifying from an Oxfordshire cricket point of view in the County and "Varsity "A" match than the wicket-keeping of W. W. Inge. Inge, now in his third year, has never played in a trial game at Oxford, nor did he get his Colours at Winchester, where he was a contemporary of P. G. T. Kingsley, the present "Varsity" captain. He was up at the same time as two or three other good wicketkeepers, one of whom is said to take the school "googly" bowler, P. N. Townsend, now at New College, better than Inge. So good was his form in the "Varsity "A" match that Inge must now be regarded as a serious candidate for a Blue. To my mind he is far better, cleaner and neater than either Mayhew or Lindsay.

I was discussing during the weekend with Captain Henry and Elmer Cotton the question whether there was a batsman in local cricket good enough to be put into the Oxfordshire side, with an indisputable right to his place. One could put down on paper a dozen or so batsmen who, in local cricket, are quite prodigious scorers and whose friends would say they are entitled to be put in. But getting runs in local cricket and in Minor Counties cricket are two entirely different matters. I am quite sure the County selection committee would be glad to hear of a batsman who, in temperament and style, could be classified, shall we say, with Charlie Walters.

There are two cricketers living in our midst who can look back on their games against the Australians with pride. One is the Bishop of Buckingham, now Archdeacon of Oxford, who in the 1884 match carried his bat through the Oxford first innings for 78, and the other G. F. H. Berkeley, now living at Hanwell Castle, Banbury, who in 1890 took eight wickets for 70 in one innings.

I hear that nominations for the Oxford City Football Club Committee have to be in the secretary's hands by to-morrow, the 31st. I do not suppose many people know this, so it will be surprising if there are many nominations. Should anyone have a last minute candidate he should send the nomination along to Mr. Owens.

## CRICKETERS' ROLL.

### BATTING.

(Qualification 50 runs and over.)

W. Taylo. (Headington II. v. Eynsham) ....	141*
H. Heritage (Hook Norton II. v. Burford) ..	132
A. Taylor (Dorchester v. Oxford Nomads) ..	101*
A. Keates (Witney Swifts v. Combe) .....	84
T. Bradby (Brackley v. Bicester) .....	78
H. F. Davies (Oxford Downs v. Bourton Vale)	64
L. Norridge (Kirtlington v. Merton) .....	62*
A. Pratt (Bampton v. Swindon St. John's) ..	62
W. W. Inge (Oxfordshire v. "Varsity "A") ..	61*
L. Brown (South Oxford II. v. Baldon) .....	60*
D. E. Edwards (North Oxford v. City School)	54
D. Stevens (Stevens' Sports v. University Press) .....	53
H. C. Halliday (North Oxford v. City School)	51
G. Carter (Appleton v. Abingdon Imps) .....	50
C. Walters (Oxfordshire v. "Varsity "A") ..	50

\* indicates not out.

### BOWLING.

(Qualification six wickets and over.)

T. Lee (North Aston v. Sandford St. Martin)	9-11
F. Longshaw (Shipton v. Moreton) .....	9-35
G. Benwell (Sandford v. Sunningwell) .....	9-37
F. Smith (Boar's Hill v. Abingdon Pavlova)	8-7
C. Allen (Nuneham v. Horspath II.) .....	8-15
P. Coppock (Horspath v. Studhampton) .....	8-28
E. Baldwin (Moreton v. Shipton) .....	7-8
W. Lane (Stokenchurch v. Watlington) .....	7-10
F. Jones (Byards v. Forest Hill) .....	7-12
F. Jones (Byards v. Forest Hill) .....	7-13
C. Hoborough (Sunningwell v. Sandford) ..	7-14
R. Bennett (Cumnor v. Oxford Exiles) .....	7-15
A. Evans (Kidlington v. Morris Motors Transport "B") .....	7-19
A. Pratt (Barpton v. Swindon St. John's)	7-23
A. Webb (Titup v. Stanton St. John) .....	7-20
S. Cox (Middle Barton v. Magdalen Ramblers) .....	7-32
R. Himpson (Sunningwell v. Sandford II.)	6-3
H. Powers (Chipping Norton II. v. Great Tew) .....	6-10
T. Pratley (Appleton v. Abingdon Imps) ..	6-12
H. Coombes (Shipton II. v. Milton II.) ..	6-14
F. Jones (Titup II. v. Pressed Steel) .....	6-14
R. Had (Widdington v. Great Rollright) ..	6-16
S. Garrett (Headington II. v. Eynsham) ..	6-18
A. Bushin (Kidlington v. Adderbury) .....	6-19
G. Eddle (Elsfield v. Kidlington II.) .....	6-19
E. Titcombe (Littlemore v. Garsington) ..	6-20
F. Brazell (Tiddington v. C.C. Staff) .....	6-27
S. Burgess (Morris Motors v. Milton) .....	6-29
W. Lloyd (Newland v. Osberton Radiators)	6-29
L. Norridge (Kirtlington v. Merton) .....	6-35



SOUTH OXFORD MATCHES.

Of their three matches last week South Oxford won two and lost one. Their Thursday team was no match for a St. John's College XI, who got the 92 required for victory for the loss of only two wickets. Nicholls and Hutt had a lively partnership for the club, and Darcy, coming on late, took three for 8. The Saturday 2nd XI, had an easier task at Bladon, where the club innings was declared with only two wickets down and the villagers were shot out for 42. Brown made 60 not out and Parton took four wickets for 5 runs. The 3rd XI, at Glympton were also successful, Turner taking five for 9 and Lonie five for 14. Batting a second time Glympton lost six for 25. Scores:—

Table with 2 columns: SOUTH OXFORD and ST. JOHN'S. Rows list players and their runs/wickets. Includes totals for each team and a combined total of 7 wickets for 169 runs.

Table with 2 columns: SOUTH OXFORD and BLADON. Rows list players and their runs/wickets. Includes totals for each team and a combined total of 2 wickets for 111 runs.

Table with 2 columns: SOUTH OXFORD and GLYMPTON. Rows list players and their runs/wickets. Includes totals for each team and a combined total of 2 wickets for 87 runs.

MORRIS MOTORS MATCHES.

The Morris Motors put two teams in the field on Saturday, one travelling to Bedford to play the Club and Ground and the other to Milton. The game at Bedford did not commence till after lunch, when the home side batted first. Two good catches by Thornton led to the early success of the bowlers and half the Club and Ground side were out for 40. Then the Motors missed three easy catches and the score went up to 100. Stone, Ferriman and Heymeson bowled well. The Motors had to bat on a very bad pitch and were out for 59 against the brothers Rawlins, who bowled unchanged. It was a very enjoyable game. The match at Milton was very close, the Motors winning by five runs. Burgess took six for 27 and Lawled well. Scores:—

Table with 2 columns: BEDFORD and MORRIS MOTORS. Rows list players and their runs/wickets. Includes totals for each team and a combined total of 3 wickets for 189 runs.

Table with 2 columns: MILTON and MORRIS MOTORS. Rows list players and their runs/wickets. Includes totals for each team and a combined total of 55 runs.

UNIVERSITY PRESS MATCHES.

Two of the three University Press matches were played on Saturday. At Jordan Hill the Press made a sporting declaration at tea time as stumps had to be drawn at 6.30, and Stevens, thanks to Stevens, Kempster and Longford, got the runs. Clements, a new player from Wolvercote, batted well for the Press, and in the bowling department Hutton took five for 24 and Warrington four for 15. Against the Wadham Freebooters, on the Wadham ground, the Press won by 11 runs. Kislimgbury made highest score and Weller took three for 24. Scores:—

Table with 2 columns: PRESS and STEVENS'. Rows list players and their runs/wickets. Includes totals for each team and a combined total of 6 wickets for 111 runs.

Table with 2 columns: PRESS and FREEBOOTERS. Rows list players and their runs/wickets. Includes totals for each team and a combined total of 100 runs.

NORTH OXFORD BEAT THE CITY SCHOOL.

The City School have to build up what is practically a new XI, this season, and considering the keenness of the boys to secure their colours and the penalty paid for failure, the rather extreme caution shown against the North Oxford bowling on Saturday was excusable. Halsey, Edmunds and Dale all made runs, but Halliday and Edwards, of the club, treated the bowling rather lightly and put on 106 for the first wicket. Taylor, with three for 32, was the most successful School bowler. Score:—

Table with 2 columns: SCHOOL and NORTH OXFORD. Rows list players and their runs/wickets. Includes totals for each team and a combined total of 129 runs.

THE BLUES AT LITTLEMORE.

I do not mean to imply that the Littlemore Hospital players had the blues, but that Mr. Skeno's team, which visited them on Saturday, contained quite a number of Blues. Oswald, Paul and Marks are hockey Blues, Skene himself is a cricket Blue, Van der Byl a boxing Blue, and Gubb is, of course, the ex-Rugger captain, while in addition the side had the assistance of Rogers, the Birkenhead Fresher, and Peebles, the Middlesex player. Small wonder, perhaps, that the Hospital players were beaten. Peebles took six for 34. Mr. Reynolds tells me it was one of the best games he has seen at the Hospital and that there were about 500 spectators. Score:—

Table with 2 columns: HOSPITAL and MR. R. W. SKENO'S XI. Rows list players and their runs/wickets. Includes totals for each team and a combined total of 103 runs.

SANDFORD WIN AND LOSE.

Sandford-on-Thames won one and lost one game on Saturday. C. Stone (four for 7) and F. Smith (four for 16) shot out an Oxford Y.M.C.A. team for 31, and against Sunningwell, at Sunningwell, despite the fact that Benwell took nine for 37, the visitors were beaten by 61 runs, Haborough taking seven for 14. Scores:—

Table with 2 columns: SUNNINGWELL and SANDFORD. Rows list players and their runs/wickets. Includes totals for each team and a combined total of 83 runs.

OXFORD DOWNS v. BOURTON VALE.

Bourton appears to have escaped the rain we had in Oxford on Saturday and there was a full afternoon's cricket in the match between the Vale and the Downs. The Downs owe their good score of 188 to skipper Davies and to Florey, whose success was most gratifying after a couple of lean seasons. The Vale made a fine response, but when the last man came in still required seven to win. The spirit of the game was shown when the Downs captain allowed his opponents a substitute, after one of their players had gone home. Score:—

Table with 2 columns: OXFORD DOWNS and BOURTON VALE. Rows list players and their runs/wickets. Includes totals for each team and a combined total of 196 runs.

Y.M.C.A.		SANDFORD.	
J Glanville run out...	0	J Fox c Hewitt b	23
R Wheeler b C Stone	1	H Walton .....	11
H Hewitt lbw b F	2	H Naish b Lloyd	6
Smith .....	0	F Smith lbw b	11
J Haydock c A Stone	0	Wheeler .....	6
b C Stone .....	0	A Stone c Adams b	11
H Lloyd b C Stone	15	Lloyd .....	6
E Cadman run out	1	C Stone b Beesley	24
C Walton c Kerrad b	3	G Cooper b Lloyd	0
F Smith .....	0	F Kerrad lbw b Bees-	0
F David c A Stone	1	ley .....	21
b F Smith .....	0	H Payne c Adams b	2
W Beesley b F Smith	0	Walton .....	4
L Adams b C Stone	0	F Middleton b Cad-	2
W Blucman not out	0	man .....	0
		H Smith not out	0
		W Smith lbw b Cad-	0
		man .....	6
Extras .....	8	Extras .....	6
Total .....	31	Total .....	114

**TIDDINGTON OUT FOR 16 AND THEN WIN.**

When the first innings of their match against the County Council Staff had been completed Tiddington were 37 in arrears. Then they dismissed the Staff a second time and, set 60 to win, got them for five wickets, the Staff consenting to the time for drawing stumps to be extended in order that they might do so. A. Slater made a dashing 45 not out, and in the bowling department F. Brazell took ten for 43, A. Slater eight for 34, Meadows five for 1 and Stacey four for 15. Score:—

STAFF.		TIDDINGTON.	
H Adams b F Brazell	5	H Maulo b Meadows	1
E Walker b F Brazell	6	P Cherry b Stacey	0
M Stacey c Stode b	14	W Slater b Meadows	0
A Slater .....	14	W Maulo c Walker b	2
C Roberts b F Brazell	5	Stacey .....	7
J R Bell run out	6	H G Brazell c Cook	0
J Meadows b F Brazell	0	b Meadows .....	1
L Thornton c B Brazell	4	G H Maulo run out	1
b F Brazell .....	4	A Slater b Meadows	1
H S Cook lbw b A	2	R E Steele c Walker	2
Slater .....	2	b Stacey .....	0
R Pudner b F Brazell	4	L Neall c Cook b	0
F Wickson lbw b A	5	Meadows .....	0
Slater .....	0	F Brazell not out	2
G Boden not out	2	L Brazell c Walker b	0
Extras .....	2	Stacey .....	16
Total .....	53	Total .....	16

**WITNEY GRAMMARIANS WIN AGAIN.**

At Chipping Norton the Witney Grammarians won by 23 runs. The home captain put the Old Boys in and at one time it looked as if his policy would be successful, half the side being out for 25. French and Jennings then put on 31 and the total went up to 75. Thornett (four for 20) and Laidlaw (four for 20) both bowled well. Chipping Norton, with the exception of Warmington, failed against Busby (three for 18) and Barnes (three for 13). Score:—

OLD GRAMMARIANS.		CHIPPING NORTON.	
J Busby b Thornett	3	G Hughes b Barnes	3
L Jennings c Smith	31	F Warmington b	22
b Warmington .....	31	Barnes .....	0
J H Nash lbw b Laid-	4	A Yates c Shirley b	2
law .....	3	Barnes .....	0
E I Jennings b Laid-	0	J O'Shea b I Jennings	6
law .....	0	E Thornett lbw b C	6
J Barnes b Thornett	2	Jennings .....	0
H Gardner b Thornett	5	J Allen c I Jennings	0
C W French c Grace	14	b C Jennings .....	0
b Warmington .....	14	S Laidlaw run out	0
C C Broom c Haney	4	S H Grace c Shirley	4
b Laidlaw .....	4	b Busby .....	0
W Shirley b Thornett	7	O Smith b Busby	6
K J Miles not out	0	S Thornett c French	6
P B Knight b Laid-	0	b Busby .....	2
law .....	0	B Haney not out	7
Extras .....	5	Extras .....	7
Total .....	75	Total .....	52

**FARINGDON v. CIRENCESTER.**

At Faringdon. After dismissing the visitors for 89, Faringdon lost four for 6 runs. Taylor, Baylis and Ricketts stopped the rot, but nine runs were still required when the last man came in and three maidens were bowled before the winning hit was made. S. C. Adams took seven for 25 and Stalworthy three for 25. Score:—

CIRENCESTER.		FARINGDON.	
F W Mills b Muggs	31	G Weaving b R Hitch	0
F Bridges b Adams	2	V Atkell b R Hitch	1
R Hitch st Barton b	29	A Barton b Bridges	0
Taylor .....	14	R Taylor b Bridges	14
R Dickenson b Ric-	3	S C Adams b Bridges	1
ketts .....	3	J Baylis b Stalworthy	23
R A Hitch b Adams	1	P Ricketts b Stal-	27
E Radway c Weaving	2	worthy .....	5
b Adams .....	13	R Liddiard run out	6
H Henderson b Adams	13	H Muggs b Stal-	6
W Stalworthy b	0	worthy .....	14
Adams .....	0	R Pike not out	4
T Hill b Adams	0	H Wallis run out	4
C Duke not out	1	b Busby .....	7
F Walker b Adams	7	Extras .....	18
Extras .....	7	Extras .....	108
Total .....	89	Total .....	108

**KIRTLINGTON TWICE BEATEN.**

A Balliol Erratics side beat Kirtlington at Kirtlington and the club 2nd XI. were defeated at Woodstock. The best performance was Kirtland's 36 not out for the 1st XI. Scores:—

KIRTLINGTON.		BALLIOL.	
E Siggers c Robson b	0	Hughes c Kirtland b	2
Gordon .....	0	George .....	1
H R Norridge c Gor-	26	Mairal st Edgington b	1
don b Hollins .....	26	George .....	1
A George c Cameron	12	Philpot run out	4
b Hughes .....	12	Cameron lbw b Green	5
F J Kirtland not out	36	Williams not out	45
J Edgington b Us-	8	Usborne lbw b Siggers	19
borne .....	8	Robson lbw b Calcutt	2
S Calcutt b Robson	2	Gordon c Calcutt b	46
A Collett b Robson	0	Green .....	3
H A Green b Usborne	10	Hollins run out	2
R E East b Gordon	10	MacFarlane and Mac-	0
R Kirtland b Cameron	0	gregor did not bat.	0
F Long lbw b Cameron	20	Extras .....	4
Extras .....	20	Extras .....	136
Total .....	114	Total (8 wks)	136

WOODSTOCK.		KIRTLINGTON II.	
W Willis c Calcutt b	3	P Allen c Taffe b	5
Walton .....	3	Dunkeley .....	5
F Daniels b Wickson	30	A George c Morris b	5
J Brackenborough run	17	Dunkeley .....	0
out .....	17	W Cato b Daniels	0
W Perrin c W Cato b	10	A Talbot b Daniels	3
Norridge .....	10	G Wickson b Daniels	1
P Long b Wickson	0	F Jarvis b Daniels	1
C Buckingham c W	12	E F Norridge b	9
Cato b Walton	12	Daniels .....	9
R Dunkeley b Walton	9	G Cato c Dunkeley b	1
J Heath c Jarvis b	5	P Calcutt c Morris b	2
Walton .....	5	Daniels .....	7
A Southern c Wick-	6	W Walton b Daniels	1
son b Norridge	11	R Norridge not out	1
J Taffe not out	0	George .....	4
W Morris c Allen b	2	Extras .....	44
George .....	2	Extras .....	44
Extras .....	105	Total .....	44

**THAME v. CORPUS CHRISTI COLLEGE.**

At Thame and won by the home side by 80 runs. Score:—

THAME.		CORPUS CHRISTI.	
W G Bailey c Welby-	1	W R Evers run out	0
Everard b Tucker	1	A D Garrow lbw b	15
D C Wahl c Brown-	38	Smith .....	11
rige b Waterfield	38	A M Rendel b Bailey	15
A H Higgins b Water-	28	J H L Brownrigg lbw	15
field .....	28	Smith .....	1
R J West c Tucker b	0	J Cartwright-Taylor c	1
Waterfield .....	0	Wahl b Smith	1
F Hearne c and b	30	J Cree b Smith	1
Waterfield .....	30	J E Waterfield lbw b	0
C Barton st Cart-	16	Kirtland .....	0
wright b Tucker	16	Welby-Everard st Wahl	0
C Mott b Welby-	13	b Kirtland .....	14
Everard .....	13	F J Tucker b Barton	14
S C B Lee not out	26	J P Angold c Lee b	13
W Kirtland c Welby-	13	Bailey .....	17
Everard b Tucker	13	R P Melland not out	17
A Kirtland c Brown-	1	Extras .....	9
rigg b Waterfield	1	Extras .....	9
P Smith c Mullins b	14	Extras .....	9
Waterfield .....	14	Extras .....	9
Extras .....	11	Extras .....	9
Total .....	176	Total .....	98

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# COUNTY CRICKET AT BANBURY.

## OXFORDSHIRE v. MONMOUTHSHIRE.

### THE CHAMPIONS' FINE WIN.

Some very eventful cricket was seen on the Banbury Town ground on Tuesday when the Minor County match between Oxfordshire and Monmouthshire was commenced. Last year this match had resulted in a win for Oxfordshire, so this game, the first for both counties this season, was sure to provide a keen struggle.

The pitch, which had been prepared by Mr. Darlow, the town's groundsman, for several weeks, was in excellent condition, although the severe storm on Monday night had slightly affected it.

The Monmouth captain having won the toss, Hodges faced Rogers, the fast bowler, who was bowling from the Bodicote end.

Wickets started to fall very cheaply, for the pitch was in favour of the bowlers and Rogers was keeping a perfect length. Poulson pulled Roger's third ball on to his wicket, while Hodges gave a hard catch to Inge and was out for two runs. Lawday was struck in the back by a fast drive from his partner Jenkins, and had to retire.

Jenkins played Hartley at the other end well, and cut him for the first four of the match. Walters took over from Hartley at the town end, and Jenkins cocked up an easy catch off Walters' fourth ball. Jones twice drove Walters for four, but his partner, Jenour, was very uncomfortable, and gave an easy catch to the slips.

The wicket was drying fast in places by this time and proved very tricky, one ball striking a dry patch and coming off fast, and the next a sticky patch and holding back.

Lawday took the field again after Jenour had been caught, but after a short partnership he saw Jones bowled by J. Rogers for eleven, and himself for nine by the same bowler.

Seven wickets were down for thirty-four runs.

Len Rogers took Dolman low down, after the forty had been reached, off Walters, who, with the next ball, had Harris lbw.—40-9-0.

Most of the trickiness had gone out of the pitch by this time, and Raikes and Spary put on fifty-one runs for the last wicket. Windrow had three overs from the Bodicote end but met with no success. The innings closed for the poor total of 91 runs, just on one o'clock.

Walker and L. Rogers opened the Oxfordshire innings and had scored 13 runs when lunch was taken. The wicket seemed very easy after lunch runs coming at a moderate rate. Rogers was bowled for 33 by Harris, whom he previously drove for a beautiful six.

Eighty was reached before the next wicket fell, when Lee got in front of a straight one from Hodges and was out lbw. Runs were coming at a slow rate, and Hodges bowled four successive maidens.

Three wickets fell for the addition of 18 runs and Oxfordshire passed their opponents' score with five wickets in hand.

Numerous bowling changes were made by the Monmouthshire captain, but Cotton proved very sound and twice drove Raikes for four.

Walters was caught off the last over before tea, contributing 16 in a stand which realised 64. Cotton reached his 50 directly after tea with a drive for 2 runs. He was last man out at 191. Inge scoring a lively 14.

Cotton scored his 59 with some very fine strokes, including nine 4's—a very attractive innings.

Oxfordshire have thus a lead of 101 runs on the first innings.

Monmouthshire started their second innings at 5.30 and after losing Hodges for 13 played out time, their score then being 51 for one wicket.

### THE SECOND DAY.

The heavy roller was used on Wednesday morning but the wicket showed hardly any signs of wearing, and rolled out in first class condition.

Lawday (10) and Jenour (16), the two not out's, did not stay long together, for after seven had been scored Lawday was taken well by Lee in the slips. Henry took a hard catch at short leg to dispose of Jenour for 22.

Raikes got going, and sent Rogers twice to the boundary and making the score 80 with a fine boundary drive off Walters. He was bowled by a yorker after scoring a good 16.

Jenkins played in attractive style and got Rogers to the on boundary. At 15 he chopped a rising ball from Hartley and the fifth wicket fell at 91. Poulson saw the 100 reached, making a nice out for a single and stayed to get 15 before being caught by Henry. The score now stood at 125 for six wickets—and runs came at a fairly moderate rate. Both Jones and Dolman played in confident style, putting on 20 runs. Jones in his 29 scoring 4 fours.

Rogers took over from Henry at the Bodicote end, and coming off the pitch fast, made the ball rise awkwardly. Dolman brought the total to 150 with an on drive.

Dolman gave a hard chance to slip and Lee made an excellent catch. Wilcox gave an easy catch to Windrow at square leg off Rogers. Harris and Spary, the last two men, played very unenterprising cricket until Windrow took his third catch to dismiss Harris.

The fielding of the Oxfordshire team was very good, both Lee and Windrow taking hard catches. Inge played brilliantly behind the stumps.

Oxfordshire soon got going to get the 73 runs necessary to win and in the half-hour before lunch Walker and Rogers (L.) scored 43, before Rogers was bowled. Lee and Walker took the score along to 69 before Lee was given out lbw. Walker and E. Hartley saw the necessary runs scored, Walker making the winning hit for four just before a quarter-to-three.

Thus Oxfordshire won their first match of the season by 8 wickets, and put themselves on the way to winning the championship again.

A scratch match was played directly after the game.

### Monmouthshire.

(1st innings)

A. E. Hodges c Inge b Rogers (J.)	2
H. L. Poulson b Rogers (J.)	0
E. E. Lawday b Rogers (J.)	9
H. H. Jenkins c Lee b Walters	7
H. Jones b Rogers (J.)	11
A. M. Jenour c Rogers (L.) b Walters	3
Wilcox c and b Walters	2
E. C. Dolman c Rogers (L.) b Walters	5
K. C. Raikes c Hartley b Walters	24
Harris lbw b Walters	9
H. G. Spary not out	26
Extras	4

### 2nd innings.

A. E. Hodges lbw b Walters	13
E. E. Lawday c Lee b Rogers (J.)	11
A. M. Jenour c Henry b Walters	22
K. C. Raikes b F. Hartley	16
H. H. Jenkins b Hartley	15
H. Jones c Lee b Walters	29
H. L. Poulson c Windrow b Henry	15
E. C. Dolman c Lee b Walters	15
Wilcox c Windrow b Rogers	7
Harris c Windrow b Rogers (J.)	11
H. G. Spary not out	2
Extras	17

### Oxfordshire, 1st innings analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Rogers (J.)	11	2	28	4
Hartley	2	0	7	0
Walters	11.4	2	41	6
Windrow	3	1	11	0

Oxfordshire, 2nd innings analysis: Walters 58r. 4w., Henry 14r. 1w., Rogers (J.) 51r. 3w., F. Hartley 33r. 2w.

### Oxfordshire.

(1st innings)

H. Walker c Wilcox b Hodges	35
Rogers (L.) b Harris	33
S. C. B. Lee lbw b Hodges	11
E. Hartley lbw b Hodges	8
F. Hartley b Raikes	6
C. Walters c Spary b Harris	16
E. Cotton c Jenour b Spary	59
W. W. Inge b Harris	14
Rogers (J.) st Wilcox b Harris	0
C. F. Windrow b Spary	0
B. J. Henry not out	5
Extras	5

### 2nd innings.

H. Walker not out	35
Rogers (L.) b Spary	23
S. C. B. Lee lbw b Spary	15
E. Hartley not out	2
Extras	1

(for 2 wkts.)—76

F. Hartley, C. Walters, E. Cotton, W. W. Inge, Rogers (J.), C. F. Windrow, and B. J. Henry did not bat.

### Monmouthshire, 1st innings analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Spary	12	0	41	2
Raikes	14	3	36	1
Harris	16	4	57	4
Hodges	12	7	3	
Dolman	10	1	6	

### Monmouthshire, 2nd innings analysis:

Dolman 18r. 0w., Raikes 16r. 0w., Spary 23r. 2w., Harris 14r. 0w.



**Teams at Dinner.**

On Tuesday evening the teams assembled at the "White Lion" Hotel for dinner, under the presidency of Councillor F. J. Wise, hon. secretary of the Banbury Cricket Section, supported by the Mayor of Banbury (Councillor W. G. Mascord), Capt. Henry, Mr. Raikes (captain Monmouthshire team), Mr. Frank Gray, Dr. Gardiner Hill, Dr. Wells, and others. Apologies were received from Alderman Collingridge, Major Maul, Major M. W. Edmunds, Mr. T. Wall, Mr. E. Lamley Fisher, Mr. H. J. Cooke, Capt. Courage, Mr. Theo Clark, Mr. H. Chapman, and others.

The company having done justice to the excellent repast,

The Chairman referred to the presence of the Mayor. The Mayor of any town was a hard-working individual, and he wanted on behalf of the Banbury Cricket Club and all of them to thank him for coming to that gathering.

The Chairman went on to submit the toast of "The Oxfordshire Cricket Club." They in Banbury, he said, were pleased that the County side had come at long last to play a match in the town and to renew the old acquaintance with Banbury so far as county cricket was concerned. It was a long time since county cricket had been played in Banbury, and they were glad the invitation to play at Banbury had been accepted. Perhaps their ground at Easington was not everything they desired, but when he said that four or five years ago it was arable land, and possibly in the first year or two not treated as it should be from a cricket point of view, they would agree they had prepared an excellent wicket and an outfield, while not perfect, acceptable to them.

They were there, the Chairman said, to meet the County Club in order to celebrate their victory in winning the Minor Counties Championship last year. He thought they might turn with some pride to the efforts which were made by the County in winning the championship. Oxfordshire played eight and won seven, and won one on the first innings, and did not lose or draw another match. It was a record which reflected on the industry of the county officials and the good comradeship of the members of the side as well as the good services rendered to the club by Capt. Henry. If they looked at the County side they would see they played very consistently. Not many more than eleven men represented the County throughout the season, and some excellent feats of batting and bowling was the outcome of their play. They were very pleased in Banbury to welcome the county side. With all due respect to their opponents, he hoped the match on the following day would be won by the county team. But he was glad Monmouthshire had been able to make up a considerable amount of leeway with which they were faced at the beginning of the second innings and he hoped they would teach Oxfordshire how to bat on the morrow. They were looking forward in Banbury to a repetition of the matches and they hoped that now the County had started to play cricket here two fixtures would be their lot each year. They hoped by this means to help the county side each year by bringing on young players to uphold the honour which the county eleven won last year, and that the young generation which was rising would be able to do what the county team had done. The proposer then referred again to the splendid services of Capt. Henry and of Mr. Kidd, who, he said, had done remarkably good work through many years for the finances of the club. Without money these games could not be played, and just as the team had been successful in the cricket field Mr. Kidd had been successful in financial matters. He asked them to rise and drink success to the county club, coupling the names of Capt. Henry and Mr. Kidd.

**Disappointing Public Support.**

Mr. Kidd responded and said as honorary treasurer he had done his best for the club. But it was a big task, and there was much more to be done. But for the fact that the M.C.C. gave them a share of the test match proceeds it would be more difficult

than ever. The speaker went on to thank the Monmouthshire team for coming, and said Banbury was an important centre. They could not blame the executive for the lack of interest on the part of the public; he was disappointed more people did not attend. He had the greatest sympathy with Monmouthshire in having to go in against some good bowling. He thought they had made an exceedingly good fight. He had always had the greatest affection for the county, and they were pleased to see them there, and to wish them good luck. They wanted the best side to win.

The toast of "The Visitors" was proposed by Dr. C. Gardiner-Hill. That day, he thought they would all agree, they had seen some excellent exhibitions of cricket, and it was a treat to those few sportsmen who turned up. There had not, he understood, been a county match in Banbury since 1912-14, and he thought that once having got a county side to come it was up to them to give their support. Those interested in cricket looked forward to the event, and they had not had such a thrill since they heard that Woolworths had bought the "Red Lion." (laughter). They had had the privilege of entertaining the players, and he hoped they would have the privilege of seeing them again, when he hoped the people of Banbury would muster something more than three or four hundred. The proposer coupled the name of Mr. Raikes (captain of the Monmouthshire side) and Mr. Frank Gray, and said he did so remembering that Mr. Frank Gray might be in a hurry, as he had a habit of walking to Oxford before breakfast. (laughter).

**Playing The Game.**

Mr. Raikes thanked the Banbury Club for entertaining the Monmouthshire side to a sumptuous repast. They were not usually favoured in this way, and it was a pleasant surprise. With regard to the game, he had enjoyed it very much. They had provided them with wonderful weather and a wonderful welcome. The wicket was a good one, and so long as they played the game as people in Oxfordshire liked it played, he was sure it would meet with approval. He would like to add his mead of praise to the Oxfordshire side on winning the championship last year. If Monmouthshire could not win it there was no other team they would sooner see win it than Oxfordshire. Oxfordshire played cricket in the way it should be played; that was to say it was a game of cricket first and foremost, and winning the championship was a secondary consideration. And because they did that they gave spectators, themselves, and their opponents, an enjoyable game. He was voicing the sentiments of his side when he said they were glad to be in Banbury, and to play Oxfordshire, and he hoped they were going to give them a jolly good game the following day.

**Enterprising Banbury.**

Mr. Frank Gray, in humorous vein, said he was just as capable of appreciating a good meal as Mr. Raikes, perhaps the more so because he could not forget that his reception that night was very different to that he had on the first occasion he had the pleasure of dining in Banbury, when, after picking up cigarette ends in the Market Place he was entertained at the Municipal and Democratic Hospital, and had 8 ounces of bread and 1/2 an ounce of cheese. The company was not so good as that night, but far more versatile. There was the whole lot of them, capable of anything from manslaughter to pitch and toss. But in the good company of that night all that was wiped out and forgotten. He, too, had had the pleasure of being a spectator that day. He had enjoyed it, quite frankly, far more than he had expected. In thanking Banbury, he would like to congratulate Banbury on its enterprise in inducing the county to stage a match here. Banbury was a very enterprising place, and he hoped the match would be the forerunner of a good many more happy gatherings in the town of Banbury. For that he thought they were largely indebted to the enterprise of Major Wise (hear hear), but he had been told to say he would gain a great many more runs in Leicester than they were going to let him get he

(laughter).

They had had an excellent time that night, and he only hoped they might find some excuse for a number of those festivities. He liked those pleasant homely gatherings when sportsmen gathered together, and he hoped they might have a repetition. He hoped he would see a good finish, and he wished the Banbury Sports Club, which had done so much for local cricket, and was now giving every encouragement to county games, every success and prosperity in the future.

Mr. Owens Claydon entertained the company with songs, and Mr. S. Wilcox, wicket keeper of the Monmouth team, gave mouth organ selections. Mr. A. E. Chidzey presided at the piano.

The gathering dispersed with the singing of the National Anthem.

**Dance.**

Following the dinner the teams attended a flannel dance at the Town Hall, where the music was supplied by Monty Rice's orchestra, and a jolly time was spent. The refreshments were supplied by the Lorna Cafe and Mr. Blower held the excise licence.

**"BANBURY ADVERTISER" CUP.**

**SOUTH NEWINGTON v. SIBFORD.**

Played at South Newington on Wednesday, June 25th. W. Poulton, for Sibford, took 7 wickets for 2 runs.

SOUTH NEWINGTON		
R. Williams c Stewart b Poulton	.....	2
E. Hayward c Keyte b Poulton	.....	3
A. Charles c A. Haynes b Poulton	.....	0
J. Busby b Lamb	.....	0
T. Clifton c and b Poulton	.....	2
F. Terry st Ward b Poulton	.....	0
E. Dance c Lamb b Poulton	.....	0
E. Osbourne b Poulton	.....	1
H. Harper b Lamb	.....	1
A. Treadwell b Lamb	.....	0
A. Seymour not out	.....	0
Extras	.....	1
		-10
SIBFORD		
H. Kaye b Seymour	.....	1
A. Haynes b Seymour	.....	5
B. Lamb c and b Williams	.....	4
H. Stewart c and b Terry	.....	6
W. Poulton b Seymour	.....	7
F. Berry b Seymour	.....	1
F. Haynes c Osbourne b Seymour	.....	3
G. Keyte c Seymour	.....	3
A. Haynes c Williams b Seymour	.....	0
F. Inns b Seymour	.....	0
A. Ward not out	.....	0
		-30

**BANBURY AND DISTRICT CRICKET LEAGUE TABLE.**

Division A.					
	Pld.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Great Bourton	6	5	1	0	10
Fenny Compton	7	5	2	0	10
Claydon	7	5	2	0	10
Grimsbury	5	4	1	0	8
Mollington	8	2	6	0	4
Radway	7	1	6	0	2
Cropredy	6	0	6	0	0
Division B.					
	Pld.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Charlton	7	5	2	0	10
North Aston	5	4	1	0	8
King's Sutton	4	3	1	0	6
Souldern	5	1	4	0	2
B.T.O.	3	1	2	0	2
Stones A.C.	4	0	4	0	0
Division C.					
	Pld.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Banbury G.W.R.	6	4	2	0	8
Broughton & N.N.	4	4	0	0	8
Bloxham	6	3	3	0	6
Banbury Harriers	5	2	3	0	4
Wroxton	4	2	2	0	4
Tadmarton	6	1	5	0	2
Sibford	3	1	2	0	2
Wroxton v. Sibford match (June 21st) not to hand.					

## MINOR COUNTIES MATCH AT BANBURY.

### OXFORDSHIRE V. MONMOUTHSHIRE.

The Oxfordshire County Cricket Club (holders) commenced their first County Championship fixture at the Horton View ground on Tuesday morning, when their opponents were Monmouthshire. This is the first match of its kind to be played in Banbury for many years and great credit is due to the members and officials of the Banbury Cricket Club for their unceasing efforts during the past few years, to provide an adequate county ground for Banbury. The Horton View ground has been much improved, even since the beginning of the present season. The wicket that the groundsman, Darlow, had prepared for this occasion was excellent, and as he remarked, "would wear like leather and as long."

#### First Day's Play.

The heavy rainfall overnight had thoroughly soaked the wicket and though drying fast on Tuesday morning it was still dangerously damp when K. C. Raikes won the toss for the visitors. The Monmouthshire skipper was immediately faced with the awkward problem, whether to put Oxford, a strong batting side, in to take first knock on a wicket that though damaged at the moment, might dry out very quickly, or to send Monmouth in and trust that his opening batsmen would negotiate the difficult but drying wicket successfully.

