

DORSET'S FIRST MATCH OF THE SEASON.

AT MERLY PARK, WIMBORNE.

Dorset's first match of the season in the Minor Counties Championship was played on Friday and Saturday at Merly Park, Wimborne, by kind permission of Captain A. V. Hambro. They had Oxfordshire as opponents, and this was the first time the counties had met.

The visitors won the toss, and elected to bat. Tindall achieved an early success, Walker being caught off the second ball. When Lee joined Halliday the score mounted steadily despite smart fielding and frequent bowling changes. The hundred appeared on the score board, but two runs later Lee was run out through brilliant fielding at square leg by G. White. Haynes and Halliday added 111 runs before the latter, whose innings of 113 included eight 4's and a 5, was dismissed by Tindall. Then there was a collapse, the remaining seven wickets adding only 93 runs. At the close of play Dorset had scored 116 for two wickets.

Rain clouds threatened on Saturday morning, when White and Fawcus continued their overnight partnership to the bowling of Rogers and O'Shea. Seventeen runs were added when O'Shea spreadeagled Fawcus' wickets. Ten runs later Jarchow was bowled. Six wickets fell for 196, and then came dire disaster for Dorset, the remaining four wickets adding only four runs. Oxford enforced the follow-on.

Dorset fared better in their second venture, sound displays of batting by Jarchow (87 not out), Jones, and Fawcus enabling them to declare at 272 for six, leaving Oxford an hour and a quarter in which to obtain 167 to win. They did not attempt to go for the runs, and stumps were drawn at six p.m., the visitors being 125 runs behind with eight wickets to fall. The match was thus drawn, Oxford taking points for first innings lead. Scores:

OXFORDSHIRE—1st Innings.

H. Walker c Tovey b Tindall ..	0
J. G. Halliday b Tindall ..	113
S. C. B. Lee run out ..	31
R. W. Haynes c Elderton b Harrison	51
C. Walters b Tindall ..	1
J. Guilfoyle not out ..	46
D. S. M. Burrell lbw b Jowett ..	27
E. Cole lbw b Jowett ..	0
J. A. Rogers b Tindall ..	5
J. P. O'Shea c Jowett b Tindall ..	2
B. Ferriman b Tindall ..	0
Extras ..	30

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Bowling: R. G. Tindall, 6 for 59; A. M. Harrison, 1 for 92; C. J. P. C. Jowett, 2 for 44.

DORSET—1st Innings.

G. Jones b Haynes ..	34
R. Thompson b Walters ..	48
G. White c Haynes b Walters ..	49
C. L. Fawcus b O'Shea ..	12
F. C. Jarchow b O'Shea ..	3
G. C. Tovey c Cole b Haynes ..	33
R. G. Tindall not out ..	1
Capt. R. D. Busk c Rogers b Haynes	9
M. B. Elderton c Griffiths b Walters	0
C. J. P. C. Jowett b Haynes ..	0
A. M. Harrison c Haines b Walters	0
Extras ..	11

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Bowling: O'Shea, 2 for 51; Walters, 4 for 48; Haynes, 4 for 21.

DORSET—2nd Innings.

G. Jones st Cole b Haynes ..	45
R. Thompson b Rogers ..	0
G. White c Cole b O'Shea ..	21
C. L. Fawcus b Walters ..	35
F. C. Jarchow not out ..	87
G. C. Tovey c Cole b O'Shea ..	47
Capt. R. D. Busk c O'Shea b Halliday	4
M. B. Elderton not out ..	20
Extras ..	13

(for six wickets, declared) 272

Bowling: Rogers, 1 for 69; O'Shea, 2 for 63; Walters, 1 for 61; Haynes, 1 for 43; Halliday, 1 for 5.

OXFORDSHIRE—2nd Innings.

H. Walker c and b Tindall ..	16
J. G. Halliday not out ..	13
S. C. B. Lee b Tindall ..	4
R. W. Haynes not out ..	5
Extras ..	3

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(for two wickets) 41

Bowling—Tindall, 2 for 16.

CRICKET

CATTISTOCK v. EVERSNOT.—Played at Cattistock on Saturday, this match was won by Eversnot. Scores:—

Eversnot—R. Stenhouse c Hatcher b Peach, 0; G. Bowditch c and b Lemon, 3; W. Bowditch c Peach b Lemon, 6; H. Stroud c Lippitt b Lemon, 9; G. Gibbons b Lemon, 0; E. Bowditch c Lippitt b Lemon, 0; J. Vincent lbw b Lemon, 15; C. House c Hatcher b Pugsley, 0; C. Mullins b Peach, 12; P. Ellis b Lemon, 4; A. Chubb not out, 0; extras, 6—total, 55.

Cattistock—J. Stratton c Bowditch b Ellis, 0; Toms not out, 6; Lippitt c Stroud b Ellis, 0; Lemon b Ellis, 4; Peach c House b Stenhouse, 5; Hatcher b Stenhouse, 0; Webb b Ellis, 1; Beater b Ellis, 1; Chard c House b Ellis, 0; Pugsley b Ellis, 1; Hopkins c Gibbons b Ellis, 0; extras, 3—total, 21.

BRIDPORT v. DORCHESTER Y.M.C.A.—Played at Bridport on Thursday, resulting in a draw. G. J. S. Dennis batted splendidly for Bridport in making 56, and he was well supported by I. S. Jenks (37). Scores:—

Bridport—E. O. Mason c Stephens b Cook, 0; F. R. Gillingham lbw b Cook, 14; G. J. S. Dennis b Cook, 56; N. C. Hall run out, 2; A. R. Thomson lbw b Cook, 3; I. S. Jenks c Andrews b Clapp, 37; R. O. Paton c Inkpen b Clapp, 0; R. N. Galloway b Cook, 0; J. V. Payne b House, 8; W. Stoodley not out, 1; E. Edlin c Clapp b House, 3; extras, 10—total, 134. Bowling: Cook, 5 for 45; House, 2 for 5; Clapp, 2 for 41.

Dorchester Y.M.C.A.—A. Clapp c Gillingham b Thomson, 9; W. Orledge c Dennis b Hall, 11; F. R. Cook b Thomson, 10; R. E. Andrews c and b Hall, 1; H. W. Boulton c Stoodley b Thomson, 0; H. R. Stephens c and b Hall, 6; C. Tull not out, 2; R. Inkpen b Thomson, 0; Green, A. R. Best, and L. Wyatt did not bat; extras, 8—total (for seven wickets), 47.

WEYMOUTH COLLEGE PAST AND PRESENT v. DORSET RANGERS.—Played on the College Ground on Saturday, a good match being drawn. Scores:—

College Past and Present—R. J. Marshall b W. Southcombe, 1; J. W. G. Ormiston b W. Southcombe, 2; G. R. Ormiston b Johnson, 70; A. A. L. Stone b W. Southcombe, 36; H. F. Hodge b W. Southcombe, 21; J. W. Paul lbw b W. Southcombe, 0; P. H. Phillips b Johnson, 15; S. T. H. Young b Johnson, 0; M. M. R. Alexander lbw b G. Stone, 13; H. N. Hoare b Johnson, 21; J. R. G. Webb not out, 1; extras, 12—total, 192. Bowling: W. Southcombe, 5 for 76; J. J. Johnson, 4 for 66; Stone, 1 for 34.

Dorset Rangers—R. E. R. Robinson c G. Ormiston b Stone, 15; M. Jackson lbw b Hodge, 8; R. Hayward c Hodge b Stone, 22; R. Southcombe b Hoare, 29; W. Southcombe b Stone, 17; J. J. Johnson ht wkt b Hoare, 0; D. Stone c Hoare b Alexander, 0; C. K. Jupp c G. Ormiston b Stone, 25; R. J. Luffman not out, 29; J. Stone b Hoare, 8; Major C. D. Bridgeman not out, 0; extras, 20—total (for nine wickets), 173. Bowling: H. A. L. Stone, 4 for 58; H. W. Hoare, 3 for 7; M. M. R. Alexander, 1 for 18; H. F. Hodge, 1 for 58.

LONGBREDY v. SYMONDSBURY.—Played at Longbredy on Saturday, and won by the visitors. Scores:—

Longbredy—A. E. Clarke c Hodder b Bonfield, 40; J. Hensell b Bonfield, 4; M. Trotman lbw b Bonfield, 0; W. Honeybun c Bonfield b Eveleigh, 4; R. Foot c Bonfield b Dunford, 11; R. Hawker b Eveleigh, 0; W. Viney c Hodder b Eveleigh, 0; P. Miller c Eveleigh b Bonfield, 2; S. Legg st Sumner b Bonfield, 11; H. Roper b Neale, 6; J. Hughes not out, 4; extras, 5—total, 87. Bowling: Bonfield, 5 for 47; Eveleigh, 3 for 31; Neale, 1 for 0; Dunford, 1 for 4.

Symondsbury—T. Eveleigh b Clarke, 0; J. Bonfield b Clarke, 6; E. Dunford b Legg, 17; F. Neale b Clarke, 5; S. Hodder b Hughes, 64; M. Sumner c Trotman b Clarke, 4; F. Dunford b Hughes, 5; W. Tuck b Hounsell, 2; W. Record b Hughes, 3; D. Eveleigh not out, 15; F. Legg c Clarke b Hughes, 0; extras, 9—total, 130. Bowling: Hughes, 4 for 14; Clarke, 4 for 48; Legg, 1 for 26; Hounsell, 1 for 29.

SHROTON v. SOUTHBORNE SPORTS CLUB.—Played at Shroton on Saturday, and won by the Sports Club by 63 runs on the first innings. Bowling for the winners, Newell took six wickets for 20, Green four for 23, Stokes two for 12, and Matthews one for four; for Shroton R. Crew claimed six for 42, J. Fudge one for six, L. G. Harvey one for eight, and B. Newman one for 23. Scores:—

Shroton—L. G. Harvey b Green, 7; B. Newnan b Green, 1; J. Gollop c and b Newell 10, not out 1; R. Crew b Green 0, b Stokes 5; F. Crew not out 15, not out 2; J. Fudge b Newell, 0; Capt. Jefferson b Newell, 5; J. Martin b Newell 5, b Matthews 25; F. Wilkins b Newell 0; A. W. Harvey b Newell, 0; E. Douch c Walker b Newell 0, b Stokes 4; extras, 2 and 0—totals, 45 and 37 (for four wickets).

Southborne S.C.—F. Box b R. Crew, 7; K. Bealing c Jefferson b J. Fudge, 3; A. McDuff c F. Crew b R. Crew, 0; J. Green b L. G. Harvey, 41; C. Stokes c and b R. Crew, 30; Matthews b R. Crew, 3; A. Pottor b R. Crew, 0; H. Newell b Newman, 0; F. Walker run out, 1; S. Thunder not out, 0; F. Pool c and b R. Crew, 6; extras, 11—total, 108.

WOOL v. ROYAL TANK CORPS (BOVINGTON).—Played on Saturday, Wool winning easily. Scores:—

Wool—J. Bolton c Dear b Climpson, 17; R. Watkins b Johns, 25; C. E. Hyde c Gough b Johns, 19; J. Cheese b Bevan, 27; Sergt. Jones b Johns, 5; F. Patrick c and b Mills, 7; G. Dear b Johns, 5; O. King not out, 12; W. Payne b Johns, 3; R. Beament b Wilde, 21; E. Hookey b Mills, 1; extras, 21—total, 163. Bowling: Johns, 5 for 60; Mills, 2 for 16.

R.T.C.—Reading b Watkins, 0; Pope c Hyde b Bolton, 6; Lt. Mills c Jones b Cheese, 13; Climpson b Bolton, 0; Wilde b Cheese, 3; Bevan c Hyde b Cheese, 2; McClure c and b Bolton, 0; Dear b Cheese, 0; Anderson b Cheese, 5; Johns b Cheese, 2; Gough not out, 11; extras, 4—total, 46. Bowling: Cheese, 6 for 12; Bolton, 3 for 14.

DORSET COUNTY CUP SEMI-FINAL REPLAY.

PORTLAND RED TRIANGLE BEATEN BY OLD PARKSTONIANS.

Portland Red Triangle and Old Parkstonians met at Reforme (Portland) on Saturday for the replay in the semi-final of the County Cup (Division I.), and the visitors were good winners by 30 runs with four wickets to spare. Batting first, the Red Triangle did poorly on the whole, being dismissed for a total of 126, of which 25 were made by S. Andrews, 23 by the Rev. A. V. Hurley, 15 by J. Baker, and 12 by J. A. Stone. The bowling of the visitors was good, Masters being particularly destructive. The Old Parkstonians had made 156 for six wickets when stumps were drawn, their chief contributors being Polden (32), Manning (39), and Stracey (35), the latter surviving a unanimous appeal for a catch at the wicket when he had made two. Scores:—

Red Triangle—J. S. Stone b Masters, 5; J. Baker b Polden, 15; R. Fancy b Masters, 7; R. H. Morgan b Masters, 6; Rev. A. V. Hurley b Stracey, 23; A. Atherton c Bickel b Ewins, 8; R. Gibbs c and b Masters, 3; S. Andrews not out, 25; J. W. Read b Masters, 2; T. Rowland c Kelloway b Hurley b Stracey, 23; A. Atherton c Bickel b Polden, 5; J. A. Stone b Stracey, 12; extras 15—total, 126. Bowling: Stracey, 2 for 19; Masters, 5 for 40; Polden, 2 for 29; Ewins 1 for 6.

Old Parkstonians—G. Pitt c and b Gibbs, 7; J. Kelloway c Baker b Gibbs, 13; E. Polden not out, 32; Ewins c Fancy b Rowland, 4; Masters lbw b Baker, 5; Stracey b Rowland, 35; Manning c Baker b Stone, 39; extras, 21—total (for six wickets), 156. Bowling: Rowland, 2 for 39; Gibbs, 2 for 40; Stone, 1 for 3; Baker, 1 for 23.

RANSTON EVENING LEAGUE.

SHROTON v STURMINSTER NEWTON.—Played at Shroton on Wednesday, this League match was won by the home team by four runs. Scores:—Sturminster Newton, 61 (J. Fudge 4 for 7 and L. G. Harvey 2 for 15); Shroton, 65 (Hammond, 4 for 17 and Phillips 4 for 23).

FINAL LEAGUE TABLE.

With the match between Shroton and Sturminster Newton played off, the League fixtures for the season are now completed, and Blandford Y.M. Institute secure the championship with 15 points out of a possible 18, having lost one game to Shaftesbury. The final positions are:—

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Blandford Y.M. Institute	6	5	1	0	15
Shroton	6	4	2	0	12
Shaftesbury	6	3	3	0	9
Sturminster Newton	6	0	6	0	0

DORSET V. MONMOUTH

**COUNTY
CRICKET AT
WEYMOUTH**

**GORDON WHITE HITS
BOUNDARIES**

Dorset were fortunate to win the toss on the Weymouth College Ground today in their Minor Counties Championship match against Monmouthshire. They batted first on a wicket which seemed full of runs. E. J. Freeman and A. E. Warren opened for Dorset to the bowling of E. C. Dolman and K. C. Raikes. Dolman's first over was an erratic one. The first five balls were off the wicket—one being a wide—and Freeman made no attempt to play him. The last ball was sent to the on boundary for 4, and W. Hughes immediately replaced Dolman. Half an hour's play had yielded 23 runs when Warren, playing forward to a shortish ball, was bowled by a ball that came in from the off. Freeman offered two chances at 30 off successive balls from Hughes.

