

YORKSHIRE SECOND ELEVEN IN THE MINOR COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP

SEASON 1927 – FINAL TABLE

		P	W	T	L	DWF	DLF	NC/AB	Pts	PtsPC	Net Run Rate
	Pts awarded	-	5	2.5	-	3	1	-	-	-	-
1	Staffordshire	10	7	0	0	0	1	2	36	90.000	8.791
2	Nottinghamshire 2nd XI	8	5	0	1	0	0	2	25	83.333	7.964
3	Buckinghamshire	8	5	1	1	0	0	1	27.5	78.571	7.334
4	Durham	8	3	0	0	2	2	1	23	65.714	2.806
5	Devon	14	5	0	2	3	3	1	37	56.923	4.044
6	Surrey 2nd XI	12	1	0	2	5	0	4	20	50.000	2.639
7	Wiltshire	8	2	0	1	1	2	2	15	50.000	0.517
8	Berkshire	8	2	0	1	2	3	0	19	47.500	1.326
9	Hertfordshire	16	3	1	3	3	3	3	29.5	45.385	-1.450
10	Cornwall	8	2	0	1	1	4	0	17	42.500	0.367
11	Monmouthshire	10	2	0	3	2	1	2	17	42.500	-1.289
12	Norfolk	10	1	0	2	3	3	1	17	37.778	-2.978
13	Dorset	10	2	0	3	1	2	2	15	37.500	-3.596
14	Oxfordshire	8	0	0	2	4	2	0	14	35.000	-5.325
15	Northumberland	8	1	0	3	2	1	1	12	34.286	1.400
16	Lancashire 2nd XI	12	1	0	4	3	1	3	15	33.333	-1.412
17	Cambridgeshire	8	2	0	3	0	3	0	13	32.500	-1.970
18	Leicestershire 2nd XI	8	1	0	3	2	2	0	13	32.500	-5.507
19	Bedfordshire	8	1	0	2	1	3	1	11	31.429	-1.838
20	Yorkshire 2nd XI	8	2	0	4	0	2	0	12	30.000	-7.610
21	Lincolnshire	8	0	0	3	3	1	1	10	28.571	-4.894
22	Kent 2nd XI	10	0	0	2	2	1	5	7	28.000	-5.429
23	Cheshire	8	0	0	2	2	2	2	8	26.667	-3.817

Position of teams in the final table is determined firstly by the better percentage of possible points (PtsPC) and then by the better net runs per wkt (Net Run Rate)

DWF – Drawn match but ahead on first inns DLF – Drawn match but behind on first inns
T – Tied match NC/Ab – matches not counted in the final calculation of the table or matches abandoned

FINAL AVERAGES – BATTING AND FIELDING

Player	M	I	NO	TR	HS	Ave	100s	50s	Ct/St
C Turner	7	12	3	358	55	39.77	-	4	2
W E Whitehead	3	5	1	140	73	35.00	-	1	-
W Barber	6	11	0	341	95	31.00	-	2	9
H Bedford	5	8	1	186	102*	26.56	1	1	3
W A Shackleton	5	9	1	184	59	23.00	-	1	2
A Wood	5	8	0	145	102	18.12	1	-	7/2
F N Grimshaw	8	14	0	209	89	14.92	-	1	4
T A Jacques	3	6	1	60	32	12.00	-	-	1
R C J Chichester-Constable	7	12	0	115	62*	10.45	-	1	1
A E Mallalieu	4	8	0	82	56	10.25	-	1	2
S Heyhirst	3	6	3	56	26	9.33	-	-	1
J S Douglas	8	14	0	73	21	6.63	-	-	5
H S Jaques	7	13	0	83	24	6.38	-	-	3
A Bastow	3	4	1	15	12	5.00	-	-	-
S Render	6	10	3	23	21	3.28	-	-	2
E Dickinson	3	6	0	2	2	0.33	-	-	2/2