The Monmouth decision to bat was somewhat surprising and the suspicion that their opening batsmen would have a difficult time was fully justified by subsequent events. Rogers (J.) and F. Hartley opened the attack for Oxfordshire, and the former, bowling at a fair pace from the Farm Field Road end, found considerable help in the wicket. With his third delivery he bowled Poulson, and with only four runs on the board, Hodges was well caught by Inge off the same bowler. But this early disaster only began the visitors' troubles for immediately afterwards E. F. Lawday stopped a hard drive from his fellow batsman Jenkins and had to retire temporarily, Jenkins following him out a few moments later, caught by Lee off Walters' first over. Three wickets were down for thirteen, and then following a period of excellent bowling by Rogers and Walters, who were well supported in the field, seven wickets had fallen in 45 minutes for only 34 runs, and with only six runs added Walters took two wickets with consecutive deliveries and nine wickets were down for only 40 runs.

The whole side appeared doomed to be out without 50 runs, but at the last possible moment K. C. Raikes, the Monmouth captain, was joined by H. G. Spary, the fast bowler. Often in difficulties and with a certain amount of luck, these two batsmen proceeded to add 51 runs in three-quarters of an hour before the innings was closed by Walters, who got Raikes caught by F. Hartley. The total runs were only 91, scored in 1½ hours.

There is no doubt that the Oxford bowlers found considerable help in a wicket that was drying in patches during most of the innings. Even so, it is somewhat of an achievement to get Monmouthshire out for so small a total before lunch and Rogers and Walters both had excellent figures for the innings, the former taking 4 wickets for 28 and Walters 6 for 41.

Oxford had 15 minutes' batting before lunch. It was soon seen that the wicket had almost completely recovered and L. Rogers and Walker started confidently and had collected 13 when lunch was taken.

After the interval runs came rather slowly, but the first wicket had realised 51 runs in about 50 minutes, when Rogers was bowled by Harris, having batted very well and scored 33, including four fours and a six. The following batsmen fared none too well against bowling which seemed to lack the necessary sting to get wickets, though the rate of scoring was kept down. In fact runs came very slowly until Cotton arrived to partner Walters at 98. Cotton, associated first with Walters and later with Inge, collected a very useful 59 by nicely placed shots all round the wicket and until he was well caught at forward short leg by Jenour off Spary gave no chance. The remaining batsmen gave little trouble to the bowlers, Spary in his last and best spell followed his disposal of Cotton by clean bowling Windrow. The Oxford innings concluded at 5.15 for the total of 192, collected in 3½ hours.

Though there were several mistakes in the field the Monmouth bowlers bowled well and

consistently, A. E. Hodges at one period had the following analysis—8 overs, 5 maidens, 17 runs, 3 wickets, and altogether bowled 12 overs, 7 maidens, 24 runs, 3 wickets. Harris, the Monmouth slow bowler, came out with the most wickets, having taken 4 for 57 in 16 overs.

At 5.30 Monmouthshire commenced their second innings. Runs were made slowly and a good many loose balls went unpunished. At 19 Hodges was out lbw to Walters and for the remainder of the play the batsmen confined themselves to defensive strokes, the last dozen overs only yielding a matter of 12 or 13 runs. Stumps were drawn at 6.30 the score then being 51 for 1. Scores:—

MONMOUTHSHIRE.	
A. E. Hodges, c Inge b Rogers J.	2
H. L. Poulson, b Rogers J.	0
E. F. Lawday, b Rogers J.	9
H. H. Jenkins, c Lee b Walters	7
H. Jones, b Rogers J.	11
A. M. Jenour, c Rogers b Walters	3
Wilcox, c and b Walters	2
E. C. Dolman, c Rogers b Walters	3
K. C. Raikes (Capt.), c Hartley F, b Walters	24
Harris, lbw b Walters	0
H. G. Spary, not out	26
Extras	4
Total	91

OXFORDSHIRE.	
H. Walker, c Wilcox b Hodges	35
Rogers, L., b Harris	33
S. C. B. Lee, lbw b Hodges	11
E. Hartley, lbw b Hodges	8
F. Hartley, b Raikes	6
Walters, c Spary b Harris	16
E. Cotton, c Jenour b Spary	59
W. Inge, b Harris	14
J. Rogers, st Wilcox b Harris	0
C. F. Windrow, b Spary	0
B. J. Henry, (Capt.), not out	5
Extras	5
Total	192

#### BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	MONMOUTHSHIRE.					
	O	M	R	W	N.B.	W
Rogers J.	11	2	28	0	0	4
F. Hartley	2	0	7	0	0	0
Walters	11.4	2	41	0	0	6
Windrow	3	1	11	0	0	0
OXFORDSHIRE.						
Spary	12	0	41	0	0	2
Raikes	14	3	36	0	0	1
Harris	16	4	57	0	0	4
Dolman	10	1	20	0	1	0
Hodges	12	7	24	0	0	3

#### MONMOUTHSHIRE SECOND INNINGS.

A. E. Hodges, lbw b Walters	13
E. F. Lawday, not out	10
A. M. Jenour, not out	16
Extras	12
Total for one wicket	51

#### The Second Day.

When Monmouthshire went out to bat yesterday (Wednesday), they were still 50 behind with nine wickets in hand. Walters bowled the first over, a maiden, from the town end. With Rogers bowling from the opposite end Lawday was quickly out, being well caught by Lee in Rogers' second over, when the score was only 58. Immediately afterwards Jenour succumbed to an excellent catch by the Oxford captain, Walters being the bowler—63 for 3.

Presently F. Hartley replaced Rogers and quickly yoked Raikes, the Monmouth skipper, who up to this point had been batting well. The same bowler followed up this success by forcing Jenkins to play a difficult delivery into his wicket. The score now stood at 91 for 5, and a few moments later Monmouth drew level, having scored the necessary 101 with 5 wickets still in hand. There was quite a chance that they might give Oxford a fair total to get in their second knock, in order to win. Any such hopes, however, were quickly dispelled for at 125 Windrow caught Poulson off Henry and Walters claimed the wickets of Dolman and Jones quickly afterwards—162 for 8.

The Monmouthshire innings terminated at 12.45, they having scored 173 in the second knock. Thus Oxford had only 73 to get with all their wickets intact. At no period during the match did the visitors master the Oxford bowling, which though only moderate at times, was backed up by good fielding, especially during the second innings when Windrow and Lee were each responsible for three excellent catches, while Inge was always an asset behind the stumps.

On going out for the second time for Oxfordshire, Rogers and Walker quickly set about getting the required runs and though Rogers was out at lunchtime for 23 the partnership had yielded 43 in less than 30 minutes. After lunch the remaining 30 runs were knocked off in half-an-hour for two wickets. Walker made the winning hit with a nice stroke to leg off Spary and altogether contributed 35 not out. Second innings scores:—

MONMOUTHSHIRE.	
A. F. Hodges, lbw b Walters	13
E. F. Lawday, c Lee b Rogers	11
A. M. Jenour, c Henry b Walters	22
K. C. Raikes, b F. Hartley	16
H. H. Jenkins, b F. Hartley	15
H. Jones, c Lee b Walters	29
H. L. Poulson, c Windrow b Henry	15
E. C. Dolman, c Lee b Walters	15
Wilcox, c Windrow b Rogers	7
Harris, c Windrow b Rogers	11
H. C. Spary, not out	2
Extras	17
Total	173

OXFORDSHIRE.	
H. Walker, not out	35
Rogers, L., b Spary	23
S. C. B. Lee, lbw b Spary	15
E. Hartley, not out	2
Extras	1
Total for two wickets	76

### THE SOCIAL SIDE OF THE VISIT.

#### DINNER AT THE WHITE LION HOTEL.

On Tuesday evening at eight o'clock the members of the teams and a few visitors dined at the White Lion Hotel, about fifty attending, the arrangements being carried out by the committee of the Banbury Cricket Club. Major F. J. Wise presided and was supported by the Mayor (Mr. W. G. Mascord), Dr. Clive Gardiner Hill, Dr. Wells, Mr. Frank Gray (a welcome guest at any party) and the captains and secretaries of both teams.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Page put on a nicely served dinner and the after proceedings were short but very pleasant. Mr. Owens Claydon sang a few songs which delighted the company, and Mr. S. Wilcox gave some clever selections on the mouth organ.

Letters of apology were received from Major Maul, Major Edmunds, Captain Courage, Mr. Lamley Fisher, Mr. Wall, Mr. Collingridge, Mr. Lidsey, and others, who sent their good wishes to the county team.

The CHAIRMAN having submitted "The Health of the King," went on to give a welcome to the Mayor, and said the Mayor in any town was a hard working individual and had to attend many functions, and eat a great many dinners and make many speeches, but he was not going to call upon the Mayor that evening for a speech, but would merely thank him for his presence. Major Wise went on to propose "Success to the Oxford County Club" and said they in Banbury were pleased to see the county team in Banbury. The county club was renewing its acquaintance with Banbury as far as cricket was concerned. It was many years since a county match was played in Banbury, and they were all pleased when the invitation was accepted to come to their new ground at Easington, which was not a bad ground when they considered that four or five years ago it was arable land. He thought they had prepared an excellent wicket for the teams that day, with an out-field although not perfect, quite acceptable. They had invited a few friends to help them to celebrate the victory of the Oxfordshire team last season when they won the championship. Oxfordshire played eight matches, won seven, and won one on the first innings and did not lose or draw another match. Those gatherings of the team and officials and friends created an excellent comradeship, and they were very pleased in Banbury to be able to welcome the county side, and they hoped, with all due respect to Monmouthshire, Oxfordshire would win the match on the following day, although Monmouthshire had made considerable leeway in the second innings before stumps were drawn that evening. He had asked Mr. Kidd to reply to the toast. He had done good work for the club for many years. Just as successful as the team had been on the field so Mr. Kidd had been with the finances—(applause).

Mr. D. KIDD, in response, thanked the members of the Monmouthshire team for coming to help them in Banbury, which was an important cricket centre. They could not compliment the executive on the attendance. He must acknowledge he was disappointed more people did not attend on such a fine day. He sympathised with Monmouthshire on having to start on such a soft wicket, but he congratulated them on making Cotton run so well, because they could not do it in Oxfordshire as a rule—(laughter). They made him sprint well—(laughter). Although he hoped Oxfordshire would win on the morrow he wished Monmouthshire the best of luck—(applause).

Dr. C. GARDINER HILL proposed "The Visitors," and said he thought they would all agree they had seen an excellent exhibition of cricket by the visitors that day, and also by the Oxfordshire side. Those of the public who attended had their money's worth. He understood there had not been a county match here since 1912 or 1914 and now they had made a restart he hoped they would often see a county side here. When they heard of that match being arranged they had not had such a thrill in Banbury since they heard Woolworths had bought the Red Lion—(laughter). He hoped they would have the pleasure of seeing the Monmouthshire team in Banbury again. He had been asked to couple with the toast the names of Mr. Raikes, captain of the Monmouthshire side and Mr. Frank Gray, of Oxford, who might be in a hurry to get away because he was in the habit of walking to Oxford before breakfast—(laughter).

Mr. RAIKES, in reply, said he would rather face Rogers or Frank Hartley any time than reply to a toast. He thanked the Banbury club for so kindly entertaining the teams at that sumptuous repast. It was a pleasant surprise. He had enjoyed the game that day and Banbury had given them a cordial welcome and although Monmouthshire were unlucky on this occasion in winning the toss and the wicket was soft at the beginning there was no doubt it was a good one. They would try and do better on the following day, and if Monmouthshire could not win the championship they hoped Oxfordshire would, because they always played cricket as it should be played. They played the game first, and the winning of the championship was a secondary consideration—(applause). They were glad to be in Banbury and glad to play Oxfordshire—(applause).

Mr. FRANK GRAY, who was well received, said he appreciated the remarks of Mr. Raikes and also the pleasure afforded him at being in Banbury on that occasion, because he could not but contrast the reception he had received that evening with another occasion when he attended Banbury, when he had the honour of dining in another place. Having picked up cigarette ends in the Market Place he was entertained at a more democratic hostel and fed on eight ounces of bread and half-an-ounce of cheese—(laughter)—in the presence of a very versatile company, different to the one he was associated with that evening. (Mr. Gray was referring to his visit incognito to the tramp wards of the Banbury Institution a few years ago). He had pleasure in being a spectator on the cricket ground that day, and he congratulated Banbury on their enterprise in inducing the county team to come to Banbury. He hoped the match that day would be the forerunner of many happy gatherings in the future in the town of Banbury. They had had an excellent time and he hoped on future occasions they would have an equally good excuse of meeting round a festive board. They all hoped to see a good finish to the match and in conclusion he said he wished the Banbury Sports Club, which had shown such enterprise, every success and prosperity in the future—(applause).

The gathering then broke up after the singing of the National Anthem.

#### DANCE AT THE TOWN HALL.

There was a dance at the Town Hall to conclude the day's festivities and most of the cricketers attended. It was a large and very pleasant gathering. Mr. Bond and the Lorna Cafe Staff supplied the light refreshments and Mr. Blower, of the Unicorn, the excisable drinks. Mr. Monty Rice's Band supplied the music.



**MINOR COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP.  
OXFORDSHIRE BEAT MONMOUTHSHIRE.**

Playing their first match in the Minor Counties Championship for 1930 on Tuesday and Wednesday, Oxfordshire, the champions, beat Monmouthshire by eight wickets.

The game was played at Banbury on the Town Sports Club ground, and the club had gone to a great deal of trouble and expense to make the match a success. It was no fault of Major Wise and his able committee that the "gate" on the first day did not come up to expectations, though the fact that some £16 was taken shows that Banbury will support a County side better than Oxford. The game was over so early on the second day that it is to be feared Banbury's enterprise will not be rewarded.

Much pains had been taken to get a good wicket, but circumstances often alter the best-laid plans, and the heavy rainstorms of Monday night made the outlook rather doubtful. When Raikes, of Monmouth, won the toss he probably was more worried than Henry, but it was a risk putting the other side in and he decided on first knock. The pitch was not actually difficult. There were wet patches here and there, and for the first hour the ball came off at varying paces. But I think it was much more the fault of the batsmen than the bowlers that Monmouth lost nine wickets for 40 runs. Two batsmen played on in trying to cut balls to which, had a straight bat been offered, they would never have got out. Raikes and Spary, aided with a little luck, put on 51 for the last wicket, and Oxon had to go in to face only 91.

Thus they may be said to have won the game in the first hour, which was quite typical of their performances last summer. Walker and Len Rogers opened the Oxon innings, Rogers, as usual, making some big hits, one of which went out of the ground. He was bowled next ball, while Walker was caught in opening his shoulders, a privilege he rarely allows himself so early in his innings. Then, with three wickets falling quickly, half the side were out for 98, and the advantage of the early part of the day was gradually slipping away.

It was at this stage that Walters joined Cotton, and it was noted that while the field was spread out for Cotton the fieldsmen closed in for Walters, a reversal of the usual order. But then Walters, seeing that Cotton was scoring freely and getting well on top of the bowling, quite properly sacrificed his desire to hit. When he was caught 64 runs had been added and the lost ground had been recovered. Cotton was last out for 59. It is no secret that Cotton came into the side at the special request of the skipper, on the ground of his experience and the fact that he has lately been batting in his old form. Never can he have more completely vindicated his choice. I personally am rather a fervid admirer of Cotton's style, because of its correctness and its freedom from coarseness. Cotton, like the good cricketer he is, more particularly when his side is up against it, has the right stroke for every ball. He was not afraid to drive the really loose one; and he drove it hard and often, but the wily Harris, however much he tempted him, could not cause him to make the false stroke of which so many batsmen are guilty. It was mainly through Cotton's good cricket head and Walter's unselfishness that Oxfordshire had the useful lead of 101 runs.

Of Wednesday's play little need be said. Monmouth made a bit better show but soon after lunch, Oxfordshire

had won by eight wickets. In regard to the County bowling Walters got his usual crop of wickets, in this case 10, and his length was excellent and his use of the break cleverly disguised. I did not think that either of the fast bowlers, Rogers or Hartley, was at his best. Rogers, I am sorry to hear, has not been very well and finds, at the moment, that it is an effort to maintain for any period his fine pace. Hartley was bowling very short. Windrow, the Banbury player, was used so little that it is impossible to criticise him.

The fielding was excellent, and, as usual, Henry set the side a fine example. He made a good catch, as also did Lee, while E. Hartley at cover, Walker in the deep field, and Windrow were all very quick. The wicket-keeping of Inge was one of the features of the game, and he well deserves the cap Henry has awarded him.

The victory is very encouraging and, it is hoped, is the forerunner of others. But till the side have been more fully extended and have got into their stride, it is impossible to predict the amount of success they will meet. One thing is fairly certain, they must expect stronger opposition. Scores:—

**MONMOUTH—First Innings.**

A. E. Hodges c Inge b J. Rogers	2
H. L. Poulson b J. Rogers	0
H. A. Jenkins c Lee b Walters	7
H. Jones b Rogers	11
H. M. Jenour c J. Rogers b Walters	2
Wilcox c and b Walters	2
E. E. Lawday b J. Rogers	9
E. G. Dolman c J. Rogers b Walters	3
K. C. Raikes c F. Hartley b Walters	24
Harris lbw b Walters	0
H. G. Spary not out	26
Extras	4
Total	91

**Second Innings.**

Hodges lbw b Walters	13
Lawday c Law b J. Rogers	11
Jenour c Henry b Walters	22
Raikes b F. Hartley	16
Jenkins b F. Hartley	15
Poulson c Wain w b Henry	15
Jones c Lee b Walters	29
Dolman c Lee b Walters	15
Wilcox c Windrow b J. Rogers	7
Harris c Windrow b J. Rogers	11
Spary not out	9
Extras	17
Total	173

**OXFORDSHIRE—First Innings.**

F. Walker c Wilcox b Hodges	33
L. Rogers b Harris	33
S. C. D. Lee lbw b Hodges	11
E. Hartley lbw b Hodges	8
Hartley b Raikes	0
C. Walters c Spary b Harris	16
E. Cotton c Jenour b Spary	59
W. W. Inge b Harris	14
J. Rogers st Wilcox c Harris	0
F. Windrow b Spary	5
B. J. Henry not out	5
Extras	5
Total	152

**Second Innings.**

Walker not out	35
L. Rogers b Spary	23
Lee lbw b Spa.	15
E. Hartley not out	2
Extras	1
Total (2 wks)	76

**BOWLING ANALYSIS.**

MONMOUTH.—First Innings: J. Rogers, 11-2-29-4; F. Hartley, 2-0-7-0; Walters, 11.5-2-41-6; Windrow, 3-1-11-0.  
Second Innings: J. Rogers, 15.4-1-61-3; Walters, 31-10-58-4; F. Hartley, 10-1-33-2; Henry, 6-3-14-1.

**Dinner to the Teams.**

On Tuesday evening the Banbury Town Club entertained the Oxfordshire and Monmouthshire teams to dinner. Major Wise presided and proposed the toast of the Oxfordshire XI, to which Mr. David Kyd responded. Dr. Gardener-Hill gave "The Visitors," and Mr. D. T. Raikes and Mr. Frank Gray responded, the former remarking that Oxfordshire played cricket firstly as a game and put the thought of the championship afterwards, and Mr. Gray compared the company he was in that night with that of a "local municipal democratic hotel" which he visited on a previous occasion.

**FIXTURES.**

(On ground of first-named club.)

**SATURDAY.**

Reading Town v. Oxford City.  
 North Oxford v. Lechlade.  
 University Press v. Cambridge University Press.  
 Depot, O.B.L.I. v. Woodstock.  
 Bicester v. Witney Old Grammarians.  
 Littlemore Hospital v. Wallingford.  
 Gungah v. Tapp.  
 Banbury v. Southam Flying Squad.  
 Watlington v. Thame.  
 Shilton-under-Wychwood v. Moreton-in-Marsh.  
 Thame School v. City School.  
 City School II. v. Thame School II.  
 Bucknell v. Bicester II.  
 Stevens Sports v. County Council Staff.  
 Brackley v. Banbury II.  
 Thame II. v. Great Haseley.  
 Sunningwell v. Kingston Bagpuize.  
 Bladon v. Oxford Exiles.  
 Stadhampton v. The Baldons.  
 Shill-Mex v. Hook Norton.  
 Brightwell v. Eaton.  
 Osberton Works I. v. Pressed Steel.  
 Stanton St. John v. Islip.  
 Be.'s Hill v. Headington II.  
 Oxford G.P.O. v. Tiddington.  
 Long Handborough v. Oxford Imps.  
 Kingham Hill v. Alderton.  
 Moreton II. v. Kingham Hill II.  
 Faringdon v. Morris Motors.  
 Heyford R.A.F. v. Chipping Norton.  
 Magdalen School, Brackley, v. Brackley.  
 Abingdon School (under 15) v. Wantage School.  
 Abingdon Wesleyans v. Milton R.A.F.  
 Didcot v. Turner's Court.  
 Stoke Lyne v. Kirtlington.  
 Kirtlington II. v. Woodstock Clothiers.  
 Newington v. Marcham.  
 Hagbourne v. South Moreton.  
 Holton Aviary v. Forest Hill.

**OXFORD LEAGUE.**  
 Division I.

Cowley v. Combe.  
 Church Army Press v. Witney Swifts.  
 Witney Mills v. Summertown.  
 South Oxford v. R.A.O.C.  
 University Press v. Kidlington.  
 Morris Motors v. Charlbury.  
 Y.M.C.A. v. Cowley St. John.  
 United College Servants v. Summertown.  
 Division II.  
 Cowley St. John v. Osberton Radiators.  
 Elkfield v. South Oxford.  
 Appleton v. Morris Motors.  
 Kidlington v. Middle Barton.  
 Church Army Press v. University Press.  
 Eynsham v. College Servants.  
 Headington v. Cowley.  
 Morris Garages v. Y.M.C.A.

**WYFOLD LEAGUE.**  
 Division I.

Sandford v. Clifton Hampden.  
 Wheatley v. Tetworth.  
 Horspath v. Littlemore.  
 Division II.  
 Baldon II. v. Cuddesdon.  
 Horton-cum-Studley v. Carsington II.  
 Chalgrove v. Sandford II.  
 Nuneham II. v. Wheatley II.

**WITNEY LEAGUE.**  
 Division I.

Chadlington v. Ascott.  
 Newland v. Leaffield.

**Division II.**

Leaffield II. v. Minster.  
 Hales v. Shilton.  
 Charlbury II. v. Cl. Clington II.  
 Wootton v. Cokerthorpe.  
 Finstock v. Eynsham II.  
 Combe II. v. Church Handborough.

**FILKINS AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.**

Brize Norton v. Aston.  
 Blinton v. Bradwell Grove.  
 Eastleach v. Filkins.

**EYNSHAM AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.**

Titup v. Horspath.

**VALENTIA LEAGUE.**

Launton v. Middleton Stoney.  
 Monday.  
 Byard's v. Heyford R.A.F.

**TUESDAY.**

Banbury v. R.A.F. Heyford.  
 Tiddington v. Joe Bailey's XI. (evening).  
 Monday and Tuesday.  
 Capt. B. J. Henry's XI. v. Southsea (Merton ground).

**MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY.**

Oxford v. Cambridge, at Lord's.  
 Tuesday and Wednesday.  
 County Council Staff v. Elvaston (evenings).  
 Byard's v. University Museum (evenings).

**WEDNESDAY.**

United College Servants v. Southsea.  
 Reading Tramways v. Didcot.  
 Depot O.B.L.I. v. R.A.F. Bicester.  
 Worcester Police v. Oxford City Police.  
 Nautical College, Pangbourne, v. Wallingford.  
 Banbury County School v. Banbury.  
 Abingdon School v. Leighton Park School.  
 Leighton Park S. II. v. Abingdon School II.

**THURSDAY.**

Oxford City v. Southsea (11.30) (also Friday).  
 Y.M.C.A. v. Headington.  
 Depot O.B.L.I. v. Summertown.  
 Woodstock v. Kidlington.  
 Amersham v. Thame.  
 Thame II. v. Bucks County Surveyors (evening).  
 South Oxford v. Elvaston.  
 Eaton v. Northcourt.  
 Abingdon Wesleyans v. Abingdon Imps.

**THURSDAY AND FRIDAY.**

MINOR COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP.  
 Monmouthshire v. Oxfordshire, at Monmouth.

**LEAVES FROM MY NOTE-BOOK.**

**BY F.J.F.**

The success of Jack Godfrey, of North Oxford, in scoring 100 not out against Purley, will, it is to be hoped, give this young player an added zest for the game. He was 16 years of age when he had a trial for the County against the 'Varsity "A," and he has been coached at the Oxford cricket school by Tom Shepherd. Then when he seemed destined to come rapidly to the front his interest in the game declined. Now, I am assured, he is to play regularly again, and I know of no finer tonic for a young fellow who is anxious to fulfil his earlier promise than a really good innings such as Godfrey played during a stay of three hours on Saturday. Godfrey won his cricket colours at the City School when he was one of the youngest members of the team. I hope his success is the forerunner of many big scores.

Who will be captain of the 'Varsity cricket XI. next year? Crawley, Ford, Kingsley, Garland-Wells and Hill-Wood will all have gone down, and the senior Blue will be Pataudi. Will Oxford create a new precedent by electing a non-Englishman, or will the honour go to P. J. Brett, this year's secretary, who has, unfortunately, owing to accident and illness, been unable to play at all this season. The election usually takes place in October term.

An example of the right spirit of cricket is afforded by the Heyford and Tackley Valentia League match. Each side completed an innings and Heyford led by two runs. Tackley went in to get runs quickly, knocked up 48 for one and declared. They left Heyford three quarters of an hour to get 47, and instead of sitting on the spine as they were entitled to do, having won the game on the first innings, they went for the runs and got them. This, I maintain, is how cricket should be played. Tackley's defeat was much more gallant than many a victory.

Here is a picture of the un-cricket side of the game. In a recent match between

Hethe and Islip, because the Hethe captain did not agree with a decision of the umpire, he called his men off the field and the game was abandoned. The Hethe captain should know that the umpire's decision is always final, and that, being human, they sometimes make mistakes.

I am sorry that through a confusion of names I made a mistake last week in my paragraph about R. Ward. He is not the Summertown player. He used to assist the Church Army Press and went to the Y.M.C.A. as a wicket-keeper. The Y.M. have two other useful recruits in J. R. Stanfield, who hails from the Nottingham district, and "Tim" Thomas, the centre-half of the East Oxford Corinthians Football Club.

Cheer up, you despondent English sportsmen. We lost at Lord's after a glorious fight, but Sutcliffe, Geary and Larwood, each of whom was picked, could not play. At full strength we can beat the Australians nine times out of ten. Chapman has put one more nail in the coffin of the amateur cricket scribes. What scurrilous nonsense some of 'em write.

Here's a problem for sticklers for cricket etiquette. Asthall were playing Hailey in the Witney League. One of the Asthall men went away just before the tea interval, under the impression that his services would not be required. He was still absent when the game was resumed and his opponents would not wait for him. My correspondent asks, "Is this sport?" I am inclined to reply, "Is the absentee a sportsman? Of course, unless there was good and sufficient reason for his absence, no player should absent himself without leave of his captain, and then if the permission is given the onus is on the skipper."

There is a good cricket story going the rounds. The player was new to the game and asked the skipper to which position in the field he should go. "Oh, to cover," was the reply, and the "rabbit" bolted like a hare for the pavilion!

**CRICKETERS' ROLL.**

**BATTING.**

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P. P. Buckingham (Woodstock v. Oxford Exiles)	98*
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L. Walker (Balliol Servants v. Minlsters)	80*
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R. Walker (Church Army P. v. Cowley)	78*
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**BOWLING.**

F. Scrapps (Heyford v. Tackley)	0-17
H. Wilkins (Asthall v. Hailey)	0-18
P. Bristow (South Oxford II. v. Appleton)	0-20
W. Barrett (Appleton v. South Oxford II)	0-11
F. Leary (Chadlington II. v. Leaffield)	0-12
L. Walker (Balliol Servants v. Minlsters)	0-22
E. K. Forey (Oxford Downs v. 43rd L.I.)	0-30
J. Abbott (Eynsham v. Witney Mills)	0-41
B. Tipping (South Oxford II. v. Appleton)	7-9
C. H. Tolley (Woodstock v. Oxford Exiles)	7-9
J. Pringle (Leaffield v. Chadlington)	7-11
T. Hambridge (Shilton v. Bampton)	7-13
J. Wakefield (Bradwell Grove v. Burford School)	7-17
P. Varney (Middleton v. Heyford R.A.F.)	7-37
Lieut. Ward (43rd L.I. v. Sir R. Gull's XI.)	7-56
W. Nash (Walvrecote v. Sutton)	6-7
C. H. Tolley (Woodstock v. Elvaston)	0-10
W. Collett (Leaffield v. Elvaston)	0-12
P. Bridges (Milton v. Newland)	0-15
V. Jones (Horton v. Holton Aviary)	0-20
F. Allmond (Hftr. v. Drayton)	0-20
E. Cuck (Witney Swifts v. Combe)	0-20
T. Luckett (Faringdon Guild v. East Hendred)	0-23
W. Pringle (Stanton St. John v. Oxfordshire Nomads)	0-23
T. Gurl (Headington v. Wallingford)	0-26
H. Holton (Balliol Servants v. Merton Servants)	0-28
K. Griffin (Eynsham Park v. Cassington)	0-31
C. Walter (Oxon v. Monmouth)	0-41

**A NORTH OXFORD CENTURY.**

The match between North Oxford and Purley was drawn, 400 runs being scored for the loss of only five wickets on each side. Every other innings on the North Oxford side was dwarfed by the 100 not out by W. J. Godfrey. For three hours the Purley bowlers tried without avail to shift him. So strong was his defence that he never looked like getting out, and when he ran to the 100 the players on both sides gave him the reception he so richly deserved. It was in every respect a successful "come back" from a player of whom so much was expected a few seasons ago. The North Oxford innings was declared at 216 for five, and Purley made the capital reply of 184 for five. The fielding on both sides was excellent. Score:—

<b>NORTH OXFORD.</b>		<b>PURLEY.</b>	
C Wyatt b Phillips	5	R Gadsden b Wyatt	25
W J Godfrey not out	100	J Watson b Wyatt	10
E Squires b Phillips	13	J Phillips c Squires	30
E F Bowtell b T A	15	E Aldworth not out	60
Watson	15	J Greenwood b Squires	13
H Halliday c Green-	24	M Watson b Squires	7
wood b Clarkson	24	H Livingston not out	13
P Thompson st Green-	24	A Clarkson, T Wat-	
wood b J Watson	24	son, H G Calvert	
D Edwards not out	21	and T Bates did	
J E Reay, M Money,		not bat.	
J P Johnson and F		Extras .....	12
Bridge did not bat.			
Extras .....	0		
Total (5 wkts dec)	216	Total (5 wkts)	184

**TWO DEFEATS FOR MORRIS MOTORS.**

Morris Motors had four teams in the field on Saturday, but while the two which played in the League were successful, those which met the Three Counties at Bedford, and Stow, at Cowley, were badly beaten. Only ten men went to Bedford, where the feature of the game was an innings of 148 not out by J. Ward. Only B. Herman and Stone of the Motors batsmen did anything of note against one of the strongest sides the Motors meet. Against Stow the Motors were all out for 122, the bowling of Barber and Guy proving too much for them. A stand by Skinner and Harrington was the only feature of note. J. Howman scored 102 not out for the Gloucester side. Scores:—

<b>THREE COUNTIES.</b>		<b>MORRIS MOTORS.</b>	
P G Robinson b Stone	48	L. Rogers b Albon	14
E Page c and b Stone	0	R Thornton b Gibbs	1
F W Saunders b		J Senior b Gibbs	6
Thomas	36	B Herman b Johnson	27
E G Albon b Thomas	5	H Proctor b Johnson	14
H B Goddard c Thom-		M Gambrell b Johnson	0
son b Gambrell	24	J Stone b Saunders	23
J Ward not out	118	W Couling b Johnson	7
A Lee not out	31	W Ilcock b Johnson	16
R Robinson, J Daniels,		A Thomas not out	2
W Johnson and E			
Gibbs did not bat.		Extras .....	9
Extras .....	19		
Total (5 wkts dec)	321	Total	119

<b>MORRIS MOTORS.</b>		<b>STOW.</b>	
O Ward b Barber	1	L Brookes b Harring-	2
B Surman lbw b		ton	9
Barber	17	J Howman not out	102
P Check c Brookes b		G D Howman c Long	
Guy	6	b Church	45
E Church b Barber	5	A Moon b Church	1
C W Badger b Thoms	15	H Edgar not out	13
W Davis b Guy	0	J W Fritchard,	
E Turner b Guy	0	Barber, G P Bur-	
F Okunot c Howman		don, W Thoms, W	
b Thoms	34	Guy and V Harris	
C Harrington b Guy	34	did not bat.	
H Lee b Thoms	1		
T Long not out	10		
Extras .....	3	Extras .....	13
Total	122	Total (3 wkts)	190

**OXFORD CITY.**

In a close game at the Barracks last week against the 43rd L.I., the City were beaten by two runs, the feature of the game being the fine bowling of Walters, who in 14 overs took eight for 30. The scoring was surprisingly low on what is usually a very easy pitch. In a Saturday match against Knowle and Dorridge—a Birmingham side—the visitors scored over 300 for the loss of half their wickets, and Fisher and Bradfield put on 85 for the first City wicket, thus making a draw inevitable. The side which met Cowley had an easy task, as owing to the claims of the League the homesters could not put out

anything like a side. Norman Bowell topped the century, and with the ball Haynes took four for 24 and Lewendon five for 14. Scores:—

<b>43rd L.I.</b>		<b>OXFORD CITY.</b>	
Capt Giles c sub b	0	H Walker c Jackson	0
King	0	b Sopp	0
M Ponting c King b	1	J Churchill c Jackson	15
Walters	1	b Sopp	15
Lieut Hughes c Wal-		R Early c Crouchman	
ters b King	5	b Sopp	
Lieut Ward st Early	23	E Heather b Graham	8
b Walters	23	C Walters b Welch	19
Lieut Abraham c Wal-		E Cotton b Welch	4
ker b Walters	3	J King b Welch	1
Less-Cpt Welch b Wal-		M German b Welch	0
ters	8	W Webb c Rawlings	
Pte Jackson c Early	12	W Ward	12
b Walters	12	F Swyers b Sopp	14
Capt Baddeley b Wal-		S C Boulton not out	0
ters	4		
Sgt Rawlings b Wal-	19		
ters	0		
Pte Sopp b Walter	0		
M Crouchman not			
out	10		
Extras .....	5	Extras .....	5
Total	81	Total	70

<b>KNOWLE &amp; DORRIDGE.</b>		<b>OXFORD CITY.</b>	
S Smallman b Scott	73	G L Fisher not out	51
A L Murray lbw b		G Bradfield b Steele	41
Thomas	7	D Axtell c Whitehouse	
A L Steele b Walters	18	b Mellins	6
J C Perkins not out	138	H Bennett c Perkins	
N Impey lbw b Wal-		b Green	13
ters	21	W D Scott b Steele	1
F S Cox c Bradfield		C Walters lbw b	
b Pickering	15	Steele	3
W Whitehouse not out	6	F D Pickering, R P	
G Leatham, G. P		Thomas, D E Clay-	
Jeffries, P Madine		ton, S King and J	
and J Green did		Upstone did not bat	
not bat.			
Extras .....	28	Extras .....	25
Total (5 wkts dec)	305	Total (5 wkts)	143

<b>COWLEY.</b>		<b>OXFORD CITY.</b>	
T Jones b Webb	0	D Hoddinott c Thorn-	5
A Thornton c Spiller	31	ton b Burrill	10
b Heather	31	M German run out	10
S B Webb b Haynes	0	N Bowell b Bradbury	102
E Taylor b Lewendon	10	E W S Cole b Bever-	
G Bradbury lbw b		combe	21
Lewendon	11	S Foulton not out	7
G Gram c Hoddinott	7	R W Haynes lbw b	
b Lewendon	20	Taylor	1
D S M Burrill c and		H M Ende, W Webb,	
b Lewendon	5	E J Heather, H T	
M E Ray c Cole b		Lewendon and R C	
Haynes	0	Spiller did not bat	
C Carr b Haynes	0		
D Dykes c Haynes b			
Lewendon	0		
E Skuce b Haynes	3		
C Devercombe not out	1		
Extras .....	5	Extras .....	7
Total	69	Total (5 wkts)	133

**CHIPPING NORTON V. HOOK NORTON.**

In this match at Hook Norton on Saturday, Chipping Norton batted first and ran up the useful total of 170. Busby was in form, contributing a capital 54, whilst O'Shea just reached the half-century before being run out. Warrington (five for 10) and Laidlaw (three for 12) proved too good for Hook Norton batsmen and their innings closed for 57. Chipping Norton winning by 113 runs. Score:—

<b>CHIPPING NORTON.</b>		<b>HOOK NORTON.</b>	
P Busby c Grannet	54	R Newton b Warr-	3
b Heritage	54	ington	3
B Grace b Grannet	2	W Hull c Yates b	
P Warrington c New-		O'Shea	0
ton b Heritage	28	B Grannet run out	10
J O'Shea run out	50	H Furlage b Warm-	
S Laidlaw b Heritage	1	ington	5
W A Kemp b T W. L-		P R Hearn b Warm-	
lams	0	ington	14
J Allen b T Williams	10	F W Phelps c Smith	
C Smith c and b		b Laidlaw	2
H Heritage	5	T Williams b Warm-	
E Thornton b Heri-		ington	14
tage	4	P Busby b Warring-	
J. O'Shea not out	1	ton	3
A Yates run out	0	H Newton c Grace b	
		Laidlaw	0
		R Grannet not out	9
		A T Williams b Laid-	
		law	0
Extras .....	15	Extras .....	5
Total	170	Total	57

**CRICKET WEEK AT THE DEPOT.**

As usual the "cricket week" at the Depot was enjoyable and the cricket was of the highest order. Only three

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## County Cricket Fiasco.