TABOR'S 6

A few minutes later, off the same bowler, he again offered a chance well back at point. The fielder made a fine effort, but stumbled and dropped the ball. Freeman survived an l.b.w. appeal from Raikes, but, attempting to drive the next ball, was bowled neck and crop. Fifty minutes' cricket had produced 42 runs.

Tabor, meanwhile, had been batting very stylishly, and later he made a grand drive for 6 over the long boundary off a full toss from T. Arnott, the former Glamorganshire bowler. The third wicket had produced 29 runs when Robinson lost his wicket to Arnott. Fawcus, the newcomer, drove the first two balls he received from Capper to the boundary and from Arnott's next over he hit two more 4's.

At 91 Tabor snicked a ball from Dr. Capper into the hands of Wilcox behind the stumps. Gordon White, with nine runs off his first over from Hughes, sent up the 100 in 105 minutes. The fifth wicket fell at 119, when Fawcus was brilliantly caught at first slip by Foley. Two runs later Tovey was bowled by Hughes, and at luncheon Dorset had lost six wickets for 123 runs.

Gordon White provided some entertaining cricket after lunch, hitting four quick 4's. At 152, however, the seventh wicket fell, Elderton being smartly taken in the slips by Arnott. In the next over White reached his 50 with another brilliant leg drive. Busk scored 10 and was then taken behind the wicket off Archer. White continued to hit boundaries.

END OF WHITE'S EFFORT

White gave a difficult chance to Archer off Hughes at 68, but without adding to his score he was smartly caught by Wilcox from a fast ball from Archer. He had hit 13 4's in a brilliant display, chiefly from magnificent leg strokes.

Soon afterwards the last wicket fell, Dorset having compiled 196.

Tindall, in his first over for Dorset, sent down a wide and two no balls. He then had a wicket, Capt. Phillips being magnificently caught in the slips by White. Another no ball followed.

DORSET—First Innings

E. J. Freeman b Raikes	22
A. E. Warren b Raikes	8
C. L. Tabor c Wilcox b Capper	26

R. E. R. Robinson b Arnott ...	10
C. L. Fawcus c Foley b Hughes	28
Gordon White c Wilcox b	
Archer	68
G. C. Tovey b Hughes	1
M. B. Elderton c Arnott b Raikes	5
Capt. R. D. Busk c Wilcox b	
Archer	10
R. G. Tindall not out	0
A. M. Harrison b Hughes	7
Extras	11
Total	196

Bowling: Archer 2 for 14; Raikes 3 for 59; Hughes 3 for 59; Arnott 1 for 40; Capper 1 for 9.

MONMOUTH—First Innings

Capt. T. Brice not out	28
Captain R. M. Phillips c White	
Tindall	0
T. Arnott not out	9
Extras	5
Total (1 wicket)	42

DORSET V. MONMOUTH

**VICTORY
FOR HOME
COUNTY**

**GOOD BATTING BY
WHITE AND CAPPER**

Runs came steadily when Dorset continued their second innings against Monmouthshire at Weymouth College Ground today.

Dorset had obtained a lead of 18 on the first innings and had scored 18 for the loss of one wicket. A. E. Warren and C. L. Tabor continued and raised the score to 45 when disasters quickly overtook the home county. Warren was taken at point by Dolman off Raikes, and then wickets went very cheaply, the fourth falling for 51. At lunch the score was 154 for 7.

Tovey added five runs and was then taken at point by Capper off Raikes. Without addition Tabor was out to an easy catch off Hughes, four wickets having fallen for 51 runs. White and Fawcus took the score to 79, when Hughes, who was making the ball rise dangerously, had Fawcus caught at second slip by Foley. In the same over Robinson was bowled.

VALUABLE STAND

Arnott, for whom a substitute fielded for the first hour, took up the ball at 90. Archer went on at the other end, but runs came more freely and the 100 went up after Dorset had been batting 105 minutes. Elderton and White set up a valuable partnership at a critical time, raising the score by 50 runs. Then, in Archer's fifth over, Elderton was beaten by the spin of a good length ball.

Hughes was brought back at the other end. White was again batting very confidently and once drove Hughes for a six to leg. Soon afterwards he reached 50 for the second time in the match. Lunch was taken with the score at 154-7.

Raikes and Hughes opened the attack after lunch. White and Busk scored rapidly, the former hitting three fours before he edged a ball from Raikes into the slips to be taken by Hughes.

It was a coincidence that he scored 68, for he scored that number yesterday. He had hit one 6 and eight 4's in a most valuable innings. Seven runs later, with the score at 179, Busk was smartly stumped by Wilcox—another success for Raikes—without addition to the score Tindall was caught behind the wicket and Dorset were all out.

Monmouth commenced their second innings at ten minutes past two, requiring 198 runs to win.

DORSET'S SUCCESS

Tindall met with a success in his second over. Captain Price being caught by White in the slips with the score at five. Two overs later Arnott was caught behind the stumps. He disputed the decision, but Umpire Whiting was firm in his decision.

Further disasters overtook the visitors. Captain Phillips cocked up a ball from Tindall and Robinson brought off a brilliant one-handed catch as he turned a somersault. Three wickets had fallen for 16 runs, and with the addition of eight runs Foley played a ball from Tindall gently into the hands of Warren.

Tindall kept the batsmen in trouble and only two more runs had been added when Athay was cleverly taken in the slips by Tabor.

Seven wickets were down for 36, but Hughes came to join Archer and temporarily checked the collapse, hitting Harrison for two 6's before being lbw. to that bowler, having hit 22 out of 26. Archer became more aggressive.

Archer and Capper put on 75 runs in 30 minutes. Archer hit one 6 and five 4's.

DORSET—First Innings: 196.

MONMOUTH—First Innings 178.

DORSET—Second Innings

E. J. Freeman c Wilcox b Hughes	0
A. E. Warren c Dolman b Raikes	17
C. L. Tabor c Wilcox b Hughes	22
G. C. Tovey c Capper b Raikes	5
C. L. Fawcus c Foley b Hughes	10
G. White c Hughes b Raikes	68
R. E. R. Robinson b Archer	0
M. B. Elderton b Archer	19
R. D. Busk st. Wilcox b Raikes	14
R. G. Tindall c Wilcox b Hughes	0
A. M. Harrison not out	0
Extras	0
Total	24

Bowling: W. Hughes 5-72; J. Archer 1-21; Raikes 4-45.

MONMOUTH—Second Innings

T. Arnott c Elderton b Harrison	0
Capt. V. Y. Price c White b	
Tindall	1
J. Archer b Bush	42
Capt. R. J. M. Phillips	0
Robinson b Tindall	0
I. T. H. Foley c Warren b	
Tindall	6
M. Athay c Tabor b Tindall	0
K. C. Raikes c Tovey b Tindall	0
E. C. Dolman c White b Tindall	0
W. Hughes lbw. b Harrison	4
Dr. J. M. Capper not out	22
E. S. Wilcox c Tovey b Tindall	53
Extras	4
Total	15

Dorset won by 50 runs.
Bowling: Tindall 7 for 54; Harrison 2 for 36; Busk 1 for 20.

DORSET V. CORNWALL

VISITORS BAT FIRST AT WEYMOUTH

CHANCES LOST IN THE FIELD

Heavy rain overnight left the wicket wet at the Weymouth College ground, where Dorset met Cornwall in the Minor Counties Championship. Cornwall, having won the toss, batted first. There was a likelihood that the wicket would assist the bowlers later in the day. Play was delayed half an hour.

Dorset's batting was strengthened by the inclusion of Capt. Carter, who scored a century in the match last year, and Brockway, the professional who has recovered from his illness. Tindall, the fast bowler, was unable to play owing to his injured hand. Captain Busk and Harrison opened the attack to Cory and S. Stephens. The bowlers had to use sawdust freely, but runs came very slowly. Twelve overs produced only 16 runs, and then Jowett relieved Busk.

BATSMEN'S GOOD LUCK

After half an hour Cory made the first boundary stroke to the off. He had the luck to be dropped off Harrison's neat two deliveries. Brockway just failed to get to a slip catch and then Harrison himself failed to hold a hot return.

Harrison's luck was out. In his next over Stephens cut a ball to Tovey, but the ball dropped to the ground. Tovey had just been applauded for a brilliant piece of work in the field, which almost resulted in the running out of Cory. The first wicket fell at 21, Stephens being

WEATHER FORECAST

A complex disturbance covers most of England and France. Weather will be unsettled with occasional rain in most districts. Bright intervals and local thunder are probable tomorrow. Conditions will be rather close.

lbw. to Jowett. Fawcus was brought on for Harrison, and his slow left arm spinners seemed to worry the batsmen, and once Busk dropped an easy catch offered by Cory. Cory's luck continued, for when he hit Fawcus square to leg Robinson failed in a brave one-handed attempt. Busk came on again for Jowett, and in his first over Williams cocked up a ball to Robinson at short leg, the score then being 39. Rogers quickly hit eleven and then was bowled attempting to drive a long hop from Busk.

GOOD CATCHES

The wicket was drying out rapidly during lunch, and was giving assistance to the bowlers on the resumption. With ten runs added Martin played a ball from Busk into Brockway's hands. Two balls later, with a single ended, Brockway brought off another good catch to dismiss Cory, who had contributed a very useful, though lucky, 40.

One more single and then Ollerearnshaw was easily caught by Busk off Harrison and six wickets were down for 71 runs.

PARTNERSHIP OF 97

Some attractive batting followed the fall of the sixth wicket, both Box and Harry being credited with a hit for 6. Harry's hit was off Jowett, whom he sent over the pavilion out of the ground.

Harry was severe on Jowett, and in one over hit him for a 6 and two 4's. Frequent bowling changes failed to disturb the batsmen and Harry reached 50 in 30 minutes with two 4's in succession off Capt. Carter. Carter eventually bowled Box after a grand partnership lasting 45 minutes had produced 97.

Captain Carter, brought on when the bowling was being collared, caused a collapse, and took the last four wickets in four overs for 23 runs.

CORNWALL—First Innings

Cory c Brockway b Busk	40
S. Stephens lbw. b Jowett	7
K. Williams c Robinson b Busk	4
Rogers b Busk	11
L. Martin c Brockway b Busk	3
O. E. R. Box b Carter	37
Ollerearnshaw c Busk b Harrison	0
Harry b Carter	62
C. Kendall c Robinson b Carter	1
J. E. Mills c Robinson b Carter	4
G. H. I. Bickford not out	7
Extras	9
Total	185

Bowling: Capt. Busk 4-28; Harrison 1-33; Jowett 1-41; Fawcus 0-37; Brockway 0-14; Capt. Carter 4-23.

DORSET V. CORNWALL

HOME COUNTY GET POINTS

GAME ABANDONED OWING TO RAIN

Dorset continued their unfinished innings this morning at Weymouth College in showery weather. They were already six runs ahead of Cornwall on the first innings. The total was raised by 11 runs to 202 when Harrison skied a ball from Kendall and was easily caught.

Cornwall opened with S. Stephens and Rogers, Cory having strained a leg muscle. Stephens twice sent Busk to the boundary, but then in successive overs from Busk was dropped by Tovey and Robinson.

After play had been in progress an hour rain caused a stoppage. Threatening clouds were all around, and it seemed likely that the stoppage would be a long one. Cornwall had been batting 45 minutes for 36 runs and Rogers had just lost his wicket. He gave a simple catch to Tovey off Jowett.

Rain fell steadily until 2 p.m. when there was a downpour. At 2.30 the captains decided to abandon the game. Dorset take points for first innings lead.

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Capt. J. N. Carter c Mill b Kendall	0
Gordon White b Harry	33
G. C. Tovey b Mill	3
E. J. Freeman c Mill b Harry	51
C. L. D. Fawcus b Harry	29
R. E. R. Robinson c Mill b Kendall	4
M. B. Elderton b Stephens	14
Capt. R. D. Busk lbw b Harry	10
C. J. P. C. Jowett not out	10
A. M. Harrison c Ollerearnshaw b Kendall	5
Extras	14
Total	202

Bowling: Ollerearnshaw 0-28; C. Kendall 3-61; Mill 1-28; Harry 5-55; S. Stephens 1-16.

CORNWALL—Second Innings

Rogers c Tovey b Jowett	16
S. Stephens not out	16
Extras	4
Total (1 wicket)	36

Weymouth Cricket Festival

DORSET BEAT MONMOUTH

GORDON WHITE OUTSTANDING

Dorset gained a well-earned 50 runs victory over Monmouthshire in the Minor Counties Championship match at Weymouth College ground on Friday and Saturday. This was the first match of the four days' Weymouth Cricket Festival.

The big feature of the Dorset success was the fine display given by Gordon White, of Dorchester, and R. G. Tindall, the Oxford Blue, two of the youngest members of the county side, and this augurs well for the future of Dorset cricket. The county were without Brockway in this match.

White scored 68 in each innings and was easily the best batsman on view. He scored quickly and never appeared in difficulties. His favourite and most prolific shot was a sweep to fine leg, and one stroke, a beautifully-timed effort off W. Hughes, the Monmouthshire fast bowler, went clean over the boundary. It must have been one of the finest sixes seen on the College ground.

Tindall, who pluckily played in the match despite an injury to his left hand, was of little assistance to the side in batting, but he made up for this with some inspired bowling in the second Monmouthshire innings and brought about a surprising collapse. Bowling with good pace on the off side, he got the batsmen to nibble at the ball, which, consequently, was played right into the hands of the three men at slips. In two overs three of the visiting players played the ball in the same fashion and were dismissed. Tindall had ten wickets in the match for 111 runs. Fawcus had a consistently good game, and in the first Monmouthshire innings he captured four wickets for ten runs.

The fielding of both sides was by no means good. Many catches were dropped and there were far too many extras for county cricket. Dorset will have to tighten up their fielding, and it would be advisable for the selectors to look round for another young bowler with pace.

A. E. Warren, who opened with E. J. Freeman after the home side had won the toss, was soon disposed of, and Freeman was lucky not to be dismissed before he was bowled by Raikes when he had scored 22. Off W. Hughes, a young Monmouth fast bowler, he was missed four times. C. L. Tabor was more confident and he got a fine six off Trevor Arnott, the well-known former Glamorgan player. C. L. Fawcus was a good, forcing bat, and he and Tabor put life into the Dorset batting and before Tabor fell with the score at 91 for four.

WHITE SCORES RAPIDLY.

White, Dorset's stalwart, settled down and played delightful cricket from the start, but his partnership with Fawcus was broken when the latter was dismissed in the slips off Hughes, who captured the sixth wicket in his next over. After lunch White took heavy toll of the bowling and quickly reached his 50, but Elderton, the Dorset captain, was cleverly caught in the slips by Arnott off Raikes. Busk got two slips off Archer, but in the next over he was caught behind the wicket.

When White was 68 he gave a chance off Hughes, but the ball fell just short of Archer. Archer atoned in his next over, however, for he had White brilliantly caught by Wilcox, who was keeping wicket in fine style. White had 13 4's in his 68. Hughes accounted for the last wicket, and the innings closed at 196.

MONMOUTH BAT CAUTIOUSLY.