ALSO BATTED

Player	M	I	NO	TR	HS	Ave	100s	50s	Ct/St
L Radcliffe	1	1	0	47	47	47.00	-	-	-
E N Backhouse	1	2	1	31	23*	31.00	-	-	-
K R Davidson	1	2	1	27	24	27.00	-	-	-
T A W White	1	2	0	28	28	14.00	-	-	-
G H Wigglesworth	1	2	1	11*	11*	12.00	-	-	1st
T W Tiffany	1	1	0	9	9	9.00	-	-	1/1
F Dennis	2	3	0	14	14	8.00	-	-	1
K Crookston	1	2	0	10	10	6.00	-	-	2

FINAL AVERAGES - BOWLING

Player	O	M	R	W	BB	Ave	5wI	10wM
J S Douglas	276.1	82	471	39	8/21	12.07	3	1
T A Jacques	57.4	10	201	14	7/91	14.35	1	-
E R Rawlin	31.5	4	116	6	4/58	19.33	-	-
A Bastow	85	18	221	8	4/28	27.62	-	-
H S Jaques	79	5	274	8	3/9	34.25	-	-
C Turner	661	12	190	5	2/17	38.00	-	-
W A Shackleton	45.2	9	117	3	1/7	39.00	-	-
S Render	126	20	448	11	4/77	40.72	-	-
H Bedford	78	8	272	6	2/63	45.33	-	-

ALSO BOWLED

Player	O	M	R	W	BB	Ave	5Wi	10Wm
A E Whitehead	5	1	17	0	-	-	-	-

LINE SCORES OF MATCHES PLAYED

v Lancashire (Wiggington Rd, York) 6 & 7 June 1927 – (Toss unknown) Yorks 119 (A Woolley 6/41, S Preston 4/32) & 111 (J Holroyd 4/31, S Preston 3/24) beat Lancs 72 (T A Jacques 4/19, H S Jaques 3/9) & 137 (L W Houseman 57; J S Douglas 5/38, T A Jacques 3/26) by 21 runs

v Northumberland (Jesmond) 20 & 21 June 1927 – (Toss unknown) Yorks 60 (W Hetherton 7/33, J L Towler 3/7) & 335 (W Barber 95; F N Grimshaw 89, A E Mallieu 56) lost to Northumberland 317 (W G Mackay 138, H B Pritchard 119; T A Jacques 7/91, J S Douglas 3/56) & 80/0 (J B Bruce 53*) by 10 wkts

v Durham (South Shields) 22 & 23 June 1927 – *Yorks 180 (R C J Chichester-Constable 62*; A L Howell 5/75, T K Dobson 3/15) & 137 (C Turner 55; T K Dobson 6/24, J Carr 4/34) lost to Durham 324 (J Carr 85, H C Ferens 84; S Render 4/77, J S Douglas 3/74) by an innings & seven runs

v Northumberland (Thornaby CC) 29 & 30 June 1927 – (Toss unknown) Yorks 146 (C Turner 54*; W Hetherton 5/50, J L Towler 3/43) 74 (W Hetherton 5/18 [and amatch figs of 10/68], R L Towler 4/29) beat Northumberland 74 (J S Douglas 6/27) & 70 (J S Douglas 8/21 [and match figs of 14/48]) by 76 runs

v Nottinghamshire (Town Gd, Worksop) 11 & 12 July 1927 – (Toss unknown) Yorks 163 (H Bedford 58; A Staples 7/26, F C L Matthews 3/33) & 275 (A Wood 102, W barber 55; T L Richmond 7/87) lost to Notts 240 (G V Gunn 58; E R Rawlin 4/58) & 199/3 (G F H Heane 63*, G V Gunn 54, A Staples 53*) by seven wkts

v Durham (Beechnut Lane, Pontefract) 25 & 26 July 1927 - *Yorks 240 (A E Whitehead 73, W A Shackleton 59, C Turner 51; A L Howell 4/41, H Brooks 4/48) 31/0 drew with Durham 345/9d (C L Adamson 96, J Cook 60*)

v Lancashire (Old Trafford) 1 & 2 Aug 1927 – (Toss unknown) Lancs 397 (P Higson 77, H R W Butterworth 75, L Horridge 73; J S Douglas 4/91) & 104/1 (L W Houseman 61) drew with Yorks 300 (H Bedford 102*, C Turner 60; L Horridge 4/72)

v Nottinghamshire (Duke's Park, Bridlington) 11 & 12 Aug 1927 – (Toss unknown) Yorks 62 (H D Silverberg 5/16) & 102 (H D Silverberg 4/31, V A Hodgkinson 3/13) lost to Notts 138 (A Bastow 4/28, J S Douglas 4/40) & 29/1 by nine wkts

CAREER FIGURES AND BIOGRAPHICAL DETAILS (WHERE KNOWN) OF PLAYERS WHO MADE THEIR DEBUTS IN 1927

192) **Harry BEDFORD** – 17 July 1907, Morley, W Yorks
Died 5 July 1968, Croydon, Surrey, aged 60.