### Rain Prevents Play.

#### CAMBRIDGESHIRE'S GOOD START.

Oxfordshire, fresh from their recent victories over Monmouthshire, opposed Cambridgeshire in a Minor Counties match on the Horton View ground, at Banbury, on Monday.

The match proved disappointing from all points of view, rain marring the whole game. Only 1½ hours' play was possible on Monday, and on Tuesday it was found impossible to resume after the heavy deluge on Monday night.

It was anticipated that Cambridge would give the home county a very close game, for last season they were the only team that the champions did not defeat outright. The visitors had only played one county game before this season against Lincolnshire, whom they had defeated by three wickets.

#### Monday's Play.

The pitch was soft on top, although the outfield was obviously in need of rain and the wicket played easily. The champions fielded the same side as in the previous match at Banbury, C. F. Windrow being again included.

The attendance was very disappointing.

Cambridgeshire won the toss and decided to bat.

The game started punctually at 11.30 a.m., H. B. Hart, the Cambridge captain, and R. Edwards, opening the innings. Captain Henry opened the champions attack, Hart taking a single off the last ball of his first over. C. Walters opened at the Bodicote end, and his medium spinners kept the batsmen very quiet.

Edwards hit the first boundary after ten minutes play, with a neat square cut through point.

After three overs Rogers (J.) took over the ball from Walters, who had bowled well, only three runs coming from his short spell.

Rogers, who was bowling very fast, also kept the batsmen in subjection, and only two runs were taken off his first three overs. He had four slips, and altogether ten men were on the off side. Edwards sent two balls to the boundary in quick succession off Captain Henry, and after 25 minutes play 20 runs were on the board. Immediately after a sudden heavy shower drove the players to the pavilion.

The game was not resumed again until after lunch the wicket then playing much easier.

Walters and Rogers came on to bowl after lunch, but despite their efforts Hart and Edwards continued to score steadily. Edwards scored freely off Rogers, and the latter was soon replaced by F. Hartley, the score then being 60 for no wicket. Hartley started off with three loose balls on the leg side, and Edwards sent each to the boundary. When 48 Edwards survived an appeal for lbw off Walters. Edwards was scoring much faster than his captain, but he was very quiet for ten minutes before he registered his 50th run. He signalled his half-century by a fine drive to the boundary. Hart had then only scored 20.

With the score at 90, Lee was brought on for the first time in place of Walters, who had bowled a long spell of 12 overs at a cost of only 16 runs.

The change met with an immediate success, Edwards being caught by E. Hartley off the new bowler. Edwards batted soundly for 1½ hours, offering no chance before he was caught. His 57 included nine fours. Thus the opening partnership realised 94 runs, Hart's share being 32.

Immediately after the opening partnership had been broken, Captain Henry took over from Hartley at the Bodicote end.

Hart received a full toss from Henry in his first over and gave a chance behind the wicket, but the ball dropped between two fieldsmen.

Rain came on again at 3.30 and stopped play. At 4 o'clock a still heavier shower came on and after an inspection of the wicket it was decided to abandon play for the day.

#### The Second Day.

Rain fell heavily overnight, but the weather cleared up somewhat later in the morning and there were hopes of continuing the game. After several inspections of the wicket, however, the captains agreed that no further play was possible, the wicket failing to dry as quickly as expected. This was naturally a great disappointment to many people, especially to the officials of the Town Club who had expected an increased attendance on Tuesday afternoon.

The score:

CAMBRIDGESHIRE	
H. B. Hart not out .....	34
R. Edwards c E. Hartley b Lee .....	57
J. Covill not out .....	3
Extras .....	5
(for 1 wkt.)—99	
G. Carnegie-Brown, H. W. Taylor, E. Hobbs, F. Morton, F. W. Parfitt, J. W. Daisley, G. C. Barnett, D. V. Pask did not bat.	

Oxfordshire was represented by: B. J. Henry, H. Walker, Rogers (L.), S. C. B. Lee, E. Hartley, F. Hartley, C. Walters, E. Cotton, W. V. Inge, Rogers (J.), C. F. Windrow.

#### BANBURY TOWN v. BRACKLEY.

The above teams met for their return game at Banbury on Saturday last. Brackley had a strong side, including J. E. Timms, of the Northants County eleven, and were lucky to win the toss and bat on a perfect wicket. Timms (104) and Haynes (35) soon put Brackley in a good position, the score being 109 when the second wicket fell, tea was then taken. Upon resuming Timms gave a brilliant display of hitting and reached his 100, which included 2 sixes and 17 fours. With his score at 104 he was bowled for a faultless innings. Frost (44 not out) and Davis (11 not out) then carried the score to 206 for 5 wickets, when the innings was declared closed. Banbury made a poor start, five wickets were down for 36, but thanks to Clarke, Buller, and Jackson, the game was saved just on time with the score standing at 108 for 9 wickets. A. Church (Brackley) bowling well, taking 6 wickets for 41 runs.

BRACKLEY	
J. E. Timms b Bryant .....	104
G. Tanner run out .....	4
C. Haynes b Windrow .....	35
G. Howard b Cherry .....	1
W. Giles lbw b Bryant .....	1
W. E. Frost not out .....	44
P. Davies not out .....	11
Extras .....	8
(for 5 wkts., dec.)—208	

S. Skinner, O. T. Wise, A. Church, and F. Blencowe did not bat.

BANBURY	
H. Bryant b Church .....	4
C. W. Clarke run out .....	33
J. Darlow c Timms b Church .....	2
C. Bailey b Church .....	0
C. F. Windrow c Skinner b Church .....	6
C. Bartlett c Howard b Timms .....	0
F. Buller c Frost b Church .....	14
Manning b Timms .....	0
Gardiner c Haynes b Church .....	12
Jackson not out .....	17
G. C. Cherry not out .....	9
Extras .....	11
(for 9 wkts.)—108	



**MINOR COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP AT BANBURY.**

**OXFORDSHIRE V. CAMBRIDGESHIRE MATCH ABANDONED.**

The present cricketing public of Banbury have been singularly unlucky in their first experiences of County cricket in the town. The first fixture between Oxfordshire and Monmouth ended early on the second day, in an easy victory for the home county by 8 wickets, and it was most unfortunate that Oxfordshire's second venture at Banbury should be hopelessly spoilt by rain. In the Cambridgeshire match on Monday and Tuesday only 1½ hours' play was possible on the first day and none at all on the second. It is hoped that the clerk of the weather will show a little more consideration next Monday when Banbury will commence their annual Cricket Week with a match against the Gentlemen of Leicestershire.

The match, which commenced on Monday, was Oxfordshire's third fixture in the County competition. Having won their two previous matches against Monmouthshire rather easily, their opponents on this occasion were Cambridge, a county side with a very useful championship record. They were the only side to wrest any points from Oxfordshire last year, the latter having to be content with a first innings win only.

On Monday Cambridgeshire fielded a strong side, though lacking the services of Ridgeon, a batsman who usually makes a lot of runs and who finished second in the Minor Counties batting averages in 1929.

H. B. Hart, the Cambridge skipper, won the toss and elected to bat on a rain-soaked wicket which promised to play easily. Promptly at 11.30 Captain J. B. Henry led his side out to field, followed closely by H. B. Hart and R. Edwards, the opening Cambridgeshire batsmen. Henry opened the bowling from the Banbury end, and with a cross wind aiding his swerving deliveries the batsmen found some difficulty in timing the ball, though Edwards punished one or two over-pitched balls through the covers for boundaries.

With 5 runs scored in five overs, Rogers (J.) relieved Walters at the Bodicote end, and very nearly had Edwards caught in the slips off his first ball, which the batsman smacked just short of Hartley at first slip. The batsmen found some difficulty in controlling Rogers' (on this occasion) erratic deliveries, which though fast on to the wicket, rose slowly and rather awkwardly. Had the wicket been at all fast and true it is probable that Rogers would have been early rewarded. At 19 Walters went on for Henry at the town end, but with only one run added, a sharp storm stopped play. Half-an-hour's cricket had thus yielded 20 runs—Edwards 13, Hart 5. Extra 1.

No further play was possible before lunch, but at 2.15 Hart and Edwards resumed. Runs came at a moderate pace, Edwards shewing remarkable agility in turning both bowlers to leg, often balls that were only just short of a length. When F. Hartley took over from Rogers at 50 Edwards promptly despatched his first three deliveries to the leg boundary. Previously Ernest Hartley had only just missed running out this batsman, who was well out of his ground when the ball passed the wicket. This was good work by Hartley which deserved a better reward than the four overthrows which resulted.

Following some good bowling by Walters and two maiden overs from F. Hartley, Hart and Edwards seemed to get the pace of the wicket better, and runs came fairly steadily. Throughout, it was the captain, Hart, who held the fort by careful defensive play, while Edwards, though never incautious, went out for runs, which were not too easy to get. The fielding throughout was good, the excellent keeping of Inge several times winning applause.

Edwards completed his 50 out of 75 scored in one hour 25 minutes, but soon afterwards was out to a good catch by Frank Hartley off H. C. B. Lee. Edwards who had contributed an excellent 57 combined a judicious aggressiveness with careful defence and made no serious mistake until he hit across a leg break from Lee and was caught at point.

Covill (J) then joined Hart, but after a further 10 minutes' play, during which Hart was badly missed in attempting a big hit off Henry, rain further interrupted play and tea was taken. A further deluge during the interval definitely put "paid" to all further play that day and stumps were drawn and the wickets covered at 4.30.

**Second Day (Tuesday).**

In spite of covered wickets etc. no play was possible on Tuesday. The storms of the previous evening had continued through the night until early morning, consequently the wicket and surrounding area was very waterlogged and totally unfit for play. The wicket was inspected from time to time during the morning, but even as late as one o'clock showed no sign of drying, in fact the cool wind and the absence of sun were definitely opposed to anything but the slowest recovery. Subsequently the situation was abandoned as hopeless, and at two o'clock it was announced that no further play was possible.

A glimpse at the bowling analysis shows that C. Walters was the most consistent bowler for Oxfordshire.

Naturally players and spectators were disappointed, especially members of the Banbury club, who throughout had worked strenuously to assure the success of Oxfordshire's visit. As it was rain, always the biggest hazard in cricket, spoilt the best efforts, but they will have the satisfaction of knowing that they have "collared" County cricket for Banbury in the future. Players and umpires alike were delighted with all arrangements and specially commented on the hard work and enthusiasm of Darlow, the town's well-known ground expert, who on both occasions had prepared marvellous wickets.

The scores were:—

**CAMBRIDGESHIRE.**

H. B. Hart (captain), not out .....	34
R. Edwards, c Hartley, b Lee .....	57
J. Covill, not out .....	3
Extras .....	5
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>99</b>

G. Carnegie Brown, H. W. Taylor, E. Hobbs, F. Morton, F. W. Parfitt, J. W. Daisley, O. C. Bartlett and J. V. Park did not bat.

**OXFORDSHIRE**

H. Walker, L. Rogers, H. C. B. Lee, C. Walters, F. Hartley, E. Hartley, E. Cotton, W. W. Inge, J. Rogers, C. F. Windrow and J. B. Henry (captain).

The bowling analysis was:—

Bowler	Overs	Mds.	Runs	Wkts.
Henry ...	6	2	17	0
Walters ...	14	3	18	0
Rogers, J.	8	2	23	0
Hartley, F.	6	2	30	0
Lee.....	3	1	7	1

**THE CRICKET WEEK.**

The practically unused wicket will be used on Monday for the opening match of the Cricket Week when Leicestershire Gentlemen are the visitors, and those supporters of cricket in Banbury, who were so unlucky in the county fixture should have the opportunity of seeing some very interesting play between two strong sides. Several of the Oxfordshire players will assist the local clubs occasionally during the week and fresh grounds for run getting should be set up.

The full programme will be as below:—

- Monday—Gentlemen of Leicestershire, 11.30 a.m.
- Tuesday—Eynsham, 11.30 a.m.
- Wednesday—Northants Amateurs, 11.30 a.m.
- Thursday—Kington, 2 p.m.
- Friday—Beicester Hunt, 11.30 a.m.
- Saturday—Oxford City, 11.30 a.m.

**MINOR COUNTIES' CHAMPIONSHIP.**  
**MONMOUTHSHIRE v. OXFORDSHIRE.**

At Monmouth, Oxfordshire won on Friday last by 107 runs. Walker headed the score in each innings and Len Rogers, Lee and the two Hartleys also batted well while with the ball Joe Rogers, Walters and Frank Hartley bowled at their best. Scores:—

**OXFORDSHIRE—First Innings.**

H Walker b Roff	45
L Rogers c Lawday b Sadler	35
S C B Lee lbw b A Harris	37
E Hartley c Roff b Harris	7
F Hartley c Hodges b Harris	8
C Walters not out	18
E J Cotton b Sadler	8
W W Inge b Sadler	0
R P Thomas c Roff b Sadler	2
J Rogers b Harris	0
B J Henry b Sadler	3
Extras	15
<b>Total</b>	<b>178</b>

**Second Innings.**

H Walker b Harris	52
L Rogers c sub b Dolman	3
S C B Lee c sub b Dolman	15
C Walters c and b Sadler	9
E Hartley b Sadler	28
F Hartley lbw b Harris	37
E J Cotton lbw b Sadler	2
W W Inge c sub b Harris	0
R P Thomas lbw b Harris	1
J Rogers b Sadler	1
B J Henry not out	1
Extras	25
<b>Total</b>	<b>170</b>

**MONMOUTH—First Innings.**

A E Hodges c Walker b J Rogers	0
E E Lawday lbw b Thomas	7
H Poulson not out	39
S Watkins b J Rogers	4
W H Robinson c F Hartley b J Rogers	3
E C Dolman b Walters	5
E W Colwell c and b Walters	0
R W P Roff b J Rogers	43
Wilcox b J Rogers	0
Sadler b Walters	9
Harris b J Rogers	7
Extras	18
<b>Total</b>	<b>135</b>

**Second Innings.**

A E Hodges c Henry b Walters	35
E E Lawday b Rogers	16
R W P Roff c Walters b F Hartley	14
S Watkins c E Hartley b Walters	20
E C Dolman c Walters b F Hartley	5
Harris c Henry b Hartley	0
E W Colwell b Walters	3
W H Robinson c Henry b Rogers	0
Wilcox c and b Walters	4
Sadler not out	0
H Poulson absent (ill)	0
Extras	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>100</b>

**OXFORDSHIRE v. CAMBRIDGESHIRE.**

This game at Banbury on Monday and Tuesday had to be abandoned owing to rain. Only about one and a half hours' play was possible in the two days and in this period Cambridgeshire on an easy wicket scored 99 for the loss of one wicket. As neither team completed an innings the result has no bearing on the championship. The experiment of playing two games at Banbury has not been a success. The first match was spoilt by counter-attractions and the early hour at which it was completed and the second by the weather.

The next County engagement is at Reading against Berks on Tuesday and Wednesday next week. Scores in the Cambridgeshire match were:

Cambridgeshire: R. Edwards, c E. Hartley, b Lee, 57; H. B. Hart not out, 34; J. Covill not out, 3; extras, 5; total, 99 for 1. To bat: G. Carnegie-Brown, H. W. Taylor, E. Hobbs, F. Morton, F. W. Parritt, J. W. Paskley, G. C. Barrett, D. F. Pask.

The Oxfordshire side was: B. J. Henry, H. Walker, L. Rogers, F. Hartley, C. F. Windrow, W. W. Inge, C. Walters, S. C. B. Lee, J. Rogers and E. Cotton.

**BOWLING ANALYSIS.**

CAMBRIDGESHIRE.—First Innings: Henry, 4-2-17-0; Walters, 14-3-18-0; J. Rogers, 8-2-23-0; F. Hartley, 6-2-30-0; Lee, 3-1-7-1.

The Oxfordshire team against Berks will be: B. J. Henry, H. Walker, L. Rogers, F. Hartley, W. W. Inge, C. Walters, S. C. B. Lee, J. Rogers, J. Guilfoyle, R. P. Thomas and A. Lee. The latter is a relative of S. C. B. Lee. He plays under a birth qualification, having been born at Thame. He was at Cheltenham College and has been doing well in London cricket. He is an all-rounder.

The championship table up to 12 July is:—

	P.		W.		L.		E.		F.		R.		Per. Cent.
	1st	2nd	1st	2nd	1st	2nd	1st	2nd	1st	2nd	1st	2nd	
Cambs.	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	5	100.00			
Cornwall	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	5	100.00			
Durham	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	20	20	100.00			
Oxfordshire	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	10	10	100.00			
Leics. II.	7	4	1	2	0	0	0	35	26	74.28			
Staffs.	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	15	10	66.66			
Herts.	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	10	6	60.00			
Surrey II.	4	1	0	1	1	1	1	15	9	60.00			
Wiltshire	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	5	3	60.00			
Bucks	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	10	5	50.00			
Berks	3	1	1	0	1	0	1	15	6	40.00			
Lincoln	3	1	1	0	1	0	1	15	6	40.00			
Cheshire	5	2	3	0	9	0	25	10	40.00				
Kent II.	3	1	1	0	1	0	1	15	6	40.00			
Devon	4	1	2	0	0	1	15	5	33.33				
Northumberland	3	1	2	0	0	0	15	5	33.33				
Notts II.	5	1	3	0	1	0	25	6	24.00				
York II.	5	1	3	0	1	0	25	6	24.00				
Denbigh	3	0	3	0	0	0	15	0					
Monmouth	3	0	3	0	0	0	15	0					



CRICKET.

FIXTURES.

(On ground of first-named club.)

SATURDAY.

Oxford City v. Heading Biscuit Factory.  
 Sandon v. Oxford City.  
 Oxford City "A" v. Lear's Hill.  
 Morris Motors v. Bergeams' Mess, Halton R.A.F.  
 Charlbury v. North Oxford  
 The Warneford v. North Oxford.  
 Depot O.B.L.I. v. Stanton St. John.  
 Kidlington v. Church Army Press.  
 Post Office v. Church Army Area II.  
 Tiddington v. Headington II.  
 Headington v. Banbury.  
 Titup v. United College Servants.  
 Oxford Downs v. Witney Mills.  
 Banbury v. Leicester Leicestershire.  
 Wallingford v. Royal Berkshire Depot.  
 Stow-on-the-Wold v. Witney Old Grammarians.  
 Littlemore Hospital v. Dorchester.  
 Thame v. Aylesbury.  
 County Council Staff v. Stokenchurch.  
 City School II. v. Oxford Exiles.  
 Lechlade v. Shipton-under-Wychwood.  
 Bicester v. Chipping Norton.  
 Grendon Rangers v. Bicester II.  
 Woodstock v. Oxfordshire Nomads.  
 Pressed Steel, Cowley, v. Oxford Imperials.  
 Shell Mex v. Kington Hill.  
 Kington Hill II. v. Stedhampton.  
 Kirtlington v. Stoke Lyne.  
 Baldon II. v. Great Haseley II.  
 Islip v. Hethe.  
 Standlake v. Morris Garages.  
 Croughton v. Brackley.  
 Sunningwell v. Appleton.  
 Abingdon Wesleyans v. Radley.  
 Drayton St. Leonar v. Clifton Hampden.  
 East Hagbourne v. Didcot.  
 Marcham v. Kingston Bagpuize.  
 Holton Aviary v. Elfield.

OXFORDSHIRE LEAGUE.

Division I.

South Oxford v. University Press.  
 Cowley St. John v. Y.M.C.A.

Division II.

Caserton Radlators v. Summertown.  
 Cumnor v. Cowley St. John.  
 Morris Motors v. South Oxford.  
 Y.M.C.A. v. Kidlington.  
 Middle Barton v. Wolvercote.  
 University Press v. Titup.  
 Church Army Press v. Wytham.  
 Cowley v. Eynsham.  
 United Servants v. Headington.

WITNEY LEAGUE.

Division I.

Chadlington v. Newland.  
 Lechlade v. Charlbury.  
 Ascot v. Milton.  
 Coombe v. Handborough.  
 Eynsham Hall Park v. Witney Swifts.

Division II.

Milton II. v. Halley.  
 Finstock v. Coombe II.  
 Cokerthorpe v. Church Handborough.  
 Eynsham II. v. Eynsham Hall Park II.  
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WYFOLD LEAGUE.

Division I.

Tetsworth v. Sandford.  
 Wheatley v. Baldon.  
 Horspath v. Garsington.

Division II.

Garsington II. v. Great Milton.  
 Cuddesdon v. Horton cum Studley.  
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FILKINS AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.

Shilton v. Black Bourton.  
 Broadwell Grove v. Eastleach.  
 Chaulfield v. Filkins.

EYNSHAM AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.

Wolvercote v. Titup.

VALENTIA LEAGUE.

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 Bitchington v. Heyford.

MONDAY.

Banbury v. Gentlemen of Leicester (11.30).  
 Byard's v. Hanney.

TUESDAY.

Banbury v. Eynsham (11.30).  
 Brackley v. University College Servants.  
 Byard's v. Wheatley (evening).

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY.

MINOR COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP.

Berkshire v. Oxfordshire at Reading.  
 County Council Staff v. Stevens' Sports.

WEDNESDAY.

Depot O.B.L.I. v. Wallingford.  
 Banbury v. Northampton Amateurs (11.30).  
 Bristol Police "A" Division v. Oxford City Police.  
 North Oxford v. City School.  
 Byard's v. Wheatley (evening).

THURSDAY.

Oxford City v. United College Servants.  
 Y.M.C.A. v. South Oxford.  
 Headington v. Summertown.  
 Stevens' Sports v. Headington.  
 United College Servants v. Twining's.  
 Banbury v. Kington.  
 Kidlington v. Woodstock.  
 Thame v. Bicester.  
 Abingdon Wesleyans v. Appleton.  
 Oxford City F.C. v. Isthmian League (Lincoln ground).

LEAVES FROM MY NOTE-BOOK.

BY F.J.F.

There is nothing more painful or less desirable than to stir up dirty mud where sport is concerned. But I am quite certain that there was something more behind the defeat of Oxford by Cambridge than bad cricket. What was the reason for Kingsley going in first in place of Moore in the second innings? Was it an arrangement forced on Kingsley, or was—well perhaps the less said the better. That Kingsley is a nice fellow no one who has had the privilege of meeting him will deny. That he had not the necessary qualities that go to the making of a good captain there can be no two opinions. In other words he has the *saaviter in modo* but not the *fortiter in re*.

W. Spindler, of the United College Servants, has recently been in splendid form. In successive innings he has scored 77 not out against Oxford City, and in two innings against Summertown in the League 113 not out and 129. Like all left-hand bats he rather flatters the bowlers when he starts, but when once he has settled down, he drives very hard and rarely needs to call on his defensive strokes. I may be regarded as a heretic if I suggest that in view of the unreliability of the Oxfordshire batting in the middle of the innings as disclosed in the first two county matches, Spindler might strengthen the side.

Absence from Oxford last week caused the holding over of two letters. One was from Mr. E. A. Clack, "Runton," Woodstock-road, Witney, objecting to my criticism that Charlbury were out of their class in the Oxfordshire League. True, since then Charlbury have beaten the League holders, Morris Motors, and last Saturday did well against Kington Hill. At first sight these performances may suggest that my criticism was unjustified. But I judged Charlbury not so much on their record, which at that period was rather poor, but on their work and their disposition in the field, which I did not regard up to the League standard, and I am all for keeping the standard as high as possible if the

League is to fulfil its mission as a feeding ground for the County Club. I have no desire to run down any country club. No one is more conversant with their difficulties, and it is foolish to argue as Mr. Clack does, that I am "down on them." But we must put the standard of the game before consideration for a club and that was the sole purpose of my remarks about the Charlbury club.

The other letter is from my old friend, Mr. W. A. Busby, of Coombe, who assures me that the Coombe pitch is as good as ever, that the village lads still take an interest in it, and that the low-scoring in the game between Coombe and the Witney Swifts was due to good bowling and to the long grass surrounding the pitch. Mr. Busby says that until Coombe are in a position to get their ground-mower to the boundary, they will not be able to say they have a good ground. This, he adds, should not be beyond the bounds of possibility.

Mr. Busby then asks for a ruling on the following point:—"A good many country wicket keepers when posing to receive the ball, squat with the knee ends of their pads and their glove tips beyond the wicket. The rules distinctly state that they must not do this, and, of course, we know that a batsman cannot be bowled or caught or stumped if they are doing this, but in the case of a wicket keeper who *withdraws* behind the wicket as soon as the ball is delivered, what happens? He has had part of his person in front of the wicket, but having withdrawn before the ball reaches him, I take it the batsman would be out? The rule, however (rule 42) appears to be framed with a view of keeping the 'keeper' behind the stump altogether. And I think umpires ought to insist that they do this."

Getting in front of the wickets is merely habit, and a bad one at that. It is not one that should be encouraged.

I am still very optimistic about England winning the rubber in the Test matches, despite Don Bradman and Grimmett.

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OXFORD CITY MATCHES.

Of the three games played last week the City were beaten by Southsea and Aldershot and defeated Watlington. In the latter match Thomas took six for 17.

Table of Oxford City matches showing First Innings and Second Innings with player names and scores.

Table of Southsea matches showing First Innings and Second Innings with player names and scores.

Table of Watlington matches showing Innings with player names and scores.

Table of R.A.S.C. matches showing Innings with player names and scores.

THE DEPOT LOSE TWICE.

Receiving a visit from Summertown on Thursday last week the Depot lost by 47 runs. Bennett had a good match for the winners with 55 runs and six wickets.

Table of Summertown matches showing Innings with player names and scores.

Table of R.O.B.L.L. matches showing Innings with player names and scores.

NORTH OXFORD MATCHES.

In a match against the St. John's Servants North Oxford scored 237 for seven declared, but the match was drawn. Franks and Rees put on 92 for the first North Oxford wicket.

Table of North Oxford matches showing Innings with player names and scores.

Table of Purley matches showing Innings with player names and scores.

Table of North Oxford II matches showing Innings with player names and scores.

WOODSTOCK WIN AND LOSE.

Receiving Kidlington on Thursday of last week Woodstock won by 74 runs. Adams hit up 57 and Hall took seven for 22.

Table of Woodstock matches showing Innings with player names and scores.

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Table of Oxford Downs matches showing Innings with player names and scores.

R.A.O.C. (DIDCOT) v. STEVENS' SPORTS.

At Didcot, Stevens' Sports won by seven runs. Wastie played a good innings for the winners and Stevens took three for 15 in Hillman's Ordinance.

Table of Stevens' Sports matches showing Innings with player names and scores.

CHIPPING NORTON v. BICESTER.

On Saturday Chipping Norton entertained Bicester and in winning by 70 runs put up their best performance. Bicester batted first on a fairly fast wicket.

Table of Chipping Norton matches showing Innings with player names and scores.

**MAINLY ABOUT PLAYERS.**

C. J. Coate has resigned the secretaryship of the Cowley St. John Bowls Club.

C. Barton, of Hannington Rowing Club, won the Senior Sculls at the Thames Amateur Rowing Association's regatta on Saturday.

Arthur Clinkard's absence from the cricket field this season is due to an illness from which, luckily, he is making a good recovery.

The death has occurred of Grant Asher, the old Oxford Rugby and Cricket Blue.

H. G. Hanbury, treasurer of the Varsity Soccer Club, has been elected to a Rhodes Travelling Fellowship for 1931.

**SCORES IN BRIEF.**

Turner's Cou. 13 for five dec. (Lye 43, Jones 22, Jewitt 27); Brightwell, 40 (G. Burnham 27).  
 South Oxford, 182 for nine dec. (G. Parrott not out, W. Dunk 26, S. Tester 25, R. Cooper 24); Elvaston, 125 for six (W. Thatcher 81 not out); Stoke Lyne, 92 (T. Curtis 30, W. Richardson 10); Worcester II., 44 (G. Crowe six wkts.).  
 Lincoln College Servants, 103 (J. Atkinson 31, Cur 23 not out, J. Ody five for 22); G.W.R., 104 (G. Ody 25, R. Goodey six wkts.).  
 Littleworth 50 (B. Clark 11, L. Webb five wkts.); Eynsham, 36 (R. Reckitt 15, G. Sallis five wkts.).  
 Abingdon Imps 83 (E. A. North 28); Appleton, 41 (E. A. North five wkts., B. Wheeler four wkts.); Marcham II 70 (Church 25); Abingdon D.W.C., 24.  
 South Oxford II., 208 for five dec. (L. Coon 53, V. Crumley 61); G.W.R., 30 (J. Parton seven for 13) and 83 for seven.  
 Oxford Post Office, 162 for seven dec. (H. Burden 15, H. Joyce 46, H. Miller six for 60); City Police, 23 (H. Miller 71, H. Joyce six for 41).  
 Burford Grammar School, 87 for six (Davies 32, Timms 20); Lord William's School, Thame, 61 (Badger 1, eight for 21).  
 Fiddell, 73 (F. Davis 21, F. Paxford 15, P. Smith 14 not out); Great Barrington, 48 (B. Arthurs 13, W. Davis four for 16).  
 Morris Motors Telegraph XI., 188 for six dec. (W. Carter 87, S. Burgess 45); Y.M.C.A. II., 93 (Reeves 42 not out).  
 Brailes, 163 for seven dec. (S. Morris 57, J. Baldwin 27); Kingham Hill II., 58 (J. Baldwin six for 15) and 37 for two.  
 Shilton Boys, 71 for six dec. (B. Adams 34 not out); Bradwell Grove Boys, 30 (E. Hunt 16, Churchyard four for 1, including "hat-trick," Trinder five for 5).  
 Morris Garages, 54 (F. Parker and H. Clewley 10 each); Middle Barton, 51 (S. Cox 11).  
 Stanton St. John, 160 (J. Colwell 24, G. Watts 22); Holton, 73 (B. Ring 22, R. Morbey, who is 68 years of age, took three wkts.).  
 Moriton-in-Marsh, 154 (T. Sedgley 62, Cookson four for 44); Birmingham Police, 57 (Hathaway 27, Piles four for 40).  
 Buckland, 126 (F. Willis 60); Moreton Royal Oak, 123 (E. Upton 51, F. Willis seven for 24).  
 Bletchington, 54 and 42 (R. Payne six for 17); Woodstock Clothiers, 37 and 35 for five.  
 Langford, 69 (A. E. Jones 16); Highworth, 55 (W. Fitchet 17).  
 Souldern, 90; Kings Sutton, 14.  
 Faringdon, 10; S. P. Adams 74 not out, R. Liddard 31; Miss Keyser's XI., 45 and 90 (Ricketts seven wkts., Gauntlett six wkts.).  
 Horton-cum-Studley, 107 for three dec. (V. Jones 47, E. Jones 39, J. Henderson 21 not out); Noke, 47 (M. Sewell 22).  
 Northleach, 99 (A. D. Ward 39, E. Williams 21); Alvescot, 91 (F. Kennett 31).  
 Studhampton, 78 (R. Lane 20); Stanton Harcourt, 34 (T. Wood seven for 24).  
 Chadlington, 91 (T. Drinkwater 30 not out); Swinbrook, 32 (H. Timms five for 12).  
 Thame, 152 for seven (R. V. Wells seven wkts., D. R. Wahl 56, W. Kirtland 52); Lord William's Grammar School, 137 (A. C. Dyer 31, L. S. Frost 22).  
 Middleton, 106 for two (F. Turner 74; F. Hodges 44, F. Hughes 48 not out); Mr. Alden's XI., 115.  
 Bucknall, 69; Ambrosden, 30.  
 Banpton, 110 (E. Green 23); Stratton St. Margaret, 64 (L. Day 22, J. Pratt six for 45, W. Lock four for 15).  
 The School won their match against Cowley St. John on their own ground. Cowley St. John, with a weakened team, scored 165, H. Walker contributing 55, Evans-Jones 20, and M. Gray and G. H. Howe 17 each. The School replied with 174 for one, K. J. Veitch carrying his bat for 92 and J. H. A. Barnes for 75.  
 Southsea, 290 for two; Kidlington, 103.

**WITNEY OLD GRAMMARIANS v. BANBURY.**

At Witney this proved a very enjoyable game. Thanks to Busby, Jennings and Knight the Grammarians were able to declare at 208 for eight. Daniels took seven for 85. Crawshaw and Webber had a good knock for Banbury, who when stumps were drawn had lost nine for 177. Barnes took four for 50. Score:—

GRAMMARIANS.		BANBURY.	
J. Busby b Daniels ..	71	O. Claydon c Harwood	15
C. Jennings c Brown ..	11	b Barnes ..	10
b Daniels ..	4	A. Oakes b Busby ..	6
J. Nash b Crawshaw ..	4	F. Crawshaw b C. Jennings ..	12
I. Jennings st. Claydon		b Daniels ..	35
b Daniels ..	35	F. Passmore c and b	11
J. Barnes b Daniels ..	6	Barnes ..	11
K. Gardner b Daniels	11	E. Webber c Broomo	40
C. Broome c Oakes b		b Barnes ..	13
Daniels ..	5	H. Morrison b Busby	13
J. Harwood lbw b		J. Daniels run out ..	13
Daniels ..	14	R. Cherry c and b	13
P. Knight not out ..	29	Barnes ..	10
W. Shirley not out ..	13	F. Jarvis c C. Jennings	10
P. Steptoe did not bat.		b I. Jennings ..	10
		A. Dann not out ..	8
		W. Brown not out ..	8
Extras .....	0	Extras .....	24
Total (9 wkts dec) 208		Total (9 wkts) 177	

**UNITED COLLEGE SERVANTS v. SOUTHSEA.**

On the Itfley-road ground, the Servants winning by 39 runs. Parker played a fine innings of 73, and James, Bill Allen and Guilfoyle bowled well. Score:—

SERVANTS.		SOUTHSEA.	
W. Allen b White ..	13	A. Seal c Penny b	1
W. Field b White ..	27	Guilfoyle ..	1
J. Guilfoyle c W. Cocks	0	A. Leppard c Penny b	1
b Seal ..	0	Field ..	1
H. Robins c Leppard	4	W. Cocks b W. Allen	27
b White ..	4	S. White lbw b Guil-	27
A. Parker b Leppard	73	foyle ..	27
T. Allen b Harris ..	29	S. Davis b James ..	29
H. J. Harris c Davis	7	D. King st. Penny b	1
b White ..	7	W. Allen ..	1
J. Crumley c Titcomb	0	H. Cocks c Guilfoyle	1
b White ..	0	b James ..	1
D. Goodey c and b	4	T. Titcombe b Guil-	27
White ..	4	foyle ..	27
T. James not out ..	0	J. Exton b James ..	9
		W. Collins c Field b	11
		W. Allen ..	11
		C. Harris not out ..	11
Extras .....	3	Extras .....	1
Total .....	164	Total .....	125

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**MINOR COUNTIES' CHAMPIONSHIP.**

**Berkshire v. Oxfordshire.**

The Minor Counties' Championship game between Berkshire and Oxfordshire on the Cintra Ground, Reading, on Tuesday and Wednesday, was spoilt by rain. When the game had to be abandoned on Wednesday afternoon Berkshire, with eight wickets to fall, wanted 173 to win. Both sides rather fancied their chances, but on the bird-in-hand principle I think Oxfordshire would have won had the weather kept fine. The feature of the batting in the Oxfordshire first innings was the stand by S. C. B. Lee and Walters. They came together when three had fallen for 18 and were not parted till the score was 110. Both played extremely well, Walters being rather more aggressive than usual. The pitch was not perfect and the wind enabled the bowlers to swerve. The failure of either batsman might have cost the side the match. A total of 197 was in the circumstances very creditable. Berkshire replied with 119, R. M. Palmer hitting brilliantly for his 51, and at the close of the first day's play Oxfordshire rather threw away their advantage by losing Walker and S. C. B. Lee for 13. There was further heavy rain in the night, and Oxfordshire commenced on Wednesday in dull weather and in a bad light. On this occasion Hartley, Len Rogers and M. H. Lee carried off the batting honours. The latter is a son of Dr. R. O. Lee, who played for the County in the old days. The son is an aggressive type, who is thinking all the time of runs, and with a good eye and plenty of physical strength he should do well. He is also a dashing fieldsman and there are good reports of his bowling, though Henry did not find it necessary to use him. The fielding of the whole side was, in fact, capital, and, as usual, Inge kept wicket beautifully. Berkshire set the big task of getting 224 in the fourth innings, lost Sayles and Lewis when the rain came down to wipe out what would have been an interesting day's cricket. Oxfordshire thus lose their 100 per cent. marks, but are still well near the top of the table.