There was a surprise for Monmouth in their innings. Tindall took the first over for Dorset. He sent down a wide, two no balls, and with the fifth ball Captain Phillips was caught in the slips by White. Tindall's next ball was another no ball. Captain Price and Arnott played cautious but steady cricket for more than an hour before the latter was stumped by Elderton off Fawcus's first over. The score was 63 for two.

There was another shock for Monmouth to come. In the next over Captain Price was caught by Freeman off Tindall. This quick reverse changed the position, for before Price and Arnott were disposed of Monmouthshire were definitely on top. Archer was run out in the first over after tea, but Foley and Athay settled down and took the score past 100. Foley was missed by White on the boundary when he was 31, but he was bowled in the next over. Warren made a brilliant one-handed catch to dismiss the last Monmouth man with the score 18 runs fewer than the Dorset total.

SATURDAY'S PLAY.

Dorset were 36 ahead for the loss of one wicket when the match was resumed on Saturday. Warren and Tabor played the bowling of Raikes and Hughes with care, but the partnership was broken at 45, when there was a sudden collapse, two more men falling with the score at 51.

White joined Fawcus, and these two took the score to 79 before the latter was dismissed by Hughes after touching the ball into the hands of Foley at second slip. In the same over Hughes clean bowled Robinson to claim his fourth wicket. Hughes was bowling remarkably well, getting a tremendous pace out of the wicket. Five wickets had fallen for 60 runs in an hour, and then Elderton joined White in a profitable partnership. With the score at 93 Monmouth made their first bowling change, Arnott coming on for Hughes and Archer for Raikes, but the batsmen continued to score freely. In his fifth over Archer bowled Elderton when the stand had produced 50 runs. White completed his 50 with a four off Archer, following with a beautiful leg glide for six off Hughes. He was eventually taken by Hughes when he edged a ball from Raikes into the slips. Dorset were all out for 179.

MONMOUTH'S PATCHY SECOND INNINGS.

Faced with the necessity of scoring 198 to win, Monmouth did not start well, for with the score at five Price misjudged a ball from Tindall and it went high off his bat into the slips. Two overs later Arnott was caught behind the stumps, and with the score at 16 Phillips was brilliantly caught by Robinson off Tindall. The collapse continued, Foley being caught at square leg in attempting to drive Tindall to the boundary. In successive overs Athay and Raikes played Tindall into the slips, where the bowler had five fielders. Seven wickets were down for 36, but Monmouth made a remarkable recovery, Hughes and Archer postponing what had seemed to be the inevitable end by bright cricket. The former made 22 runs in five minutes, ending in whirlwind fashion with two straight drives for six. At the next ball he was lbw. Dr. Capper was a steady partner for Archer, and it seemed as though they would turn the game for Monmouth, but at 138 Archer was clean bowled by Busk. A six and five 4's were included in his 42, and the ninth wicket partnership had

produced 75 runs. Wilcox, the last man in, had scored 15 when caught by Tovey to close the Monmouth innings. Dr. Capper found the boundary on nine occasions in a forceful display.

Scores:—

DORSET—1st Innings.	
E. J. Freeman b Raikes	22
A. E. Warren b Raikes	8
C. L. Tabor c Wilcox b Capper	26
R. E. R. Robinson b Arnott	28
C. L. Fawcus c Foley b Hughes	10
G. White c Wilcox b Archer	68
G. C. Tovey b Hughes	1
M. B. Elderton c Arnott b Raikes	5
Capt. R. D. Busk c Wilcox b Archer	10
R. G. Tindall not out	0
A. M. Harrison b Hughes	7
Extras	11
Total	196

Bowling—Archer, 2 for 14; Raikes, 3 for 59; Hughes, 3 for 59; Arnott, 1 for 40; Capper, 1 for 9.

MONMOUTHSHIRE—1st Innings.	
Capt. V. Y. Price c Freeman b Tindall	33
Capt. R. M. Phillips c White b Tindall	0
T. Arnott c Elderton b Fawcus	20
J. Archer run out	0
H. T. H. Foley b Harrison	32
M. Athay c Robinson b Busk	26
K. C. Raikes c Warren b Fawcus	18
E. C. Dolman b Fawcus	21
Dr. W. M. Capper b Tindall	1
S. Wilcox c Tovey b Fawcus	0
W. Hughes not out	10
Extras	17
Total	178

Bowling—Tindall, 3 for 57; Harrison, 1 for 51; Busk, 1 for 43; Fawcus, 4 for 10.

DORSET—2nd Innings.	
E. J. Freeman c Wilcox b Hughes	0
A. E. Warren c Dolman b Raikes	1
C. L. Tabor c Wilcox b Hughes	22
G. C. Tovey c Tapper b Raikes	2
C. L. Fawcus c Foley b Raikes	10
G. White c Hughes b Raikes	68
R. E. R. Robinson b Hughes	9
M. B. Elderton b Archer	19
Capt. R. D. Busk st Wilcox b Raikes	14
R. G. Tindall c Wilcox b Hughes	0
A. M. Harrison not out	9
Extras	24
Total	170

Bowling—Hughes, 5 for 72; Archer, 1 for 21; Raikes, 4 for 43.

MONMOUTHSHIRE—2nd Innings.	
T. Arnott c Elderton b Harrison	0
Capt. V. Y. Price c White b Tindall	1
J. Archer b Busk	42
Capt. R. J. M. Phillips c Robinson b Tindall	0
H. T. H. Foley c Warren b Tindall	5
M. Athay c Tabor b Tindall	0
K. C. Raikes c Tovey b Tindall	0
E. C. Dolman c White b Tindall	0
W. Hughes lbw b Harrison	2
Dr. W. M. Capper not out	5
S. Wilcox c Tovey b Tindall	11
Extras	11
Total	147

Bowling—Tindall, 7 for 54; Harrison, 2 for 36; Busk, 1 for 20.

CORNWALL MATCH ABANDONED

DORSET TAKE POINTS FOR FIRST INNINGS LEAD

The home county's match with Cornwall on Monday and Tuesday was curtailed by showery weather. Little play took place on Tuesday, and the game was abandoned at 2.30, Dorset taking the points for first innings lead.

Heavy rain during Sunday necessitated play being held up for half-an-hour at the beginning of the game between Dorset and Cornwall. The visitors won the toss, deciding to take first knock on a pitch that showed signs of assisting bowlers later in the day. Cory and Stephens opened the batting to Captain Busk and Harrison. Rung came slowly, but inconsistent fielding again lost Dorset an early success. When Jowett relieved Busk two catches were missed off successive balls, Brockway failing to snap up a catch at slip and then Harrison missing a straight drive. Stephens was lbw to Jowett with the score at 21, and in the ensuing partnership with Williams Cory was dropped again and again. With 39 runs on the board Williams was caught at short leg. After lunch the wicket dried considerably, assisting the bowlers a good Martin was sent back and Cory and Ollerearnshaw quickly followed. Harry then joined Box, to be associated in an attractive partnership, which realised 97 runs. Both batsmen punished Jowett severely, and even frequent changes of attack failed to separate them. Two successive 4's off Carter gave Harry 50 in 30 minutes, the latter getting Box's wicket shortly after. The remainder of the innings was comparatively weak, Carter causing a collapse.

EARLY DISASTER FOR DORSET.

When Dorset went in to bat an early success befell Cornwall, Carter being caught in the slips before a single run was registered. White joined Brockway and the score was taken to 71, at which total White was bowled. Hard hitting to leg accounted in the main for his 33. Wickets tumbled rather cheaply after this set-back, only five runs being added with the dismissals of Brockway and Tovey. Runs came at a faster pace when Freeman became associated with Fawcus, the latter compiling 29 before being bowled by Harry. Freeman got on top of the bowling and with a four put Dorset on top. Shortly before the close of play he was taken in the slips after making an invaluable 51. The day's play closed at 191 for 9.

RAIN STOPS PLAY.

The Dorset innings was taken to 202 on Tuesday, Harrison being caught.

Stephens and Rogers opened the Cornwall innings, and after an hour's play rain made a stoppage necessary. When Rogers lost his wicket with the score at 36 no further play was possible, the captains deciding to abandon the game. Thus Dorset take points for first innings lead.

Scores:—

CORNWALL—1st Innings.	
Cory c Brockway b Busk	40
S. Stephens lbw b Jowett	7
K. Williams c Robinson b Busk	4
Rogers b Busk	11
L. Martin c Brockway b Busk	3
O. E. R. Box b Carter	37
Ollerearnshaw c Busk b Harrison	0
Harry b Carter	62
C. Kendall c Robinson b Carter	1
J. E. Mills c Robinson b Carter	4
G. H. I. Bickford not out	7
Extras	9

Total ... 185

Bowling—Capt. Busk, 4 for 28; Harrison, 1 for 33; Jowett, 1 for 41; Capt. Carter, 4 for 23.

DORSET—1st Innings.

Brockway b Harry	29
Capt. J. N. Carter c Mills b Kendall	0
G. White b Harry	33
G. C. Tovey b Mills	3
E. J. Freeman c Mills b Harry	51
C. L. D. Fawcus b Harry	29
R. E. R. Robinson c Mills b Kendall	4
M. B. Elderton b Stephens	14
Capt. R. D. Busk lbw b Harry	10
C. J. P. C. Jowett not out	10
A. M. Harrison c Ollerearnshaw b Kendall	5
Extras	14

Total ... 202

Bowling—Kendall, 3 for 61; Mills, 1 for 24; Harry, 5 for 55; Stephens, 1 for 16.

CORNWALL—2nd Innings.

Rogers c Tovey b Jowett	16
S. Stephens not out	16
Extras	4

Total (for 1 wkt) ... 36

MINOR COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP.

Playing at Sherborn on Wednesday and Thursday, in the Minor Counties Championship, Dorset and Wiltshire drew. Rain greatly interfered with play, and on the first day Wiltshire, who batted first, did not complete an innings. Continuing on Thursday morning, the "Moonrakers" were dismissed for a total of 262, of which H. G. Witchell did splendidly to make 132 not out, especially as this was his first county match. After a most disastrous opening, Dorset did better, but their total—225—was 37 short of Wiltshire's. H. F. Fox batted delightfully for Dorset, and at the finish was unbeaten with 125 to his credit. The most successful home bowlers were Capt. R. D. Busk, four for 55; R. G. Tindall, four for 88; G. C. Tovey, one for none; and E. W. Marshall-Harvey, one for 48.

On Thursday, when the weather was dull with a strong wind blowing, a few spectators sitting on the west side of the ground had a narrow escape when a branch of an elm tree was blown down. Luckily, they jumped clear just as the limb crashed.

CRICKET

SHROTON V. BRYANSTON AND DURWESTON.
 —Played at Bryanston on Saturday, this match ended in a win for the home team by a first innings lead of 7 runs. Good batting was witnessed in a keenly-contested encounter. Scores:—

Bryanston and Durweston—B. Haine b R. Crow, 6; E. Riggs c R. Harvey b L. G. Harvey, 25; H. Chevis b R. Crow, 0; B. James c J. Crow b R. Crow, 10; W. Tapper c Hoskins b R. Crow, 16; E. Garney lbw b L. G. Harvey, 5; J. Burgess b R. Crow, 20; W. Shean c J. Crow b R. Crow, 11; T. Besant b J. Gollop, 17; C. Jeans not out, 34; W. Joyce st Captain Jefferson b F. Crow, 1; extras, 12—total, 157. R. Crow, 6 for 67; L. G. Harvey, 2 for 50; F. Crow, 1 for 8; Gollop, 1 for 20.

Shroton—L. G. Harvey c Garney b Besant, 1; F. Crow run out, 3; F. Mitchell b Burgess, 23; R. Crow b Chevis, 92; J. Gollop c Chevis b Burgess, 4; Captain Jefferson c Besant b Tapper, 6; V. Hoskins not out, 10; E. Douch lbw b Chevis, 2; J. Crow b Chevis, 2; A. W. Harvey b Chevis, 4; R. Harvey b Tapper, 1; extras, 2—total, 150. Chevis, 4 for 49; Tapper, 2 for 20; Burgess, 2 for 27; Besant, 1 for 33.

WEYMOUTH V. EAST COKER.—Green was in great form for Weymouth against the Somerset side at Lodmoor on Saturday, taking ten wickets for eight runs. He bowled a little under 12 overs, of which five were maidens, and no less than eight of his wickets were clean bowled. The teams were playing 12 a side, and Savage, who bowled unchanged with Green, obtained the remaining wicket. None of the East Coker batsmen faced the bowling at all well, the last wicket falling when only 45 runs had been totalled. When Weymouth batted they found runs none too easy to get, and it was not before six wickets were down that the East Coker total was passed. Scores:—

East Coker—T. C. Hackwell b Green, 4; Rev. Haywood b Green, 7; S. V. Collard b Green, 0; W. Stevens c Dawson b Green, 15; E. Wakeley c Holmes b Green, 0; F. Wraight b Green, 0; S. Pulman c Dawson b Savage, 0; W. Hanham b Green, 3; F. H. Rugg b Green, 0; R. Parsons b Green, 0; Captain Broadhurst b Green, 8; R. Haines not out, 0; extras, 8—total, 45. Green, 10 for 8; Savage, 1 for 29.

Weymouth—Captain L. Dawson b Rugg, 10; G. J. S. Dennis st Haines b Wraight, 0; S. A. Mahmood run out, 3; A. C. Savage c and b Wraight, 10; W. H. Cumming b Wraight, 0; Captain W. Dudley b Wraight, 4; H. N. Holmes b Pulman, 13; E. S. Covill not out 32; J. Green c Parsons b Pulman, 9; J. Thomas not out, 9; C. W. Bond and N. W. Cullen did not bat; extras, 16—total (for 7 wkts), 106.

PORTLAND RED TRIANGLE V. GREEN HOWARDS.—The Green Howards proved much too strong for the Red Triangle on the United Services ground, Portland, on Saturday. Batting first, the Green Howards made 185 for 7 wickets declared, the highest total scored against the Triangle this season. The local team, although starting their task promisingly, failed to get going, being dismissed when they had made 94. Scores:

Green Howards—Pte. Corbidge c Morgan b Gibbs, 0; Pte. Fleming c Stone b Andrews, 49; Pte. Heath b Wiles, 8; Capt. Lamprey b Goringe, 3; Corpl. Murphy c Stone b Goringe, 19; Sergt. Leeks c Andrews b Wiles, 65; C.Q.M.S. Cannon c Tompkins b Gibbs, 19; Pte. Ellison not out, 0; Sec. Lieut. Worsdell, Pte. Turner, and Pte. Woodman did not bat; extras, 22—total (for 7 wkts, dec), 185. Gibbs, 2 for 40; Wiles, 2 for 32; Goringe, 2 for 30; Andrews, 1 for 22.

Portland Red Triangle—J. S. G. Stone b Ellison, 22; W. J. Baker c and b Fleming, 3; S. J. Andrews c Ellison b Fleming, 1; R. H. E. Morgan b Fleming, 19; J. W. Read b Fleming, 0; A. R. Atherton c and b Turner, 11; L. W. Goringe c and b Ellison, 15; R. E. Gibbs b Leeks, 0; H. Tompkins c Lamprey b Leeks, 1; W. S. Wiles not out, 1; extras, 20—total, 94. Fleming, 5 for 28; Leeks, 2 for 4; Turner, 1 for 26; Ellison, 2 for 16.

Minor Counties Cricket

DORSET AND WILTSHIRE DRAW AT BEMERTON.

DORSET TAKE POINTS ON FIRST INNINGS LEAD.

Features of the Minor Counties Championship match between Wiltshire and Dorset at Bemerton on Wednesday and Thursday were the fine batting displays of Freeman and Tindall. At the end of the first day's play Dorset looked like falling short of their opponents' total, but both batsmen got the measure of the bowling and placed the visitors well ahead.

Wiltshire made a disastrous start when Nash played on to his wicket off Tindall's third ball. Witchell, who had scored a century at Sherborne in his first match for his native county, joined Butler. When he was dismissed off Tindall's delivery only 22 runs were on the board. Witchell attempted to glide Tindall to the boundary, but snicked the ball on to his leg stump.

Lloyd did not stay long, and at this point Wiltshire had lost three wickets for 40 runs. Butler was batting steadily, however, and though Fuller's wicket fell at 63, Lovell-Hewitt played fine cricket and thing looked easier for the home county. Before they were separated Butler had carried his score to 68, which included ten 4's. With his score at 58 Lovell-Hewitt was caught by Tovey off the bowling of Fawcus. Lloyd made a useful 34, but the side were all out at 214. Up to this point Dorset's bowling had been extremely good, Fawcus claiming three cheap wickets.

After tea Thompson and Brockway opened for Dorset, and a good stand seemed likely. At 32, however, Thompson was dismissed. Brockway survived several appeals by Smith, but there was no doubt of the umpire's verdict when White stopped the ball with his pad with 69 on the board. Brockway's wicket fell to a fine ball by Smith, after an hour and a-half for a very useful 41, and four runs later Fawcus returned to the pavilion. At the close of play Dorset required 114 runs to equal their opponents' score, with six wickets in hand.

Dorset's afternoon score had been carried to 138 when Tovey was clean bowled by Smith after 29 runs. Evans was out for four at 145. Elderton played steadily, giving most of the batting to Freeman. He was bowled by Lloyd for nine runs at 161. Busk, hitting a four, was caught ten runs later.

Anticipation of a Wiltshire lead on the first innings was shattered by Tindall's partnership with Freeman for two hours' play. A boundary hit gave Freeman his 50 and put 200 on the board. Butler replaced Smith at the top end and Tindall drove him twice to the boundary. After lunch Freeman drove Smith to the boundary to give Dorset a first innings lead, but at 222 he was caught in the deep field. In a fine last wicket stand Tindall hit freely, scoring two 6's. The innings closed for 261, giving Dorset a lead of 47.

In the two and a-half hours left for play on Thursday, Wiltshire, in their second innings, scored 153 for the loss of four wickets. Of this total, Witchell made 59 not out with some bright batting. He, with Fuller, who made 39, brightened up play considerably, and between them they added nearly a hundred runs, when Fuller was out lbw just on time. Dorset thus took points for their first innings lead.

Scores:—

WILTSHIRE—1st Innings.	
P. S. Butler c and b Evans	... 68
E. M. Nash b Tindall	... 0
H. G. Witchell b Tindall	... 3
A. E. Lloyd c White b Harrison	... 9
H. F. Fuller c Tindall b Busk	... 9
W. Lovell-Hewett c Tovey b Fawcus	58
E. B. Lloyd b Fawcus	... 34
A. L. Awdry c Elderton b Busk	... 9
R. W. Awdry c Fawcus b Tindall	... 14
Smith (W.) c Harrison b Fawcus	... 1
I. K. Sydee not out	... 1
Extras	... 8

Total ... 214

Bowling—Fawcus, 3 for 11; Tindall, 3 for 40; Busk, 2 for 63; Evans, 1 for 34; Harrison, 1 for 58.

DORSET—1st Innings.

R. S. Thompson c Butler b A. Awdry	21
Brockway b Smith	... 41
G. White lbw b Smith	... 16
G. C. Tovey b Smith	... 29
C. L. D. Fawcus c A. Lloyd b Smith	4
E. J. Freeman c A. Lloyd b Smith	63
D. Evans c Smith b A. Lloyd	... 4
M. B. Elderton b A. Lloyd	... 9
Capt. R. D. Busk c Fuller b A. Lloyd	4
R. G. Tindall c R. Awdry b A. Awdry	... 62
A. M. Harrison not out	... 1
Extras	... 7

Total ... 261

Bowling—Smith, 4 for 72; A. Lloyd, 3 for 34; A. Awdry, 2 for 64; Sydee, 1 for 76.

WILTSHIRE—2nd Innings.

P. S. Butler c Busk b Harrison	.. 27
E. M. Nash c sub. b Harrison	.. 17
H. G. Witchell not out	.. 59
A. E. Lloyd lbw b Harrison	.. 2
H. F. Fuller lbw b Thompson	.. 39
Extras	.. 9

Total (for four wickets) 153

DORSET'S GREAT VICTORY OVER CORNWALL.

FINE ALL-ROUND FORM BY TINDALL.

Dorset met Cornwall in the Minor Counties Championship at Cambourne on Friday and Saturday. The Dorset men proved much superior to Cornwall, and in the end were good winners by ten wickets.

Batting first on Friday, the home county found the bowling of Harrison and Tindall much too good for them, and they were all disposed of for the small total of 94. Harrison and Tindall bowled unchanged, and each secured five wickets for 34 and 56 respectively.

Although Dorset started badly when they took their turn with the bat, Brockway being clean bowled before he had scored, runs afterwards came so freely that at the close of the day's play Cornwall's total was passed by 77 runs with six wickets in hand. This sound position was due to Tindall and White, who both batted well. The former, who was not out at the close, played a great innings—the 76 which he eventually made including two 6's and nine 4's.

When the match was resumed on Saturday morning there was a startling collapse, the six remaining wickets falling for the addition of 32 runs. The Dorset men slumped badly against the bowling of Mill and Kendall. However, Cornwall opened their second innings 109 in arrears, and they again failed. So splendidly did Tindall, Harrison, and Busk bowl, that the Cornish men's second innings realised only 110. This meant that Dorset wanted two runs to win, and these being knocked off without loss, Dorset had won a handsome victory by 10 wickets.

Scores:—

CORNWALL—1st Innings.

W. Cory b Tindall	16
L. Martin b Tindall	23
A. Bax b Tindall	10
T. Heath c Elderton b Harrison ..	13
K. Hosking c Elderton b Harrison ..	2
T. Harry b Harrison	0
E. Rogers c White b Harrison .. .	4
H. Tresawna b Tindall	0
C. Kendall b Tindall	0
G. H. Bickford c Evans b Harrison ..	16
J. E. Mill not out	0
Extra	4
94	

Bowling: Harrison, 5 for 34; Tindall, 5 for 56.

DORSET—1st Innings.

Brockway b Kendall	0
A. E. Warren c and b Harry .. .	19
G. White b Harry	33
R. G. Tindall c Martin b Mill .. .	76
G. C. Tovey b Kendall	15
E. J. Freeman b Mill	19
D. Freeman c Mill b Kendall .. .	7
M. B. Elderton c Bax b Mill .. .	2
Capt. R. D. Buck c Martin b Mill ..	5
G. Adams not out	1
A. M. Harrison c Bax b Kendall .. .	2
Extras	24
203	

Bowling: Mill, 4 for 48; Kendall, 4 for 54; Harry, 2 for 63.

CORNWALL—2nd Innings.

W. Cory c Adams b Harrison .. .	4
E. Rogers b Busk	12
K. Hosking c Brockway b Harrison ..	12
L. Martin lbw b Tindall	14
T. Heath b Busk	4
T. Harry c Tovey b Harrison .. .	0
A. Bax c Brockway b Harrison .. .	35
H. Tresawna c Elderton b Tindall ..	15
C. Kendall b Tindall	2
G. H. Bickford b Tindall	2
J. Mill not out	0
Extras	10
110	

Bowling: Tindall, 4 for 24; Harrison, 4 for 43; Busk, 2 for 33.

DORSET—2nd Innings.

A. M. Harrison not out	2
M. B. Elderton not out	0

Regimental Cricket Week

DORSET REGIMENT DEFEAT OLD BRUTONIANS.

KNAPP TAKES ELEVEN WICKETS.

The first match of the Dorset Regiment Cricket Week on Wednesday and Thursday ended in a win by seven wickets for the Regiment. Old Brutonians were their opponents.

The Old Brutonians won the toss and batted first. They fared badly, all the side being out for 50 runs. Knapp was in fine form with the ball returning an analysis of 6 for 12. Chief honours in the Regiment's first innings went to Vasey, who collected 69 runs. On their second visit to the wicket the visitors were seen to better advantage, Syngo and Blunt making up arrears, the former being only seven runs short of his century when Knapp got his wicket. Knapp was again the most successful bowler. The Regiment then passed the Old Brutonians' total with seven wickets to go down. In this innings J. N. Carter had to retire hurt when he was well set with his score at 58.

Scores:—

OLD BRUTONIANS—1st Innings.	
K. A. Cottam c Gayo b Knapp	4
J. E. Phillips b Vasey	5
J. M. Syngo c Vasey b Knapp	6
A. M. Levy c Higgins b Knapp	3
R. P. Blunt b Vasey	4
W. J. Thompson c Carter b Knapp	13
E. G. L. Hebden b Higgins	0
T. E. Smythe b Higgins	4
J. N. Higgins not out	0
S. A. C. Trestrail b Knapp	0
J. Ward c Symes b Knapp	0
Extras	11
Total	50
Bowling—Knapp, 6 for 12; Vasey, 2 for 17; Higgins, 2 for 4.	
DORSET REGIMENT—1st Innings.	
J. N. Carter c Smythe b Blunt	24
T. H. Knapp lbw b Hebden	12
H. C. Partridge b Blunt	1
B. G. Symes b Blunt	14
P. W. Vasey c Phillips b Blunt	69
D. B. Gaye c Smythe b Blunt	4
R. G. R. Chilton b Hebden	19
K. W. Wright b Blunt	0
R. M. Tarrant not out	20
A. E. C. Brodin run out	11
Higgs c Cottam b Blunt	0
Extras	6
Total	180
Bowling—Blunt, 7 for 44; Hebden, 2 for 34.	
OLD BRUTONIANS—2nd Innings.	
A. M. Levy c Higgins b Knapp	2
W. J. Thompson lbw b Knapp	0
J. M. Syngo b Knapp	93
K. A. Cottam c Higgins b Knapp	0
J. E. Phillips c Symes b Knapp	2
R. P. Blunt lbw b Carter	41
T. E. Smythe b Symes	23
S. A. C. Trestrail not out	22
E. G. L. Hebden b Tarrant	7
J. N. Higgins st Partridge b Vasey	4
J. Ward c and b Vasey	0
Extras	14
Total	208
Bowling—Knapp, 5 for 56; Vasey, 2 for 56; Carter, 1 for 28; Tarrant, 1 for 0; Symes, 1 for 8.	
DORSET REGIMENT—2nd Innings.	
J. N. Carter retired hurt	58
H. C. Partridge b Hebden	10
B. G. Symes c Hebden b Blunt	0
P. W. Vasey c Cottam b Trestrail	23

T. H. Knapp not out	37
D. B. Gayo not out	20
Extras	8

Total (for three wickets) 156

Bowling: Testrail, 1 for 9; Blunt, 1 for 34; Hebden, 1 for 30.

THE REGIMENT DRAW WITH HAMPSHIRE HOGS.

SOME REMARKABLE SCORING.

The second match was played on Friday and Saturday, when Hampshire Hogs formed the opposition, and the result was a draw. There were one or two interruptions by rain on both days, but despite the varied wicket there was some remarkable scoring. The Regiment batted first on Friday, and they opened disastrously, for Knapp and Partridge were dismissed with only nine runs on the board. However, Carter (36), Vasey (38), and Symes (55) came to the rescue with good play, and through their efforts the total reached 178, Symes batting delightfully. At the close of play the Hogs had made 70 for the loss of four wickets.

For a time on Saturday the Hogs did not do anything great. Then Paris and Hall became associated, and there was some remarkable scoring, completely altering the aspect of the game. Paris had had luck, for when only three off his century he was caught and bowled by Knapp. Hall made 80, and Hunter followed with 52. Eventually the Hogs were all disposed of for 310. In their second innings the Regiment knocked up 149 for three wickets before stumps were drawn. Carter again batted in superb style, making 82 not out, and he looked well set for his century had time permitted. He was well backed up by Knapp, who made 49.

Scores:—

DORSET REGIMENT—1st Innings.	
J. N. Carter b Paris	36
T. H. Knapp c Paris b Troubridge	0
H. C. Partridge b Muttter	0
P. W. Vasey b Troubridge	38
B. G. Symes b Paris	55
D. B. Gaye b McLeod	10
G. L. D. Allison c and b McLeod	6
R. G. R. Chilton b Paris	7
R. M. Tarrant not out	9
A. E. C. Brodin lbw b Paris	0
E. J. C. Higgins lbw b Troubridge	7
Extras	10
Total	178
Bowling: Paris, 4 for 36; Troubridge, 3 for 31; McLeod, 2 for 46; Muttter, 1 for 55.	
HAMPSHIRE HOGS—1st Innings.	
A. H. Lewis b Knapp	4
D. L. Ridout run out	1
Lt.-Col. G. G. S. Blander b Carter	3
C. G. A. Paris c and b Knapp	97
A. McLeod c Allison b Knapp	19
P. Delmé-Radeliffe c Gaye b Allison	20
P. M. Hall c Symes b Carter	80
C. B. G. Hunter c Carter b Knapp	52
A. C. Muttter c Carter b Knapp	0
Comdr. T. Troubridge c Partridge b Knapp	11
Capt. J. H. Turner not out	12
Extras	11
Total	310
DORSET REGIMENT—2nd Innings.	
J. N. Carter not out	82
T. H. Knapp lbw b Muttter	49
B. G. Symes c Hunter b McLeod	12
P. W. Vasey c Troubridge b Hunter	0
G. L. D. Allison not out	3
Extras	3
Total	149

CRICKET

HAMPSHIRE HOGS V. SHERBORNE PILGRIMS.
—Played at Winchester, and won by Sherborne Pilgrims. Scores:—

Sherborne Pilgrims—D. A. Hodgkinson c McLeod b Meakin, 86; A. A. Morgan b Irving, 22; P. J. Smith c Muttter b Hunter, 12; B. H. Robinson c Dickens b Muttter, 0; H. C. Partridge st White b Meakin, 6; D. Evans lbw b Irving, 31; J. A. Tallent c Dickens b McLeod, 15; R. B. Wyatt-Smith b McLeod, 3; B. W. Sharpe not out, 27; C. F. Stanger-Leathes c McLeod b Irving, 13; A. R. Wallace b Irving, 0; C. J. Snowden b Irving, 4; extras, 5—total, 224.

Hampshire Hogs—R. C. White c Evans b Robinson, 46; F. G. Irving b Snowden, 0; Comdr. G. Marx c Partridge b Snowden, 4; P. Delmé-Radeliffe c Robinson b Snowden, 10; C. B. G. Hunter b Snowden, 0; R. C. Martin b Snowden, 37; A. McLeod lbw b Snowden, 8; C. Dickens b Snowden, 0; J. R. Ransome b Robinson, 4; G. Meakin not out, 4; A. C. Muttter c Snowden b Robinson, 16; A. E. L. Hill c Morgan b Robinson, 7; extras, 10—total, 140.