For the game against Bucks to-day and to-morrow F. Hartley and E. Cotton come in for J. Rogers and Guilfoyle. Score:—

**OXFORDSHIRE.—First Innings.**

H. Walker, lbw, b Woodburn .....	11
S. C. B. Lee, c R. Palmer, b Woodburn ..	50
L. Rogers, c and b Woodburn .....	0
J. Guilfoyle, c Nash, o R. Remnant .....	0
C. Walters, c Nash, b Woodburn .....	60
M. H. Lee, c Palmer, b Woodburn .....	14
W. W. Inge, b Woodburn .....	18
E. Hartley, b Mundy .....	18
J. Rogers, c Caryer, b Mundy .....	10
R. P. Thomas, b Mundy .....	0
B. J. Henry, not out .....	1
Extras .....	15
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>197</b>

**Second Innings.**

H. Walker, b Woodburn .....	4
S. C. B. Lee, c Sayles, b R. Remnant .....	1
E. Hartley, c and b Nash .....	22
R. P. Thomas, b R. Remnant .....	18
L. Rogers, c and b Mundy .....	0
J. Guilfoyle, c and b Nash .....	0
C. Walters, b and b Nash .....	4
M. H. Lee, b Mundy .....	35
J. Rogers, c Lewis, b Nash .....	1
W. W. Inge, c Caryer, b Nash .....	7
B. J. Henry, not out .....	4
Extras .....	11
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>145</b>

**BERKSHIRE.—First Innings.**

R. J. Remnant, c Henry, b Thomas .....	2
H. L. Lewis, lbw, b Walters .....	11
G. Sayles, c M. Lee, b J. Rogers .....	8
P. F. Remnant, b J. Rogers .....	24
P. G. Nash, c Henry, b J. Rogers .....	1
W. Y. Woodburn, c Henry, b Walters .....	1
R. H. Palmer, c L. Rogers, b S. Lee .....	51
H. C. Cottrell, c S. Lee, b Walters .....	6
G. E. Palmer, c S. Lee, b Walters .....	0
H. Mundy, lbw, b S. Lee .....	1
Caryer, not out .....	0
Extras .....	14
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>119</b>

**Second Innings.**

R. J. Remnant, not out .....	34
H. L. Lewis, c S. Lee, b Thomas .....	1
G. Sayles, c M. Lee, b J. Rogers .....	11
R. F. Remnant, not out .....	0
<b>Total (2 wks) ....</b>	<b>52</b>

**BOWLING ANALYSIS.**

**OXFORDSHIRE.—First Innings:** R. Remnant, 28-10-33-1; Woodburn, 30-15-60-6; Mundy, 15-3-31-3; Caryer, 6-1-20-0; Nash, 4-3-6-0.

**Second Innings:** R. Remnant, 12-1-20-2; Woodburn, 8-2-23-1; Mundy, 14-3-35-2; Nash, 11-2-0-7-5.

**BERKSHIRE.—First Innings:** Henry, 3-1-2-0; S. C. B. Lee, 4-2-1-23-2; Thomas, 4-1-0-1; J. Rogers, 11-3-40-3; Walters, 13-5-22-4.

**Second Innings:** Henry, 2-0-7-0; Thomas, 6-2-10-1; J. Rogers, 8-2-26-1; S. C. B. Lee, 5-3-7-0; Walters, 1-0-2-0.



**BARFORD v. GREAT ROLLRIGHT.**  
 Played at Barford on Saturday. Barford were dismissed for 37 in the second innings and Great Rollright made 18 for three. Score:—

BARFORD.		GREAT ROLLRIGHT.	
R Skuce b J Surden	15	W Sole b Skuce	21
R Shirley b J Surden	0	E Surden lbw b Austen	25
F Haynes b J Surden	6	H Austen	25
H Tew b J Surden	3	F Smith b Austin	1
R Slatter b Sole	11	C Turvey b Skuce	1
W Austin c Smith b J Surden	0	J Roughton b Skuce	0
J Surden	0	F Powell c Haynes b Skuce	0
W Shirley b Sole	1	J Surden b Slatter	0
B Austin c W Surden	1	W Surden b Slatter	10
b J Surden	1	S Sole not out	1
A Hudson b Sole	3	O B Shepperd b Slatter	1
V Smith run out	0	W Ford b Slatter	1
F Smith not out	3		
Extras	3		
Total	44	Total	60

**WON BY ONE RUN.**  
 There was a close finish to the game between Shipton-under-Wychwood and Lechlade, at Lechlade, the home side winning by one run. Freeth took five for 65 and Franklin five for 52. Score:—

SHIPTON.		LECHLADE.	
J Butler not out	43	G Bowley run out	36
V Arkell c Josey b Freeth	23	F C Innocent c and b Hambidge	0
T G Hambidge c Freeth	0	F Savis b Franklin	6
b Banzard b Freeth	0	A Finney lbw b Pittaway	14
W Smith b Bridges	1	W F Bridges b Hambidge	19
F Pittaway b Bridges	9	W Josey b Pittaway	6
R Hartley b Bridges	12	W Sparks c Hartley b Franklin	19
F Gillett b Sparks	1	W Banzard b Franklin	0
S Franklin c Banzard b Bridges	7	F C Wakefield b Freeth	3
W Coombes c Freeth b Slatter	9	R Freeth not out	6
J Slatter c Josey b Freeth	3	L Gearing b Franklin	2
M Avery c Banzard b Freeth	3	Extras	11
P Freeth	3		
Extras	3		
Total	111	Total	112

**WALLINGFORD v. ROYAL BERKS REGIMENT.**  
 At Wallingford and won by the Soldiers. Stroud took eight wickets and Wood six. Score:—

WALLINGFORD A.		ROYAL BERKS REGT.	
J A Brown c Child b Stroud	8	Sgt Deaneley c D G Brown b Wood	2
D G Brown lbw b Hawkins	3	J Wilder b Warwick	13
C Holloway b Stroud	14	Capt Height c Gray b Wood	4
A L Spens b Stroud	2	R A Foster c Warwick b Wood	2
R G Gray b Stroud	0	R Stroud c Warwick b Wood	34
G Wood b Stroud	0	R Q M S Child b Wood	0
T M C Hunt b Stroud	2	Col Satter run out	2
M Jenkins not out	11	Pte Harrington b Wood	4
D Warwick b Stroud	0	Pte Hains b Wood	12
P Carstairs b Stroud	0	Pte Leadbetter not out	0
H Walden b Wilder	19	Capt G E Hawkins b Wood	1
Extras	6	Extras	7
Total	60	Total	80

**THE WARNEFORD v. NORTH OXFORD II.**  
 At the Warneford, the visitors winning. Rising took four for 42 and Nash four for 48. Score:—

WARNEFORD.		NORTH OXFORD.	
Haynes c Rees b Nutt	7	A J Chamberlain b Nash	27
richt b Rising	0	L H Sims c Wright b Nash	11
Clarke b Broadhurst b Rising	10	C J Broadhurst c Tutty b Haynes	8
Irons c Broadhurst b Rising	25	S W Bayliss run out	16
Nash run out	0	A R Johnson run out	15
Tutty c Bayliss b Rising	8	J E Rees st Clarke b Matthews	10
Rising	8	W R Rising c Nash b Haynes	32
Williams c Broadhurst b Johnson	0	H Nutt b Matthews	4
Matthews not out	11	H Webb c Matthews b Nash	11
Thomas not out	17	K Cruse b Nash	2
Taylor did not bat.		J R Chaundy not out	0
Extras	8	Extras	2
Total (8 wkts dec)	95	Total	138

Fiffeld, 91 (O Douglas 40, E Haynes 26, Hott five wkts); Swinbrook, 20 (W Davis six for 10); Buckland, 105 (F Mills 24, R Mildenhall 22 not out); Stanton in the Vale, 28 (F Wallis four for 4, W Watson six for 23); Forest Hill, 69 (J. Soanes 29, R. Colwell four wkts); Pressed Steel, 40 (Alderton five wkts); Stanton St. John, 109 (V. Surman 18, Peacock 18, J. Phillips 18); Mr. T. Matthews XI, 68; Stanton St. John, 101 (V. Surman 32, J. Phillips 20, no. out); V.V.C.S., 90 (Henton 26, Goodley 24); Stanton St. John, 111 (W. Prantley 21, Peacock 21); Brassnose C.C., 105 (E. Smith 30, P. Bristol 31); Brize Norton, 41 (B. Timms 27); Bampton, 33; Church Army Press, 112 (B. Harris 24, S. King 29); G.F.O., 47 (B. Harris six for 19); Church Army Press, 133 for five (C. Greenaway 43, J. Guden 30, M. Guden 32); Kidlington 124 (R. Mellor 70).

**DORCHESTER v. DRAYTON ST. LEONARD.**  
 At Dorchester, the home side winning. Gooding took six for 27. Score:—

DORCHESTER.		DRAYTON.	
A Taylor b Cobb	16	R Cobb run out	5
C Atkins lbw b Cobb	5	H Farmer run out	1
F Ward b H Lovett	3	W Jones c Taylor b Gooding	18
L Kenny c J Jones b Cobb	36	R Lovett b Gooding	9
G Gooding c and b J Jones	33	H Lovett b Gooding	4
H Winterbourne	33	Major Williams lbw b Atkins	8
T Bumpass c W Bumpass b J Jones	5	W Bumpass b Gooding	0
H Albatt not out	1	S Farrant b Gooding	5
J Stacey, V Pepper and F Fruin did not bat.		F Wilkinson c Winterbourne b Taylor	2
Extras	3	W Wilkinson b Gooding	0
Total (7 wkts dec)	98	J Jones not out	5
		Extras	1
		Total	38

**AIREY OUP UMPIRES.**  
 The following will umpire in the next round of the Airey Cup to-morrow: Morris Motors v. South Oxford, W. Sturges and W. Tolley; College Servants v. Headington, W. State and Reg Rogers; Shell Mex v. Church Army Press, A. Inwood and H. Stroud; Police v. Y.M.C.A., G. King and C. Hore.

**OXFORDSHIRE LEAGUE—Division I.**  
**COWLEY ST. JOHN v. Y.M.C.A.**  
 On the Lincoln College ground Cowley St. John won their fourth successive League game by 25 runs. The wicket was never difficult, but at the start the ball was biting, and during a part of the Y.M. innings the bowlers were able to make it turn a bit. Cowley St. John lost H. Walker, Jackman and Daniels for 28. Then Leslie Walker and Carter, batting with confidence and running really well between the wickets, put on 102 runs. Both made a number of good strokes and have the satisfaction of knowing that their fine efforts went a long way towards winning the match. Hill and Gray also deserve some praise, as seven were out for 136, and had they failed the consequences might have been serious. Greenwood took seven for 48. He does not bowl for long spells, which is a pity, and one would like to see him so conserve his strength that he can keep one end going longer. The Y.M. also made a bad start, but Ward and Stanfield put on 60 for the fourth wicket, and when they had been parted Thomas stuck it well. With only six out for 128 the game was open. Hunssett and Lloyd both went down fighting, and the "tail" was not equal to the task of getting a few runs. Mention must be made of the really good wicket-keeping of Ward, who also batted with great determination, and the two well-judged catches made by Harry Walker. Cowley St. John have still to meet the League holders, home and away. Score:—

COWLEY ST. JOHN.		Y.M.C.A.	
H Walker c Haydock b Ward b L Walker	64	R Ward b L Walker	64
b Greenwood	3	J Farnell c Fowler b Howells	1
L Carter run out	63	N Greenwood b Howells	14
E Jackman c Stansfield b Greenwood	11	J Stansfield b Howells	10
L Daniels b Greenwood	1	R Thomas b Howells	32
L Walker c Farnell b Thomas	49	J Wiltshire b L Walker	0
R A Pulker c Ward b Greenwood	5	W Hunssett c H Walker b Allaway	21
J A Howells c Stansfield b Thomas	36	J Haydock b Allaway	6
F Hill not out	0	H Lloyd c H Walker b Allaway	11
F J Fowler c and b Greenwood	0	B Ballard not out	0
Greenwood	0	H Dorn run out	0
M F Gray b Greenwood	15		
C Allaway c Hunssett b Greenwood	0		
Extras	0	Extras	8
Total	109	Total	173

**SOUTH OXFORD v. UNIVERSITY PRESS.**  
 For the second time this season South Oxford beat the Press, their advantage on the B.N.C. ground on Saturday being one of 15 runs. As in most of the other local matches the scoring was rather low, the average per wicket being just over 15. Franklin, Ward and Adams made most of the South Oxford 154

runs, and Weller was the most successful Press bowler with four for 43. The task confronting the Press was not impossible, but the early failures of Battersby, Piper and Kisingbury were blows from which the side never really recovered. The best stand was by Collins and Clements, who put on 47 for the fifth wicket. Ron. Ward, with five for 38, had a substantial hand in the victory. Score:—

SOUTH OXFORD.		PRESS.	
E Turner b Collins	8	H Battersby c Jones b Ward	4
W T Franklin lbw b Piper	29	C D Piper b Ward	9
E Wiggins b Weller	4	W Kisingbury b Jones	2
R H Ward c Collins b Weller	21	T Weller c Adams b Jones	15
H Harley b Collins	6	C Collins b Ward	29
C S Jones b Weller	19	R Clements run out	21
C Adams c Nurser b Clements	30	E Fathers b Wiggins	15
L A Klar st Collett b Weller	12	C Collett not out	13
O H Merriman b Clements	12	E Nurser b Ward	4
F Jacob c Turner b Clements	12	R Enock b Ward	3
E T Scoble not out	0	F Jacob c Turner b Clements	2
P Bristol b Clements	2		
Extras	17		
Total	154	Total	139

**UNITED SERVANTS v. SUMMERTOWN.**  
 The return match between the Servants and Summertown was again rather of a farcical nature. Everyone sympathises with Summertown in the position which their landlords have placed them this season, but so far as their opponents are concerned their presence in the League has not added to the zest one likes to see in these games. "Bill" Allen dismissed them for 26, his analysis reading 10.3 overs, 4 maidens, 11 runs, 8 wickets, and then Turner, Harris and T. Allen knocked up 67 for one. Summertown were put in a second time and scored 98 for nine. Score:—

SUMMERTOWN.		SERVANTS.	
H Barrett c Gullfoyle b W Allen	4	J R F Turner lbw b Collins	16
R Jackman c Fletcher b W Allen	3	H J Harris not out	23
A Bateman b W Allen	0	T Allen not out	2
G Stone st Fletcher b Field	2	H J Robins, F Fletcher, W Allen, W Field, W Spindler, J Gullfoyle, A Parker and A Phillips did not bat.	
W Stone c Gullfoyle b W Allen	5		
H Hobbs b W Allen	0		
A Gulliver b Field	0		
R George b W Allen	5		
S Whiting b W Allen	2		
A Collins lbw b W Allen	1		
G Brown not out	4		
Extras	24		
Total	26	Total (1 wkt)	67

The following is the position of the clubs in Division I. of the Oxfordshire Cricket League to date:—

DIVISION I.				
Section "A."				
Club	P.	W.	L.	D. Pts.
Combe	5	4	1	0
Witney Swifts	5	3	2	0
Church Army Press	5	2	2	0
Cowley	4	0	4	0
Section "B."				
Club	P.	W.	L.	D. Pts.
Kidlington	4	3	1	0
L.A.P.S.	4	3	1	0
South Oxford	5	3	2	0
Clarendon Press	5	0	5	0
Section "C."				
Club	P.	W.	L.	D. Pts.
Cowley St. John	4	4	0	0
Morris Motors	4	3	1	0
Charlbury	4	1	3	0
Y.M.C.A.	4	0	4	0
Section "D."				
Club	P.	W.	L.	D. Pts.
College Servants	2	2	0	0
Summertown	2	0	2	0
Witney Mills	0	0	0	0

**OXFORDSHIRE LEAGUE—Division II.**  
**MORRIS MOTORS II. v. SOUTH OXFORD II.**  
 On the Motors ground, South Oxford won by 55 runs. Two of their Amos George Cup men, Kent and Harris, put on 46 for the first wicket, and another of their junior members made 27. The result was the satisfactory total of 157. Butler took eight for 38. The Motors lost seven for 31, and despite good efforts by Harrington, Butler and Painter, could not quite pull it off. Shorter, taking full advantage of the wind, took six for 33 and Tipping four for 35. Score:—

SOUTH OXFORD.		MORRIS MOTORS.	
W F Kent c Evans b	17	H Simms b Shorter..	4
Butler .....	17	W Carter c Brown b	13
C Harris c Burgess b	22	Tippling .....	13
Butler .....	22	A Wheler c Shorter	0
H Allsforth c Wheeler	24	Tippling .....	0
b Hinton .....	24	A Wheler c Shorter	6
L Brown b Butler ..	27	b Tippling .....	6
B Crumley lbw b But-	27	N Hinton b Shorter ..	1
ler .....	27	A Evans b Shorter ..	6
H Hinton c Simms b	11	S Burgess c Crumley	0
Butler .....	11	b Tippling .....	0
R Judge c Burgess b	4	A Harrington c Judge	29
Neale .....	4	b Shorter .....	29
J Parton not out ..	15	W Butler not out ..	23
C King c Simms b	1	R Brooks b Shorter..	0
Butler .....	1	A Painter c Judge b	15
E Tippling c Simms b	0	Shorter .....	15
G Shorter b Butler ..	0		
Extras .....	20	Extras .....	5
Total .....	157	Total .....	102

**COWLEY II. v. EYNESHAM II.**

On the Trinity College ground the visitors won by 19 runs. J. Watkins and Collett bowled with success for Eynesham, as did Barrett and Hickman for Cowley. Score:—

EYNESHAM.		COWLEY II.	
C Pimm b Hickman..	2	H Barre c b J Wat-	1
J Watkins b Barrett	4	kins .....	1
V Green b Hickman..	2	W Butler run out ..	3
A Astell b Barrett..	3	J Johnson b Collett..	0
W Watkins b Barrett	3	H Merrett c C Pimm	1
G Pimm c Barrett b	1	b J Watkins .....	1
Taylor .....	19	H Lismore b Collett	1
F Ayres c and b Hick-	0	C Thornton b Collett	0
man .....	3	T Jones b J Watkins	0
H Cox c Jones b Tay-	0	E Taylor c Ayres b	2
lor .....	6	J Watkins .....	2
K Collett c Barrett b	6	F Baughan not out..	12
Johnson .....	6	L Johnson c Ayres b	0
B Lambourne c Timms	0	Collett .....	0
b Johnson .....	2	R O Hickman b Collett	0
J Green not out ..	0		
Extras .....	1	Extras .....	1
Total .....	40	Total .....	30

**Y.M.C.A. II. v. KIDLINGTON II.**

On the Christ Church ground, the Y.M.C.A. winning by five wickets. Good fielding and the bowling of Ward (three for 6) dismissed Kidlington for 75, and these runs were knocked off by the Y.M.C.A. for five wickets. Glanville and Reeve put on 53 for the second wicket and Ward carried his bat for 36. Score:—

KIDLINGTON.		Y.M.C.A.	
W Smith c C Wheeler	10	T Glanville c Evans	41
b Bossley .....	10	b Fathers .....	41
W Adams c Glanville	0	W Hawkins b Harper	0
b Walton .....	0	R Reeve c Harper b	29
A Maskell b C Wheeler	10	M Maskell .....	0
T Druce c R Wheeler	12	W Bosley c Bower-	0
b Bosley .....	12	man b Maskell .....	0
E Fathers c Adams	6	R Wheeler b Fathers	0
b Ward .....	6	C Walton c Bowerman	7
L Harper c Reeve b	6	b Fathers .....	7
C Wheeler .....	6	C Wheeler b Harper..	36
C Paul c Adams b	6	V Ward not out ..	6
Ward .....	6	F David b Bucking-	2
J Buckingham c R	0	ham .....	2
Wheeler b Ward ..	0	L Clark b Paul .....	11
A Evans c C Wheeler	4	L Adams c Maskell b	5
b Bosley .....	4	Paul .....	5
H Bowerman c and b	0		
R Wheeler .....	0		
S Golder not out ..	4	Extras .....	20
Extras .....	4	Extras .....	20
Total .....	75	Total .....	157

**CUMNOR v. COWLEY ST. JOHN II.**

Cowley St. John II. fared badly on the Cumnor ground, losing by five wickets. The outfield was very bad, the long grass being very near the pitch. England's 22 not out was worth a great many more. Walker and R. Bennett captured the Cowley St. John wickets between them, and the villagers knocked off the 52 runs for the loss of five batsmen. Score:—

COWLEY ST. JOHN.		CUMNOR.	
E Pulker b P Bennett	4	F Costar c Howe b	5
W P Lucas lbw b	0	Burrin .....	5
Walker .....	0	A Boyles b Belcher..	6
N Belcher b Walker..	1	L Crapper c and b	6
E Burdin b R Bennett	3	Burrin .....	6
T England not out ..	22	C Boyles c Pulker b	1
W Muready c Stock-	1	Burrin .....	1
ford b Walker .....	1	F Bennett lbw b Bel-	10
J Astell b R Bennett	0	cher .....	10
G H Howe c R Ben-	1	J Walker not out ..	15
nett b Walker .....	1	R Bennett not out ..	11
D Fargitt run out ..	1	F Didscock, H Haynes	0
D Astell b Walker ..	1	c Costar and F	0
H F Draper c and b	1	R Costard did not	0
R Bennett .....	1	bat .....	0
Extras .....	8	Extras .....	4
Total .....	52	Total (5 wkts) 58	

**UNIVERSITY PRESS II. v. TITUP II.**

On the Balliol ground Titup won by six wickets. E. Coppock took seven for 46 and F. Lee passed the 50 mark, his stand for the first wicket with Price producing nearly 100. Score:—

PRESS.		TITUP.	
C Foster b Webb ..	10	F Lee b Hutton .....	52
W Watkins lbw b E	5	L Price c Nutt b	36
Coppock .....	5	H Harvey .....	36
F St wart b Lee ..	2	A Massey lbw b Moss	0
F Rand c L Coppock	20	E Payne not out ..	25
b Payne .....	20	E Coppock c Stevens	6
R Ricketts b E Cop-	3	b Hutton .....	20
cock .....	3	A Webb not out ..	5
E Harvey b E Cop-	0	W Wright, O Higgin-	0
cock .....	0	son, T Kinslingbury,	0
R Sutton c Lee b	6	L Coppock and J	0
E Coppock .....	6	Gurl did not bat.	0
N Foster c Lee b E	20		
Coppock .....	20		
L Stevens c E Cop-	25		
cock b Payne .....	25		
R Moss not out ..	5		
V Hutton c Lee b E	12		
Coppock .....	12		
Extras .....	9		
Total .....	135	Total (4 wkts) ..	139

**WYTHAM v. CHURCH ARMY PRESS.**

Wytham were outplayed by the Church Army Press in their Division II. game. Some good batting by G. Glanville, L. Windscheffel and R. Goodey enabled the Church Army to declare with their score 155 for seven. D. Merritt (five for 24) and R. Curzon (four for 10) made short work of Wytham. Score:—

CHURCH ARMY.		WYTHAM.	
G Glanville b H Pod-	27	R Cox b Merritt .....	1
lury .....	27	H Sutton c Hay 4 b	1
L Windscheffel c Prat-	2	Merritt .....	7
ley b Cox .....	26	H Robinson run out ..	3
A Walker b H Pod-	2	H Podbury c Goodey	1
bury .....	2	I Merritt .....	13
W Pimm lbw b Prat-	8	C Pratl-y b Gurden..	1
ley .....	8	G Brooks lbw b Mer-	0
R Goodey c Broadis	42	rrett .....	0
b Mathews .....	42	A Broadis b Gurden..	0
R Gurden b S Pod-	15	S Podbury b Merritt..	0
bury .....	15	P Mathews c Green-	1
W Thornton b Mat-	27	wood b Gurden .....	1
thews .....	27	A Savings b Gurden	2
H Hancock not out ..	4	D Warrington not out	1
L Hayes c Gurden	0		
wood and D Merritt	0		
did not bat.	0		
Extras .....	4		
Total (7 wkts dec)	155	Total .....	34

**FILKINS AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.**

**BRADWELL GROVE v. CLANFIELD.**

At Bradwell and won by the visitors by 86 runs. L. Goddard took eight wickets and W. Barnett hit well. Score:—

BRADWELL GROVE.		CLANFIELD.	
A F Cox c Gordon b	10	J Temple b Wakefield	6
L Goddard .....	10	C Bosceley b Harris	1
A Woodman c Good-	6	J Wise c and b	8
way b L Goddard	6	Wakefield .....	8
O Burton c P Goddard	10	W Monk b Wakefield	13
b L Goddard .....	10	W Barnett b Harris	45
C Harris b Goddard	5	L Goddard c and b	9
J Wakefield b L God-	5	J Harris .....	9
dard .....	5	H Jordan b O Bur-	6
F Brunsdon c P God-	22	rdunson .....	6
dard b L Goddard	22	F Goodway not out ..	27
E V Hunt c P God-	6	V Pembie c sub b	2
dard b L Goddard	6	Brunsdon .....	2
J Lipon b Pembie ..	10	R Gordon b O Bur-	27
rdunson .....	10	T Townsend c Wood-	10
C Buxkingham c	5	man b Wakefield..	10
Bosceley b L God-	5		
dard .....	5		
W Timms b Pembie	0		
A Wall not out ..	0		
Extras .....	3		
Total .....	83	Total .....	160

**BRADWELL GROVE v. EASTLEACH.**

At the Grove, who won easily by 55 runs. Woodman and Major Heyworth had a long partnership. Score:—

BRADWELL GROVE.		EASTLEACH.	
C A Harris c Berry	0	G Hunt b C Timms	22
b R Blackwell .....	0	S Crowley c W	3
A F Cox c Hewitt b	28	Timms b Wakefield	3
Tovey .....	28	Roc c and b Harris	5
A Woodman b Berry	40	J Tovey b Harris ..	1
Maj. Heyworth b	33	R Berry c Haggett b	18
Hewitt .....	33	E Timms .....	18
J Wakefield not out	11	J Monk b Wakefield	11
G Haggett b Hunt ..	1	S Blackwell b E	0
J Lipop c Crowley b	8	Timms .....	0
Hunt .....	8	Capt Hewitt c Wake-	3
C Buckingham lbw b	13	field b Haggett ..	3
Hewitt .....	13	C Hobbs b Harris ..	23
W Timms c Berry b	0	E Berry c Woodman	0
Hewitt .....	0	b Harris .....	0
E Hunt c Tovey b	1	R Blackwell not out..	0
Berry .....	1		
E Timms b Hewitt ..	1		
Extras .....	10		
Total .....	145	Total .....	90

**WITNEY LEAGUE—Division I.**

**COOMBE v. HANDBOROUGH.**

At Coombe, the home side proved much too strong for Handborough, who were beaten by 128 runs. W. Busby was to the fore with 83 not out, and in the bowling department Putt took

seven for 18, W. Busby three for 14 and Martin three for 37. Score:—

COOMBE.		HANDBOROUGH.	
A Collier c Wilson b	33	R Fletcher b Putt ..	13
C Martin .....	33	S Wilson c W Busby	0
H Bishop c Lay b	3	b Putt .....	0
W Busby not out ..	83	R Timms c and b	4
E J Busby b Lay ..	6	Putt .....	4
E Busby b C Martin	4	F Cozer c Woodward	0
A Oliver b C Martin	17	b Putt .....	0
H Huckins not out..	11	S Wattle c Stroud b	13
C Woodward, F Putt,	0	Putt .....	13
F Huckins and G	0	C Martin b W Busby	0
Stroud did not bat.	0	R Leach b W Busby	0
		A Martin not out ..	1
		S Dix c F Huckins b	1
		Putt .....	1
		C Lay c E J Busby	2
		b Putt .....	2
		R Rawlings b W	0
		Busby .....	0
Extras .....	5		
Total (5 wkts dec)	162	Total .....	34

**ASCOTT v. MILTON.**

At Ascott, Milton won by an innings and 54 runs, Ascott being all out for 12 in their second innings. Bridge took four for 13, Smith four for 6, R. Miles six for 6 and Shayler six for 28. Score:—

ASCOTT.		MILTON.	
M Shayler b Pritchard	5	P Bridges c Cripps b	11
K Shirley b Pritchard	0	Shayler .....	11
F Alden c Kite b	0	E Miles b J Chandler	0
Bridges .....	11	A Pritchard b Shayler	1
J Chandler b Pritchard	5	G Smith c and J	8
N Edginton b Bridges	6	Chandler .....	8
H Chandler b Broome	3	J B Broome c Cripps	1
K Hutton c Rathbone	0	b Shayler .....	35
b Broome .....	0	G Rathbone b Shayler	35
F Keep run out ..	1	R Kite b Shayler ..	1
E Smith c Pritchard	0	R Edginton b Shayler	32
b Bridges .....	0	J Jennings b J Chand-	2
J Cripps not out ..	5	ler .....	2
B Davies run out ..	0	G Moss c J Chandler	7
Extras .....	1	b Keep .....	5
Total .....	37	Extras .....	7
		Total .....	103

**WITNEY SWIFTS v. EYNESHAM HALL PARK.**

That the underarm bowler is still very destructive was convincingly evidenced in the match between Witney Swifts and Eynesham Hall Park. The Swifts, batting first, had 145 runs on the board for the loss of only four wickets. Then J. Hill came on with his underarm deliveries and got five wickets cheaply and the Swifts were all out for 167. The Park fared badly against the bowling of Vickers and Hosier. Score:—

SWIFTS.		EYNESHAM HALL.	
T Smith lbw b Griffin	0	W Clarke st Smith b	0
G Vickers b R Wood-	46	A Hosier .....	10
ward .....	46	K Griffin b Vickers..	6
A Keates lbw b J Hill	60	F Hill c and b Vickers	17
E Coleman b J Hill	25	8 England b Vickers..	1
I Jennings not out ..	20	F Woodward at Smith	0
C Bustin c Newson b	2	A Hosier .....	0
J Hill .....	2	A Fathers c and b	6
A Hosier b J Hill ..	0	S Newson c I Jennings	5
H Bridgman c Newson	8	b A Hosier .....	5
b R Woodward ..	1	R Gaudier not out ..	3
R Hosier not out ..	0	J Hill b Vickers ..	0
E Clack b J Hill ..	0	R Woodward lbw b	0
A Jennings did not bat	0	Vickers .....	0
		T Hill run out .....	0
		Extras .....	8
Extras .....	7	Extras .....	8
Total (8 wkts dec)	167	Total .....	56

**WITNEY LEAGUE—Division II.**

**COKETHORPE PARK v. CHURCH HANDBOROUGH.**

At Cokethorpe and won by the home side by 41 runs. Handborough made 20 in their second innings and the Park 58 (B. Fisher 34). P. Durham took six for 18. Score:—

HANDBOROUGH.		COKETHORPE PARK.	
G Lay b B Fisher ..	3	J Fisher c Bowden b	0
P Durham b Shriveles	3	Green .....	0
C Ward b Shriveles	0	A Edwards run out ..	14
A Elgar lbw b B	0	A Foster b Putt ..	3
Fisher .....	2	A Hickman b Durham	7
J Pratl-y run out ..	6	E Foster c Ward b	0
N Merritt c and b	0	Durham .....	1
Fisher .....	1	A Kearse b Durham..	0
J Bowden b B Fisher	3	F Shriveles lbw b Dur-	0
H Green b Shriveles..	10	ham .....	0
E Tallott b Shriveles	5	B Fisher c Lay b	0
W Putt b Shriveles..	0	Durham .....	0
B Cozier not out ..	0	A Barrett c Putt b	1
		C Edwards not out ..	4
		T Stone c Pratl-y b	6



second innings (F. Pratley 24 not out). Neale took four for 19 and W. Pratley six for 21. Score:—

Table with columns LEAFIELD and SHIPTON, listing players and their scores in two columns.

MILTON v. HAILEY.

At Milton the home side were beaten by an innings and 38 runs, being dismissed for 38 in their second innings. F. Wyatt, an underarm bowler, took eight for 3 and six for 10-14 wickets for 131. For Milton, Miles took six for 11. Score:—

Table with columns MILTON and HAILEY, listing players and their scores in two columns.

EYNHAM v. EYNHAM HALL PARK. Eynham just got home by nine runs in the match with Eynham Hall Park. Score:—

Table with columns EYNHAM HALL and EYNHAM, listing players and their scores in two columns.

EYNHAM AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.

WOLVERCOTE v. TITUP.

At Wolvercote, the visitors winning by 50 runs, Jones took five for 13. Score:—

Table with columns TITUP and WOLVERCOTE, listing players and their scores in two columns.

WYFOLD LEAGUE—Division I.

TETSWORTH v. SANDFORD-ON-THAMES.

At Tetsworth, the visitors won by 39 runs. C. Stone took seven for 9, G. Cooper three for 3, and E. Brown seven wickets (cost not stated). Score:—

Table with columns SANDFORD and TETSWORTH, listing players and their scores in two columns.

Table with columns C Stone c Thorn b and E Brown c C Stone, listing players and their scores in two columns.

WHEATLEY v. BALDON.

At Wheatley, Baldon winning by 15 runs. Harold Aldworth took five wickets, as also did Munt. Score:—

Table with columns BALDON and WHEATLEY, listing players and their scores in two columns.

HORSPATH v. GARSINGTON.

At Horspath the homesters won easily. L. Munt played a good innings of 54 not out and P. Coppock took nine for 20. Score:—

Table with columns GARSINGTON and HORSPATH, listing players and their scores in two columns.

SANDFORD AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.

CHIPPING NORTON v. ROUSHAM.

In this game at Chipping Norton on Saturday Rousham won by 31 runs. The visitors were rather lucky to have reached a total of 97, as J. Cato, who knocked up 48, was several times missed. Partridge (four for 13) was the most successful bowler, although Padley (three for 8) going on rather late also did well. Chipping Norton batsmen made rather a poor show, especially against the bowling of Gunning, who in five overs took five wickets for as many runs. Score:—

Table with columns ROUSHAM and CHIPPING NORTON, listing players and their scores in two columns.

LITTLEMORE CUP—Semi-final.

HORSPATH II. v. WHEATLEY.

Wheatley qualified to meet Sandford in the Littlemore Cup final on 23 August. Munt (four for 4) and Cox (four for 19) bowled well for the winners and Creed made a nice 46, while Butler took five for 58 for the losers. Score:—

Table with columns HORSPATH and WHEATLEY, listing players and their scores in two columns.

Table with columns F Sheppard c and b and G Shorter b H Butler, listing players and their scores in two columns.

VALENTIA LEAGUE.

BLETCHINGTON v. HEYFORD.

At Bletchington the home side, after being 28 behind on first innings, won by three runs. Saunders took seven for 21, including the "hat-trick," and F. Scraggs seven for 6, also including a "hat-trick." In the second innings Bletchington declared at 62 for nine and dismissed Heyford for 31. Score:—

Table with columns BLETCHINGTON and HEYFORD, listing players and their scores in two columns.

MIDDLETON STONEY v. CHESTERTON.

At Middleton, the home side won by 138 runs. P. Varney made 54 not out and took four for 8 and F. Turner had six for 11. Score:—

Table with columns MIDDLETON and CHESTERTON, listing players and their scores in two columns.

BRIEF RESULTS.

Oxford Post Office, 133 for four (H. Joyce 74, G. Roberts 31 not out); East Oxford Traders, 31 (H. Joyce six for 9) and 14; Watlington, 94 (R. Donaldson 32); Henley Brewery, 83 (C. W. Brakspear 44); Kirtlington, 51 (A. and E. Curtis four wkts. each); Stoke Lync, 23 (A. George and H. A. Greaves five for 10); This Week of Laughter Co., 142 (A. Jeffreys 57); Brice and Sons, 104 (S. Evans, 104 for nine (L. Henton 38, Woods five for 45, Fowler three for 32); Sunningwell, 58 (C. Woodward 21, W. Spicer four wkts.); Appleton, 29 (C. Holborough four for nine, L. Deane three for 10); Y.M.C.A., 99 (S. Macready 36, W. C. Holley 24, R. Randall seven for 43); South Oxford, 94 (W. C. Holley six for 33, S. Hughes four for 29); South Oxford, 318 for seven dec. (L. Brown 3, C. Harris 1, J. Barton 70 not out); Oxford Gas Works, 41 (E. Wiggins five for 6) and 36 (E. Wiggins two for 9); Oxford G.W.R., 128 for six (J. Ody 70); University College Services, 74 (W. Holley 31, J. Ody seven for 22); University Servants II, 169 for six dec. (D. Goodey 79); Oxford Honklers, 80 (S. Loughborough 21, H. Morris six for 26); Kingston Baginbaze, 83 (G. Martin 24, W. Martin 20); Marcham, 63 (A. Gosling 12, E. Church 11); Kennington, 42 (Warwick four for 15, Atkey four for 16); Oxford Exiles, 41 (T. A. Warnock 10 not out); Heth, 51; Ambrosden, 28; Tiddington, 122 (G. Coppock 42, A. G. Sansum six wkts.); Shell-Mex, 71 (P. C. Jackson 24 not out, Coppock three for 22); Oxfordshire Nomads, 184 for five dec. (P. G. Martin 73, H. F. Parker 43, H. King 29 not out); Titup, 96 (L. Price 26, R. T. Simms seven for 25); Horspath, 202 for six dec. (C. Cooper 70, L. Munt 55, F. Hedges 45 not out); Byard's, 70 (T. Byard 21, C. Cooper five wkts.); University Press Juniors, 89 for eight dec.; Clifton Handicap Juniors, 20 and 18; Morris Motors, 182 for five dec. (B. Herriman 118 not out); Stow-on-the-Wold, 46 (B. Ferriman seven for 15, G. Stone three for 23); Herriman's Innings included five sixes; Morris Motors, 150 for eight (A. Shepperd 43, G. Hull 31); Hallow R.A.F. 115 (E. Miles six for 34, A. Thomas three for 35).

MAINLY ABOUT PLAYERS.

Capt. B. J. Henry has been elected a member of the Wanderers Club, one of the oldest clubs in England.