BLANDFORD V. GENERAL R. M. POORE'S XI.
—Played at Blandford, and won by the home club. Scores:—

General R. M. Poore's XI.—Captain T. Harbottle lbw b Bastable, 24; B. J. R. Macnamara b Sansom, 26; M. C. Mortimer b Sansom, 9; E. K. Stephenson c Bastable b Sansom, 0; M. Sherley-Price b Sansom, 16; J. Hammersley lbw b Jones, 2; General morency not out, 6; A. Harbottle b Sansom, 0; G. E. C. Ash b Sansom, 2; V. A. Braithwaite run out, 2; extras, 7—total, 104.

Blandford—Captain A. V. Hambro b Braithwaite, 0; R. Fooks lbw b Macnamara, 51; G. L. Jones b Mortimer, 1; V. F. Hunt c and b Mortimer, 5; S. Sansom c Montmorency b Mortimer, 25; G. C. Mitchell c Dittmer c Mortimer b Macnamara, 45; Rev. A. R. H. F. Jones c Mortimer b Macnamara, 27; J. White not out, 5; A. Jeans c Harbottle b Stephenson, 3; W. Bastable b Poore, 0; extras, 2—total, 165.

DORSET C.C. AT NEWPORT

HARRISON'S NOTABLE BOWLING

Dorset met with early success in their return Minor Counties' championship match with Monmouth at Newport today, and at the luncheon interval they had captured four wickets for 91 runs.

Losing the toss, Dorset opened their attack with R. G. Tindall and A. M. Harrison, and although W. H. Robinson and J. Britten exercised great caution their partnership was soon broken, Harrison forcing Britten to sky a ball to point. J. Archer started briskly but was completely deceived by Harrison when he had scored 15 and was smartly stumped by Elderton. Harrison was bowling with great guile and four runs later he sent down a ball that turned sharply and knocked back Davis' off stump. The batsman made no attempt to play the ball.

At this stage Harrison's figures read:

O.	M.	R.	Wkts.
13	7	12	3

MORE SUCCESS

Robinson and G. W. Newton then became associated but soon Dorset gained further success, for after Robinson had hit Jarchow for two successive fours Newton snicked a ball from the same bowler which was well snapped up by Elderton. H. H. Jenkins had some uncomfortable moments, but with Robinson managed to defy the bowling until lunch.

MONMOUTH

J. Britten c G. White b Harrison	12
J. Archer st Elderton b Harrison	15
W. H. Robinson not out	37
E. Davies b Harrison	3
G. W. Newton c Elderton b Harrison	6
H. H. Jenkins not out	8
Extras	10
Total (4 wickets)	91

LATER.—Monmouth 180 all out (Jenkins 54 not out); Dorset 10—0.

MONMOUTH V. DORSET

VISITORS IN A WINNING POSITION

A BRILLIANT CATCH BY HARRISON

A useful ninth wicket stand by Captain R. D. Busk and M. B. Elderton enabled Dorset to gain a first innings lead of 67 runs when they continued their game with Monmouth at Newport today.

Facing the bowling of G. L. Thomas and W. Hughes, both batsmen forced the pace, and put on 37 runs in 20 minutes before Busk was bowled by Thomas. Dorset's score was then 247. With no addition Hughes uprooted Elderton's middle stump. G. L. Thomas, a medium-paced bowler, had the splendid analysis of eight wickets for 91 runs.

For the second time Monmouth made a bad start, and at lunch five of their best men were back in the pavilion with only 69 runs scored. Britten was the first to leave leg before wicket to Harrison, who at that stage had bowled 10 overs, eight of which were maidens, for only two runs.

Then Robinson, the other opening batsman, was run out in attempting to steal a run. Jenkins and Archer made a stand, but at 35 Harrison took a brilliant one-handed catch off his own bowling to dismiss Jenkins.

Introduced at 56, Busk had three successive 4's knocked off him by Archer. Then the bowler dismissed Newton and Davies, both out to poor strokes.

MONMOUTH—First Innings

J. Britten c G. White b Harrison	12
J. Archer st Elderton b Harrison	15
W. H. Robinson c Elderton b Tindall	44
E. Davies b Harrison	3
G. W. Newton c Elderton b Jarchow	6
H. H. Jenkins not out	54
B. Bishop b Tindall	17
E. C. Dolman b Jarchow	11
T. L. Thomas c Busk b Jarchow	2
W. Hughes lbw. b Jarchow	4
S. Wilcox b Jarchow	1
Extras	11
Total	180

Bowling: Jarchow 5 for 25; Harrison 6 for 58; Tindall 2 for 57.

DORSET—First Innings

G. H. White lbw. b Thomas	12
Brockway b Thomas	9
Gordon White lbw. b Thomas	2
R. G. Tindall b Thomas	68
G. C. Tovey c Thomas b Hughes	53
E. J. Freeman c Bishop b Thomas	28
F. C. Jarchow lbw. b Thomas	3
D. Evans b Thomas	26
M. B. Elderton b Hughes	13
R. D. Busk b Thomas	25
A. M. Harrison not out	0
Extras	8
Total	247

MONMOUTH—Second Innings

W. Robinson run out	15
J. Britten lbw. b Harrison	4
J. Archer not out	32
H. H. Jenkins c and b Harrison	7
R. W. Newton c Jarchow b Busk	8
E. Davies c and b Busk	0
Extras	3
Total (5 wickets)	69

MONMOUTH YIELD FULL POINTS 174 RUNS IN 2¼ HOURS

Dorset gained a striking victory against the clock in their Minor Counties' championship match against Monmouth at Newport. At one period it looked as if a comfortable win would be registered, but an eighth wicket partnership of 81 by E. C. Dolman and B. Bishop for Monmouth put a new complexion on the game. Dolman and Bishop, the latter a youth playing his first county game, completely mastered the bowling for a period. The former hit six 4's and the latter 11 4's.

Jarchow, who did so well with the ball on the first day, could not repeat the performance and Harrison (5 for 71) and Busk (3 for 30) were most successful.

Dorset were set the task of getting 174 runs in 2¼ hours, and they accomplished it with 15 minutes to spare.

G. H. White gave little trouble when Dorset attempted to set the pace, but Brockway, Tindall and Tovey batted confidently against moderate bowling, and the necessary runs were secured for the loss of only 3 wickets.

A feature of the game was the consistency of the Dorset fielding.

MONMOUTH—First Innings

J. Britten c G. White b Harrison	12
J. Archer st Elderton b Harrison	15
W. H. Robinson c Elderton b Tindall	44
E. Davies b Harrison	3
G. W. Newton c Elderton b Jarchow	6
H. H. Jenkins not out	54
B. Bishop b Tindall	17
E. C. Dolman b Jarchow	11
T. L. Thomas c Busk b Jarchow	2
W. Hughes lbw. b Jarchow	4
S. Wilcox b Jarchow	1
Extras	11
Total	180

Bowling: Jarchow 5 for 25; Harrison 5 for 58; Tindall 2 for 57.

DORSET—First Innings

G. H. White lbw. b Thomas	12
Brockway b Thomas	9
Gordon White lbw. b Thomas	2
R. G. Tindall b Thomas	68
G. C. Tovey c Thomas b Hughes	53
E. J. Freeman c Bishop b Thomas	28
F. C. Jarchow lbw. b Thomas	3
D. Evans b Thomas	26
M. B. Elderton b Hughes	13
R. D. Busk b Thomas	25
A. M. Harrison not out	0
Extras	8
Total	247

MONMOUTH—Second Innings

W. Robinson run out	15
J. Britten lbw. b Harrison	4
J. Archer c Brockway b Busk	33
H. H. Jenkins c and b Harrison	7
R. W. Newton c Jarchow b Busk	8
E. Davies c and b Busk	0
E. C. Dolman c Tovey b Harrison	54
B. Bishop c Busk b Tindall	88
G. L. Thomas c Tindall b Harrison	16
W. Hughes not out	8
S. Wilcox c G. H. White b Harrison	0
Extras	6
Total	239

Bowling: Tindall 1 for 94; Harrison 5 for 71; Busk 3 for 30.

DORSET—Second Innings

G. H. White b Hughes	8
Brockway c Archer b Jenkins	56
G. White c Wilcox b Hughes	33
R. G. Tindall not out	38
G. C. Tovey not out	31
Extras	9
Total (3 wickets)	175

Bowling: Hughes 2 for 77; Jenkins 1 for 25.

JUNIOR CRICKET CUP FOR WOOL

BUT CHARMINSTER MAKE 9TH WICKET STAND

DR. BROWN'S CENTURY

Wool won the Dorset County Junior Cricket Cup on Saturday, defeating Charminster in the final after a very interesting game at the Dorchester Grammar School Ground.

This year was the first in which Wool had entered the competition and for this reason their win was all the more creditable. They batted first, being without two of their most consistent players, who were away on holiday and were unable to get to Dorchester in time for the match. When J. Furmage secured Dear's wicket in his second over it seemed that Charminster's luck was in, but the second wicket partnership between Boulton and Dr. Brown took the score to 93 for 2. Dr. Brown, who has been the mainstay of the Wool side throughout the season, was in top form. All bowling came alike to him and he scored with a variety of strokes. In his 130 he gave only two chances, one quite early in his innings—a difficult chance—and the other at 96, when he should have been caught. His score included 20 4's.

Boulton and Hyde played two excellent innings in support. They played very steady cricket, but lost no chance of scoring when an opportunity presented itself. Just before the tea interval Hyde was dismissed, while King was out to the second ball he received from W. Wakely. Wool were able to declare at the tea interval with the score at 216 for 4.

CHARMINSTER'S PLUCKY EFFORT

Charminster were faced with a huge task, but they tackled it in a very plucky spirit. They met with an early reverse when Dr. Brown secured Foot's wicket in his third over with the score at 7. The next wicket fell at 27 and the third at 38, in each case Dr. Brown being the bowler.

Stands made for the fourth and seventh wickets improved Charminster's position, but with seven men out for 85 it looked as though they would have a very heavy defeat.

The real thrill of the match was the ninth wicket stand between the brothers F. and J. Furmage, which took the score from 96 to 168. Both hit out powerfully and there were several boundaries. They also ran short runs in a manner that won applause from the crowd. Unfortunately for the club the stand came too late and within five minutes of the end of the ordinary playing time the side were all out for 168. J. Furmage hit 8 4's.

Dr. F. B. Fisher, the donor of the trophy, was unable to attend to present the cup and medals and this ceremony was performed by Mr. W. Maitland Walker. He congratulated the winners, and the losers on the excellent game that had been played. He also congratulated J. Furmage on the stand he had made late in the game. He extended thanks to the Governors of the Dorchester Grammar School and the headmaster (Mr. R. W. Hill) for permitting the ground to be used for the match.

Mr. C. F. Hyde (Wool) expressed pleasure at his team's success and congratulated Charminster on the excellent stand they had made late in the game.

All the games the club had played in the competition had been played in a most sporting spirit.

WOOL

J. Boulton b W. Wakely	22
G. Dear c Tory b J. Furmage ...	0
Dr. Brown not out	130
C. F. Hyde b W. Wakely	41
C. King b W. Wakely	0
F. Patrick not out	0
Extras	23
Total (4 wickets dec.)	216

Bowling: W. Wakely 3 for 49; J. Furmage 1 for 48.

CHARMINSTER

W. Foot b Brown	4
P. Gale c King b Brown	5
A. Clarke c Hookey b Brown ...	18
M. E. Tory b Brown	18
T. Barter b Boulton	11
W. Wakely b Brown	4
W. Greening b Boulton	12
F. Furmage not out	26
W. Furmage b Jones	7
K. Miles run out	0
J. Furmage c Jones b Beament	43
Extras	15
Total	168

Bowling: Brown 5 for 76; Boulton 2 for 31; Jones 1 for 18; Beament 1 for 13.

EAST COKER v. WEYMOUTH II.

Weymouth 2nd XI. were defeated by 33 runs when they visited East Coker on Saturday.

East Coker.—G. A. Morris c Sawkins b Abbott 18; J. Parsons run out 0; D. Hodder b Gathergood 2; K. Gillingham b Gathergood 2; P. Grandfield c Lemon b Abbott 49; W. Stevens c-b Abbott 1; A. Childs c Lemon b Gathergood 5; R. Haines c Bell b Gathergood 0; J. Pulman b Abbott 2; S. Bee not out 14; H. Malo run out 1; Extras 7; Total—101.

Bowling: Abbott 5 for 38; Gathergood 3 for 38.

Weymouth.—C. C. Board st Haines b Childs 8; S. Brown b Childs 39; T. Mahmood c Haines b Grandfield 0; G. W. Gathergood c Haines b Grandfield 0; C. Bell b Childs 0; O. Malloes c Haines b Childs 0; J. B. Langdon run out 7; E. Abbott c Grandfield b Childs 7; H. Lemon c Haines b Stevens 1; F. Sprackling c Childs b Stevens 0; E. Sawkins not out 0; Extras 6; Total—68.

Bowling: Childs 5 for 42; Stevens 2 for 6; Grandfield 2 for 13.

CANCELLED

Portland Red Triangle were due to play the return game with the R.A.O.C. (Bovington) at Reforme on Saturday, but the soldiers were unable to raise a team and the match was cancelled at too late an hour to enable the Triangle to arrange another game.

MINOR COUNTIES CRICKET

DORSET'S SPLENDID WIN AT NEWPORT.

MONMOUTHSHIRE DEFEATED BY SEVEN WICKETS.

Visiting Newport on Friday and Saturday, Dorset gained their third victory in the Minor Counties' Championship, defeating Monmouthshire by seven wickets.

Winning the toss, the home county batted first, but so good was the bowling and fielding of Dorset, that, despite fine play by H. H. Jenkins (54 not out) and W. H. Robinson (44), they were all dismissed for 180. F. C. Jarchow took five wickets for 25 runs, A. M. Harrison three for 58, and R. G. Tindall two for 57. When the visitors went in they fared poorly for a time, but a splendid stand by R. G. Tindall (68) and G. C. Tovey (53) turned matters in Dorset's favour, both these batsmen playing splendidly. Further good work in turn by E. J. Freeman (28), D. Evans (20), M. B. Elderton (13), and Captain R. D. Busk (25) enabled Dorset to gain a first innings lead of 67. G. L. Thomas, Monmouth's medium-pace bowler, had the splendid analysis of eight wickets for 91.

Monmouth again started badly when they went in a second time, losing five wickets with only 69 runs registered, J. Archer alone playing with any confidence. Then E. C. Dolman (54) and B. Bishop (88) got going

and a big change came over the game, the latter, in his first county game, batting splendidly. Eventually the home total realised 239—much better than at one time looked probable. In this innings A. M. Harrison (five for 71) and Captain Busk (three for 30) were Dorset's most successful bowlers. Set the task of getting 174 runs for victory in 2½ hours, Dorset got to work with a will. Brockway, G. White, R. G. Tindall, and G. C. Tovey played excellently, and the necessary runs were secured for the loss of only three wickets with 15 minutes to spare—and a glorious victory was the result. Dorset's success can be attributed in no small measure to the consistency of their fielding, which was splendid. Scores:—

MONMOUTH—1st Innings.

J. Britten c G. White b Harrison..	12
J. Archer st Elderton b Harrison..	15
W. H. Robinson c Elderton b Tindall	44
E. Davies b Harrison	3
G. W. Newton c Elderton b Jarchow	6
H. H. Jenkins not out	54
B. Bishop b Tindall	17
E. C. Dolman b Jarchow	11
T. L. Thomas c Busk b Jarchow ..	2
W. Hughes lbw b Jarchow	4
S. Wilcox b Jarchow	1
Extras	11

180

DORSET—1st Innings.

G. H. White lbw b Thomas	12
Brockway b Thomas	9
Gordon White lbw b Thomas	2
R. G. Tindall b Thomas	68
G. C. Tovey c Thomas Hughes ..	53
E. J. Freeman c Bishop b Thomas	28
F. C. Jarchow lbw b Thomas	3
D. Evans b Thomas	26
M. B. Elderton b Hughes.. ..	13
Capt. R. D. Busk b Thomas	25
A. M. Harrison not out	0
Extras	8

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MONMOUTH—2nd Innings.

W. Robinson run out	15
J. Britten lbw b Harrison.. ..	4
J. Archer c Brockway b Busk ..	33
H. H. Jenkins c and b Harrison ..	7
R. W. Newton c Jarchow b Busk ..	8
E. Davies c and b Busk	0
E. C. Dolman c Tovey b Harrison	54
B. Bishop c Busk b Tindall	88
G. L. Thomas c Tindall b Harrison	16
W. Hughes not out.. ..	8
S. Wilcox c G. H. White b Harrison	0
Extras	6

239

DORSET—2nd Innings.

G. H. White b Hughes	8
Brockway c Archer b Jenkins ..	56
G. White c Wilcox b Hughes ..	33
R. G. Tindall not out	38
G. C. Tovey not out	31
Extras	9

CRICKET

WAREHAM AND DISTRICT LEAGUE.

MORDEN v. WAREHAM.—Played at Morden on Saturday, the home team winning by 37 runs. Wareham had a weakened team on duty, and, batting first on the matting wicket, made very slow progress, the first 28 overs, 13 of which were maidens, producing only as many runs for the loss of four wickets. Baunton played very correctly until he "cocked up" a good length ball from White, and was caught. Galpin was quite unlike his usual self, only once opening his shoulders. Of the later batsmen Humphries alone batted with confidence. Wareham's dismal innings of 61 occupied nearly two hours, E. Crocker and F. White bearing the brunt of the attack; only 14 runs were scored off White's 17 overs. Morden soon showed that neither the wicket nor the bowling had any terrors for them. After Green's early dismissal E. Crocker and B. Crocker took the score to 40, and the latter and Snook then passed their opponents' total, when Snook retired indisposed. Humphries then rested his usual bowlers, Vye, a youngster, bowling steadily to secure two wickets for 13 runs in five overs. Scores:

Wareham—C. Baunton c J. Farquharson b White, 12; A. Thomas c E. Crocker b White, 1; R. Foot b White, 0; C. Galpin; b Burr, 11; W. D. W. Bird lbw b Burr, 0; C. M. Humphries not out, 16; S. Perry c Farquharson b Snook, 8; H. W. Birch b E. Crocker, 1; J. Marston b E. Crocker, 0; S. Vye c Roper b E. Crocker, 4; G. Burgess b E. Crocker, 1; extras, 7—total, 61. Bowling: E. Crocker, 4 for 18; F. White, 3 for 14; N. Burr, 2 for 2; H. Snook, 1 for 5.

Morden—D. Green b Perry, 2; E. Crocker. at Humphries b Baunton, 18; B. Crocker c Bird b Vye, 45; H. Snook retired, 12; N. Burr c Galpin b Burgess, 3; A. Glass b Vye, 0; F. White c Foot b Bird, 5; L. Hannam not out, 3; J. Farquharson b Perry, 0; W. Farquharson b Perry 0; D. Roper c Baunton b Perry, 3; extras, 7—total, 98. Bowling: S. Perry, 4 for 13; S. Vye, 2 for 13; W. D. W. Bird, 1 for 2; J. Burgess, 1 for 10; C. Baunton, 1 for 19.

LEAGUE TABLE.

Following is the table up to and including August 20th:—

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Pts
Sandford	13	9	1	3	19
Grange	15	9	0	6	18
Morden	15	8	2	5	18
* Bloxworth ..	16	8	1	7	17
Swanage	14	6	3	5	15
Wareham	14	7	1	6	15
Carters	15	6	0	9	12
Lytchott	14	4	1	9	9
Kingston	14	3	1	10	7

* Including two points for their match on July 28th v. Kingston, who scratched.

MINOR COUNTIES CRICKET

DORSET DRAW WITH DEVON AT POOLE PARK.

VISITORS TAKE POINTS FOR FIRST INNINGS LEAD.

In the Minor Counties Championship match at Poole Park on Tuesday and Wednesday Dorset and Devon drew, but the visiting county won points on a first innings lead. Devon batted first, and remained in up to six o'clock on Tuesday, running up a total of exactly 300 with fairly consistent batting. Their best stand was made by H. S. Stoneman and J. L. Watts, who put on over 100 for the seventh wicket. A final thrill was provided by R. G. Parsons, who hit a 6 and two 4's in his 17. In the time left for play Dorset scored 43 for the loss of Brockway's wicket.

Wednesday proved a disastrous day for Dorset. Owing to the heavy rain it was impossible to commence play until after lunch time, and then the wicket was slow. G. H. White and G. White were the batsmen, but with his score at 21 the former was out lbw to Lock. B. F. Hunt came in and livened up matters with some good hitting. He and G. White carried the score to 116, when the latter was caught by Emmett off Lock for a well-played 45. G. C. Tovey was out before he had scored; but there was another promising partnership between Hunt and E. J. Freeman. When he had obtained a well-hit 59 Hunt was cleverly caught by Stoneman. Freeman collected 23, but the remaining batsmen did nothing, and Dorset's innings closed for a total of 175. The home county followed on, and again matters went badly for them, for when the drawing of stumps came they had lost three wickets with only 18 runs registered. Scores:—

DEVON—1st Innings.

E. J. Hatfield st Elderton b Foot	20
R. G. Seldon lbw b Foot ..	19
W. W. Hoare lbw b Foot ..	8
J. S. Poynder c Tovey b Weld	27
Emmett c Elderton b Weld	35
H. S. Stoneman b Harrison	62
F. H. Carroll c and b Hunt	25
J. L. Watts lbw b Jarchow	57
G. R. Simmons not out ..	4
Lock c Foot b Jarchow ..	0
R. G. Parsons b Jarchow..	17
Extras	26
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	300

Bowling: Jarchow, 3 for 23; Foot, 3 for 52; Weld, 2 for 77; Hunt, 1 for 41; Harrison, 1 for 82.

DORSET—1st Innings:

Brockway b Poynder ..	13
G. H. White lbw b Lock ..	21
G. White c Emmett b Lock	45
B. F. Hunt c Stoneman b Parsons	59
G. C. Tovey b Poynder ..	0
E. J. Freeman b Poynder..	23
F. C. Jarchow c and b Poynder	1
M. B. Elderton b Poynder..	5
E. H. Weld b Lock..	1
H. Foot st Carroll b Poynder	0
A. M. Harrison not out ..	0
Extras	7
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	175

Bowling: Poynder, 6 for 53; Lock, 3 for 63; Parsons, 1 for 23.

DORSET—2nd Innings.

Brockway run out..	2
G. H. White c Emmett b Poynder	0
G. White b Stoneman	6
B. F. Hunt not out..	7
G. C. Tovey not out	3
Extras	0
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(for three wickets) 18
Bowling: Poynder, 1 for 12; Stoneman, 1 for 0.

CRICKET

WEYMOUTH WEDNESDAYS V. BLANDFORD.—Played at Lodmoor on Wednesday, Blandford winning easily. Scores:—

Weymouth—G. J. S. Dennis b Bastable, 1; A. H. Windust c Hammond b Mortimer, 1; C. J. Horne not out, 28; R. Brewerton b Mortimer, 2; P. O. Lovell lbw b Bastable, 5; J. H. Collett b Bastable, 0; S. A. E. Mahmood b Osman, 33; E. Abbott b Osman, 0; G. A. Paull run out, 2; J. H. Blackburn c Fooks b Mortimer, 0; F. Sprackling b Mortimer, 2; extras, 15—total, 98. Bowling: Mortimer, 4 for 30; Bastable, 3 for 23; Osman, 2 for 19.

Blandford—A. Fooks c Mahmood b Collett, 37; M. Mortimer c Paull b Windust, 22; R. Fooks c Dennis b Collett, 4; R. Accourt not out, 30; J. Ramsbottom b Paull, 26; R. Hammond not out, 1; Osman, Burgess, Bastable, Courage, and Burt did not bat; extras, 4—total (for four wickets), 124.

BOURNEMOUTH SPORTS CLUB V. DORSET RANGERS.—Played at Kinson, Dorset Rangers winning by 21 runs. Scores:—

Bournemouth S.C.—F. B. Price c Raymond b Iremonger-Watts, 6; J. Johnson b Iremonger-Watts, 0; A. A. E. Morgan st T. Harbottle b Iremonger-Watts, 0; H. H. Hayes c Chadwick b Iremonger-Watts, 2; G. C. Henderson lbw b Iremonger-Watts, 0; G. L. Hobden c Pawle b Chadwick, 11; General R. M. Poore not out, 30; G. Ford c Brown b Chadwick, 0; P. E. S. Bowerban c T. Harbottle b Bowen, 31; K. Graham run out, 2; L. H. F. Sanderson b Pawle, 1; extras, 17—total, 109. Bowling: Iremonger-Watts, 5 for 27; Chadwick, 2 for 22; Pawle, 1 for 12; Bowen, 1 for 18.

Dorset Rangers—R. G. Raymond c Johnson b Henderson, 36; R. W. D. Pawle lbw b Johnson, 5; T. C. Palmer b Henderson, 11; A. V. M. Chadwick b Johnson, 6; R. L. Bowen b Henderson, 7; C. B. Aylward b Johnson, 3; T. C. Harbottle b Johnson, 0; A. G. Harbottle c Morgan b Henderson, 3; M. H. Sherley-Price c Bowerbank b Johnson, 11; R. W. Iremonger-Watts not out, 20; Captain L. G. Dawson b Johnson, 21; extras, 7—total, 130. Bowling: Johnson, 6 for 54; Henderson, 4 for 51.

BERE REGIS V. WEYMOUTH 2ND XI.—Played at Bere Regis on Saturday, Weymouth 2nd XI. winning by ten runs. Scores:—

Weymouth II.—C. C. Board c Barnes b F. Marsh, 4; C. Whettam c and b Barnes, 2; O. Mallovs b F. Marsh, 1; G. W. Gathergood b Barnes, 0; E. Abbott not out, 24; H. Lemon c F. Marsh b Barnes, 2; A. Brown b Barnes, 3; E. Dudley c Bartlett b F. Marsh, 12; F. Sprackling c Hyde b F. Marsh, 5; C. Smith b Hewitt, 1; L. Smith b Barnes, 2; extras, 9—total, 65. Bowling: Barnes, 6 for 29; Marsh, 2 for 16; Hewitt, 1 for 2.

Bere Regis—F. Marsh c Smith b Gathergood, 21; B. Smith b Abbott, 1; G. Marsh b Gathergood, 1; J. Hyde c Sprackling b Gathergood, 8; F. Lys b Dudley, 0; L. Hall b Dudley, 17; E. Hewitt c Abbott b Dudley, 1; M. Bartlett st Lemon b Dudley, 1; P. Bartlett c Abbott b Dudley, 0; S. Hewitt b Dudley, 0; H. Hewitt not out, 0; extras, 5—total, 55. Bowling: Dudley, 6 for 13; Gathergood, 3 for 17; Abbott, 1 for 20.

POWERSTOCK V. BEAMINSTER.—Played at Powerstock on Saturday, Beaminster being the winners. Scores:—

Powerstock—R. Legg c Perkins b Perry, 6; T. Eveleigh b Perry, 1; B. Adams c Perkins b Smith, 7; F. Darby c and b Smith, 11; W. Studley run out, 1; H. Pitcher b Smith, 6; C. Studley b Smith, 2; R. Bush b Smith, 2; R. Darby not out, 3; F. Bush b Smith, 0; B. Greening b Hunt, 0; extras, 3—total, 42. Bowling: Smith, 6 for 19; Perry, 2 for 17; Hunt, 1 for 13.

Beaminster—F. Lombard c Adams b Legg, 7; F. Moorman b Adams, 4; D. Perkins b Legg, 16; G. Hunt b Eveleigh, 18; A. Mason c Eveleigh b Pitcher, 0; R. C. Poole c Pitcher b Eveleigh, 5; C. Smith c Pitcher b R. Darby, 10; C. Wakeley b R. Darby, 3; W. Stiby b R. Darby, 1; G.

Perry run out, 0; A. E. Cox not out, 0; extras, 4—total, 67. Bowling: Darby, 3 for 2; Eveleigh, 2 for 15; Legg, 2 for 1; Adams, 1 for 13; Pitcher, 1 for 15.

WEYMOUTH V. ITINERANTS.—Played at Lodmoor on Saturday, and ending in a draw. Scores:—

Itinerants—W. C. Cashford c Covill b Windust, 39; H. Cloke b Savage, 0; W. Dixie b Savage, 5; P. J. Davies b Savage, 41; D. Wallace run out, 21; C. Shott b Savage, 6; H. G. Overall c Windust b Savage, 4; G. A. Kelly b Savage, 2; R. E. Adley b Green, 2; I. J. McGrath run out, 0; E. Friedlein not out, 2; E. J. Trollope not out, 16; extras, 9—total (for ten wickets, declared), 147. Bowling: Savage, 6 for 42.

Weymouth—A. H. Windust b Shott, 4; H. Egerton b Shott, 11; S. A. H. Mahmood b McGrath, 1; L. Cloutman c Adley b McGrath, 7; E. Covill b Shott, 0; J. Thomas c sub. b Shott, 1; A. C. Savage b McGrath, 2; H. N. Holmes not out, 30; J. Green not out, 32; C. W. Bond, W. Philpot, and P. C. Laverick did not bat; extras, 20—total (for seven wickets), 108.

HERRISON V. DORCHESTER.—Visiting Herrison on Saturday, Dorchester, who were not able to play their strongest side, were well beaten. Scores:—

Dorchester—J. Horne c Squires b Packard, 0; H. White c Gray b Dorwood, 27; W. Stickleland c Bedford b Dorwood, 16; R. E. Andrews b Sargeant, 1; D. P. L. Tindall c and b Packard, 15; R. C. Wyatt b Dorwood, 13; A. Mayo c Gray b Packard, 6; G. H. White c Squires b Dorwood, 14; Major Bridgeman b Dorwood, 0; F. C. Barton not out, 5; E. Wright lbw b Dorwood, 0; extras, 19—total, 116. Bowling: Packard, 3 for 28; Sargeant, 1 for 17; Dorwood, 6 for 20.