## MINOR COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP.

### EDWARDS BEATS OXFORDSHIRE

#### LESSONS OF THE BUCKS MATCH.

The defeat of Oxfordshire by Bucks in the Minor Counties' Championship—their first since 1928—was, perhaps, more disappointing than unexpected. This may seem an unfair statement when one recalls the outcome of the challenge match last season and Oxfordshire's slashing victory. Circumstances, however, alter cases. Last year's match was played on a plumb wicket and Oxfordshire had the pace bowlers for the occasion. Last Friday's match was commenced on turf damaged by rain. It did not look really difficult. There were spots of damp on it and Franklin rightly surmised that for an hour or so it would suit his slow spin bowler, Edwards. So when he won the toss he sent in Oxfordshire. His judgement was correct. In less than two hours Oxfordshire were out for 87, and the only stand of note was by S. C. B. Lee and Inge. Lee went in first and was eighth out. Though he was occasionally beaten by Edwards, his defence was that of the first-rate batsman, and when he left at the fall of the eighth wicket his share of the 87 was just over half. Inge used his long reach and good eye in an effort to knock Edwards off and his was a very plucky effort. Edwards returned the fine analysis of 9 for 29. His best ball was one which pitched outside the leg stump and then straightened itself, though he often beat the bat and the stumps with the favourite ball of the left-hander that swings right across. His length was so perfect and the ball so often on the blind spot that the batsmen found the greatest difficulty in going out to it and meeting it before the break acted. Only the quickest-footed batsman could have played Edwards, and few of the Oxfordshire batsmen use their feet properly. The rest of Friday was spent by Bucks in wearing down the Oxfordshire bowling, which they had little difficulty in doing, though if Frank Hartley had had his deserts he would have taken two or three early wickets. As usual, Walters bowled very steadily, but it is doubtful if he spins the ball quite enough and, moreover, the pitch had improved. Brindley played a great innings for his side, and the mild barracking to which he was subjected could only have been employed by a non-cricketer.

Bucks were 94 on at the close of their innings, and Oxfordshire lost Cotton's wicket before the close of the first day's play.

In the absence of rain on Friday night the pitch was more in favour of the batsmen, and yet Oxfordshire could only just succeed in passing the 100, and before lunch Bucks had won by ten wickets. The batting was again lacking in resolution and only Len. Rogers and S. C. B. Lee stayed in long enough to run up a decent individual score.

All cricketers know that Oxfordshire suffer from the lack of a really good spin bowler and this will naturally always handicap them. What is equally disturbing to my mind is the unreliability of the batting from No. 4 to No. 7. Great things are expected of young Evetts when he is available next week, and probably Phaire, a left-hander, will also add to the strength of the side. But where is the slow bowler to come from! I hope that next

winter Elmer Cotton will devote most of his time at his school to the encouragement and improvement of bowlers who can spin a ball. Meanwhile one hopes Oxfordshire will take the earliest opportunity to show that their fall from grace is only temporary. Except under certain conditions they are a good side, and defeat should merely stiffen their determination.

Score and analysis:—

OXFORDSHIRE—First Innings.	
H Walker lbw b Edwards	2
S C B Lee b Edwards	44
E Hartley c Brindley b Hazelton	1
C Walters b Edwards	3
L Rogers c Rafferty b Edwards	3
E Cotton hit wkt b Edwards	2
F Hartley c Rafferty b Edwards	9
M H Lee b Edwards	0
W W Inge not out	21
R P Thomas b Edwards	0
B J Henry b Edwards	0
Extras	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>87</b>

Second Innings.	
E Cotton lbw b Edwards	0
H Walker b Hazelton	6
E Hartley b Edwards	10
S C B Lee lbw b Edwards	21
C Walters b Rutter	4
L Rogers b Battock	28
F Hartley c Edwards b Rutter	1
M H Lee b Rutter	0
W W Inge b Battock	5
R P Thomas c Skinner b Edwards	4
B J Henry not out	1
Extras	23
<b>Total</b>	<b>103</b>

BUCKINGHAMSHIRE—First Innings.	
W T Brindley c and b Henry	56
R H J Brooke b Henry	10
A G Skinner b S C B Lee	19
W B Franklin lbw b Walters	17
C V Rafferty c Henry b S C B Lee	12
A James b Walters	29
A G Battock c Thomas b S C B Lee	8
W E Hazelton lbw b F Hartley	0
B A Davis not out	15
R Rutter c Thomas b Walters	9
Edwards b Henry	0
Extras	15
<b>Total</b>	<b>181</b>

Second Innings.	
A G Battock not out	1
R Rutter not out	8
Extras	1
<b>Total (for 0 wkt)</b>	<b>10</b>

#### BOWLING ANALYSIS.

OXFORDSHIRE.—First Innings: Hazelton, 9-1-39-1; Edwards, 19-10-29-9; Brindley, 10-4-17-0.  
 Second Innings: Hazelton, 15-5-10-1; Edwards, 20-0-40-4; Rutter, 7-5-2-11-4; Battock, 2-0-10-1.  
 BUCKINGHAMSHIRE.—First Innings: Henry, 13-4-3-29-3; F Hartley, 22-5-57-1; Thomas, 6-2-10-0; Walters, 22-9-37-3; S C B Lee, 16-6-33-3.  
 Second Innings: Henry, 2-1-0-0; Walters, 1-1-0-0.

#### Results to 10 July (inclusive).

	P	W	L	Won Lost on on				Pts	Pts	Per cent.
				1st Ins	1st Ins	No	Pos			
Cornwall	1	1	0	0	0	0	5	5	100.00	
Durham	4	4	0	0	0	0	20	20	100.00	
Hertfordshire	5	2	0	2	0	1	20	16	80.00	
Leicestershire	7	4	1	2	0	0	35	26	74.29	
Lancashire	4	2	1	0	0	1	15	10	66.66	
Oxfordshire	5	2	1	0	1	20	13	65.00		
Surrey	5	1	0	1	2	15	9	60.00		
Wiltshire	1	0	0	1	0	0	5	3	60.00	
Staffordshire	5	2	1	0	1	20	11	55.55		
Cambridgeshire	7	1	0	0	1	10	5	50.00		
Cheshire	7	3	3	0	0	1	30	15	50.00	
Kent	4	1	1	1	0	20	9	45.00		
Lincolnshire	4	1	1	1	0	20	9	45.00		
Bedfordshire	3	1	0	0	0	15	8	40.00		
Nottinghamshire	1	3	2	1	0	35	12	34.28		
Devonshire	4	1	2	0	0	15	5	33.33		
Northumberland	3	1	2	0	0	15	5	33.33		
Yorkshire II	7	4	1	1	0	35	9	25.71		
Monmouthshire	4	1	3	0	0	20	5	25.00		
Norfolk	2	0	0	0	1	5	1	20.00		
Berkshire	2	0	0	1	0	10	0	10.00		
Derbyshire	4	0	3	0	1	20	1	5.00		
Dorset	1	0	1	0	0	5	0	—		

Abandoned without a ball being bowled: Lancashire II v. Staffordshire (at Heywood); Yorkshire II v. Northumberland (at Rotherham).

## OXFORDSHIRE

v.

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Play starts 11.30 each day.

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**CRICKET.**

**LEAVES FROM MY NOTE-BOOK.**

**FIXTURES.**

(On ground of first-named club.)

**SATURDAY.**

- Oxford City v. Bury.
- Oxford City v. Bath (11.30).
- University Press v. M.C. (Abingdon).
- Banbury v. Headington.
- Shipton-under-Wychwood v. North Oxford.
- United College Servants v. Oxford Exiles.
- Oxford Downs v. Stratton St. Margaret.
- Wallingford v. Whitechurch.
- Thame v. Stanton St. John.
- Littlemore Hospital v. Ivanhoe.
- Witney O.D. Ginnians v. Bicester.
- Shell-Mex v. County Council Staff.
- Kidlington v. City Imperial League.
- North Oxford II v. South Oxford II.
- Stokenchurch v. Church Army Press II.
- Woodstock v. R.A.F. Hoorford.
- Hoxton Manor Boys v. Thame II.
- Yarnton v. Titup II.
- Bicester II v. Stratton Andley.
- Great Haseley v. Baldon II.
- Kingham v. Kingham Hill.
- Kirtlington v. Tipt.
- Coombe II v. Harby II.
- Easton v. Northcott.
- Tiddington v. South Midland Territorials.
- Boar's Hill v. Abingdon Pavlova.
- Middleton Stoney v. Barton.
- Sunningwell v. Cotchill.
- Marcham v. Fallow.
- Abingdon Wesleyans v. Abingdon Imps.
- Horspath v. Forest Hill.
- Elfield v. Holton Aviators.
- Didcot v. Applington.
- Hagbourne v. Trington.

**AIREY CUP.**

**Semi-Final.**

City Police v. Church Army Press (University College ground).

**OXFORDSHIRE LEAGUE.**

**Division I.**

- Cowley v. Witney Swifts.
- Church Army Press v. Coombe.
- Witney Mills v. Summertown.
- South Oxford v. Kidlington.
- Cowley St. John v. Morris Motors.
- Charlbury v. Y.M.C.A.

**Division II.**

- Y.M.C.A. v. Wolvercote.
- University Press v. Church Army Press.
- Wytham v. Titup.
- Headington v. United Servants.

**WITNEY AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.**

**Division I.**

- Newland v. Chadlington.
- Handborough v. Eynsham.

**Division II.**

- Eynsham I. v. Cokthorpe.
- Chadlington v. Minster.
- Finstock v. button.
- Wootton v. Church Handborough.
- Leafeld II v. Charlbury II.
- Milton II v. Shipton.

**WYFFOLD LEAGUE.**

**Division I.**

- Clifton Hampden v. Sandford.
- Baldon v. Wheatley.
- Garsington v. Stauchampton.
- Littlemore v. Horspath.

**Division II.**

- Great Milton v. Garsington II.
- Wheatley II v. Suntham.
- Sandford II v. Chingovoe.

**FILKINS AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.**

- Aston v. Brize Norton.
- Chaffield v. Fairbeach.
- Shilton v. Filkins.

**EYNSHAM AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.**

- Wolvercote v. Ginnor.

**VALENTINE LEAGUE.**

- Tackley v. Blotclington.

**MONDAY.**

- Cowley St. Joan v. Ivanhoe (11.30).
- Headington v. Marlborough.
- Metrogas v. Morris Motors (11.0).
- Cheltenham League v. Witney League.
- Witney League II v. Cheltenham League II.
- Stanton St. John v. Oxford City.
- North Oxford v. Swindon (11.30).
- South Oxford v. Charlbury.
- Stevens' Sports v. South Oxford II.
- Y.M.C.A. v. Handborough.
- Oxford Downs v. Oxfordshire Nomads.
- Thame II v. Boar's Hill.
- County Council Staff v. Coombe.
- Shipton-under-Wychwood v. Bourton Vale.
- Pudlicote v. Shipton II.
- Oxford Imperials v. Cheltenham Imperials.
- Tiddington v. Stadhampton (11.30).
- Kirtlington v. Holywell Press.
- Middleton Stoney v. Kings Sutton.
- Bradley v. Sunningwell.
- Drayton St. Leonard v. Newington.
- Holton Aviators v. Mr. P. R. Alden's XI.
- Barton v. Oxford Gas Works.

**EYNSHAM INSTITUTE LEAGUE.**

- Eynsham v. Newland.
- Horspath v. Cassington.

**MONDAY AND TUESDAY.**

**MINOR COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP.**

- Bedfordshire v. Oxfordshire (at Bedford).

**TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY.**

- Stevens' Sports v. County Council Staff (evenings).
- Byard's v. Holton Aviators (evenings).

**TUESDAY.**

- North Oxford v. Mr. W. C. Wyatt's XI.
- Morris Motors v. Banbury Town.
- United College Servants v. Ivanhoe.

**WEDNESDAY.**

- North Oxford v. City Police.
- R.A.F. Bicester v. Depot O.B.L.I.
- Wallingford v. Reading United Bank.
- Adlebury v. Thame.
- Monks Risborough v. Oxford City.
- Oxford City v. Ivanhoe (11.30).

**BY F.J.F.**

This is the time of the year for cricket tours and weeks. Ivanhoe are paying a visit to Oxford this and next week, and their programme is:—

- Aug. 2—Littlemore Hospital.
- .. 4—Cowley St. John.
- .. 5—United College Servants.
- .. 6—Oxford City.
- .. 7—Depot O.B.L.I.

They are assured of a welcome from Oxford clubs, some of whom have already made their acquaintance.

Then, starting on Monday, North Oxford have their annual week. The club has three good recruits from Yorkshire and is rather stronger than usual. Their programme is:—

- Aug. 4—Swindon.
- .. 5—Mr. W. C. Wyatt's XI.
- .. 6—City Police.
- .. 7—Thame.
- .. 8—Oxford City.
- .. 9—Shipton-under-Wychwood.

I am pleased to hear that my recent note on an open lawn tennis tournament for Oxford has many supporters. It is rather late to do anything this season. Meanwhile, it would be a good thing if local clubs could get to-

**WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY.**

Oxfordshire v. M.C.C. (on Merton ground).

**THURSDAY.**

- Headington v. Summertown.
- North Oxford v. Thame.
- Booksellers v. South Oxford.
- Depot O.B.L.I. v. Ivanhoe (11.0).
- Stevens' Sports v. Y.M.C.A.
- Twining Bros v. United College Servants II.
- City Police v. County Police.
- Woodstock v. Mr. Ayres' XI.
- Y.M.C.A. v. City Imperials (evening).
- Kidlington v. Bicester.

**MAINLY ABOUT PLAYERS.**

The Oxford Exiles (Mr. C. Harvey, 2, Lonsdale-road) require an away match on 23 August.

For the third week in succession, last Saturday the Church Army Press won three matches in one day.

Gulfoyle and Spindler are on trial for Oxfordshire and so are not barred from the Airey Cup.

The old Kent cricketer, W. J. Fair-service, was one of the umpires in the Oxon and Beds match.

J. S. Gwatkin, the hockey Blue secured a fourth-class in the Final Honour School of Modern Greats.

A. R. Nelson, of Marlborough, who is playing in the Public School trial game at Lord's next week, lives at Nettleden, and is, therefore, eligible for Oxfordshire.

Among those who took D.A. degrees last week were H. C. Morphet, ex-President of the O.U.B.C., and G. O. M. Taylor, the hockey Blue.

"Jimmy" Gardiner, whose death is announced this week, was a member of the South Oxford Club in the days of the brothers Stone, Harry Roberts, Harold Alden, and other stalwarts of the past.

Among those successful in Classical Greats were H. L. Gonn and W. C. Wentworth (athletic Blues) and W. W. Inge, the County wicket-keeper, each of whom took a Second, and C. E. S. Gordon and J. M. Purnfrey (athletic Blue), each of whom took a Third.

gether in the winter and also if they would let me have their views on the matter. I think I can promise a trophy if the tournament is given good support. My sole aim is to higher the standard of the game in the City, and I believe this can only be done by bringing the best players together in something more exacting and thrilling than a club tourney. Views of players on the question of an open tourney would be much appreciated.

The defeat of Oxfordshire by Bucks need not occasion undue alarm if we are wise enough to benefit from the lesson the game teaches. It is obvious that the Oxfordshire batting needs strengthening and that we must unearth a really good spin bowler. Local cricket at the moment is not of the highest standard. I, personally, League considerably strengthened, even if this meant the elimination of some of the country clubs. There is no doubt that the system of admitting all and sundry is not a good one. When application is made more consideration should be paid to the cricket standard and the state of the pitch and less to the "more the merrier" principle. Good cricketers—batsmen and bowlers—can only be trained on perfect wickets and against the very strongest opposition. Verb. sap. I

**CRICKETERS' ROLL.**

**BATTING.**

P. T. Hickman (Cowley v. Standlake) .....	117*
T. Hambridge (Shipton v. Kingham Hill) .....	101*
Pte. L. Sadler (A.S.C. v. Oxford City) .....	87
L. Carter (Queer's Servants v. New College Servants) .....	84
W. Juddins (Wallington v. Oxfordshire Nomads) .....	78
T. England (Cowley St. John II v. Ginnor) ..	74
W. H. Bowe (Oxford Downs v. Farmington) ..	72
J. Senior (Morris Motors v. Lechlade) .....	66
G. Buckingham (Church Army Press v. Shell-Mex) .....	65
J. Butler (Shipton v. Kingham Hill) .....	63
W. R. Slater (Wallington v. Oxfordshire Nomads) .....	63
E. Tompkins (Bosheim v. Woodstock) .....	62
E. Coppock (Ginn v. University Press II) .....	59*
F. Goddard (Kingham Hill v. Shipton) .....	57
F. Lee (Titup v. University Press II) .....	57
P. Faulkner (Shipton II v. Chadlington II) ..	57
E. Wiggins (South Oxford II v. Morris Motors II) .....	56
N. Bowell (Oxford City v. R.A.S.C.) .....	55
J. Langridge (Littlemore Hospital v. City Imps)	54*
V. Brooks (Shipton II v. Chadlington II) .....	54
H. C. Hiss (Cowley v. Standlake) .....	53
S. C. Adams (Farmington v. Oxford Downs) ..	53
D. Taylor (Stamilton v. Farmington League) ..	53
A. Mosey (Titup v. University Press II) .....	53
F. Davis (Elfield v. Pudlicote) .....	53
W. Martin (Kingston Bagpuze v. Farmington Guild) .....	52*
C. W. Wyatt (N. Oxford v. Cowley St. John) ..	52
E. Passmore (Banbury v. Bicester Hunt) .....	52
H. E. D. Dymos (R.A.S.C. v. Oxford City) .....	52
G. Sherlock (South Oxford v. M.C.A.) .....	50*
R. Jawhore (University Press II v. United Servants II) .....	50*
R. Taylor (Farmington v. Oxford Downs) .....	50

\*Not out.

**BOWLING.**

R. Peacock (Stanton St. John v. Tiddington) ..	0-12
G. Vickars (Witney Swifts v. Handborough) ..	8-8
H. Gibbons (Sandford II v. Wheatley II) .....	8-27
A. Webb (Titup v. University Press II) .....	7-0
B. Fisher (Cokthorpe Park v. Ginnor II) .....	7-7
V. Jones (Horton v. Baldon II) .....	7-10
J. Gulfoyle (United Servants v. Headington) ..	7-14
A. Linn (Aston v. Bradwell Grove) .....	7-17
H. Thornton (Morris Motors v. South Oxford) ..	7-20
P. Whitehurst (City Police v. Y.M.C.A.) .....	7-29
J. Gulfoyle (Queer's Servants v. New College Servants) .....	7-27
P. Eicketts (Farmington v. Oxford Downs) .....	7-27
S. Thornton (Clipping Norton II v. Little Ginnor) .....	6-4
F. Hunt (Shipton v. Chaffield) .....	6-5
P. Bradles (Milton v. Chadlington) .....	6-8
C. Stone (Sandford v. Radley) .....	6-9
R. Hunt (Shilton v. Chaffield) .....	6-9
J. Clarkson (Littlemore Hospital v. City Imperials) .....	6-11
M. Hicks (Chadlington v. Milton) .....	6-13
J. Pickett (Minster Lovell v. Milton II) .....	6-13
J. Stewart (Barton v. Wolvercote) .....	6-14
J. Campbell (Kingston Bagpuze v. Farmington Guild) .....	6-14
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OXFORD CITY v. R.A.S.C.

There was some confusion over the City fixtures on Saturday. Three matches were originally arranged. That against North Oxford had to be scratched, the one at Banbury was only in progress about an hour, and this left as the only game, the return against the R.A.S.C. of Aldershot, which was played on the Keble ground. Dynes, of Bedford, and Sadler treated the City bowling with rather scant respect, and while they were together runs came freely. When once they had been parted the bowlers, Churchill, Haynes and Thomas, did better and the score was only 208 at the finish. For the City, Howell, Bennett and Thomas all did well and at the close the City were within 48 of their opponents' total with two wickets in hand. Score:—

Table with 2 columns: R.A.S.C. and OXFORD CITY. Lists players and their runs/wickets. Total (8 wkts) 160.

MORRIS MOTORS v. LECHLADE.

Morris Motors were in great form at Lechlade on Saturday and beat the home side by 164 runs. They declared at 215 for six, R. Thornton, Senior and F. Arnold all making runs in good style against bowling that lacked the saving grace of steadiness. Lechlade could only make 51 in reply, Ferriman taking five for 21, Proctor three for 23 and Couling two for one. Score:—

Table with 2 columns: MORRIS MOTORS and LECHLADE. Lists players and their runs/wickets. Total (6 wkts dec) 215.

COWLEY v. STANDLAKE.

Standlake were well beaten by Cowley when they visited them on Saturday. Batting first, Cowley scored 151 before the first wicket fell, R. Collins being bowled by F. Beckingsale after scoring 55. E. Barrett then joined P. Hickman, and with the score at 187 the latter retired with 117 runs to his credit, which he collected in 80 minutes. W. Dykes was then lbw to Beckingsale with the score at 210, and the innings was declared closed at 235. E. Barrett being not out 35 and H. W. Jones not out 11. F. Beckingsale took two wickets for 89 runs. When Standlake went in to bat five wickets were soon down for 20 runs, and with G. Sales (1st) and F. Beckingsale (11) being the only two batsmen to reach double figures, the innings closed at 43. Batting a second time they could only total 51, and were thus beaten by 104 runs and 118 wickets. P. Merritt took five wickets in the first innings and E. Barrett five in the second. Score:—

Table with 2 columns: COWLEY and STANDLAKE. Lists players and their runs/wickets. Total (3 wkts dec) 235.

NORTH OXFORD v. COWLEY ST. JOHN.

Resuming acquaintance on the field after a lapse of some years North Oxford and Cowley St. John played a draw on the St. John's ground. For their total of 163 for seven the home club were indebted to Edwards, Wyatt and Bowtell, the latter of whom, though making the smallest score of the three, played the most correct cricket. The other two innings were marred by chances. H. Gray and L. Walker bore the brunt of the bowling and the latter was unkindly treated by his fieldsmen. Carter and Daniels gave Cowley St. John a good start by having 60 up and both were out when they looked thoroughly set. Then Basil Rogers caused a collapse and at the close Cowley St. John were in a bad position. Rogers took six for 35. Score:—

Table with 2 columns: NORTH OXFORD and COWLEY ST. JOHN. Lists players and their runs/wickets. Total (7 wkts dec) 163.

OXFORD DOWNS v. FARINGDON.

The Downs had their best win this season in a great game with Faringdon by eight runs. For Faringdon, Adams (53), Taylor (50) and Burton (33) gave a fine display with the bat. T. Wakefield again bowled well (five for 40). With just two hours for play the Downs got the runs, Bowen playing a fine innings of 72, hitting very hard and driving well. Davies helped the score along with a quick 39, but the success of the Downs was due to a fine stand by Collett and Wakefield, who put on 62 for the 9th wicket. Ricketts had seven wickets for 72. The Downs have won their last five matches and at present are proving a very strong side. Score:—

Table with 2 columns: OXFORD DOWNS and FARINGDON. Lists players and their runs/wickets. Total (8 wkts) 161.

MARCHAM v. NEWINGTON.

At Marcham the home side won by 57 runs. Thame and Edmunds bowled well and there was a good stand by Church and the Rev. G. R. Palmer. Score:—

Table with 2 columns: MARCHAM and NEWINGTON. Lists players and their runs/wickets. Total (6 wkts) 208.

KINGHAM HILL v. SHIPTON-UNDER-WYCHWOOD.

Shipton under Wychwood first XI journeyed to Kingham Hill on Saturday and piled up 165 runs without losing a wicket. J. Butler and G. Hambidge had a great time, and

although Kingham tried numerous bowlers they could not separate them, so both ultimately retired. Butler with 63 and Hambidge 101, the latter's 60 included eleven fours. The 20 Goddards went in first for Kingham, but the junior (G. Goddard) was unfortunately run out for two and the veteran went on to make 57 not out, when the game was declared finished at four wickets for 81 runs. Mews, in his first game for Shipton, took two wickets for 31 runs and Hambidge one for 5. Score:—

Table with 2 columns: SHIPTON and KINGHAM HILL. Lists players and their runs/wickets. Total (4 wkts) 81.

BLENHEIM v. WOODSTOCK.

Heavy showers spoilt this match. Tompkins played a good innings for Blenheim, and Austin bowled steadily for Woodstock, only 24 runs being hit off him in 23 overs for four wickets. Woodstock only had an hour's batting. Score:—

Table with 2 columns: BLENHEIM and WOODSTOCK. Lists players and their runs/wickets. Total (3 wkts dec) 135.

STANTON ST. JOHN v. TIDDINGTON.

At Stanton, the feature of the game being the bowling of R. Peacock, who returned an analysis of 15.2 overs, 4 maidens, 12 runs, 9 wickets. Score:—

Table with 2 columns: STANTON ST. JOHN and TIDDINGTON. Lists players and their runs/wickets. Total (1 wkt) 53.

CHARLBURY v. BAMPTON.

At Charlbury the home side won by four runs. Thornett took six wickets for Charlbury, including the "hat-trick" and for Bampton, Cannons took five for 11. Score:—

Table with 2 columns: BAMPTON and CHARLBURY. Lists players and their runs/wickets. Total (4 wkts) 45.

BANBURY v. BICESIER HUNT.

At Banbury and won by the home side. Score:—

Table with 2 columns: BICESIER HUNT and BANBURY. Lists players and their runs/wickets. Total (3 wkts) 29.

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G Wilkes c Clark b	G Cherry c Ward b
Daniel ..... 4	Whitton ..... 13
T H Curtis c G Clark	G C Cherry not out.. 3
b G Cherry ..... 27	
Extras ..... 8	Extras ..... 8
Total ..... 132	Total ..... 156

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**MINOR COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP.**  
BEDFORDSHIRE v. OXFORDSHIRE.

Oxfordshire lost their second game in the Minor Counties Championship at Bedford on Monday and Tuesday, Bedfordshire beating them by an innings and 82 runs. The batting, with the exception of Waiker, L. Rogers, F. Hartley and M. H. Lee, broke down and the bowling was far below the usual accurate standard. Score:—

**OXFORDSHIRE—First Innings.**

H Walker c Smith b Ward	0
J M Everts c Alston b Ward	1
S C B Lee b Smith	0
C Walters b Smith	4
L Rogers c Parker b Smith	1
R A Playre c Buckle b Smith	7
W W Inge c Dynes b Smith	0
F Hartley not out	16
M Lee run out	23
J Rogers b Sime	5
B J Henry c Wise b Sime	1
Extras	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>60</b>

**Second Innings.**

H Walker c and b Ward	35
J M Everts l z b Ward	2
S C B Lee b Smith	1
C Walters st Parker b Sime	10
L Rogers b Sime	31
R A Playre c and b Ward	2
W W Inge c Ward b Dynes	6
F Hartley c Dynes b Ward	14
M Lee b Dynes	0
J Rogers not out	6
B J Henry run out	4
Extras	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>114</b>

**BEDFORDSHIRE—First Innings.**

E D Dynes c L Rogers b J Rogers	16
S Rawlings c and b Hartley	3
W A Sime b Rogers	34
Alston b Hartley	28
H A Stoungate c Hartley b Walters	3
H A Aruckle b S Lee	11
R G Wise c and b S Lee	24
J C Cook b Hartley	63
C G Parker st Inge b Walters	1
E F P Smith not out	18
R V Ward c and b Hartley	19
Extras	31
<b>Total</b>	<b>256</b>

**BOWLING ANALYSIS.**

BEDFORDSHIRE. — First Innings: Henry, 17—0—38—0; Hartley, 24.1—4—70—4; J. Rogers, 13—3—46—2; S. Lee, 17—2—42—2; Walters, 16—3—29—2.



**CRICKET.**

**OXFORDSHIRE v. M.C.C.**

For the first time for many years an Oxfordshire side met the M.C.C., the game being played on the Merton ground on Wednesday and Thursday. Owing largely to interruptions from rain, it was drawn. There was some interesting cricket on the last day owing to a sporting declaration by P. H. Slater, the Marylebone captain, but after Henry and Len Rogers had made a good effort to hit off the runs, there was a collapse, and finally time intervened. Score and analysis:—

**M.C.C.—First Innings.**

S. C. B. Lee b Rogers	12
F. H. Hollins c and b Henry	0
Nawab c Eastnall run out	40
C. H. Gosling c Lee b Thomas	33
Martin c Henry b Walters	0
W. H. Webster b J. Rogers	30
Simms c Henry b Walters	0
H. N. Alston b Walters	8
P. H. Slater b Henry	23
G. C. Melhuish b J. Rogers	0
H. M. Lemoine not out	0
Extras	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>167</b>

**Second Innings.**

F. H. Hollins b Walters	4
S. C. B. Lee c L. Rogers b J. Rogers	10
Nawab c Eastnall bow b J. Rogers	2
C. H. Gosling c Lee b Walters	17
Martin st Inge b Walters	8
W. H. Webster not out	30
Simms c J. Rogers b Henry	3
H. N. Alston not out	0
Extras	8
<b>Total (6 wks dec)</b>	<b>83</b>

**OXFORDSHIRE—First Innings**

W. Spindler b Martin	7
J. A. Eccles b Martin	5
L. Rogers b Alston	21
C. Walters c Gosling b Simms	30
W. W. Inge c Martin	40
J. Gullfoyle c and b Simms	1
R. A. Phayre b Martin	5
Extras	0
M. H. Lee b Webster	4
R. P. Thomas b Martin	5
B. J. Henry not out	0
Extras	16
<b>Total</b>	<b>134</b>

**Second Innings.**

B. J. Henry b Alston	12
L. Rogers bow b Webster	34
W. W. Inge c Gosling b Martin	3
C. Walters b Martin	3
M. H. Lee b Martin	0
R. A. Phayre c and b Webster	1
J. Rogers not out	13
R. P. Thomas b Webster	0
J. Gullfoyle not out	20
Extras	2
<b>Total (7 wks)</b>	<b>88</b>

**BOWLING ANALYSIS**

M.C.C. - First Innings: Henry, 11-3-20-2; Thomas, 16-3-33-1; J. Rogers, 15-6-25-3; Gullfoyle, 5-0-16-0; L. Rogers, 4-2-3-0; Walters, 19-3-38-3.

Second Innings: Henry, 6-2-8-1; Thomas, 2-2-8-0; J. Rogers, 6-1-25-2; Walters, 10-2-1-21-3; L. Rogers, 3-0-18-0.

OXFORDSHIRE - First Innings: Martin, 21-3-11-37-5; Melhuish, 8-6-5-0; Webster, 12-3-7-1; Alston, 9-1-29-1; Simms, 0-1-30-3.

**CRICKET.**

**LEAVES FROM MY NOTE-BOOK.**

**FIXTURES.**

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**SATURDAY.**

**MINOR COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP.**  
Cambridgeshire v. Oxfordshire (second day).

- Oxford City v. Bampton.
- North Oxford v. Shipton-under-Wychwood.
- University Press v. Stratton St. Margaret.
- Cowley St. John II. v. Titup.
- R. F. Heyford v. Headington.
- Depot O.B.L.L. v. Summertown.
- Bicester v. South Oxford.
- Lechlade v. Witney Old Grammarians.
- Littlemore Hospital v. Kirtlington.
- Woodstock v. Oxford Downs.
- Civil Service Club v. Banbury.
- Wallingford v. Ivanhoe (11.30).
- Horton Avary v. North Oxford II.
- Titup II. v. Garsington.
- Han Wycombe v. Thame.
- Thame "A" v. Aylesbury Town "A."
- Shipton-under-Wychwood II. v. Field.
- County Council Staff v. Post Office.
- Hethel v. Bicester II.
- City Imperial League v. Cumnor.
- Eselsd v. Oxford Exiles.
- Shell Mex v. Osberton Works.
- Faringdon v. Witney Mills.
- Kirtlington II. v. Osberton Works II.
- Eynsham II. v. Stanlake.
- Kingham Hill v. Latimer.
- The Warneford v. Stanton St. John.
- Haley v. Ascott-under-Wychwood.
- Blenheim v. Eaton.
- Tiddington v. Chilton.
- Stevens' Sports Club v. Boar's Hill.
- Islip v. Cheserton.
- Benson v. Drayton St. Leonard.
- King-ton Bagpiper v. Sunningwell.
- Brackley v. Buckingham.
- Middleton v. Brackley.
- Tulney and Fildel v. Marcham.
- Ditcot v. South Moreton.
- Turners Court v. Hazbourne.

**AINEY CUP—Semi-finals.**

- Morris Motors v. United College Servants.
- City Police v. Church Army Press.

**TELEGRAPH CUP—Semi-finals.**

- Pressed Steel v. Church Army Press.
- South Oxford v. University Press.

**OXFORDSHIRE LEAGUE.**

**Division I.**

- Morris Motors v. Cowley St. John.
- Y.M.C.A. v. Charlbury.
- Cowley v. Church Army Press.
- Kidlington v. R.A.O.C. Ditcot.

**Division II.**

- South Oxford v. Morris Motors.
- Wolverton v. Y.M.C.A.
- United College Servants v. Eynsham.
- Middle Barton v. Kidlington.
- Cowley v. Headington.
- Church Army Press v. Titup.

**WITNEY LEAGUE.**

**Division I.**

- Cassington v. Coombe.
- Witney Swifts v. Handborough.
- Milton v. Newland.

**Division II.**

- Eynsham Hall Park II. v. Coombe.
- Cokethorpe v. Sutton.
- Minster v. Milton II.
- Charlbury II. v. Leafeld II.
- Church Handborough v. Wootton.
- Asthall v. Chadlington II.

**WYFOLD LEAGUE.**

**Division I.**

- Sandford v. Baldon.
- Littlemore v. Stadhampton.

**Division II.**

- Baldon II. v. Great Milton.
- Horspath II. v. Nuneham.

**FILKINS AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.**

- Shilton v. Aston.
- Black Bourton v. Brize Norton.
- Bradwell Grove v. Filkins.

**EYNSHAM AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.**

- Cumnor v. Wolverton.
- Wytham v. Horspath.

**VALENTIA LEAGUE.**

- Heyford v. Bletchington.
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**MONDAY.**

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**TUESDAY.**

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**TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY.**

- South Oxford v. County Council Staff (evenings).
- Byard's v. Forest Hill (evenings).

**WEDNESDAY.**

- United College Servants v. Wallingford.

**THURSDAY.**

- North Oxford v. Twining's.
- Elvaston v. Headington.
- The Warneford v. Summertown.
- South Oxford v. Stevens' Sports.
- Booksellers v. United College Servants II.
- City Police v. Woodstock.
- Y.M.C.A. v. Bicester.
- Abingdon G.W.R. v. Eaton.
- Abingdon Imperials v. Abingdon Wesleyans.

**BY F.J.F.**

The football season is rapidly approaching. The publication of reports of football meetings and fixture lists is a reminder of the fact, and in the London papers there are daily reports of the prospects of one or another of the well-known Amateur Clubs. There is no news at the moment of the City Football Club, except that there are three or four new nominations for the committee, so, I suppose, we must assume that the personnel will be much the same as last year, which was a disappointment, both from a playing and a financial point of view. I sometimes think it is a pity the City Club have not a good publicity agent and that we do not hear more about them. They may be perfectly right in their view that the annual meeting is the proper time to take the members into their confidence. I know quite a number of people who consider that, as the meeting is never held till September, this is too late for effective propaganda and that the club are the sufferers from their habit of procrastination. Publicity of the right kind is more beneficial than harmful.

The Oxfordshire County Cricket Club do not seem likely to be Minor County Champions this season. They have already practically lost their hold of the title. The defeat at the hands of Bucks has been followed by a more unexpected failure against Bedford, where, I am told, it was not so much the pitch as poor batting and bowling that was the cause of the team's undoing. The fact is that with few exceptions the batsmen have not captured

their 1929 form, and the same remark applies to the bowlers. And there is no Johnny Arnold to give stability to the side. Capt. Henry, who has done so much for the club, will get plenty of advice as to what he should do. I know he is disappointed at the failure of his side to live up to their reputation as Champions. It is now that he needs all the support and loyalty that cricketers can give him.

In regard to a Lawn Tennis tournament in Oxford a well-known official, who has had much to do with the running of big tournaments, has invited me to discuss the matter with him in order that it may be run on the proper lines. After I have seen him I will let those interested know the method of running the tournament. And while on the subject of Lawn Tennis may I heartily congratulate Miss Nelly Organ on her success at Wallingford.

The weather, just now a very fruitful topic of conversation, is proving a real drawback to the local sports clubs and to the officials of the various competitions, and unless it improves there is likely to be a serious congestion of fixtures at the back end of this month. It looks as if several extra matches will be necessary before the Oxfordshire Senior Cricket League is decided, and club tennis and bowls tournaments are greatly in arrears. A great deal thus depends on players and clubs being prepared to make sacrifices so that every available opportunity can be taken to ease the lot of the harassed officials. Give-and-take is the attitude to adopt.

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**MAINLY ABOUT PLAYERS.**

The Oxford City Cricket Club tour in Hampshire has been abandoned.

W. G. Lewendon, the old Cowley St. John player, has taken 40 wickets for Boar's Hill this season.

Cowley St. John II. (E. Pulker, 4, James-street, Oxford) require a home match on 16 August.