Herrison—Elsby c Horne b Andrews, 37; Wheatley b Stickleland, 2; Packard not out, 38; Squires c G. H. White b Andrews, 62; Sargeant st Wright b Wyatt, 21; Dorwood not out, 7; extras, 13—total (for four wickets), 180. Bowling: Andrews, 2 for 30; Wyatt, 1 for 12; Stickleland, 1 for 40.

CRANBORNE V. SHROTON.—A good match, played at Cranborne on Saturday, resulted in a draw. H. Tuffin batted splendidly in making 96 (not out) for Shroton, and it was unfortunate that he just missed his century. Bowling for the home team, A. Stanford took four wickets for 72, L. Blick four for 56, J. White one for 42, and L. Jones one for 14; while for Shroton H. Tuffin got two for 28 and R. Crew five for 72. Scores:—

Shroton—B. Newman c Jones b Stanford, 8; F. Mitchell b L. Blick, 0; F. Crew c Stanford b L. Blick, 2; H. Tuffin not out, 96; J. Gollop c F. Trim b White, 25; R. Crew c White b Jones, 14; Capt. Jefferson c Blick b Stanford, 1; J. Martin b Stanford, 1; J. Fudge c Sturgess b Stanford, 6; J. Wilkins b L. Blick, 4; E. Douch b L. Blick, 27; extras, 4—total, 188.

Cranborne—J. White c Gollop b Tuffin, 23; G. Trim b Tuffin, 19; L. Blick run out, 1; A. Stanford c Tuffin b R. Crew, 41; L. Jones b R. Crew, 25; G. Fry not out, 4; C. Blick c Fudge b R. Crew, 4; D. Amery b R. Crew, 16; J. Sturgess b R. Crew, 5; F. Trim not out, 11; B. Bailey did not bat; extras, 20—total (for eight wickets), 169.

MINOR COUNTIES V. AUSTRALIANS.
R. G. TINDALL SELECTED.

A team representative of the Minor Counties is playing the Australians at the Oval on September 5th and 6th, and it is pleasing to see that Dorset will be represented in the Minor Counties' eleven by R. G. Tindall, who has been showing capital all-round form this season. Tindall will have the best wishes from cricket enthusiasts throughout the county. The chosen Minor Counties' side is as follows:—

W. B. Franklin, captain (Buckinghamshire), R. H. Rutter (Buckinghamshire), G. S. Butler (Wiltshire), F. C. de Saram (Hertfordshire), R. G. Tindall (Dorset), W. E. Harbord (Yorkshire), Fisher (H.) (Yorkshire), Fishlock (Surrey), Relf (R. R.) (Berkshire), Phillipson (W. E.) (Lancashire), and Ellis (S.) (Durham). Twelfth man, J. G. Halliday (Oxfordshire).

DORSET CONSTABULARY LEAGUE.

DORCHESTER POLICE V. WEYMOUTH POLICE.—Playing at home on Friday, in the Constabulary League, Dorchester Police were the easiest of winners over Weymouth Police. First to bat, Dorchester put together the fine total of 160. P.C.'s Norris and Trevett were seen in a capital stand, both batting delightfully for 43 and 41 respectively. Helpful contributions also came from Sgt. Knight (24), P.C. Hindley (24), and P.C. Conway (12). When the Weymouth men went in they failed completely against the good-length bowling of P.C.'s Norris and Hitchman, and were all disposed of for 28, not a single batsman getting into double figures. Norris, who has done so well throughout the season, claimed six victims for 19 runs, while Hitchman's four wickets cost him only nine runs. Bowling for Weymouth, P.C. Knight got four for 40, P.C. Archer three for 48, P.C. MacCurley one for 20, P.C. Hibbs one for 21, and P.C. Blandamer one for 29. Scores:—

Dorchester Police—Dann c Lanning b Archer, 2; Hindley lbw b Blandamer, 24; Hitchman b Archer, 2; Trevett c Blandamer b MacCurley, 41; Norris b Archer, 43; Sgt. Knight c MacCurley b Hibbs, 24; Broadway b Knight, 2; Martyn b Knight, 0; Conway b Knight, 12; Coombes b Knight, 1; Inspector Carter not out, 1; extras, 8—total, 160.

Weymouth—Rossiter b Hitchman, 6; Lanning c Martyn b Hitchman, 6; MacCurley b Norris, 2; Archer b Norris, 7; Hibbs c Hitchman b Norris, 2; Knight b Norris, 3; Conway c Hindley b Hitchman, 1; Pago c Hindley b Norris, 0; Bool b Norris, 0; Fudge b Hitchman, 1; Blandamer not out, 0; extras, 0—total, 28.

BOURNEMOUTH AND DISTRICT LEAGUE (DIVISION II.).

COLEHILL V. POOLE OLD GRAMMARIANS.—At Colehill on Saturday, the home team winning by 64 runs. Scores:—

Colehill—R. Welch c Clarke b Johnson, 0; A. Tripp c Tanner b Dewhurst, 11; D. Allen b Dewhurst, 23; W. Sawtell run out, 2; A. Guy c Devon b Johnson, 12; R. Habgood c Cloutman b Johnson, 31; S. Dacombe b Dewhurst, 6; C. Brown not out, 17; A. Talbot c Blackman b Clarke, 6; R. Morgan b Clarke, 0; F. Morgan b Clarke, 0; extras, 4—total, 112. Bowling: Clarke, 3 for 17; Johnson, 3 for 27; Dewhurst, 3 for 34.

Old Grammarians—Douch c Frupp b Guy, 10; Hardy st Dacombe b Guy, 12; Devon st Dacombe b Guy, 0; Tanner c Frupp b Guy, 6; Clarke b Welch, 2; Johnson c R. Morgan b Guy, 2; Dewhurst b Guy, 0; Wareham b Guy, 8; Montague c Brown b Allen, 1; Blackburn b Allen, 2; Cloutman not out, 0; extras, 5—total, 48. Bowling: Guy, 7 for 16; Allen, 2 for 6; Welch, 1 for 11.

BOURNEMOUTH TRANSPORT V. CORFE MULLEN.—At Winton on Saturday, Transport winning by 161 runs. Scores:—

Transport—E. Hudson c Hatchard b Young, 72; F. Dollery b Toms, 24; A. Burrows st Christopher b Toms, 2; R. Hawkins c Young b Toms, 4; E. Dunford c Toms b Young, 15; F. Shotter lbw b Young, 1; R. Hayward c Hoare b Hatchard, 3; R. Payton c Hoare b Hatchard, Brook not out, 13; H. Pepin not out, 8; total (for nine wickets, declared), 205. Bowling: Young, 4 for 47; Toms, 4 for 39; Hatchard, 1 for 42.

Corfe Mullen—T. Christopher b Burrows, 5; G. Hatchard b Burrows, 12; L. Hoddinott c and b Pepin, 2; A. Hutchins run out, 0; A. Tollerfield b Burrows, 1; F. Toms b Burrows, 0; R. Batchelor b Burrows, 10; E. Young b Burrows, 3; A. Hoare not out, 6; R. Beck b Payton, 0; A. Simmonds b Burrows, 0; extras, 5—total, 44. Bowling: Burrows, 7 for 21; Payton, 1 for 1; Pepin, 1 for 17.

**ISLE OF PORTLAND LEAGUE.
CHAMPIONSHIP WON BY EASTON.**

The match for the championship of the Isle of Portland League, played at Moorfield Road on Friday evening, ended in Easton defeating Portland Red Triangle by the narrow margin of three runs. The bowlers were on top throughout the match, and only J. S. Stone (who made 11 for Red Triangle) and A. W. Flann (13 for Easton) reached double figures. Scores:—

Red Triangle—A. Atherton c and b Hansford, 4; J. S. Stone b Dench, 11; S. J. Andrews b Herbert, 5; R. Morgan c Herbert b Dench, 2; Rev. A. V. Hurley c Nation b Hansford, 0; J. W. Read b Herbert, 1; W. Comben run out, 7; J. Baker c Nation b Herbert, 0; L. Gorringe c Nation b Herbert, 7; T. Rowland c Nation b Hansford, 1; J. A. Stone not out, 4; extras, 5—total, 47. Bowling: Herbert, 4 for 13; Hansford, 3 for 17; Dench, 2 for 12.

Easton—E. Sharp b Rowland, 3; A. C. Flann b Baker, 13; A. J. Gould b Rowland, 0; A. Herbert b Rowland, 9; J. E. Gould c J. Stone b Baker, 1; E. V. Hughes c Andrews b Baker, 8; A. Clark c J. Stone b Rowland, 2; A. Bond lbw b Rowland, 0; H. Dench c Read b Baker, 0; F. Hansford not out, 7; N. Nation b Baker, 0; extras, 7—total, 50. Bowling: Rowland, 5 for 27; Baker, 5 for 16.

After the match the cup (given by the late Mr. J. R. Warren) was produced by Mr. H. H. Frogley (League secretary), who asked A. Atherton, as captain of the losing side, to present it to N. Nation, captain of the winners. In doing so Mr. Atherton congratulated the Easton club on their success; and in response Mr. Nation said his club never hoped to meet a more sporting side than the Triangle, and he congratulated them on winning the Weymouth and District Evening League.

SHERBORNE PILGRIMS' TOUR

v. DORSET RANGERS.

AT SHERBORNE.

Sherborne Pilgrims—H. C. Partridge b M. Williams, 19; A. A. E. Morgan c Moberley b Tindall, 86; G. M. Cornish b Moberley, 20; P. J. Smith c Brander b Tindall, 43; H. W. Fox c Douglas b M. Williams, 50; J. D. Watney not out, 88; B. W. Sharpe lbw b Hayward, 16; C. F. Stanger-Leathes c Harrison b Brander, 4; D. Evans not out, 4; C. J. M. Snowden did not bat; extras, 20—total (for eight wickets, declared), 375.

Dorset Rangers—Colonel A. P. Douglas b Snowden 40, b Snowden 4; Capt. C. K. Jupp b Snowden 0, lbw b Smith 34; Colonel G. C. S. Brander b Snowden 0, b Cornish 22; B. J. Symes b Snowden 41, b Smith 3; Colonel Leams b Snowden 3, c Wyatt-Smith b Snowden 12; W. Moberley st Partridge b Cornish 1, lbw b Smith 2; P. F. C. Williams b Snowden 8, c Sharpe b Snowden 10; R. Hayward b Snowden 3, b Cornish 19; R. G. Tindall c Morgan b Evans 2, b Sharpe 4; W. Harrison not out 0, not out 5; M. Williams b Snowden 1, st Partridge b Snowden 30; extras, 12 and 5—totals, 111 and 150.

v. OLD WYKEHAMISTS.

AT WINCHESTER.

Old Wykehamists—R. C. White lbw b Snowden 1, st Partridge b Smith 20; A. R. Barker c Wyatt-Smith b Snowden 39, b Smith 46; A. M. Lee c Partridge b Snowden 74, c Evans b Smith 13; D. O. Wilson c Hodgkinson b Evans 58, c Snowden b Evans 2; J. A. Darwell-Smith c Partridge b Evans 5, not out 12; A. C. M. Savage c Smith b Snowden 11, not out 38; R. M. Wright b Snowden, 2; G. A. S. Sim b Snowden 4, c Smith b Tallent 35; A. H. Townsend not out 40, c Morgan b Smith 5; H. G. Awdry b Tallent, 3; A. R. Legard c Sharpe b Evans, 3; extras, 20 and 13—totals, 260 and 184 (for six wickets, declared).

Sherborne Pilgrims—D. A. Hopkins c Lee b Legard 60, st Awdry b Darwell-Smith 50; A. A. E. Morgan lbw b Darwell-Smith 4, c Sims b Wright 31; P. J. Smith lbw b Townsend 57, lbw b Legard 6; B. Robinson b Darwell-Smith 0, c Savage b Wright 13;

H. C. Partridge c Barker b Darwell-Smith 2, not out 7; D. Evans b Wright 59, run out 4; J. A. Tallent b Legard, 13; R. B. Wyatt-Smith c and b Darwell-Smith, 14; B. W. B. Sharpe lbw b Darwell-Smith, 20; C. F. Stanger-Leathes b Legard 32, run out 17; C. J. M. Snowden not out, 2; extras, 13 and 7—totals, 276 and 135 (for six wickets)

v. HAMPSHIRE HOGS.

AT WINCHESTER.

Sherborne Pilgrims—D. A. Hodgkinson c McLeod b Meakin, 86; A. A. E. Morgan b Irving, 22; P. J. Smith c Mutter b Hunter, 12; B. H. D. Robinson c Dickens b Mutter, 0; H. C. Partridge st White b Meakin, 6; D. Evans lbw b Irving, 31; J. A. Tallent c Dickens b McLeod, 15; R. B. Wyatt-Smith b McLeod, 3; B. W. B. Sharpe not out, 27; C. F. Stanger-Leathes c McLeod, b Irving, 13; A. R. Wallace b Irving, 0; C. J. M. Snowden b Irving, 4; extras, 5—total, 224.

Hampshire Hogs—R. C. White c Evans b Robinson, 46; F. G. Irving b Snowden, 0; Comdr. Marx c Partridge b Snowden, 4; P. Delmé-Radcliffe c Robinson b Snowden, 10; C. B. G. Hunter b Snowden, 0; R. C. Martin b Snowden, 37; A. McLeod lbw b Snowden, 8; C. Dickens b Snowden, 0; J. R. Ransome b Robinson, 4; G. Meakin not out, 4; A. C. Mutter c Snowden b Robinson, 16; A. E. L. Hill c Morgan b Robinson, 7; extras, 10—total, 146.

v. CHARTERHOUSE FRIARS.

AT CHARTERHOUSE.

Sherborne Pilgrims—D. A. Hodgkinson c Diver b Quinney 45, c Everard b Darwell-Smith 17; J. D. Watney b Darwell-Smith 5, b Darwell-Smith 26; B. H. D. Robinson c Garnett b Diver 43, c Diver b Welby-Everard 34; H. C. Partridge run out 4, c Dyson b Darwell-Smith 17; D. Evans b Darwell-Smith 8, lbw b Welby-Everard, 21; J. A. Tallent b Diver 0, not out 85; R. C. Eglinton not out 28, c Dyson b Arrowsmith, 43; R. B. Wyatt-Smith b Welby-Everard 0, not out 7; B. W. B. Sharpe b Darwell-Smith, 6; C. F. Stanger-Leathes c Arrowsmith b Welby-Everard, 3; C. J. M. Snowden b Welby-Everard, 0; extras, 4 and 11—totals, 146 and 261 (for six wickets).

Charterhouse Friars—J. C. Connell b Partridge, 43; G. T. Hollebone b Snowden, 16; T. R. Garnett b Evans, 48; P. L. Richards c Evans b Stanger-Leathes, 47; C. J. Quinney b Snowden, 7; R. L. Arrowsmith lbw b Snowden, 12; C. P. Diver c D. Evans b Snowden, 0; J. Darwell-Smith run out, 97; C. E. Welby-Everard b Evans, 0; J. H. Dyson c Sharpe b Evans, 51; J. G. B. Borough not out, 4; extras, 15—total, 340.

MINOR COUNTIES CRICKET

**DORSET AND OXFORDSHIRE DRAW—
BUT DORSET TAKES POINTS ON FIRST
INNINGS.**

Dorset played their last match of the season in the Minor Counties Championship on Wednesday and Thursday, meeting Oxfordshire at Oxford. Unfortunately rain greatly interfered with play on the first day; in fact, the start was delayed through a new pitch having to be prepared. Winning the toss, the home county batted first, and they were given a good start by N. Walker (who eventually made 63) and J. J. Holliday (37). Afterwards the Dorset bowlers met with more success, and half the side were out for 130. A stand for the sixth wicket, however, produced 56, and with the later batsmen doing better Oxfordshire's total reached 236. The Dorset bowling and fielding was good—the fielding especially so. In the 50 minutes left for batting, Dorset lost two wickets for 30—Brockway being out to a good catch at the wicket and R. Thompson being clean bowled.

The weather was fine on Thursday. Taylor and R. G. Tindall quickly set about the task of improving Dorset's position, with Taylor doing most of the scoring. When they had added 76, Tindall was out to a good catch. Then a wicket fell cheaply, but Taylor was splendidly supported by G. White, the fifth wicket realising 70. Both left at the same total—154. Taylor, who was batting for just over two hours and a-half, played a grand innings, and did not give a chance; White also batted splendidly. With four wickets to fall Dorset were 74 runs behind—and the position did not look too promising. Then G. C. Tovey got to work, and was undefeated at the close with a delightfully-played 68. He was nobly assisted by B. Hunt and M. B. Elderton, and Dorset's total reached 267—31 runs ahead. In the remaining time for play Oxfordshire compiled 125 for two wickets (N. Walker 66); but Dorset took five points for their first innings lead. Scores:—

OXFORDSHIRE—1st Innings.

N. Walker lbw b Jarchow ..	63
J. J. Holliday c and b Jarchow ..	37
S. G. Crawshaw c Jarchow b Hunt ..	12
A. W. Hay b Jowett	9
J. B. Senior run out	24
Walters c Taylor b Jarchow ..	3
J. Guilfyle st Elderton b Fawcus ..	35
S. C. B. Lee not out	15
W. W. Inge c Tovey b Hunt ..	13
J. Rogers b Hunt	11
J. P. O'Shea c Taylor b Tindall ..	7
Extras	7

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Bowling: Jarchow, 3 for 32; Hunt, 3 for 68; Jowett, 1 for 45; Fawcus, 1 for 48.

DORSET.

R. Thompson b O'Shea	14
Brockway c Inge b O'Shea	2
Taylor b Rogers	74
R. G. Tindall c Senior b Haynes ..	19
C. L. Fawcus c Haynes b Lee	3
G. White c Haynes b Walters ..	30
G. C. Tovey not out	68
B. Hunt lbw b Walters	20
F. C. Jarchow lbw b Walters	0
M. B. Elderton c Haynes b Walters ..	21
C. J. P. C. Jowett b Walters	0
Extras	16

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Bowling: Walters, 5 for 83; O'Shea, 2 for 55; Lee, 1 for 4; Haynes, 1 for 21; Rogers, 1 for 76.

OXFORDSHIRE—2nd Innings.

N. Walker not out	66
J. G. Halliday lbw b Jowett	16
J. B. Senior b White	28
R. W. Haynes not out	8
Extras	7

(for two wickets) 125

Bowling: White, 1 for 11; Jowett, 1 for 22.

CRICKET

WEYMOUTH WEDNESDAY v. ROYAL TANK CORPS (BOVINGTON).—Played at Lodmoor, and won by the R.T.C. Scores:—

Weymouth Wednesday.—G. J. S. Dennis c Michels b Pickering, 15; A. H. Windust c Michels b Pickering, 7; C. J. Horne c John b Maunsell, 18; S. A. E. Mahmood b Pickering, 1; P. O. Lovell c Maunsell b Pickering, 10; J. N. Dixon c and b Pickering, 1; J. Collett c Popa b Michels, 8; J. T. Wood c Michels b Pickering, 11; C. Veness b Pickering, 6; G. A. Paull b Pickering, 5; J. Taylor not out, 4; extras, 8—total, 94. Bowling: Pickering, 8 for 50; Michels, 1 for 32; Maunsell, 1 for 6.

R.T.C.—Maunsell b Mahmood, 4; Popa c Veness b Mahmood, 5; Michels c Dennis b Mahmood, 0; Pickering c Lovell b Windust, 18; Pardy not out, 0; Johnstone c Paull b Horne, 3; John b Horne, 0; Parker c Wood b Windust, 7; Medland c Mahmood b Collett, 3; Fox not out, 19; McKeown c Veness b Mahmood, 6; extras, 4—total, 109. Bowling: Mahmood, 4 for 32; Horne, 2 for 23; Windust, 2 for 22; Paull, 1 for 7; Collett, 1 for 18.

UNITED SERVICES (PORTLAND) v. WEYMOUTH.—Played at Portland on Saturday, and won by Weymouth. Scores:—

Weymouth.—A. H. Windust b Harrison, 7; W. H. Cumming c Tilden b Mason, 4; S. A. E. Mahmood b Harrison, 3; J. Green c Jackson b Mason, 39; H. Egerton run out, 3; C. W. Bond c Harrison b Mason, 0; E. N. Holmes c Farquhar b Harrison, 24; J. Thomas not out, 8; E. S. Covill, A. C. Savage, and E. Abbott did not bat; extras, 13—total (for seven wickets, declared), 173.

United Services—Lt.-Com. Fricker b Savage, 0; Lt. Tilden b Green, 1; Sub-Lt. Fisher b Savage, 14; Lt.-Com. Harrison b Savage, 22; Sub-Lt. Jackson b Green, 0; Lt. Mansell b Green, 4; Lt.-Com. Mason c and b Green, 5; Lt. Fraser not out, 11; Lt. Day c Thomas b Savage, 0; A.B. Flavell c Mahmood b Green, 0; Lt. Farquhar b Green, 0; extras, 1—total, 58. Bowling: Green, 6 for 22; Savage, 4 for 30.

BRIDPORT v. DORCHESTER.—Played at Bridport on Saturday and ending in a draw. Scores:—

Dorchester.—F. D. Hollick b O'Connor, 34; J. S. Horne c Stocks b O'Connor, 50; Dr. C. Brown b Scott, 9; H. R. Tuffin c and b O'Connor, 3; W. Stickland b O'Connor, 23; D. P. L. Tindall not out, 8; L. C. L. Moore, R. C. Wyatt, Major Bridgeman, and E. Wright did not bat; extras, 10—total (for five wickets, declared)—146. Bowling: O'Connor, 4 for 24; Scott, 1 for 45.

Bridport—Capt. Mason not out, 42; G. J. S. Dennis b Tuffin, 7; E. P. Lambert b Tuffin, 5; F. J. Stocks b Horne, 3; J. O'Connor b Stickland, 17; W. Scott not out, 4; J. Jenks, R. M. Galloway, A. R. Thomson, J. L. Ashley, and E. S. Rimer did not bat; extras, 7—total (for four wickets), 85. Bowling: Tuffin, 2 for 35; Horne, 1 for 12; Stickland, 1 for 40.

SHROTON v. GILLINGHAM.—Played at Shroton on Saturday, and won by the home team. Scores:—

Gillingham.—W. Bryant lbw b Newman, 4; E. Coombes b Newman, 3; L. Herbert b Harvey, 2; T. Woodcock c and b R. Crew, 16; G. Gray c Mitchell b Newman, 18; S. Fishlock b R. Crew, 0; A. Simmons c F. Crew b R. Crew, 0; A. Rose b Harvey, 0; H. Stocker b R. Crew, 1; G. Dullham b R. Crew, 0; R. Cainey not out, 1; extras, 5—total, 48. Bowling: R. Crew, 5 for 16; Newman, 3 for 15; Harvey, 2 for 12.

Shroton.—L. G. Harvey run out, 0; B. Newman b Bryant, 0; F. Crew b Coombes, 35; V. Hoskins b Bryant, 0; R. Crew b Woodcock, 47; Capt. Jefferson not out, 23; J. Gollop b Simmons, 6; P. Reynolds b Herbert, 12; E. Douch not out, 3; J. Wilkins and F. Mitchell did not bat; extras, 16—total (for seven wickets), 142. Bowling: Bryant, 2 for 31; Coombes, 1 for 34; Simmons, 1 for 27; Woodcock, 1 for 18; Herbert, 1 for 0.

DORSET COUNTY CRICKET CLUB

TINDALL HEADS BATTING LIST

The Dorset County Cricket Club's season is reviewed in the report below. R. G. Tindall, who played in the Australia v. Minor Counties match, head the batting with an average of 39.

Matches resulted as follows:—

Played 10, won 3, lost 1, won on first innings 3, lost on first innings 3.

The season on the whole was a satisfactory one and Dorset was able to improve its position on the championship table, but, if the catching had been on the same high level as the ground fielding, results would have been even better. Three matches were won, and only one lost, while in the six other games Dorset won the first innings points in three matches and lost on the first innings in the remaining three. The programme was extended to ten matches instead of eight as formerly, Oxfordshire being the additional county played.

Very little new blood was discovered, but in Taylor, the coach at Canford School, who formerly played for Lancashire, the county has acquired a most reliable left hand opening batsman. Unfortunately his qualification was not discovered until the last match, when a steady 74 materially helped in gaining the first innings points. It is hoped that his services will be available regularly in the future, when, with Brockway and Fawcus, the county will possess a trio of most useful left hand batsmen. H. W. F. Fox, an old Sherbornian, in his first appearance, achieved the distinction of making 126 not out—an innings that came when runs were badly wanted—and the only century scored for Dorset during the season.

Injuries to Tindall and Brockway's illness were a serious loss for the early matches, but on recovery both showed they had not lost their form. As an all-rounder Tindall stands out alone as a glance at the averages will show. Gordon White had a most successful season, and scored consistently. He made the most runs and finished with the satisfactory average of 31.57.

It is pleasing to report the return to form of Tovey, who last year had a most disappointing season. After one or two small scores, following a good start, runs came consistently, and his average of nearly 30 is a distinct advance on last season. C. L. D. Fawcus insisted on getting out when a big score seemed imminent, but there is no doubt as to his class, and it is hoped that next year will bring him better luck and that he will be able to play in all matches.

The bowling as a whole was steady, rather than brilliant, but steadiness is a virtue on hard true wickets, and it is worthy of note that only two scores of 300 were made against Dorset. Tindall, Harrison, and Busk were made the mainstay; Busk, bowling much better than last year, had more work to do. Harrison as usual bowled most overs and although he accomplished no outstanding performance, principally because the hard wickets never gave him any help, yet nevertheless he showed his old skill.

The averages show that too many bowlers had to be called upon, but this is explained by the fact that beyond the three already mentioned the county was unable to obtain the services of its other stock bowlers, except for very few matches. Jarchow improved upon his figures of last year with five wickets for 25 runs as his best performance.

The ground fielding, as already stated, was good, with Tovey at extra cover the most brilliant. The catching, however, was not so good, but in some cases this could be explained by the awkward light. As stated last year, catches must be held if one hopes to get out sides cheaply on wickets that favour the batsmen.

In making a résumé of the games played, there is little to add. In the first game with Oxford, Dorset had to follow-on, and, batting much better, was able to declare without having the worst of the game. In the return match the weather left little time for more than a first innings decision, which Dorset was able to secure, thanks mainly to a steady 74 by Taylor and a fine eighth wicket stand of 62 by Tovey and Elderton.

Both games with Wiltshire were drawn and the first innings points were shared. The first game was notable for an innings of 126 not out by Fox for Dorset and 132 not out by Witchell for Wilts. Curiously enough, both these players were making their first appearance for their counties. The return game was notable in that Dorset put on 90 for the last two wickets—51 by Freeman and Tindall for the 9th wicket—while the tenth wicket added 39, Harrison receiving one ball from which he made no run, and Tindall, keeping the bowling cleverly, scored the remaining 38.

Both games against Monmouth were won. In the first game G. White made 68 in each innings, and Tindall bowled well. In the return game the match seemed over when Monmouth were 74 for 6 in the second innings, being only 8 runs on. The last four wickets, however, added 165, leaving Dorset 172 to get, which was just managed with a few minutes to spare.

Rain spoilt the home match with Cornwall, in which Dorset, after a struggle, managed to secure the first innings points, Freeman batting well for 51. The return game was won by 10 wickets after Cornwall had been dismissed for 94 in the first innings. Except for 9 overs by Busk, Harrison and Tindall bowled unchanged throughout the match, and Tindall was top scorer with a useful 76.

Against Devon, at Devonport, Dorset lost by 10 wickets, being their only defeat. Bad batting accounted for this, but at Poole the worst of the wicket and a bad light caused a collapse. Following on, three wickets were lost cheaply, when rain intervened. Hunt, of Blandford, with 59, and G. White, 45, both batted well.

In concluding this report, it can safely be said that the prospects are bright and there is every reason for optimism. As a whole, the side is a young one, and, provided it can be kept together, there is no reason why the championship should not be won. The thanks of all are due to those who have supported the club and a continuance of that support is earnestly hoped for.

Finally, the report cannot be closed without mentioning the captain, Elderton, who has now completed ten years in this capacity. His wicket-keeping has been as good as ever, and all the players pay a well-deserved tribute to his leadership and popularity and hope that his services will be available for some years to come.

BATTING AVERAGES.

	Inns.	not out	runs	scr.	Av'ge.
R. G. Tindall	11	3	314	76	39.25
G. White	14	—	442	68	31.57
G. C. Tovey	15	3	349	68	29.08
F. J. Freeman	10	—	212	63	21.20
R. S. Thompson	4	—	83	48	20.75
C. Brockway	10	—	207	56	20.70
A. E. Warren	4	—	77	33	19.25
F. C. Jarchow	5	1	95	87	19.00
C. L. D. Fawcus	7	—	121	35	17.28
M. B. Elderton	14	2	163	24	13.58
C. L. Taber	5	—	65	26	13.00
G. H. White	4	—	41	21	10.25
Capt. R. D. Busk	11	—	110	25	10.00
A. M. Harrison	11	—	23	7	5.75
R. E. R. Robinson	4	0	14	10	3.25

Also batted:—H. W. F. Fox, 126; C. L. Taylor, 74; B. G. Hunt, 59—20—7; D. Freeman, 15—7—6; D. Evans, 4—1—26; E. H. Weld, 1; E. W. Marshall Harvey, 2; C. J. P. C. Jowett, 0—10—0; G. L. Jones, 34—45.

BOWLING AVERAGES.

	O.	M. runs	W.	Av'ge.	
F. C. Jarchow	82.4	22	202	11	18.36
R. G. Tindall	244.1	56	726	39	18.615
R. D. Busk	144	40	385	20	19.25
C. L. D. Fawcus	61.2	11	159	8	19.75
A. M. Harrison	309.5	94	685	29	23.62
C. J. P. C.					

Jowett .. 79.5 28 159 6 26.50
Also bowled:—
W. H. Foot .. 32.0 13 53 3 17.60
E. W. Marshall

	Harvey	W.	Av'ge.
B. F. Hunt	31.0	10 48 1	48.0
C. Spear	29.0	3 99 4	24.75
D. Evans	22.5	2 77 4	19.25
E. H. Weld	17.0	3 52 1	52.00
G. C. Tovey	27.0	5 77 2	38.50
G. White	13.1	4 38 1	38.00
J. N. Carter	7.0	— 25 1	25.0
R. S. Thompson	4.0	— 23 4	5.75
	3.5	— 23 1	23.00