H. M. Lemoine, who played for the M.C.C. against the County, used to keep goal for Shepherds Bush.

F. H. Hollins, who was included in the M.C.C. team against Oxfordshire, is an old Oxford Blue. When up at Magdalen he played against Cambridge in 1901.

Blues figure prominently in the Modern History class list. H. Brogden (Soccer), A. M. Crawley (cricket), J. P. W. Mallahan (Rugby) and A. C. Marples (golf) took seconds and L. L. J. Davies (Rugby), N. R. Dobree, R. A. Hewins and C. G. Marks (athletics) and R. W. Skene (cricket) thirds. R. E. Early, of Witney, obtained a fourth.

**OXFORD CITY MATCHES.**

During the week end the City have played three matches, losing to the Old Edwardians on the School ground and drawing with Bath and Banbury. Against the Old Boys, Bradfield, the old Abingdon player, had the satisfaction of reaching the century, and so once more reminding the younger generation that the pre-war cricketer is still of some use. The innings was declared at 213 for six, and the Old Boys got the runs for the same number of wickets, thanks to Cockey and Pitt.

The Saturday match against Bath was a dreary affair, what with the weather and the slow tactics of the Bath batsmen, of whom Northway batted for three hours for 35! Perhaps the fact that Bath have not lost a match this season had something to do with the funeral pace. The City fared badly in the time allotted them and lost six for 33. Percy Mills, the ex-Gloucestershire player, now coach at Hadley, took five wickets for 42 runs in 19 overs.

Against Banbury the game was also drawn. Clayton and King, two of the younger generation, made 73 for the second City wicket, Clayton hitting two sixes and eight fours in his 69. Clarke and Bullock made a capital response for Banbury. Cricketers want to know when the rain is going to let them enjoy their games without interruption from the unwelcome attention of Jupiter Pluvius.

<b>OXFORD CITY.</b>	<b>OLD EDWARDIANS.</b>
R E Early lbw b Mortimer .. 10	C Mortimer b Webb 13
P Dillon c Langhorne b Malhaly .. 20	A Wetheral b King .. 4
N Bowll lbw b Mortimer .. 27	M Cockey b Webb .. 81
G Bradfield not out 101	T Langhorne c Early b Wastie .. 18
F Draper c and b Hume .. 0	P Pitt b Webb .. 59
J King run out .. 7	N O'Hagan not out 24
S Boulton b O'Hagan .. 9	A Malhaly hit wkt b Webb .. 3
F Wattle not out .. 9	F Denne not out .. 2
G Chaundy, I. Wastie and W Webb did not bat.	G Chase, P Rooke and R Fletcher did not bat.
Extras .. 7	Extras .. 11
Total (6 wks dec) 211	Total (6 wks) 215

<b>BATH.</b>	<b>OXFORD CITY.</b>
H H Humphries lbw b Walters .. 2	F J Draper b W S Whiting .. 4
R Northway not out 25	E Cole b Draper .. 1
R Northway not out 25	T Churchill b Draper .. 0
S G U Considine b Mills .. 4	D Axtell c Woodward b Buse .. 0
R S Chaddock b Mills .. 2	W Scott c Chaddock b W S Whiting .. 6
H Buse b Mills .. 2	P Mills not out .. 4
C Whiting lbw b Mills .. 0	C Walters lbw b Powell .. 1
L St Powell c Bradfield b Haynes .. 26	G Bradfield not out .. 2
W S Whiting run out 30	R Haynes did not bat
S L Amor c Churchill b Mills .. 11	
V Woodward not out 16	
R Draper did not bat.	
Extras .. 7	Extras .. 15
Total (8 wks dec) 133	Total (6 wks) 33

<b>OXFORD CITY.</b>	<b>BANBURY.</b>
G L Fisher b Cherry .. 4	G Clarke not out .. 39
D Clayton c Beasley b G Passmore .. 60	R Beasley c Clayton b Harris .. 8
S King b M Passmore .. 31	P Bullock not out .. 41
F J Bickering b M Passmore .. 14	E Passmore, E Clark, R J Lord, M Passmore, E G Barley, G Bullock, G C W Clarke, R P Thomas c Lord b Cherry .. 4
F Watts c G Passmore b Cherry .. 0	
J Upstone not out .. 0	
S C Boulton, E J Heather and C Harris did not bat.	
Extras .. 7	Extras .. 5
Total (7 wks dec) 151	Total (1 wkt) 33

**OXFORD DOWNS v. OXFORDSHIRE NOMADS.**

The Downs again won a good game against the Oxford Nomads. The skipper (H. F. Davies) was in fine form for 110 and K. Florey also hit hard for 60, these two being the chief scorers. Dickinson had seven for 72. The Nomads batted very steadily in compiling 176, against the good bowling of T. Florey, who had eight for 37. It was a very interesting and good day's cricket. Score:—

<b>OXFORD DOWNS.</b>	<b>OXFORD NOMADS.</b>
H F Davies c Deely .. 110	J G Troup c Davies .. 37
b Dickinson .. 110	b T Florey .. 27
H R Mace run out .. 0	H T Parker c Cowan .. 2
B J Bury b Dickinson .. 5	M Parsons lbw b T Florey .. 2
A C Cowan b Haynes .. 8	R E Dickinson c and G Walker b Dickinson .. 21
R Abraham b Haynes .. 8	P Martin b Cowan .. 12
G Walker b Dickinson .. 60	R A Deely c Bury .. 26
K Florey not out .. 7	b T Florey .. 8
T Wakefield b Dickinson .. 9	A C Vick lbw b T Florey .. 10
E Pickford c Dickinson .. 0	C Clarke b T Florey .. 12
Sanders b Dickinson .. 0	R T Strina .. 1
Extras .. 15	H Quoch not out .. 4
Total .. 223	Extras .. 12
	Total .. 176

**WITNEY OLD GRAMMARIANS v. BICESTER.**

This game at Witney went on till 8 o'clock owing to rainstorms. In bowling Haggerty took four for 30 and Busby three for 14. Score:—

<b>OLD GRAMMARIANS.</b>	<b>BICESTER.</b>
J R Busby run out .. 57	W Haggerty c G Jennings .. 2
C Jennings c sub b Haggerty .. 12	W Price b Crawley .. 28
J Nash c Alley b Neale .. 21	Dr Montgomery .. 10
I Jennings st Gunning .. 0	R Montgomery .. 11
b Price .. 0	B Broome b Jennings .. 7
J R Barnes c Alley .. 0	G Alley c Broome b Busby .. 7
b Price .. 0	T Neal b G Jennings .. 7
K Gardner lbw b Haggerty .. 5	R Deely run out .. 1
W Crawley b Haggerty .. 5	D Sutton c Knight b Barnes .. 0
C Broome not out .. 22	A Bradburne run out .. 9
M Willoughby hit wkt b Haggerty .. 5	H Gunning b Busby .. 19
P Knight b Deely .. 5	G Holiday not out .. 5
W Shirley c Montgomery b Deely .. 0	
Extras .. 15	Extras .. 7
Total .. 153	Total .. 106

**STEVENS' SPORTS v. SOUTH OXFORD II.**

On Pembroke ground on Bank Holiday and won by the home side. Wastie took six for 22, Samsworth four for 17 and Shorter five for 49. Score:—

<b>STEVENS' S.C.</b>	<b>SOUTH OXFORD.</b>
J Kempster b Shorter .. 7	S Cross c Stevens b Samsworth .. 0
C Longford b Tipping .. 2	P Bristow b Samsworth .. 22
D Stevens c Temple .. 70	A Temple lbw b Wastie .. 3
A Cooper .. 3	R Cooper b Wastie .. 7
A Wastie lbw b Tipping .. 3	A Cross c Maskins b Samsworth .. 0
A Maskins c Judge b Shorter .. 6	F Lowe c Lansbury b Wastie .. 0
J Lansbury c A Cross .. 11	R Judge b Samsworth .. 4
C Samsworth b Shorter .. 15	A Nother b Wastie .. 2
A Pashler c Cooper b Shorter .. 10	E Tipping b Wastie .. 2
J Tutty b Shorter .. 7	F Crozer c Kempster b Wastie .. 2
D Bristow not out .. 6	G Shorter not out .. 0
D Pithers st Judge b Bristow .. 1	
Extras .. 3	Extras .. 3
Total .. 150	Total .. 43

**STEVENS' SPORTS v. R.A.O.C. (DIDCOT).**

On Pembroke ground on Saturday and left unfinished. Kempster took six for 45. Score:—

<b>R.A.O.C.</b>	<b>STEVENS' S.C.</b>
Wilkins c Humphries .. 16	J Kempster b Wilkins .. 10
Walters c J Smith b Kempster .. 37	A Wastie b Badman .. 5
Badman c Stevens b Kempster .. 7	B Stroud c Wilkins b Badman .. 3
Woodbridge lbw b Kempster .. 4	D Stevens c Jubber b Hansford .. 28
Cook b Edmunds .. 1	C Longford run out .. 4
Jubber st Longford b Kempster .. 1	A Maskins not out .. 13
Meadows not out .. 8	J Humphries c Badman b Hansford .. 0
Wood b Edmunds .. 1	J Tutty not out .. 0
Holland b Kempster .. 2	S G Smith, W Edmunds and J Smith did not bat.
Chapman c Edmunds b Kempster .. 2	
Hansford c Edmunds .. 10	
Extras .. 12	Extras .. 8
Total .. 91	Total (6 wks) 71

**HEADINGTON v. MARLBOROUGH.**

Marlborough, a London club, visited Headington on Bank Holiday and were beaten by 49 runs. T. Gurl took six for 11, W. Trafford four for nine and Hall five for 28. Score:—

<b>HEADINGTON.</b>	<b>MARLBOROUGH.</b>
G Copeck lbw b Goodner .. 0	J Gurd c Dyer b Gurl .. 0
J Evans c Goodner b Hodge .. 10	G Goodner lbw b Gurd .. 5
J Newman c Picknell b G Hall .. 35	R Spicer b Trafford .. 8
W Trafford b Hodge .. 35	J May c Studholme b Gurl .. 4
T Gurl c Studholme b Picknell .. 0	J Hall not out .. 1
F Harris c Studholme b Hodge .. 3	H Nichols c Garrett b Trafford .. 5
	G Hall b Trafford .. 1
	S Picknell b Gurl .. 1

W Smith b G Hall .. 9	F Horsey b Gurl .. 0
A W Garrett not out .. 9	
S Jacobs b G Hall .. 0	
J Dyer c G Hall .. 1	
Extras .. 4	
Total .. 87	Total .. 38

**COUNTY COUNCIL STAFF v. COOMBE.**

On Corpus ground on Monday and won by Coombe. W. Busby took eight for 13 and F. Pitt two for 11. Score:—

<b>COOMBE.</b>	<b>STAFF.</b>
A Collier b Allaway .. 11	E Walker c Margetts .. 0
E Busby b Meadows .. 37	b W Busby .. 0
W Busby c Allaway .. 2	F Wickkiss b Pitt .. 1
b King .. 2	W Walker c J Busby .. 3
E J Busby lbw b Allaway .. 15	b W Busby .. 3
F Margetts not out .. 80	R Allaway c E Busby .. 20
S King b W Busby .. 2	J Busby b W Busby .. 2
H Huckins, E Slater, S Calcutt, F Pitt and G Smith did not bat.	J R Bell b Pitt .. 0
Extras .. 4	J Meadows b W Busby .. 0
Total (4 wks dec) 170	R Stacey c J Busby .. 2
	b W Busby .. 2
	S Tubb b W Busby .. 10
	R Walker b W Busby .. 4
	C Tombs not out .. 2
	Extras .. 0
	Total .. 44

**SANDFORD MILLS v. ALDER'S MILLS.**

The annual cricket and bowls matches between Sandford Paper Mills and Alder's Paper Mills, Tamworth, took place on Monday at Sandford, when Sandford Mill proved the victors in both events. Dodgson took four for 8 and Stone four for 1. The scores of the cricket match were:—

<b>SANDFORD.</b>	<b>ALDER'S.</b>
H Nash b Cozzard .. 0	H Beard c and b Dodson .. 0
A Tutty b Gould .. 5	A Roe b Dodgson .. 7
H Dodgson b Gould .. 5	J Cartwright b Dodgson .. 0
H Gibbons c Gould b Green .. 18	S Green b C Stone .. 7
C Stone lbw b Cartwright .. 8	R C Gould c Middleton b Dodgson .. 0
F Smith c Cartwright b Green .. 4	A Cozzard c C Stone .. 0
C Beckett b Gould .. 0	H Smith c and b C Stone .. 0
A Stone c Matthews .. 5	M Aldridge not out .. 4
b Green .. 12	A Matthews c and b C Stone .. 1
F Kerrod c Roe b Middleton c Roe b Green .. 5	H Collins b F Smith .. 3
G Smith not out .. 2	A Benwell run out .. 2
Extras .. 2	
Total .. 59	Total .. 35

**SHIPTON-UNDER-WYCHWOOD v. BOURTON VALE.**

At Shipton on Bank Holiday and left drawn. Hambidge took five for 35. Score:—

<b>SHIPTON-UNDER-WYCHWOOD.</b>	<b>SHIPTON.</b>
W Haines lbw b Longshaw .. 4	J Butler not out .. 35
E J Tippett b Hambidge .. 13	G Slater lbw b Haines .. 1
K Williams b Hambidge .. 3	D Pittaway lbw b Yearp .. 7
P Woodward c Hambidge b Longshaw .. 61	V Bartlett b Yearp .. 12
A E Yearp not out .. 0	E Viner lbw b Tippett .. 7
R Combs c Smith b Hambidge .. 0	F Gillett b Tippett .. 2
J Garne b Hambidge .. 0	0 not out .. 0
A G Taylor lbw b Longshaw .. 4	R Hartley not out .. 12
W Wilson c Smith b Hambidge .. 3	T Hambidge, W Smith and W E Coombes did not bat.
R Kettle run out .. 0	
E East c Hambidge b Bartlett .. 8	
Extras .. 6	Extras .. 1
Total .. 111	Total (7 wks) 77

**BUCKLAND v. KINGSTON BAGPUIZE.**

At Buckland and won by the visitors. For the homesters Watson took nine for 40. Score:—

<b>KINGSTON.</b>	<b>BUCKLAND.</b>
H Hitchcox c Shewry b Watson .. 4	C Shewry c Porter b Campbell .. 3
W Chapple b F Willis .. 8	J Facey b Campbell .. 1
C Young b Watson .. 0	G Fryer lbw b Campbell .. 0
J Campbell c and b Watson .. 13	F Willis c Young b Porter .. 0
J Porter b F Willis .. 2	W Edington b Porter .. 0
H Chapple c Facey b Watson .. 7	H Margetts lbw b Porter .. 5
A Kyle b Watson .. 5	W Watson c Hitchcox b Campbell .. 7
J Martin c Middenhall b Watson .. 2	M Willis b Campbell .. 1
A Cox b Watson .. 0	R Middenhall b Campbell .. 13
J Fanner c and b Watson .. 0	F Painter run out .. 1
H Thomas c M Willis b Watson .. 0	V Willis not out .. 2
J Shallis not out .. 3	W Winter run out .. 1
Extras .. 3	Extras .. 3
Total .. 56	Total .. 37

**MORRIS MOTORS v. METROGAS.**

At East Greenwich on Monday. Thornton and Senior batted well and Freeman took five for 28. Score:—

<b>MORRIS MOTORS.</b>	<b>METROGAS.</b>
R Thornton c Egleton b Barrell .. 58	E Jennings c Arnold b Ferlinan .. 7

F Arnold lbw b Gould	2	C Eggleston b Thorn-	
J Scullor c and b Bar-		ton	32
rell	00	A Mead b Ferriman	3
H Cokeroff c Range-		C Bancroft run out	3
croft b Barrell		H Barrell c Miles b	
E Miles c Mead b		Ferriman	3
Barrell	0	C Wellard b Ferriman	15
A Sheppard not out	0	J Holland b Ferriman	13
W Couling b Barrell	25	F Gould not out	0
P Clark b Harring-		R Higgs not out	0
ton, b Ferriman		P Smith and	
and F Steele did		P Thompson did not	
not bat.		bat.	
Extras	17	Extras	5
Total (7 wks dec)	223	Total (7 wks)	83

**THE IVANHOE TOUR.**  
**FIRST MATCH v. LITTLEMORE HOSPITAL.**

Ivanhoe opened their Oxford tour on Saturday with a match at Littlemore against the Staff of the Hospital. They were beaten by 133 runs. R. Walton played a fine innings for the Staff, for whom J. Clarkson took five wickets and A. Walton four. Score:—

HOSPITAL.		IVANHOE.	
J Langridge c Scott		C Scott lbw b Clark-	21
b Clevley	23	son	0
W James c Clevley		A Conway b Clarkson	0
b Scott	20	S Gaylard c R Walton	0
R Walton b Eldridge	74	b Clarkson	0
A Ruler c and b		S Tooth b A Walton	0
Tooth	13	A Eldridge b A Walton	4
C Buckland not out	23	A Lodge c and b A	
W Murray c and b		Walton	10
Tooth	2	C Tricker c R Walton	0
A Walton b Clevley	4	b A Walton	0
J Clarkson not out	4	A Franklin b A	2
W Sandall and W		C Hardy b Clarkson	0
Birch did not bat.		G Clevley b Clarkson	0
Extras	3	C Harding not out	1
Total (7 wks dec)	176	Extras	5
		Total	43

**SECOND MATCH v. COWLEY ST. JOHN.**

On Monday the visitors appeared on the Cowley St. John ground in a whole-day match. Carter, Clayton and Owen were the chief contributors to the homesters' total of 151 for eight declared. Clayton came in when six were out for 67, and his stand with Owen was the turning point of the game. Ivanhoe failed against Leslie Walker, who took eight wickets for 37 runs. Score:—

COWLEY ST. JOHN.		IVANHOE.	
L Daniels lbw b Tooth	9	C Scott c H Draper	9
L Carter c Nausaw b		b Walker	0
Scott	20	A Conway c Owen b	29
W Lucas b Nausaw	5	Walker	0
L Walker c Nausaw	2	G Jarman b Owen	15
b Eldridge	2	G Nausaw b Owen	15
F J Draper b Scott	7	S Gaylard c and b	
R A Pulker lbw b		Daniels	7
Nausaw	5	A Lodge st Clayton	0
D Clayton c Lodge b		b Walker	0
Scott	50	S Tooth st Clayton b	5
J Axtell c Franklin b		Walker	0
Tooth	4	H Eldridge c Owen b	10
J Owen not out	24	H Walker	0
H Draper and C All-		G Clevley c Clayton	0
away did not bat.		b Walker	0
Extras	8	A Franklin not out	0
Total (8 wks dec)	151	A Arden c H Draper	2
		b Walker	4
		Extras	4
		Total	79

**UNITED COLLEGE SERVANTS v. OXFORD EXILES.**

On the Running Ground on Saturday, Score:—

EXILES.		SERVANTS.	
C Harvey c sub b	4	D Turner c Bridge b	0
Harris	11	J Goddard	0
C Miller b Guilfoyle	11	J Robins c Miller b	16
D Harrington c sub b		Bridge	0
Harris	0	H Haynes b Harring-	0
K Grogell not out	16	ton	0
F Bridge lbw b Har-		H Harris b Goddard	2
ris	1	E Harris b Harrington	0
T Warnock b Robins	7	J Guilfoyle not out	13
H Bhargove b Turner	0	W Allen not out	5
R May b W Allen	2	C Penny and W Spind-	
J Goddard b Robins	0	ler did not bat.	
S Daniels b W Allen	4	Extras	4
K Howes c T Allen b		Extras	4
W Allen	0	Total	63
Total	45	Total (5 wks)	63

**OXFORDSHIRE LEAGUE—Division L**  
**COWLEY ST. JOHN v. MORRIS MOTORS.**

A great deal depended on the result of this match on the Cowley St. John ground. Should the Motors pull it off or even draw the decisive match would be a week hence. By beating their formidable opponents, however, Cowley St. John go into the semi-final. Len. Rogers skipped the Motors and winning the toss went in first. In a little over an hour the whole side were out for the low total of 58. The fielding and bowling of Cowley St. John was very good indeed, as the side really got on its toes after some early successes and never allowed the advantage to pass from them. They were helped by two run outs and some indecisive batting on a pitch on which undue caution was of little avail. Thornton stayed in some time, but even he was compelled by circumstances to play a game rather foreign to his nature. Leslie Walker had the fine figures of 13 overs, six maidens, 15 runs and five wickets. He has cultivated variety, using both breaks and a ball that swings quite perceptibly. He is now quite an interesting bowler, because he has used his brains. The only hope the Motors had of winning the game after their batting failure was for their bowlers to get a few quick wickets. H. Walker and Carter, however, soon put this hope away, and when Walker was scumped only two runs were required to win. Actually the win was by nine wickets, but the game went on till dark and rain interfered and Cowley St. John lost another wicket. Carter again batted really well, as he has been doing all the season. It was quite an unexpected result, but the Motors can well afford to loan out the League bowl for the next 12 months. Score:—

MORRIS MOTORS.		COWLEY ST. JOHN.	
L Rogers lbw b L		H Walker st Steele b	27
Walker	8	Stone	27
R Thornton c and b	24	L W Carter not out	2
Fowler	24	L Daniels b Heymeson	2
J Senior c Pulker b		T England, S Belcher	
L Walker	5	L Walker, J Bel-	
A Heymeson c Hill b		cher, R A Pulker,	
L Walker	0	F J Fowler, F Hill	
B Herman c Carter b		and C Allaway did	
Fowler	6	not bat.	
A Shepard run out	0	Extras	15
J Stone b L Walker	2	Total	51
K Eagles b L Walker	1	Total (2 wks)	51
W Fathers run out	4		
B Ferriman b Fowler	6		
F Steele not out	0		
Extras	2		
Total	58		

**CHARLBURY v. OXFORD Y.M.C.A.**

Neither side were fully represented at Charlbury on Saturday, but an interesting and even match resulted. Rain interfered considerably with play, so that a full innings for both sides was not possible. The visitors started off in fine style, the first wicket not falling until 34 runs were scored, of which Farnell had made 23. Ward and Thomas both batted well, and the total was 81 when the fourth wicket fell; the remaining batsmen gave no trouble and the innings closed for 113. Ward made 44 and Thomas 22. Charlbury's best bowler was Thornett, who bowled 21 overs, of which 12 were maidens, and took five wickets for 30 runs. Timms took three for 27. The home side made a most unpromising start, two wickets being down for only three runs. But Timms and Hadland then defied the visiting bowlers and carried the score to 57 before being separated, and when Wheeler clean bowled Timms he had made 28. Hadland was out at the same total, having computed a stylish 26, including a six and three fours. L. Baughan made 10, and when he was run out stumps were drawn with the home side's total 85 for seven wickets. Stanfield bowled unchanged, capturing five of the seven wickets for 31 runs, and included in his 15 overs were three maidens. Charlbury needed



**MINOR COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP.**  
**OXFORDSHIRE v. CAMBRIDGESHIRE.**

At Cambridge on Saturday Oxfordshire won their fourth engagement in the Minor Counties Championship by beating Cambridgeshire by ten wickets. They began by dismissing the home County for 129 runs, F. Hartley and Joe Rogers doing most of the damage. They had some assistance from the pitch, but both probably bowled better than they had previously done. Oxfordshire made a poor start, both Walker and E. Hartley failing. Then came some fine cricket by S. C. B. Lee and Len. Rogers, and subsequently Frank Hartley, Walters and Inge all scored freely, with the result that Oxfordshire had a first innings lead of 142. In the second innings Joe Rogers again rose to the occasion, and it was mainly due to his fine bowling that Cambridgeshire were dismissed for 154 runs. Oxfordshire had to go in to get 14, and these were knocked off by Inge and Thomas. The two remaining County fixtures are against Bucks at Wycombe next Wednesday and Thursday, and against Berkshire at Oxford on 25 and 26 August.

Score and analysis:—

**CAMBRIDGESHIRE—First Innings.**

K R J Saxon c Henry b F Hartley	10
H J Rose c Inge b F Hartley	5
Covill c S Lee b F Hartley	1
F A Ridgson c J Rogers b Walters	52
F G Lilley b Rogers	31
H B Hart b Rogers	2
W Parfitt b Rogers	1
F Morton run out	1
Smith c Walte, c b F Hartley	8
G C Barrett c Walker b Walters	0
D B Pask not out	11
Extras	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>129</b>

**Second Innings.**

K R J Saxon c F Hartley b Thomas	3
H J Rose c Thomas b Walters	16
Covill c Thomas b Rogers	22
F A Ridgson b Rogers (J)	0
F G Lilley c Inge b Rogers (J)	0
F Morton b Henry	23
F W Parfitt c F Hartley b Lee	11
H B Hart, c and b Rogers (J)	30
Smith, c and b Rogers (L)	18
G C Barrett, b Henry	9
D B Pask, not out	10
Extras	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>154</b>

**OXFORDSHIRE—First Innings.**

H Walker b Pask	9
S C B Lee b Covill	55
F Hartley b Smith	3
Rogers (L) b Covill	57
Walters (C) run out	50
F Hartley c Pask b Covill	29
W W Inge b Pask	52
M H Lee c Smith b Covill	6
Rogers (J) c Parfitt b Pask	5
Thomas (R) b Smith	0
B J Henry not out	8
Extras	24
<b>Total</b>	<b>271</b>

**Second Innings.**

W W Inge, not out	6
Thomas (R P), not out	7
Extras	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>14</b>

**BOWLING ANALYSIS.**

**CAMBRIDGESHIRE—First Innings:** F Hartley, 16-4-42-4; S Lee, 9-2-29-0; Walters, 13.3-4-31-2; Rogers (J), 7-0-26-3. **Second Innings:** F Hartley, 14-3-37-0; Thomas, 8-1-25-1; Rogers (J), 15-4-23-4; Walters, 16-3-27-1; S C B Lee, 8-3-12-1; B J Henry, 4.2-1-7-2; Rogers (L), 4-0-10-1.

The Minor Counties table made up to 9 August is as follows:

	P.	W.	L.	Won Lost			Pts.	P'ct
				Inns.	Inns.	Rest.		
Durham	5	5	0	0	0	25	100.00	
Buckinghamshire	7	4	1	1	0	1	23	76.66
Hertfordshire	10	4	0	3	1	2	30	75.00
Leicestershire	8	4	1	2	1	0	27	67.50
Oxfordshire	8	4	2	1	0	1	23	65.71
Cornwall	6	2	1	1	0	2	13	65.00
Staffordshire	7	3	1	1	1	1	10	63.33
Surrey II.	8	1	0	3	1	3	15	60.00
Cheshire	8	4	3	0	0	1	20	57.14
Berkshire	7	3	2	2	0	1	16	53.33
Bedfordshire	7	2	2	2	1	0	17	48.57
Kent II.	5	1	1	1	2	0	10	40.00
Notts II.	7	1	3	2	1	0	12	34.28
Lincolnshire	7	1	2	1	2	1	10	33.33
Devonshire	7	1	3	1	0	2	8	32.00
Cambridgeshire	6	1	2	0	1	2	6	30.00
Wiltshire	4	0	1	1	1	1	4	26.66
Yorkshire II.	7	1	4	1	1	0	9	25.71
Northumberland	4	1	3	0	0	0	5	25.00
Monmouthshire	7	1	4	0	1	1	6	20.00
Norfolk	5	0	2	0	1	2	1	4.00
Denbighshire	6	0	5	0	1	0	1	3.33
Dorset	4	0	1	0	2	1	2	1.33

**CRICKET.**

**FIXTURES.**

(On the ground of first-named club.)

**(TO-DAY (FRIDAY) and SATURDAY.  
"TELEGRAPH" CUP—Final.**

South Oxford v. Church Army Press on Wadham ground.

**SATURDAY.**

- Oxford City v. Morris Motors.
- Cowley St. John "A" v. Bicester R.A.F.
- Morris Motors v. Monks Risborough.
- Headington v. Kingham Hill.
- Cowley v. Headington.
- Lechlade v. North Oxford.
- North Oxford II. v. Oxford Exiles.
- Charlbury v. South Oxford.
- Stanton St. John v. Depot O.B.L.I.
- Witney Old Grammarians v. Oxford Downs.
- Littlemore Hospital v. Wallington.
- City Police v. Boar's Hill.
- The Warneford v. Titup.
- Titup II. v. Pressed Steel.
- Wolvercote v. Sutton.
- Yarnton v. Wolvercote II.
- Thame v. Church Army Press.
- Y.M.C.A. v. Chipping Norton.
- Banbury v. Rugby B.T.H.
- Rugby B.T.H. II. v. Banbury II.
- Cuddesdon College v. Thame "A."
- Wallington v. West Reading.
- County Council Staff v. Tiddington.
- Woodstock v. Oxfordshire Nomads.
- Buckingham v. Bicester.
- Bicester II. v. Llanston.
- Osherton Works II. v. Kirtlington II.
- Shill-Mex v. Berkshire Mental Hospital.
- Newington v. Baldon II.
- Adderbury v. Kidlington.
- Kingham Hill II. v. Wyck Hill.
- Sandford-Tunney v. Warborough.
- Kirtlington v. Horton-cum-Studley.
- Ascott-under-Wychwood v. Hailey.
- Brightwell v. Eaton.
- Y.M.C.A. v. Islip.
- Drayton St. Leonard v. Dorchester College.
- G.W.R. Abingdon v. Sunningwell.
- Marcham v. Cothill.
- Forest Hill v. Holton Avlary.
- Blewbury v. Didcot.
- Hendred v. Hagbourne.

**OXFORD LEAGUE.**

**Division I.**

United College Servants v. Witney Mills.  
R.A.O.C. Didcot v. University Press.  
Church Army Press v. Coombe.

**Division II.**

South Oxford v. Elsfeld.  
Morris Motors v. Appleton.  
Middle Barton v. Y.M.C.A.  
Cowley v. United College Servants.  
Cunnor v. Osherton Works.

**WITNEY AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.**

**Division I.**

Coombe v. Eynsham Hall Park.  
Eynsham v. Handborough.

**Division II.**

Cokethorpe v. Coombe II.  
Milton II. v. Chadlington.  
Minster v. Charlbury II.  
Wootton v. Eynsham II. Park II.  
Leafield II. v. Shipton.

**WYFOLD LEAGUE.**

**Division I.**

Baldon v. Clifton Hampden.  
Horspath II. v. Wheatley II.

**FILKINS AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.**

Aston v. Filkins.  
Brize Norton v. Bradwell Grove.  
Shilton v. Eastleach.

**EYNSHAM AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.**

Newland v. Eynsham.

**VALENTIA LEAGUE.**

Chesterton v. Middleton Stoney.  
Bletchington v. Somerton.

**MONDAY.**

Baldon v. Major Williams' XI.  
Byrads v. Bicester Police.

**TUESDAY**

Brackley v. Banbury.  
Baldon v. Wycombe Police.

**TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY.**

Byrads v. Holton.

**WEDNESDAY.**

18th Section R.A.O.C. v. Depot O.B.L.I.  
Reading Wednesday v. Wallingford.

**WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY.**

**MINOR COUNTRIES CHAMPIONSHIP.**

Bucks v. Oxfordshire at High Wycombe.

County Council Staff v. City Imperials (evenings).

**THURSDAY.**

Headington v. Grendon Remblers.  
North Oxford v. South Oxford.  
Kidlington v. United College Servants II.  
City Police v. Swindon Police.  
Bucks-ellers v. Y.M.C.A.  
Aylesbury v. Thame.  
Northcourt v. Eaton.

**LEAVES FROM MY NOTE-BOOK.**

**BY F.J.F.**

The dropping of A. P. F. Chapman from the English team and the English captaincy has been the subject of much comment. No Selection Committee has ever been more severely criticised, though we may be quite sure they had good grounds for their action and made their decision in the interests of cricket. To the man in the street the decision seems peculiar, to say the least. Furthermore, few cricketers agree with it, as they maintain Chapman has been one of the most successful captains England has ever had and a fellow popular alike with amateur and pro. Still, they all wish Wyatt well in the task that confronts him and we need have no fear that he will have the loyalty of those, whoever they be, that serve under him. Cricket is in some respects like war. Sentiment is out of place and must give way to ruthless method if efficiency of the right order is to be secured.

And yet I hope sentiment hasn't entirely gone out of the game, for the sake of my old friend Ted Massey. Next week-end Ted will be playing in his seventh Airey Cup final. In the six previous ones he has been on the losing side, and this will be his last opportunity, and I understand he is shortly qualifying for the prefix ex-P.C. So no-one will accuse me of prejudice if I express the hope that Ted will win the little gold medal which has hitherto proved so elusive.

We shall soon be thinking of Rugby and the O.U.R.F.C. prospects. The new captain is S. J. Hofmeyr and W. Roberts, of Brasenose, is secretary. M.

Robson and W. P. Rousseau have gone down, but among the recruits are T. M. Hart, of Edinburgh Academy, a Scottish International three-quarter, P. C. Minns, from New Zealand, who has played for the All Blacks against the Waratahs in Test matches, S. Osler, a centre three from South Africa, and K. H. Lampart, the New South Wales State XV's clever scrum half.

Apropos of a lawn tennis tournament for Oxford, will those interested send me the names and addresses of their club secretaries, in order, if necessary, that a meeting may be called at the end of the holiday season? We can do nothing in the matter unless we get the support of all the local clubs, both private and general.

Our local bowls champion, A. R. Allen, did fairly well in the English Bowls Association single-handed championship at Paddington, but fell in the second round. I do not know if the Paddington rinks are of Cumberland turf. If they are, this seems to be another reason why local bowlers should get more opportunities of practice on this kind of turf on which most of the big tournaments are played. Shall we ever have one in Oxford and so give our best players the opportunity to hold their own in the big tournaments? There are, I know, many bowlers who say that Cumberland turf is not a necessity in Oxford. Maybe they are right, but it is an undoubted fact that when our players get on this turf they are handicapped owing to the extra pace and, shall I add, brittleness of the sea-washed turf.

**CRICKETERS' ROLL.**

**BATTING.**

J. Warfield (Stratton St. Margaret v. Univ. Press)	123*
E. Coebeck (Titup v. Cowley St. John II.)	94
H. T. Lewendon (Oxford City v. North Oxford)	87
J. Senior (Morris Motors v. Cowley St. John)	59
E. Squires (North Oxford v. Thame)	59
L. Rogers (Oxfordshire v. Cambridgeshire)	57
F. Barlow (Morris Motors II. v. South Oxford II.)	57
S. C. B. Lee (Oxfordshire v. Cambridgeshire)	55
W. Busby (Woodstock v. G. Ayres' XI.)	55
J. Ray (56-over Sports v. Y.M.C.A.)	55
C. Buckland (Littlemore Hospital v. Kirtlington)	55
A. Hosier (Witney Swifts v. Handborough)	55
J. Gullfoyle (Oxford City v. North Oxford)	54
F. Cobb (North Oxford v. Wallington)	54
W. W. Inge (Oxfordshire v. Cambridgeshire)	53
W. Godfrey (North Oxford v. Shipton)	51*
J. Wildin (Boar's Hill v. Hertford Servants)	51
J. H. Nash (Witney Grammarians v. Lechlade)	50

**BOWLING.**

W. Lewendon (Boar's Hill v. Hertford Servants)	0-45
S. Cox (Barton v. Kidlington II.)	8-1
P. Varney (Middleton v. Stratton)	8-3
W. Beesley (Y.M.C.A. II. v. Wolvercote)	8-13
F. Brazell (Tiddington v. S.M. Division)	8-15
J. Butler (Nettlebed v. Wallington)	8-38
T. Walker (Chilton v. Tiddington)	7-7
D. Merritt (Church Army v. Pressed Steel)	7-7
G. Ray (Stevens Sports v. Y.M.C.A.)	7-10
T. Wakefield (Oxford Downs v. Woodstock)	7-18
J. Clarkson (Littlemore Hospital v. Kirtlington)	7-10
R. Brooks (Shipton II. v. Fifi II)	7-20
P. Rickotts (Faringdon v. Witney Mills)	7-23
F. Brazell (Tiddington v. Chilton)	7-27
B. Rogers (North Oxford v. Thame)	7-33
J. Evans (Headington v. Heyerd)	7-35
B. Feriman (Morris Motors v. Cowley St. John)	7-42
P. Merritt (Cowley v. Church Army Press)	7-56
A. Buckingham (Bampton v. G. Long's XI.)	6-7
J. Kirchen (Asthall v. Chadlington)	6-7
A. Hosier (Witney Swifts v. Handborough)	6-13
V. Jones (Horton v. Oakley)	6-13

C. A. Harris (Bradwell Grove v. Filkins)	6-16
F. Mills (Oxford City v. North Oxford)	6-20
F. Carter (R.A.O.C. v. Kidlington)	6-20
N. Hinton (Morris Motors II. v. South Oxford II.)	6-21
W. Davis (Eufeld v. Shipton II.)	6-22
G. Cooper (Sandford v. Baldon)	6-23
H. Strong (Newland v. Milton)	6-25
W. Woods (Sutton v. Cokethorpe Park)	6-31
C. S. Jones (South Oxford v. Bicester)	6-36
A. Wastie (Stevens Sports v. Boar's Hill)	6-40
F. Smith (Boar's Hill v. Stevens Sports)	6-42
T. Malyon (Church Army v. City Police)	6-45
A. Heymeson (Morris Motors v. United Servants)	6-47

OXFORD CITY MATCHES.

Of the six matches played during the past week the City won four, lost to Monks Risborough and drew with Lechlade. Their match against North Oxford is reported under the scores of that club. Two of the matches were against village sides, and both Stanton St. John and Bampton put up very good fights. Against Monks Risborough the team came up against Fowler, the old Middlesex pro., and Mason, and were all out for 27. Ivanhoe were beaten after the innings had been declared, and the game against Lechlade was conspicuous for the good batting of Northern and Leslie Daniels. For most of these matches the City had the assistance of Morris Motors and United Servants players, owing to the heavy claims made on the club by the Oxfordshire side. Scores:—

STANTON ST. JOHN.	OXFORD CITY.
B Gunstone c Lewendon b Field .. 2	F Pickering c Roberts b Trafford .. 2
K Peacock b Haynes 9	W Field b Trafford .. 33
V Serman b Field .. 27	J Guilfoyle b Trafford 17
R Peacock b Haynes 0	D R Axtell not out 40
J Phillips b Walker 5	R W Haynes not out 5
Rev E Roberts c Har-ley b Walker .. 0	H T Lewendon, G Bradfield, W Webb J Walker, C Harris and R Tancy did not bat.
W Pringle not out 20	
C Trafford b Field .. 2	
M Sharp b Guilfoyle J Weatherly b Guilfoyle .. 3	
R Hicks b Field .. 4	
Extras .. 3	Extras .. 3
Total .. 99	Total (3 wks) 100

OXFORD CITY.	MONKS RISBOROUGH.
E Cole b Mason .. 2	C Bray b Ferriman .. 0
J Senior lbw b Fowler .. 4	M Calham b King .. 17
J King .. 4	A Hengerty c King b Ferriman .. 18
F J Draper b Mason .. 13	B Travis b Wainwright .. 13
A Blackwell lbw b Fowler .. 1	J Hinton c Draper b Field .. 9
F G Arnold c Bray b Fowler .. 5	J Hallett b Blackwell .. 6
H Lewendon not out 9	T Potter c Ferriman b Blackwell .. 4
F Walker c Hixton b Fowler .. 0	A Fowler c Senior b Blackwell .. 15
W Field b Mason .. 0	W Lawington not out 11
B Ferriman b Mason 4	N Turner and A Mason did not bat.
E J Heather b Fowler 1	Extras .. 8
Extras .. 1	Extras .. 8
Total .. 27	Total (8 wks) 104

OXFORD CITY.	IVANHOE.
W Allen b Nausaw .. 32	C Scott b Mills .. 2
D Clayton c and b Scott .. 5	A Conway b Mills .. 3
F Pickering b Eldridge 21	G Nausaw b Mills .. 1
P Mills c Eldridge b Tooth .. 11	G Jarman b Mills .. 7
G Bradfield not out 29	S Gayland lbw b Harris .. 8
K Peacock c Gayland b Scott .. 4	H Eldridge b Harris .. 39
L Peacock b Nausaw 8	A Lodge c Bradfield b Pickering .. 6
E Miles, W Webb, C Harris and W Couling did not bat.	C Tucker c Pickering b Webb .. 0
Extras .. 9	J Owen at Clayton b Allen .. 1
Total (6 wks dec) 122	G Hardy not out .. 0
	Extras .. 3
	Total .. 68

LECHLADE.	OXFORD CITY.
J Northern c Hancock b Harris .. 81	L Daniels lbw b Sparkes .. 56
P P Coates b Miles .. 24	J Senior run out .. 12
A Finney c Daniels b K Peacock .. 11	E Peacock b Harrison 4
A Barton c King b L Peacock .. 13	J King not out .. 34
F Innocent c Clayton b Harris .. 9	D E Clayton b Coates 0
J Hobbs b Harris .. 0	E Miles b Sparkes .. 7
S Gearing not out .. 0	F Watts, K Peacock H Hancock, E J Heather and C E Harris did not bat.
E Sparkes not out .. 0	
F Eavis b K Peacock 14	
W Banyard and P Harrison did not bat.	
Extras .. 8	Extras .. 0
Total (7 wks dec) 172	Total (8 wks) 119

BAMPTON.	OXFORD CITY.
A Plaster b Pickering 8	S King b Lock .. 15
C Witting b Hodgkins 0	D Howells b Craddock 1
C Vick b Hodgkins .. 8	J King c Plaster b Lock .. 38
F Green b Pickering 0	K Keen c Vick b Lock 0
F Craddock b Hodgkins 0	A Blackwell b Lock .. 1
G Coster c Hodgkins b Bennett c Vick .. 11	H Bennett c Vick b Coster .. 43
J Oliver b Hodgkins 0	W Hodgkins lbw b Green .. 3
R Moulton c Elsher b Bennett .. 13	G Fisher not out .. 19
H Kimber run out .. 0	F Pickering not out .. 3
W Dodd c King b Fisher .. 0	D E Clayton and G Bradfield did not bat.
W Lock not out .. 0	
Extras .. 5	Extras .. 11
Total .. 45	Total .. 133

NORTH OXFORD CRICKET WEEK.

Of the six matches during the cricket week North Oxford won two, lost two, and drew two. The last two games of the week are appended. For the City on Friday Percy Mills, the old Gloucestershire player took six for 20

and Field four for 6, and against Ship-ton, Rogers took five for 37, Wyatt three for 15 and Tucker three for 23. Scores:—

OXFORD CITY.	NORTH OXFORD.
H Lewendon c Thompson b Halliday .. 87	W J Godfrey lbw b Field .. 10
F J Draper c Thompson b Squires .. 11	E Squires c Blackwell b Mills .. 0
J King b Squires .. 0	E F Howells b Mills .. 3
J Guilfoyle b Halliday 14	H Webb c Blackwell b Field .. 1
D E Clayton not out 34	H C Halliday b Mills 0
F Pickering b Squires 20	C Franks c King b Field .. 3
P Miles not out .. 20	P Thompson c Lewendon b Mills .. 0
W Field, L Carter, F Blackwell and J Piper did not bat.	M B Money lbw b Field .. 3
Extras .. 1	E J G Tucker c Clayton b Mills .. 1
Total (5 wks dec) 209	N Seddon b Mills .. 0
	C J Broadhurst not out .. 5
	Extras .. 4
	Total .. 30

SHIPTON.	NORTH OXFORD.
G Hambidge b Rogers 11	C Wyatt b Franklin 32
R Hartley c Rogers b Wyatt .. 11	W Godfrey not out 51
W Smith lbw b Tucker .. 1	R E Chaudry lbw b Franklin .. 0
E Viner b Rogers .. 4	A Wiseman b Franklin .. 0
D Pittaway lbw b Tucker .. 0	J Johnstone run out 0
W Franklin c Johnston b Rogers .. 0	A J Chamberlain b Longshaw .. 11
F Longshaw c Wiseman b Rogers .. 21	N Seddon not out .. 24
F Gillett b Tucker .. 0	H C Halliday, E J Rogers, G Fowler and T A Toul did not bat.
F Slatter b Wyatt .. 17	
W Lane b Wyatt .. 3	
W Slatter b Rogers 7	
W Coombes not out 0	
Extras .. 11	Extras .. 7
Total .. 86	Total (5 wks) 125

CHIPPING NORTON V. OXFORD NOMADS.

On Saturday Chipping Norton entertained the Oxford Nomads and achieved another success. The Nomads, on a rather difficult wicket, found the Chipping Norton bowling none too easy. In fact, J. G. Troop with 28 was the only batsman to reach double figures, and the innings closed for 49. Busby took four for 23, Phillips three for 7 and Thornett two for 6. Chipping Norton replied with 84 and won by 35. Score:—

NOMADS.	CHIPPING NORTON.
C H Clarke c and b Thornton .. 0	F Busby lbw b Wilberry .. 0
J G Troop lbw b Phillips .. 28	S H Grace b Martin .. 0
P G Martin c Grace b Busby .. 0	C Lainsbury run out 28
M Parsons lbw b Busby .. 1	J Phillips b Martin .. 4
Busby .. 1	J Hughes b Parsons .. 0
W Wellberry b Busby 12	E Thornett b Wilberry .. 1
F Carke b Busby .. 5	W A Kemp b Quelch 12
T A T Cox not out .. 1	J Allen b Parsons .. 6
R Padley b Phillips 0	Jim O'Shea c C Clarke b Parsons .. 3
H Quelch b Phillips 0	A Yates c Cox b Quelch .. 18
H A Benwell b Thornett .. 2	S Thornton not out .. 3
J Thornett .. 2	
J Thornett .. 2	
Extras .. 2	Extras .. 6
Total .. 49	Total .. 84

STEVENS' SPORTS V. BOAR'S HILL.

On Pembroke ground, the visitors winning by 20 runs. Smith took five for 42 and Sallis four for 38, while Wastie had six wickets for Stevens. Score:—

BOAR'S HILL.	STEVENS'.
J Wilkin c Edmunds b Wastie .. 0	A Smith .. 8
R Cole b Edmunds .. 2	A Blaskins b Smith .. 45
F Candy b Wastie .. 28	D Stevens lbw b Smith .. 16
T Wakelin lbw b Wastie .. 4	T Tait c Edgington b Smith .. 0
F Smith b Wastie .. 9	J Kempster b Sallis .. 3
J Taylor b Wastie .. 3	C Longford b Sallis .. 5
S Douglas lbw b Wastie .. 19	J Handley b Sallis .. 0
W Sallis run out .. 19	J Humphries b Sallis 7
J Edgington not out 5	J Smith run out .. 0
J Jones c Maskins b Kempster .. 5	W Edmunds lbw b Smith .. 0
J Bowman c J Smith b Kempster .. 0	S Smith not out .. 1
Extras .. 18	Extras .. 7
Total .. 110	Total .. 90

LITTLEMORE HOSPITAL V. KIRTLINGTON.

At Littlemore and won by the home side by 84 runs. J. Clarkson took seven for 19 and Wickson batted 1½ hours. Score:—

HOSPITAL.	KIRTLINGTON.
W James c and b George .. 41	H Norridge c and b Clarkson .. 34
W Murray c Peverell b Cate .. 10	E Siggers c Buckland b A Walton .. 0
J Langridge b George 12	W Wickson c A Walton b Clarkson .. 20
A Ruler b Norridge .. 2	

C Buckland c Edgington b Norridge .. 55	J Edgington c A Walton b Reynolds .. 0
R Reynolds c Kirtland b Norridge .. 15	A George b Clarkson .. 7
A Walton c Norridge b Green .. 0	E J Kirtland b Clarkson .. 0
W Cooper b Norridge 4	E Norridge c James b A Walton .. 2
J Clarkson b Norridge 14	H Green c Santall b Clarkson .. 3
W Bantall not out .. 14	G Peverell b Clarkson .. 1
W Birch c Peverell .. 0	W Cate not out .. 2
George .. 0	R Norridge b Clarkson .. 16
Extras .. 0	Extras .. 0
Total runs 172	Total runs 92

UNIVERSITY PRESS V. STRATTON ST. MARGARET.

On Balliol ground the Swindon team won with ease. Score:—

STRATTON ST. MARGARET.	UNIVERSITY PRESS.
A Bourton c Peach b Clements .. 0	R Clements b Warfield .. 25
T Day c and b Clements .. 12	J Piper b Stone .. 2
C Clements .. 12	A J Cross b Warfield .. 4
D Stone at Piper b Cross .. 11	R Moss b Warfield .. 3
J Warfield not out 123	J Peach b Warfield .. 3
F Gray c and b Clements .. 9	L Peach not out .. 4
J G Gray b Peach .. 8	A Hall b Warfield .. 0
W B Hill b Clements 1	A Smith at Bourton .. 7
H Higgins b Thorne 22	W Thomas b Poutling b Hill .. 0
J Wren b Thorne .. 4	H Thorne b Wren .. 0
J Poutling b Thorne 11	
B Hatherall not out .. 9	Extras .. 4
Extras .. 9	Extras .. 4
Total (9 wks dec) 211	Total .. 52

OXFORD EXILES V. ELSFIELD.

At Elsfeld and won by the Exiles by 25 runs. Morley took five for 23 and Grainger four for 13. Score:—

OXFORD EXILES.	ELSFIELD.
K Binns lbw b Clark .. 13	H Hemmings c Warlock b Bridge .. 5
K Gingsell c Painter b Merry .. 0	H Merry b Bridge .. 0
F Bridge lbw b Morley .. 5	M Clark c Daniels b Grainger .. 0
H Morley .. 18	A Evans b Bridge .. 5
F Grainger c Webb b Morley .. 17	L Colwell c Steff b Grainger .. 0
H Blagrove b Morley c Harvey c Hemmings b Merry .. 9	T Newell c Warnock b Grainger .. 4
C Steff c Hemmings b Morley .. 3	F Painter c Bridge b Harvey .. 2
T Warnock b Morley 3	O L Morbey c Daniels b Harvey .. 9
F Huntley c Hemmings b Colwell .. 7	H Webb b Harvey .. 0
S Daniels not out .. 0	M Maltby c Daniels b Grainger .. 0
Extras .. 0	G Morbey not out .. 0
Extras .. 0	Extra .. 1
Total .. 83	Total .. 58

HEYFORD V. HEADINGTON UNITED.

At Heyford, the home side winning by 31 runs. Williams took four for 24, Keetch three for 16 and Evans seven for 35. Score:—

HEADINGTON.	HEYFORD.
G Coppock c Kearnes b Keetch .. 12	A Williams c Dyer b Evans .. 38
I Evans c Keetch b Kearnes .. 3	C Bolis b T Gurl .. 0
B Gurl c Slingo b Kearnes .. 10	Mustard c Jacobs b T Gurl .. 10
J Newman b Williams .. 0	P Platts b Evans .. 2
W Burch c Williams b Kearnes .. 2	T Keetch c Jacobs b T Gurl .. 0
T Gurl b Keetch .. 13	Sgt. Wood c Jacobs b Evans .. 27
S Jacobs b Williams .. 2	P Hughes at Coppock b Evans .. 2
J Dyer b Williams .. 3	E Burt not out .. 4
F Newnan b Keetch .. 1	T Kearns b Evans .. 0
G Hutt not out .. 7	P Jackson c Dyer b Evans .. 5
P Cross b Williams .. 1	M Slingo b Evans .. 0
Extras .. 11	Extras .. 4
Total .. 82	Total .. 93

WOODSTOCK V. OXFORD DOWNS.

At Woodstock the Downs won by 70 runs. T. Wakefield took seven for 16, including the "hat-trick," and P. F. Buckingham four for 17. Score:—

WOODSTOCK.	OXFORD DOWNS.
L C M Adams b Walwin .. 4	H F Davies c Tutt b Hall .. 3
J Green c Collett b Wakefield .. 0	H R Bowen b Hall .. 3
P F Buckingham b Wakefield .. 1	H R Mace c Jones b Hall .. 1
W Perrin b Wakefield 1	L Collett b Buckingham .. 38
F Southam b Walwin 7	T Flory b Everett .. 10
J Jones b Wakefield .. 7	W A Cowan b Buckingham .. 18
R Connor c Cowan b Wakefield .. 0	P Abrahams b Jones b Buckingham .. 5
C P Tutt b Wakefield .. 0	J Abrahams b Buckingham .. 5
H K Wells b Wakefield .. 7	J Everett not out .. 3
J Everett not out .. 11	E Walwin run out .. 5
Flory .. 11	T Wakefield b Buckingham .. 8
Extras .. 3	C Sanders not out .. 0
Total .. 35	Extras .. 2
	Total .. 105

**WALLINGFORD v. IVANHOE.**

At Wallingford on Saturday and won by the visitors by 81 runs. Score:—

IVANHOE.		WALLINGFORD.	
C Scott c sub b Brown	7	A W Woolley b Scott	12
H Conway c Wood	0	E Holloway c Jarman	10
B Brown	48	D Nursaw	5
G Nursaw c and b	13	D G Brown b Scott	5
Warwick	13	C Holloway c Cleverley	1
S Tooth c and b	31	b Scott	0
Wood	0	J Chaplin lbw b Nursaw	0
R Jarman b Wood	9	J Wood b Scott	13
A Lodge c Brown	17	N Clarke not out	10
Wood	17	D Warwick b Nursaw	0
H Eldridge c Clark b	2	M A Jenkins lbw b	1
Wood	2	Scott	1
A Franklin lbw b	16	H Walden c Scott b	10
Jenkins	5	Nursaw	10
G Cleverley b Wood	5	C R Crane b Scott	0
J Hardy b Jenkins	5		
F Owen not out	7		
Extras	7	Extras	6
Total	159	Total	78

**WATLINGTON v. NETTLEBED.**

At Watlington the visitors won by two wickets. Butler took eight for 38 and Judkins five for 42. Score:—

WATLINGTON.		NETTLEBED.	
W R Slater c Stevens	17	L Stevens c Hall b	0
b F Sumnerfield	1	Judkins	54
F Vernon b Butler	1	T Cobb b Judkins	54
W Judkins c Stevens	45	J Sumnerfield c Vernon b Judkins	10
b Butler	4	A Brown b Judkins	5
C Cole b Butler	2	W Jarvis lbw b Judkins	4
S Shorter b Butler	1	kings	4
J Barney b Butler	1	S Armitage b Slater	6
W Collins b F Sumnerfield	0	W Smith b Slater	2
Sumnerfield	0	F Sumnerfield	0
J Hall c F Sumnerfield b Butler	12	Shorter b Slater	9
J Stevens not out	4	F Rowditch not out	10
King b Butler	0	S Goodall not out	0
Shelley b Butler	0	J Butler did not bat.	
Extras	6		
Total	92	Total (8 wks)	118

**BICESTER v. SOUTH OXFORD.**

At Bicester and won by the home side by 59 runs. Neal took four for 11 and Jones six for 36. Score:—

BICESTER.		SOUTH OXFORD.	
D Hagerthy b Jones	12	E Turner b Neal	11
R Deely b Merriman	5	W Franklin c Gunning b Price	0
W Price b Merriman	9	A Best lbw b Neal	0
G Holliday b Jones	1	E T Sewell b Brown	2
H Gunning c Best b	30	H Harley c sub b	1
Jones	30	Brown	1
R Brown c Jones b	23	C Adams c Hagerthy	5
Harley	23	b Neal	5
D Sutton c Franklin	19	C S Jones b Brown	14
b Turner	0	H Ward run out	1
G Alley b Jones	0	O Merryman not out	7
K Collett b Jones	11	H W Pike c Collect	0
T Neal c Turner b	0	b Brown	0
Jones	0	A Cross c Gunning b	0
J Leach not out	0	Neal	0
Extras	11	Extras	9
Total	118	Total	59

**LECHLADE v. WITNEY OLD GRAMMARIANS.**

At Lechlade the visitors won by 83 runs. Crawley took three for 30, C. Jennings three for 27 and Innocent four for 29. Score:—

LECHLADE.		OLD GRAMMARIANS.	
F Coats c and b	27	L Jennings b Innocent	25
Barnes	27	J Harwood b Pudwell	11
F Pudwell b C Jennings	0	J Nash b W Sparkes	50
A Sparkes b I Jennings	31	E Jennings st Josey	23
A Tinney lbw b Barnes	0	b Innocent	23
F Eavis c Barnes b C	8	J Barnes run out	28
Jennings	8	K Gardner c Pudwell	4
F Innocent c Gardner	0	b W Sparkes	4
b C Jennings	0	W Crawley lbw b Coats	1
W Josey c Shirley b	4	C Bromme lbw b W	13
Crawley	4	Sparkes	13
J Maxtin c Gardner	14	P Knight c Josey b	11
b Crawley	14	Innocent	11
D Arkell b Crawley	0	W Shirley b Innocent	0
W Sparkes b I Jennings	6	P Steptoe not out	2
J Hobbs not out	3		
Extras	7	Extras	5
Total	95	Total	178

**COWLEY ST. JOHN II. v. TITUP.**

On Lincoln ground and won by Titup by 26 runs. Score:—

TITUP.		COWLEY ST. JOHN II.	
F Lee lbw b Room	17	E Pulket lbw b Webb	0
J Gurl b Burria	0	J Axtell c Lee b Webb	0
A Massey c J Axtell b	1	W Lucas st Lee b E	7
N Beleher	1	Coppock	20
E Coppock c and b	94	N Beleher b Higginson	20
Jurria	94	J Beleher c Higginson	13
L Price run out	11	b Payne	13
O Payne b Pargeter	14	E Burria c Wright b	25
A Webb not out	14	E Coppock	36
O Higginson not out	12	D Pargeter b Webb	0
A Wright, S Hooper	0	G H Howe b E Coppock	0
and L Coppock did	0	R Axtell b Webb	0
not bat.		R Jackson b Hooper	31
Extras	3	J Room not out	1
Total (6 wks dec)	166	Extras	7
Total	166	Total	140

**OLD BERKS HUNT v. HEYTHROP HUNT.**

At Bourton-on-the-Water on Monday and won by the Old Berks. Score:—

OLD BERKS.		HEYTHROP HUNT.	
G Weaving b Mews	2	R Huntley c G G	16
Admiral Clifton Brown	1	W Weaving b Bridges	16
c Mills b Moss	1	E J Tapett lbw b T	9
A Barton c Barrow	7	Floreys	9
b Moss	7	J Exitt lbw b S C	13
H F Davies b Moss	21	Adams	13
S C Adams b Arkell	18	B Moss b S C Adams	7
R Florey b Arkell	1	R C Barrow lbw b S	4
G Adams c Garne b	15	C Adams	4
Moss	15	V Arkell c G Adams	0
G G Weaving b Moss	5	b S C Adams	0
J College b Moss	16	T Garne not out	0
J W Bridges not out	12	G Leambridge c G G	0
T Florey b Arkell	18	W Weaving b S C Adams	0
Extras	6	J Willes c R Florey b	0
Total	122	Bridges	0
		Rev R H Moss b	6
		Bridges	6
		Col C D Barrow c T	6
		Floreys b Bridges	6
		Extras	19
		Total	89

**OLD BERKS HUNT v. DUKE OF BEAUFORTS.**

Played at Buscot, the Duke of Beaufort's winning by 36 runs. Score:—

OLD BERKS.		DUKE OF BEAUFORTS.	
G Weaving lbw b Brown	2	Duke of Beaufort b	49
V Arkell b Brown	2	Adams	49
A Barton c R Braybrooke b Chappell	8	Major M Bampfylde b	2
R Taylor c M Braybrooke b Prout	3	Barrett	2
H P Davies run out	0	W M K Braybrooke b	14
S G Adams c R Braybrooke b Prout	41	Taylor	14
Admiral Clifton Brown	1	H Witchell c Davies b	7
b Prout	1	Naggs	7
S Barrett lbw b Brown	1	Rev A R Braybrooke	8
J College b Brown	8	b Adams	8
R Pike c Witchell b	3	Rev H Timms b Adams	0
Braybrooke	3	C Chappell not out	10
H Naggs not out	4	P Prout lbw b College	8
Extras	5	B Moss b Adams	6
Total	78	D Alway b Adams	0
		F Brown b Arkell	0
		Extras	9
		Total	114

**NORTH OXFORD v. THAME.**

Played at Oxford. Score:—

THAME.		NORTH OXFORD.	
H Cottrell c and b	6	B Rogers c Higgins b	5
Rogers	6	Cottrell	5
H Howland b Rowditch	0	E Squires c Maugham	50
Maugham b Squires	12	b Cross	50
Bailey c Money b	10	E G Tucker c Hearne	3
Rogers	10	b Loasley	3
Higgins c Squires b	3	P Thompson c Maugham b Higgins	31
Rogers	3	harn b Higgins	14
Loasley b Rogers	10	S Rising st Hearne b	14
Hearne c Thompson b	1	Higgins	14
Squires	1	A Scudlon lbw b	1
Cross lbw b Rogers	0	Loasley	1
Young c and b Rogers	0	B Money lbw b	1
Smith not out	11	Higgins	1
Trafford st Thompson	3	E Bowtell c Bailey b	13
b Rogers	3	Loasley	13
		H Bullday not out	2
		T Pant c Cross b	0
		Cottrell	0
		W A Khan b Higgins	1
		Extras	11
		Total	141

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**MINOR COUNTIES' CHAMPIONSHIP.**

**BUCKS v. OXFORDSHIRE.**

Oxfordshire commenced their return game with Bucks at High Wycombe on Wednesday and at the close of the day's play were 145 in arrears of the Bucks total, with half their wickets in hand. No play was possible on Thursday so the game had to be abandoned and as two innings were not completed the game does not count in the championship table and Oxfordshire lose all the chance they possessed of being in the position of challengers. Henry was in a quandary when he won the toss and arguing that Edwards would be more dangerous while the pitch was damp, he took the risk of putting Bucks in. Bucks showed their appreciation with a total of 270, the feature of the innings being the stand of 95 for the fourth wicket by Brooke and Rafferty, two Oxford undergraduates. Brooke went on to complete his first century for Bucks and his was in every way a good innings. The Oxfordshire bowling was not very formidable, though before lunch Walters delivered 22 overs for as many runs and at the end of the innings Thomas gave a glimpse of his old form and finished with the fine analysis of 5 for 59. In the time remaining for play Oxfordshire lost five wickets. Lee, the most consistent bat on the side, played a capital innings, as also did Guilfoyle, who was out in trying to get a second six off Edwards. Then Walters and Inge, both playing with an eye on the morrow, stuck in to the end and so gave Oxfordshire a fighting chance. Too much credit cannot be given to them as the failure of either would have been a serious matter for the side.

For the final match against Berkshire on the Merton ground on Monday and Tuesday H. Walker and F. Hartley take the places of Evetts and J. Rogers. Score and analysis:

**BUCKINGHAMSHIRE—First Innings.**

W B Franklin b J Rogers	10
R Byass lbw b Walters	22
A G Skinner run out	21
R H J Brooke not out	101
W T Brindley lbw b Henry	27
C V Rafferty b Thomas	56
N G Bake Thomas	0
A J James b Thomas	12
W E Hazelton c Evetts b Walters	4
R H Rutter J Rogers b Thomas	6
Edwards b Thomas	0
Extras	14
Total	270

**OXFORDSHIRE—First Innings.**

J A Evetts b Rutter	1
S C B Lee b Rutter	40
E Hartley c Baker b Edwards	8
L Rogers c Brooke b Rutter	5
J Guilfoyle c Skinner b Edwards	29
C Walters not out	15
W W Inge not out	29
Extras	2
Total (5 wkts)	129

R P Thomas, J Rogers, B J Henry and R A Phayre did not bat.

**BOWLING ANALYSIS.**

BUCKS.—First Innings: Henry, 14-1-40-1; Thomas, 23.5-6-59-5; Walters, 32-15-61-2; J Rogers, 15-0-50-1; Lee, 1-0-11-0; L Rogers, 4-0-16-0.

**MINOR COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP.**

**Oxfordshire v. Berkshire.**

For their concluding championship match Oxfordshire had the kind of weather for which they have been praying all the season, but it was of little avail. Perhaps it was as their skipper suggested—the players had not the time to become acclimatised to the glare of the sun and the terrific heat. All those who saw it will agree that it was a splendid match and a capital wind-up to a season which, even if it has not brought the kudos and honour of 12 months ago, has yet given some cause for satisfaction. Henry won the toss and the Oxfordshire first innings realised 280. S. C. B. Lee, suffering under the handicap of a badly damaged right thumb, played faultlessly for his 83, and again proved himself the most consistent bat on the side. Walters and Inge, who came together when the side were in none too strong a position, played carefully at first, and then having got on top of the bowling, sent the score along at a good pace. Walters has often stepped into the breach in this manner, while of Inge it can be truthfully said that he is a 50 per cent. better batsman than last year. Berkshire lost four wickets for 72 at the close of Monday's play, and before lunch on Tuesday were all out for 115. This was due to the bowling of Walters and Frank Hartley, who, finding themselves at long last on a fast wicket, proceeded to show how dangerous they can be.

Following on Berkshire lost six wickets for 85 and so seemed in for a severe hiding. R. H. Human, the Cambridge Blue, and Lewis became associated at this period and before they were parted made the game look entirely different. They nearly doubled the score, and from Oxford's point of view worse was to follow, as Munday, who is a bowler, was allowed to collect 47, and Lewis made a successful attempt to out-Woodfull, Woodfull. He must have been at the wickets nearly three hours for his 65 not out, and this is not the first time his bat had looked like a barn-door to the Oxfordshire bowlers.

Hartley and Walters literally tired themselves out in an effort to break through the batsmen's defence, and nothing was finer than the heroic manner in which they stuck to their task, as in the absence of Joe Rogers, Henry's bowling resources were distinctly limited.

It was a magnificent recovery that Berkshire made, and as Oxfordshire

were set 140 to win in less than an hour, the game was drawn, a result highly creditable to our near neighbours. In the course of the match Walters took twelve wickets for 125. Very fine work. As usual, he was very accurate, and though he must have been a very tired man in the last hour, he was always willing to carry on and do the best for his side. Full score and analysis:—

**OXFORDSHIRE—First Innings.**

S. C. B. Lee b J. Human	83
J. A. Everts c Vaughan b Woodburn	13
H. Walker b Hinde	4
L. Rogers c Vaughan b Human	27
E. Hartley b Woodburn	12
C. Walters lbw b R. Remnant	63
W. Inge Woodburn	41
F. Hartley c R. Remnant b Woodburn	12
M. H. Lee b Woodburn	3
R. P. Thomas not out	11
E. J. Henry b R. Remnant	1
Extras	10
Total	280

**Second Innings.**

H. Walker lbw b Hinde	5
S. C. B. Lee not out	15
L. Rogers st Vaughan b R. Remnant	24
Extras	1
Total 42 wickets	45

**BERKSHIRE—First Innings.**

R. F. Remnant c and b F. Hartley	24
H. L. Lewis lbw b Walters	10
J. H. Human b Walters	8
P. F. Remnant c and b F. Hartley	15
J. L. Carr b Walters	19
R. H. Human c Inge b Walters	17
R. H. Palmer b F. Hartley	0
W. Y. Woodburn b F. Hartley	8
R. T. Vaughan b Walters	2
H. Munday not out	0
H. M. Hinde b Walters	0
Extras	12
Total	115

**Second Innings.**

R. F. Remnant b F. Hartley	18
W. Y. Woodburn b Thomas	4
J. H. Human st Inge b Walters	29
P. F. Remnant c Thomas b Walters	4
J. L. Carr lbw b Walters	0
R. H. Human b Walters	93
R. H. Palmer b Walters	9
H. L. Lewis not out	65
R. T. Vaughan b S. Lee	14
W. Munday b F. Hartley	47
H. M. Hinde c and b Walters	1
Extras	30
Total	304

**BOWLING ANALYSIS.**

**OXFORDSHIRE.**—First Innings: R. Remnant, 23.3-4-62-2; Hinde, 15-2-51-1; Woodburn, 31-3-74-5; Munday, 22-7-44-0; R. Human, 42-6-24-0; J. Human, 5-0-15-1.  
**BERKSHIRE.**—First Innings: Henry, 3-1-10-0; Thomas, 5-1-8-0; Walters, 22.4-9-43-6; F. Hartley, 20-3-42-4.  
 Second Innings: Henry, 13-3-42-0; Thomas, 21-6-18-1; Walters, 30.2-9-82-6; F. Hartley, 28-5-80-2; L. Rogers, 3-0-10-0; S. C. B. Lee, 8-1-22-1.

## THE SEASON'S RECORD.

### BATTING FAILURES OF A WET SEASON.

#### OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUNG PLAYERS.

The Oxfordshire records for this season are:

	P.	W.	L.	D.
All matches .....	12	4	3	5
Championship ...	10	4	2	4

Last season Oxfordshire played nine matches, winning eight and drawing one. This season they have had three more engagements and their record is not so good. The weather has had a great deal to do with the falling off the side has shown in each department, batting, bowling and fielding. The loss of Arnold, too, was irreparable and it is nice to think that the young Cowley player has already fulfilled, in first-class cricket his promise of the 1929 Minor Counties campaign.

The difference in the batting figures is rather remarkable. Last season one player had an average of over 50, one of over 40, two of over 30 and four of over 20. This year there is one 30 and three twenties. S. C. B. Lee has the satisfaction of heading the figures and he thoroughly deserves the distinction. On a turning pitch Lee's experience and his sound, if unorthodox, defence have been of the utmost value. Walters, too, has improved on his figures of 12 months ago, and few players in the side use their feet better in defence. Walters can hit when necessary and it is this judgment in suiting his game to circumstances that makes him so invaluable to the side. Following Walters comes Inge. Last season Inge did not play. He has strengthened the team not merely in batting, in which he has made vast strides, but his wicket-keeping has been a positive delight and has earned the golden opinions even of his opponents. Len Rogers has played in characteristic style, and has often hit quite brilliantly. For the rest of the batsmen the season has been rather disappointing. Harry Walker has struck one of those periods when nothing would go right for him. It is a fate that befalls the best batsmen and there is no reason to suppose that it is more than a passing phase. It would seem that the Oxford batting does need stiffening, and much will be expected another season from J. A. Evetts and Jack Gullfoyle, who, one feels, only need experience.

Strange to relate, the bowling has not declined so much as the batting. Without repeating their phenomenal success of last season, when between them they took 148 wickets, Walters, Joe Rogers and F. Hartley have put in some sterling work and have captured only 19 wickets less than 12 months ago. In fact, Walters' and Rogers' bowling has only been slightly less effective than last year. Walters has taken 56 for 13 against 54 for 10 and Rogers 48 for 13 against 50 for 12. Hartley shows the greatest decline,—25 for 20 against 44 for 14. But then Rogers and Hartley have rarely had wickets to their liking.

Nothing more severely handicaps a fast bowler than to find all the life gone out of the turf, making it impossible to bump them. Rogers will not be available next season, and the final match against Berkshire gave us some inkling of what his loss may mean. We can only wish for him in his new career with Gloucestershire the same success Arnold has had with Hants. Thomas seems definitely to have passed his best, and if this is so there will be plenty of opportunities for bowlers next year.

Capt. Henry has again skippered the side with tact and enthusiasm and it is impossible to exaggerate the debt Oxfordshire owes to him. He has made himself quite indispensable. There is just one way in which, I think, he could be relieved of some worry and unnecessary criticism. That is by introducing to the committee some individual who is not associated with the Oxford City Club and who, for preference, has a good inside knowledge of local clubs. I fear that under the present system some young players in the City are not getting a fair chance, and I know that they feel they are not. This is not written in any carping spirit but merely in the interests of the Club. Having said that we can ring down the curtain on the 1930 campaign in the hope that when it rises again in 1931, Oxfordshire cricketers will have undergone such a thorough combing that all the necessary recruits will be found.

Below are the batting and bowling averages:—

#### BATTING.

	No. of Inns.	Times	Aggr. n.o.	Highest	Aver. Score.	Aver. score.
S. C. B. Lee ..	15	1	436	83	29.14	31.14
C. Walters ..	17	7	359	63	25.64	25.64
W. W. Inge ..	10	6	331	61*	25.40	25.40
L. Rogers ....	20	0	415	57	20.75	20.75
H. Walker ..	17	1	273	52	17.06	17.06
J. Gullfoyle ..	7	1	97	35	16.16	16.16
F. Hartley ...	12	1	182	37	16.00	16.00
E. Hartley ...	13	1	125	28	10.41	10.41
M. H. Lee ...	10	0	85	35	8.50	8.50
J. Rogers ....	13	2	61	19	5.54	5.54
R. P. Thomas ..	15	3	66	18	5.50	5.50
B. J. Henry ..	16	0	44	12	4.40	4.40

\*Not out.

Also batted: N. Bowell, 4 and 7; D. Axtell, 2 and 16; E. Cotton, 59, 8, 2 and 0; F. Windrow, 5; W. Spindler, 8 and 7; J. A. Evetts, 1, 2, 5, 1 and 13; R. A. Phayre, 7, 2, 5 and 1.

#### BOWLING.

	M	R.	W.	Aver.
C. Walters ....	322.5	92	731	56
J. Rogers ....	207.1	40	663	48
S. C. B. Lee ...	171.1	21	253	17
F. Hartley ...	160.1	35	521	25
R. P. Thomas ..	118.5	27	287	13
B. J. Henry ...	120	21	321	15

Also bowled: J. Gullfoyle, 8—0—27—0; L. Rogers, 18—3—37—1; F. Windrow, 3—1—10—0.

Results to 23 August (inclusive).

	Won		Lost		on on		1st		Pts		Per	
	P	W	L	Ins	Ins	Ins	Ins	Ins	Ins	Ins	Ins	Ins
Durham .....	8	6	0	1	0	1	35	33	94.28			
Surrey II. ....	11	4	0	3	1	3	40	30	75.60			
Lancashire II. .	10	5	1	2	1	1	45	32	71.11			
Buckinghamshire.	10	5	2	1	0	2	40	28	70.00			
Oxfordshire ....	9	4	2	1	0	2	35	24	68.71			
Cornwall .....	9	3	1	1	1	3	30	19	63.33			
Wiltshire .....	6	3	1	2	1	1	35	22	62.85			
Hertfordshire...	12	4	2	3	1	2	50	30	60.00			
Cheshire .....	8	4	3	0	0	1	35	20	57.14			
Staffordshire ...	10	3	2	2	1	2	40	22	55.00			
Bedfordshire ...	9	2	3	3	1	0	35	20	44.44			
Cambridgeshire .	7	2	2	0	1	2	25	11	44.00			
Berkshire .....	9	3	3	0	2	1	40	17	42.50			
Sotts II. ....	8	2	3	2	1	0	40	17	42.50			
Kent II. ....	9	2	4	1	2	0	45	15	33.33			
Devonshire .....	10	1	4	2	0	3	35	11	31.42			
Dorset .....	8	1	2	1	3	1	35	11	31.42			
Lincolnshire ...	8	1	2	1	3	1	35	11	31.42			
Yorkshire II. ...	8	1	4	1	2	0	40	10	25.00			
Northumberland.	6	0	3	0	1	1	25	6	24.00			
Norfolk .....	7	0	3	1	0	2	25	6	24.00			
Monmouthshire..	8	1	5	0	1	1	36	6	17.14			
Denbighshire ...	8	0	7	0	1	0	40	1	2.50			

Abandoned on account of rain: Lancashire II. v. Staffordshire (at Hoxwood); Yorkshire II. v. Northumberland (at Rotherham); Yorkshire II. v. Lancashire II. (at Halifax); and Lancashire II. v. Northumberland (at Old Trafford).

**CRICKET.**

**LEAVES FROM MY NOTE-BOOK.**

**FIXTURES.**

(On the ground of first-named club.)

**SATURDAY.**

- Oxford City v. R.A.F. (Hinton, 11.30).  
 Hazells v. University Press.  
 University Press v. Middle Barton (Jordan Hill).  
 North Oxford v. Oxford City.  
 Bladon v. North Oxford II.  
 Old Redengians v. Morris Motors.  
 Sutton's, Reading, v. Headington.  
 Headington II. v. Horspath.  
 The Wainford v. Summertown.  
 University Press II. v. M.C.A. II. (Ballot).  
 South Oxford v. Watlington.  
 Summingwell v. South Oxford II.  
 Oxford Downs v. Lechlade.  
 County Council Staff v. Bampton.  
 Witney Old Grammarians v. Chipping Norton.  
 Littlemore Hospital v. Great Hasley.  
 Titup II. v. Tiddington.  
 Wolvercote v. Eisleigh.  
 Old Davenants v. Banbury.  
 Chilton v. Thame "A."  
 Wallingford v. Oxfordshire Nomads.  
 Witney Mills v. Shipton-under-Wychwood.  
 Shipton II. v. Swinbrook.  
 Cowley v. Boicester.  
 Woodstock v. Oxford Exiles.  
 Osberton Works v. Lucas' Sports Club.  
 Post Office v. Osberton Works II.  
 Shal-Mex v. Boar's Hill.  
 Garsington v. Baldon.  
 Stanton St. John v. Kidlington.  
 Kidlington II. v. Stevens' Sports.  
 City Imperial League v. Long Handborough.  
 Kingham Hill v. Churchill.  
 Milton II. v. Eynsham Hill II.  
 Radhampton v. Forest Hill.  
 Morris Garages v. Sutton Courtenay.  
 Redley v. Sandford-Thames.  
 Rousham v. Kirtlington II.  
 Chesterton v. Islip.  
 Fifeild v. Drayton St. Leonard.  
 R.A.F. Heyford v. Middleton Stoney.  
 Buckingham v. Brackley.  
 Abingdon Wesleyans v. Marcham.  
 Berks Mental Hospital v. Didcot.  
 Hagbourne v. Appleford.

**OXFORD LEAGUE.**

**Semi-Finals.**

**Division I.**

- United College Servants v. Church Army Press.  
 Cowley St. John v. Didcot R.A.O.C.

**Division II.**

- Titup v. Headington.  
 Cowley St. John II. v. Cumnor.

**WITNEY AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.**

**Division I.**

- Chadlington v. Charlbury.  
 Eynsham Hall Park v. Witney Swifts.  
 Coombe v. Eynsham.

**Division II.**

- Eynsham II. v. Coombe II.  
 Finstock v. Woodton.  
 Charlbury II. v. Ashall.

**FILKINS AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.**

- Black Bourton v. Chanfield.  
 Eastleach v. Brize Norton.  
 Filkins v. Bradwell Grove.

**EYNSHAM INSTITUTE LEAGUE.**

- Horspath "B" v. Wolvercote II.

**MONDAY.**

- Byrds v. St. Peter's Club.

**MONDAY AND TUESDAY.**

- Oxford City v. North of Thames (11.30).

**TUESDAY.**

- Headington v. City Police.  
 Brackley v. Northampton Amateurs.

**TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY.**

- Byrds v. University Museum (evenings).

**WEDNESDAY.**

- Oxford City v. Northampton Amateurs (11.30).  
 Wallingford v. United College Servants.  
 Headington v. R.A.F. Heyford.

**THURSDAY.**

- North Oxford v. Twinning.  
 Headington v. Depot O.B.L.I.  
 Elvaston v. South Oxford.  
 Oxfordshire Police v. City Police.  
 M.C.A. v. Stevens' Sports.

**CRICKETERS' ROLL.**

**BATTING.**

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S. C. B. Lee (Oxfordshire v. Berkshire) .....	82
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A. Sheppard (Morris Motors v. City Police) ..	80
R. Millin (Church Army v. Depot O.B.L.I.) ..	80
C. Mott (Thame "A" v. Monks Riborough) ..	87*
S. C. B. Lee (Thame v. Wallingford) .....	65
G. Walters (Oxfordshire v. Berkshire) .....	63
E. E. Cooke (South Oxford v. North Oxford) ..	61*
G. Adams (Farmden v. Banbury) .....	59*
G. Walton (Littlemore Hospital v. Horspath) ..	59*
E. J. Weaver (Twickenham v. Cowley) .....	57
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\*Not out.

**BOWLING.**

A. Hoeler (Witney Swifts v. Cassington) ..	10-14
T. Malyon (Church Army "A" v. Battleaxe) ..	9-28
W. Alien (United Servants v. Witney Mills) ..	8-27
P. Coppock (Horspath v. Littlemore Hospital) ..	8-24
F. Strong (Witney Mills v. United Servants) ..	8-64
T. James (United Servants v. Kirtlington) ..	7-13
F. Parker (Morris Garages v. M.C.A.) .....	7-17
W. Nash (Wolvercote v. Titup) .....	7-26
R. Cox (Wheatley v. Sandford) .....	7-22
S. C. B. Lee (Thame v. Wallingford) .....	7-38
W. H. Millin (Church Army v. Depot O.B.L.I.) ..	7-40
J. E. Rees (North Oxford v. South Oxford) ..	7-66
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A. Lees (Mr. Billingham's XI. v. Byard's) ..	6-11

BY F.J.F.

The local cricket season has been rather quiet. Unpleasant incidents have been conspicuous only by their absence. It was too much to hope that competitive cricket would altogether escape. The storm centre is Eynsham and the cause of the trouble is a gentleman by the name of Biggers, a former Eynsham player. Mr. Biggers has recently been playing for Eynsham Hall Park, but he moved to Cowley, the place where they assemble motor-cars, and Eynsham considered that this barred him from competing in their local competition, and refused to play even a friendly game. These sort of things are inevitable so long as we have competitions, and personally my only regret is that they give the enemies of League cricket another peg on which to hang their argument that when cups come in at the window, sport goes out at the door.

At the City Football Club meeting to-night, one of the chief items on the programme will be the appointment of a successor to C. E. Starling, the captain. Starling feels that he cannot play regularly and so has resigned. Well, he was a very nice fellow, and though his reign was brief and few honours came to the team while he was "on the throne," he at least was a whole-hearted worker for the Club. I believe his successor will be either one of the Richardsons or Randall, and either would be a popular choice.

From the review of the Oxfordshire County Cricket Club season elsewhere it is evident that new blood will be required next season. Joe Rogers will not be available and there is a probability that W. W. Inge will be abroad. Some of the other players are not getting younger. We hear complaints sometimes that the Executive do not try enough local players. If this were true, next season there would seem to be no option except to give the fullest opportunity to the critics' demand.

But it is as well to remind those who are everlastingly demanding the trial of local talent that Minor County cricket is a very searching test and that few survive it. Still, I think Capt. Henry, who is always on the look-out for another Johnny Arnold, will give the young player every chance.

People are still talking about the Test matches and the poor show made by England, and nearly everyone has a different remedy for the uplift of English cricket. Said an old player to me the other day, "We ought to start re-building at once and get rid of Hobbs, Tate, Larwood and Co. We ought to take all the youngsters to South Africa and leave the veterans at home." How simple and even wise it sounds. What is not generally understood is that it is possible to spoil a young player by putting him into International cricket too soon. A series of failures would undermine his confidence. Moreover, I cannot see the wisdom of taking the very young player to South Africa, where the strange conditions would do him more harm than good. There must always be a sprinkling of experienced cricketers in an International side, and simply because it is Australia's turn to be better than England does not, to my mind, justify all the newspaper hysteria to which we have been subjected in the past few weeks. English cricket is quite all right.

The success of Parker and Freeman against the Australians has given those who were in favour of including them in the last Test an opportunity of which they have not been slow to take advantage, despite the fact that both players are over 40 and would weaken the side in the all-important branches of fielding and batting. All credit to the two veterans, and may their arm not lose its cunning for many years. Bristol and Canterbury are not exactly Oval wickets and I County games are not Test matches. No, it is to the younger men to whom we must look for the recovery of the Ashes.

Horspath and Sandford will be played on Corpus ground on 6 September and the Fowler Cup final (Horton v. Wheatley II.) on Pembroke ground on 13 September.

Oxfordshire Cricket Club may not have a first-class side, but it was two Oxford boys who had much to do with the success of Hampshire over Northants. Arnold scored 166 for once out and Herman took nine wickets for 89.

In totalling a 1,000 runs in his maiden season in first-class cricket D. N. Moore, the Queen's College Blue, has joined a select band which includes Hobbs, A. E. Relf, Sutcliffe, A. P. Day, R. A. Young and H. L. Wilson.

**MAINLY ABOUT PLAYERS.**

According to a cricket authority the Oxfordshire County Cricket Club was first formed in 1863-67 years ago.

Why not take Arnold and Bakewell to South Africa this winter to give them the experience that is so essential for their future?

Oxfordshire cricketers will join very heartily in the congratulations to Johnny Arnold on the completion of his 1,000 runs in his first year in first-class cricket.

The umpires in the League semi-finals on Saturday are Cowley St. John v. Didcot (L. Levitt and A. Hitchman), Servants v. Church Army (A. Payne and A. Charlton).

Herman's performance in taking 8 for 49 against Yorkshire may cause the Hants C.C. to revise their opinion of his worth. Like Arnold and Bakewell he is an Oxford boy.

The Wyfold Cup final between



COWLEY V. TWICKENHAM.

Twickenham visited Cowley on Saturday and easily beat the home side. Goodfellow and Weaver each passed the 50 mark and Russell (six wickets) and Walbank (five wickets) bowled unchanged. Score:—

Table showing cricket scores for Cowley v Twickenham. Columns include batsmen names, runs scored, and bowlers with wickets taken. Total runs: 165.

THE UNITED COLLEGE SERVANTS.

In friendly games played last week the Servants beat Kidlington and lost to Bicester. Against Kidlington T. James took seven for 13. Score:—

Table showing cricket scores for The United College Servants v Kidlington. Columns include batsmen names, runs scored, and bowlers with wickets taken. Total runs: 41.

and R. Walton played a fine innings of

59 not out. Score:—

Table showing cricket scores for Hospital v HORSPTH. Columns include batsmen names, runs scored, and bowlers with wickets taken. Total runs: 146.

OXFORD CITY MATCHES.

Of the two teams which the City put into the field on Saturday that which met Reading at Oxford was much more representative of the real strength of the club. They first put Reading out for 74, Percy Mills taking six wickets for 37 on a pitch he would no doubt like to cart about with him. Thomas took two for 32 and Jack King one for 2. When the City went in five wickets fell cheaply, but Cotton, Mills and King stopped the rot and batting under difficult conditions saw the Reading total passed. The "A" team that went to Standlake lost to the Oxford Downs by 18 runs. The game was played on a "glue-pot" and the 20 wickets fell for an aggregate of 60 runs! Naturally the bowling figures were out of the ordinary. Upstone took five for 8, Haynes five for 27, Pickford four for 13, K. Florey two for 1 and G. Walker two for 4.

Table showing cricket scores for Oxford City matches. Columns include batsmen names, runs scored, and bowlers with wickets taken. Total runs: 74.

SERVANTS. BICESTER.

Table showing cricket scores for Servants v Bicester. Columns include batsmen names, runs scored, and bowlers with wickets taken. Total runs: 62.

NORTH OXFORD V. SOUTH OXFORD.

On St. John's ground, and won by the visitors. Score:—

Table showing cricket scores for North Oxford v South Oxford. Columns include batsmen names, runs scored, and bowlers with wickets taken. Total runs: 99.

COUNTY COUNCIL STAFF V. STEVENS SPORTS.

On Corpus ground and won by the Staff, for whom Allaway took five for 19 and Meadows five for 26. Score:—

Table showing cricket scores for County Council Staff v Stevens Sports. Columns include batsmen names, runs scored, and bowlers with wickets taken. Total runs: 122.

Table showing cricket scores for Oxford City, Oxford Downs, and Headington v Grendon Ramblers. Columns include batsmen names, runs scored, and bowlers with wickets taken. Total runs: 21.

HEADINGTON V. GRENDRON RAMBLERS.

The Grendon Ramblers visited Headington and were beaten by 126 runs. In the course of the game Tommy Gurl (five for 14) took his 100th wicket of the season. Hill had an analysis of three for 34. Score:—

Table showing cricket scores for Headington v Grendon Ramblers. Columns include batsmen names, runs scored, and bowlers with wickets taken. Total runs: 139.

FARINGDON V. RAMSBURY.

At Faringdon and won by the home side. Gauntlett took four for 16, Bridges five for 19, Willis five for 38, and Wilson four for 64. Score:—

Table showing cricket scores for Faringdon v Ramsbury. Columns include batsmen names, runs scored, and bowlers with wickets taken. Total runs: 109.

CITY IMPERIAL LEAGUE V. MIDDLE BARTON.

On Ortel ground, Bell and Bowles saving the game for the League when they had lost seven for 7. With the ball Cox took five wickets. Dunning played well for his 56. Score:—

Table showing cricket scores for City Imperial League v Middle Barton. Columns include batsmen names, runs scored, and bowlers with wickets taken. Total runs: 131.

WITNEY OLD GRAMMARIANS V. SHIPTON-UNDERWYCHWOOD.

At Witney the Old Boys beat Shipton by 73 runs. Willoughby and Jennings had a long partnership and with the ball Barnes took six for 28. Score:—

Table showing cricket scores for Witney Old Grammarians v Shipton-Underwychood. Columns include batsmen names, runs scored, and bowlers with wickets taken. Total runs: 132.

TIDDINGTON V. GARSINGTON.

At Tiddington the home side beat Garsington by 84 runs. A Slater hit two sixes, three fours and two threes, and with the ball took three for 18, while W. H. Maule had three for 19. Score:—

Table showing cricket scores for Tiddington v Garsington. Columns include batsmen names, runs scored, and bowlers with wickets taken. Total runs: 149.

MRS. BAILEY'S XI. V. BRADWELL GROVE BOYS.

At Stow-on-the-Wold and won by the boys by an innings and five runs, Mrs. Bailey's side being dismissed for 80 in their second innings. G. Badger took six for 21. Score:—

Table showing cricket scores for Mrs. Bailey's XI v Bradwell Grove Boys. Columns include batsmen names, runs scored, and bowlers with wickets taken. Total runs: 124.

V Protherough b G Badger (capt) b B Jeffries	0	13
R Hastings b A Badger	1	8
E Douglas b G Badger	9	24
C Bailey (capt) b W Wakefield c Miller	37	17
W Jeffries b G Badger	0	7
T Sumuda b G Badger	0	7
F Jeffries c and b G Badger	0	2
A Miller not out	10	0
C Turner b Timms	6	0
Extras	1	34
Total	72	157

**MIDDLETON PARK v. MR. G. HORN'S XI.**

At Middleton Park and won by the visitors by one run. Turner took three for 35, W. Lewendon four for 15 and Florey four for 20. Score:—

<b>MR. HORN'S XI.</b>	<b>MIDDLETON.</b>
H Lewendon b Curtis	23
E Turner c Curtis	5
King	20
D Bixy st Fasham	6
Sims	7
P Haynes c Shouler	4
King	4
E Horn b Sims	0
S Taylor run out	21
W Lewendon c Curtis	6
B Brown	6
S Hawkins b Harrison	12
R Pacey c Embleton	0
R Harrison	0
G Horn lbw b Harrison	0
J Wheeler run out	2
C Franklin not out	2
Extras	8
Total	101

**GREAT RISSINGTON v. FIFIELD.**

At Rissington and won by the visitors. In a second innings the home side lost seven for 29. F. Davis took four for 0 and E. Field three for 1. Score:—

<b>FIFIELD.</b>	<b>GREAT RISSINGTON.</b>
A McConnell b G Timms	1
S Smith	15
D Douglas c D Timms	12
W Davis lbw b W Smith	1
F Davis c Shorfield	21
Morris	0
F Haynes c R Pratley	0
W Smith	0
F Paxford b G Smith	2
A Francis b G Smith	2
E Field b Morris	16
F Smith not out	3
S Gos c Parsons	0
Morris	0
H Cooper b Morris	2
Extras	12
Total	91

**THAME "A" v. MONKS RISBOROUGH.**

<b>THAME "A"</b>	<b>MONKS RISBOROUGH.</b>
W West b Travis	40
R Potter b Oldfield	38
J Marcham lbw	0
Oldfield	34
R Thomas st Hallett	35
B Eglington	0
A Higgins b Stevens	10
C Mott not out	67
H Cottrell not out	4
C Wells, J Tomlinson	0
A J Castle and I Bush did not bat.	0
Extras	13
Total (5 wks dec)	193

**BRIEF RESULTS.**

C.V.L. Co., 59 (F. Hill 30); Horton-cum-Studley, 31 (E. Jones 15).  
 Byard's Sports, 34 (A. Lees six for 11); Mr. Billingham's XI, 32 (F. Jones six for 16, R. Townsend four for 8) and 89 for one (B. Perryman 49 not out, R. Surman 39).  
 Stamford-in-the-Vale, 79 (F. Spinage 24, F. E. White 21); County Police, 22 (F. E. Whitfield six wickets).  
 Church Army Press, 136 for three wickets de-  
 cided (W. Millin 67 not out, L. Windscheffel 47);  
 Depot O.B.L.L., 109 all out (Millin seven for 40).  
 Church Army Press "A", 100; Battleaxe C.C.,  
 56 (Malton nine for 28).

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**BUCKLAND v. MARCHAM.**

At Buckland and won by the visitors by 43 runs. Score:—

<b>BUCKLAND.</b>	<b>MARCHAM.</b>
G Fryer c Turner b Watson	3
Edmunds	14
C Shewry b Edmunds	4
H Blanchard c and b Willis	0
Edmunds	0
F Willis c Adams b Church	2
J Jordan c Franklin b Shewry	2
Edmunds	0
H Margetts b Edmunds	2
W Watson c Gosling	0
b Edmunds	0
M Willis c Gosling b V Franklin	0
Edmunds	0
C Pearce c Bolton b A Thame	0
Edmunds	6
R Mildenhall b Thame	1
F Painter c Church b Willis	0
V Willis not out	1
Extras	1
Total	30

**CHURCH HANDBOROUGH v. OXFORD EXILES.**

At Handborough and won by the home side by nine runs. Score:—

<b>HANDBOROUGH.</b>	<b>EXILES.</b>
P Durham c and b K Ginnell	2
Goddard	17
J Pratley c Goddard	4
b Harvey	21
A Watts b Goddard	0
P Pratley c Huntley	5
b Howes	17
B Merritt b Bush	1
C Tollett c Ginnell b J Goddard	1
Howes	1
J Pratley	1
B Cozier c Fowler b Harvey	1
A Flyar not out	2
G Martin b Goddard	5
Extras	5
Total	49

**BALDONS v. STADHAMPTON.**

At Baldons and won by the visitors by 16 runs score:—

<b>BALDONS.</b>	<b>STADHAMPTON.</b>
W Preston b Ingram	14
J Beckett b Laurence	5
H Aldworth c Wood	0
b Laurence	0
E Preston c Laurence	0
b Ingram	8
E Bargas b Ingram	5
J Aldworth b Laurence	5
K Wills b Laurence	0
F Almond c and b V Wood	6
J Druce b V Wood	4
K Goddard not out	4
E Preston lbw b Slater	3
Extras	2
Total	51

**WALLINGFORD v. THAME.**

Played at Wallingford, on Saturday. Score:—

<b>WALLINGFORD.</b>	<b>THAME.</b>
A W Woolley c Green	11
b Lee	11
D G Brown b Lee	11
R Gray b Smith	11
W C Seabrook b Lee	15
A L Spens b Lee	0
W Whiteley b Lee	0
T Learmonth c Messenger b Smith	3
J Brown lbw b Lee	1
G M Hunt b Smith	10
E Holloway not out	10
K Paxman c Barton	7
b Lee	0
Extras	5
Total	71

Morris Engine, 69 (Blake 23, Griffiths 26, Stiles five for 22); Morris Radiators, 61 (Roper 22, Blake six for 32).  
 St. Peter's Club, Radley, 71 (Langford 18, Veary and Stevenson three for 10, Hall three for 20);  
 Corpus Christi College Servants, 51 (Goodey 18, Turner five for 12, Reynolds two for none).

**OXFORDSHIRE LEAGUE I.—Semi-final.**

**COWLEY ST. JOHN v. DIDCOT R.A.O.C.**

The weather spoilt the League semi-final between Cowley St. John and the R.A.O.C., Didcot, on the Lincoln ground. The game could not start till 3.10 and at 7.50 there was a successful appeal against the light from the Didcot captain, Major Weir. At this stage the Ordnance with three wickets in hand were 80 in arrears of the Cowley

St. John total. Jackman postponed his declaration till just after six, after his side had batted 2½ hours. The Ordnance bowling was very accurate, especially that of Carter, who delivered 31 overs for 47 runs and six wickets. Daniels made some good strokes on the leg-side and Carter, Hill and Howells made their runs in characteristic style. It was very difficult to force the game owing to the good length bowling and well-placed field, the uncertainty of the pitch and the dead outfield. Perhaps Jackman might have declared a quarter of an hour earlier, but at this stage Hill and Howells had not made their quick runs. The Ordnance went in about 6.30, and as stated protested successfully against the light at ten minutes to eight. The sun sinking beneath the trees was awkward. The team winning the toss has a great advantage at this period of the year and must take risks if they are to win. And in view of the lateness of the season and the unreliability of the weather, both should always be prepared to make sacrifices in the interests of the Association. The Depot were perhaps justified in their appeal, but I hold that the game could have gone on a short time longer when the sun had ceased to bother. At 8.15 the light, though not good, was still "playable." In bowling for Cowley St. John Leslie Walker took five for 34. Score:—

<b>COWLEY ST. JOHN.</b>	<b>R.A.O.C.</b>
H Walker c Walters b L Walker	10
L Walker c Weir b L.C. Walters	22
Walle	0
L Daniels c and b L.C. Hanford	7
Carter	47
L Walker b Carter	17
E G Jackman c and b Walker	0
R Walker lbw b J. Carter	6
J A Howells c Wood	15
b Carter	15
F Hill not out	24
T England c Cook b F. Fowler	1
C. Allaway not out	2
Extras	3
Total (9 wks dec)	154

**UNITED COLLEGE SERVANTS v. WITNEY MILLS.**

In the extra match for the headship of Section "D" the Servants easily beat the Witney Mills by 145 runs. A new pitch had to be prepared owing to the heavy rain and on this the home side ran up the good score of 190, despite some good bowling by F. Strong, who took eight for 64. The Mills were at the mercy of "Bill" Allen, whose insidious slows wrought such havoc that they were responsible for eight wickets for 27 runs. On a pitch that gives him the least assistance Allen is probably the most destructive bowler in local cricket. Another of the veterans, C. Penny, ably supported him. The Servants meet the Church Army Press in the semi-final tomorrow. Score:—

<b>SERVANTS.</b>	<b>MILLS.</b>
W Spidder b F Strong	30
W Field c Nunn b Room	9
J Guilfoyle c Pearson	83
b F Strong	19
W Allen c Hosier b F Strong	19
J R F Turner c Pearson	22
A Park b F Strong	19
F Fletcher c Hosier	4
D Goundry c Weller b F Strong	4
T James c Cooper b G Weller	18
F Strong	18
Y. Carter not out	9
C Penny c Cooper b Fyfield	13
Extras	14
Total	190

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**OXFORDSHIRE LEAGUE—II.**

**OSBERTON RADIATORS v. COWLEY ST. JOHN.**

This match on Exeter College ground was to decide who should meet Gannor for the leadership of Section "B" and the visitors won by seven wickets. Harold Gray bowled well, taking five for 32 in 23 overs and N. Belcher played a nice innings of 46 not out. Ward batted well for the Radiators. Score:—

RADIATORS.		COWLEY ST. JOHN II.	
J Ward c Howe b	17	W Lucas b Sawyer	17
F A Gray	46	N Belcher not out	46
F A Marks b Burin	20	E Burin c Horwood	6
W Long c Trodd	5	H E Marks	6
S Merry c Pulker	5	J Belcher b E Marks	6
Trodd	5	J Axtell not out	7
F Kitchen c and b	1	E Pulker, W Macready, D Parzeter, H Gray, G H Howe and G V Trodd did not bat.	
E Marks c Gray b	15		
A Butler st Pulker b	4		
A Horwood b Howe	0		
C Sawyer b Gray	1		
E Roper b Gray	2		
T Hill not out	5		
Extras	10	Extras	9
Total	83	Total (3 wks)	87

**MORRIS GARAGES v. Y.M.C.A II.**

At Abingdon on Saturday the Garages beat the Y.M.C.A. by 50 runs and earned the right to meet the winners of Section "B" or "A" in the semi-final. As this is their first season in the League this is a capital achievement. Parker had much to do with the success, taking seven wickets for 17 runs. Score:—

Y.M.C.A. II.		MORRIS GARAGES.	
F Glynville b Parker	11	S Edens low b Beesley	17
R Reeve c Clewley b	0	G Harding b Beesley	4
Parker	0	F Parkes b Walton	4
G Bird c Stephens b	5	H Clewley b Beesley	18
Howse	5	E Stephens b Beesley	6
W Beesley c Clewley	2	J Varney b Ward	10
b Parker	2	C Nash c Reeve b	10
C Walton b Parker	0	C Nash c Reeve b	10
E Cadman c Parker b	4	G Gibson b Clarke	9
Howse	4	H Robinson b Ward	1
V Ward b Parker	0	W King not out	19
F David b Howse	0	R Howse b Cobden	2
L Clarke b Parker	9	Extras	4
L Adams b Parker	7		
C Cobden not out	1		
Total	39	Total	80

**FILKINS AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.**

**ASTON v. BRADWELL GROVE.**

At Aston the visitors won by 3 runs and then batting a second time made 65 (F. Cox 33). S. Sadler took six for 16 and E. Timms five for 18. Score:—

BRADWELL GROVE.		ASTON.	
O Burton c Dewe b S	1	F Ball b C Harris	1
Sadler	9	W Hewer b C Harris	5
E Hunt b Shewry	5	V Coombs b C Harris	6
F Brunsdon c Ball b	6	S Sadler b E Timms	6
Sadler	0	J Shewry b E Timms	8
F Cox b Shewry	2	J Stone lbw b E	1
C Harris b Shewry	12	E Timms	1
G Hargrett b Sadler	1	Rev Freedy b E	0
A Harris b Sadler	2	T Timms	0
J Lipop not out	5	A Long b C Harris	7
C Buckingham lbw b	3	W Brogden run out	3
Shewry	4	H Buckingham c Buck-	0
W Timms b Sadler	0	ingham b E Timms	2
E Timms b Sadler	0	G Dewe not out	2
Extras	1	Extras	2
Total	38	Total	35

**WITNEY LEAGUE—Division I.**

**CASSINGTON v. WITNEY SWIFTS.**

A. Hosier takes all 10 wickets. The feature of this game at Cassington was the feat of A. Hosier in taking all ten Cassington wickets for 14 runs. This is the first time this has been accomplished in the history of the Swifts. Score:—

WITNEY SWIFTS.		CASSINGTON.	
J Smith b Putt	5	J Clargo c Coleman b	1
C Bustin b Quantin	2	A Hosier	1
G Vickers c Quantin	37	F Hall c B Hosier b	1
E Coleman c Collett b	4	A Hosier	1
Quantin	4	A Edgar c Vickers b	1
A Keates c Collett b	3	A Hosier	7
Quantin	3	B Jones b A Hosier	7
B Hosier st Elliott b	9	W Newport b A Hosier	1
Quantin	9	W Putt b A Hosier	7
A Hosier b Hall	9	A Mann b A Hosier	0
A Jennings not out	7	C Quantin b A Hosier	0
H Bridgman c Quantin	7	J Elliott b A Hosier	4
b Jones	7	R Collett b A Hosier	4
E Clack c and b Putt	2	S Floyd not out	2
J Hedges b Putt	2	Extras	4
Extras	8		
Total	90	Total	84

**HANDBOROUGH v. COOMBE.**

Dismissing Handborough two for 17 and 24, Coombe won by an innings and 82 runs. W. Busby took four for 10 and Putt four for 6. Score:—

HANDBOROUGH.		COOMBE.	
S B Wattle b W Busby	0	H Bishop b W Wattle	6
Howse b Putt	1	A Collier c Leach b B	28
S Wilson b Putt	1	W Wattle	48
R Fletcher c Wood-	0	E J Busby c and b S	0
ward b Putt	0	Wattle	0
S Martin c F Huckins	0	E Winterbourne c Leach	5
b Putt	0	b S Wattle	2
H Turner b W Busby	0	A Oliver b S Wattle	2
A Martin run out	1	G Woodward b S	14
B Leach not out	3	Wattle	14
S Dix lbw b W Busby	3	H Huckins st Wilson	5
B Pittch run out	3	b S Wattle	5
R Lay b W Busby	0	F Putt c Turner b S	5
Extras	1	Wattle	5
Total	17	E Busby b S Wattle	7
		F Huckins c Fletcher	7
		b Dix	2
		Extras	2
		Total	123

**EYNESHAM AND DISTRICT LEAGUE. EYNESHAM HALL PARK v. EYNESHAM.**

When Eynsham Hall Park visited Eynsham to play in the Eynsham League on Saturday, the Eynsham captain protested against Biggers of the Hall team, a former Eynsham player, being included on the ground that he lives outside the prescribed radius. The protest was regarded as frivolous as Biggers lived at Freeland for some time and has played for the Hall for three seasons. He now resides at Cowley, but the Hall secretary states that he was informed by the Secretary of the League that Biggers was still eligible for the Hall. The Hall agreed to concede the point and play a friendly, but Eynsham would not consent on the ground that this would put them into the final. It remains to be seen what action the League will take. It all seems rather petty.

**TITUP v. WOLVERCOTE.**

On St. Catherine's ground and won by Titup by 5 runs. Nash took seven for 26 and Plumley batted well. Score:—

WOLVERCOTE.		TITUP.	
J Ody c and b Phipps	5	R Surman lbw b	1
R Taylor lbw b	0	Warrington	3
Phipps	0	L Plumley b Nash	36
W Hunt b Phipps	1	R Phipps b Nash	0
E Lovelace c Bush-	1	C Slaymaker b Nash	0
nell b Phipps	1	A Webb b Warrington	3
E Warrington run out	15	H Nash	3
R Fletcher b Phipps	6	H Bushnell b Warr-	2
W Nash c Hinton b	16	ington	2
Webb	16	R Hinton b Nash	1
C Hewlett b Webb	0	A Kimber b Nash	1
A Warrington not out	0	G Hinton b Nash	2
H Wheel c Phipps b	0	F Jones b Nash	1
Webb	2	R Graham not out	1
Extras	2	Extras	3
Total	46	Total	51

**AIREY CUP FINAL.**

**MORRIS MOTORS v. CITY POLICE.**

**POLICE MEET THEIR USUAL FATE.**

The final of the Airey Cup between the City Police and Morris Motors was played on the Christ Church ground on Friday and Saturday, the Motors winning by 123 runs. This was the second time the Motors had won the cup, and the Police had been in the final seven times and had lost on each occasion.

The Motors were without the services of their captain, Heymeson, but to compensate them for his loss they won the toss. The feature of the earlier batting was the stand by Thornton and Sheppard, who put on 54 for the third wicket. Thornton looked to be the best class batsman on the side. With eight out for 138, the Motors had done none too well, but the last two were allowed to add 42 runs and the total reached 170. Sheppard was seventh out at 123. He brought off some good strokes and knows how to punish a loose ball. He should have been caught early in his innings if fine leg had started for the catch. The Police fielding was not very clean and Massey did not make

enough use of Miller, who looked by far the best bowler. At the end of the day the Police were all out for 92 and so finished up with a deficiency of 78. Miller batted well and the Motors fielding was much smarter than that of their opponents, with Clarke a wicket-keeper of much promise. Butler kept one end going all the time and deserved his analysis of 6 for 22.

There was so much rain on Friday night that before the game could be resumed on Saturday it was necessary to make a new wicket, which became rather difficult through being cut up. The Motors lost eight for 59, but some bright hitting, by Keen and Butler enabled them to make 128 and set the Police 207 to win, a task quite beyond them.

On the Motors' side I should say the three best cricketers were Thornton, Clarke (wicket-keeper) and Butler, though Keen is one of those lads with a big heart whom it is always useful to have on a side. The police were disappointing, but in Miller they have a player of much resource.

The attendance was not very large. Mr. J. R. F. Turner gave away the cup and medals, and congratulated both sides on the spirit in which they had played the game. Score and analysis:—

**MORRIS MOTORS.**

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
F Thornton lbw b Cox	41	b Whitehurst	27
H Simms b Whitehurst	1	c Whitehurst b Miller	2
G Hull b Massey	15	run out	14
A Sheppard c White-	80	c Varney b Massey	4
hurst	80	b Whitehurst	0
H Neale b Miller	2	b Whitehurst	0
P Clack c Massey b	0	b Cox	3
Miller	0	b Whitehurst	5
E Clarke b Miller	6	b Whitehurst	3
A Wheeler c White-	2	c Birt b Cox	1
hurst b Massey	2	c Miller b Cox	43
A Keen b Cox	5	c Miller b Massey	14
W Butler b Cox	10	c not out	0
N Harrington not out	2	Extras	6
Extras	6	Extras	6
Total	170	Total	128

**CITY POLICE.**

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
W Miller lbw b But-	36	c Thornton b Butler	0
ler	36	b Butler	8
H Cox b Butler	12	b Neale b Thornton	0
S Birt b Butler	1	c Neale b Thornton	17
E Massey b Neale	8	b Sheppard b Thorn-	0
G Norridge c and b	7	ton	0
Neale	7	b Thornton	0
G Stevenson b Thorn-	8	b Thornton	23
ton	8	b Keen	0
G Phipps c Clarke b	3	c Neale b Butler	5
Butler	3	c and b Keen	17
F Varney not out	11	c b Simms	3
D Bradberry b Butler	0	c not out	0
A Rolfe b Butler	2	Extras	2
P Whitehurst b Thorn-	0	Extras	2
ton	0	Total	92
Extras	4	Total	84

**BOWLING ANALYSIS.**

MORRIS MOTORS.—First Innings: Whitehurst, 9—1—34—1; Massey, 22—4—57—2; Cox, 14—1—55—3; Miller, 7—1—17—4.  
Second Innings: Miller, 14—3—26—1; Massey, 14—4—37—3; Whitehurst, 12—3—20—3; Cox, 12—4—33—3.  
CITY POLICE.—First Innings: Butler, 20—5—22—6; Keen, 3—0—16—0; Thornton, 7—4—21—2; Simms, 1—0—11—0; Neale, 8—0—18—2.  
Second Innings: Butler, 12—4—22—2; Thornton, 12—3—20—3; Keen, 3—0—14—2; Neale, 1—0—8—0; Simms, 2—0—9—1.  
Umpires: G. Sturges and P. King.

**LITTLEMORE CUP—Final.**

**WHEATLEY v. SANDFORD.**

Wheatley won a hard-fought game on the Pembroke College ground by 15 runs, the Sandford tall making a very fine fight. For Wheatley Cox took seven for 32, including the "hat-trick," and T. Barlow two for 42, while for Sandford C. Stone took two for 27, F. Smith three for 24 and H. Dodgson two for 12. The Vicar of Littlemore presented the cup and medals. Score:—

WHEATLEY.		SANDFORD.	
H Creed run out	7	J Fox c Shepherd b	1
T Barlow b C Stone	11	F Kerrod b Cox	14
L East c Nash b C	14	F Smith b Cox	0
Stone	14	G Cooper b Cox	0
W Clements c Middle-	4	H Dodgson b Barlow	0
ton b Cooper	4	C Stone b Barlow	11
R Cox c Nash b	23	C Stone b Cox	11
Smith	23	C Stone b Cox	11
C Lowe run out	0	H Smith b Cox	0
J Shorter b Dodgson	1	H Nash b Cox	0
G Shorter b Dodgson	0	H Payne not out	19
B Shepherd not out	19	F Middleton run out	2
J Tombs c Kerrod b	1		
Smith	1		
W Tombs lbw b	1		
Smith	1		
Extras	6	Extras	5
Total	94	Total	79