E was a R batsman and LB and googly bowler

First-class debut – v Essex, Bramall Lane, Sheffield, 21-24 July 1928 (County Championship)
Yorks career – 1927-1933

His highest first-class score (24) was made against Essex in his debut match above

His best first-class bowling figures were recorded against Derbys at the Dewsbury & Savile Gd, on 15-17 Aug 1928 (County Championship)

His career best score (102*) came in the Minor Counties Championship against Lancs at Old Trafford, 1 & 2 Aug 1927

His career-best bowling figures (6/65) came in the same competition against Northumberland at Jesmond on 11 & 12 July 1928

CAREER STATISTICS - BATTING & FIELDING

1st Class Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
5	5	1	57	24	14.25	-	-	-
2nd XI Minor Counties Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
38	60	6	1182	102*	21.88	1	6	20

BOWLING

1st Class Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5wI	10wM
	64.2	13	179	8	22.37	6/91	1	-
2nd XI Minor Counties Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5wI	10wM
	353.2	33	1234	45	27.42	6/65	2	1

193) **E DICKINSON** – There are no biographical details available for this player

He was a WK

Yorks career – 1927

He made his only core (2) in the Minor Counties Championship against Northumberland at Jesmond, 22 & 23 June 1927

CAREER STATISTICS - BATTING & FIELDING

2nd XI Minor Counties Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
3	6	0	2	2	0.33	-	-	2/2

194) **Frederick Norman GRIMSHAW** – 5 May 1910, Leeds

Died 1979, Leeds, aged 68 or 69

He was a RH batsman and OB bowler

First-class debut – (playing for Northants) v the West Indians at Northampton on 6-9 May 193 (Tour Match)

Yorks career – 1927-1932

His highest first-class score came against Warwicks at Edgbaston on 26-29 June 1937 (County Championship)

His best first class bowling figures came against Cambridge Un at Fenner`s on 9-11 June 1937 (University match)

CAREER STATISTICS - BATTING & FIELDING

1st Class Matches (For Northants)	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
78	147	6	2445	92	17.34	-	12	21
2nd XI Minor Counties Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
28	41	6	854	126	24.40	1	4	7
2nd XI Friendly Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
2	4	1	38	26	12.67	-	-	1

BOWLING

1st Class Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5wI	10wM
	94.5	11	427	6	71.16	2/60	-	-
2nd XI Minor Counties Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5wI	10wM
	5	0	26	0	-	-	-	-
2nd XI Friendly Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5wI	10wM
	3	0	18	0	-	-	-	-

195) **H S JAQUES** – There are no biographical details available for this player

Yorks career – 1927

His highest score (24) came in the Minor Counties Championship against Notts at Worksop, 11 & 12 July 1927

His best bowling figures in the Minor Counties Championship against Lancashire at Wigginton Rd, York on 6 & 7 June 1927 in his debut match

CAREER STATISTICS - BATTING & FIELDING

2nd XI Minor Counties Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
7	13	1	83	24	6.38	-	-	3

BOWLING

2nd XI Minor Counties Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5wI	10wM
	79	5	24	8	34.25	3/9	-	-

196) **William Allan SHACKLETON** – Born 9 March 1908, Keighley, W Yorks
Died 10 Nov 1971, Bridlington, E Yorks, aged 63

First-class debut – v Cambridge Un, Fenner's, 16-18 May 1928 (University Match)
Yorks career – 1927-1934

He was a RH bat and bowled leg-breaks

His highest first-class score (25) came against Kent at the Angel Gd, Tonbridge, on 29 June to 2 July 1929 (County Championship)

His best first-class bowling figures (4/18) were registered against Middx at Lord's on 9-12 June 1934 (County Championship)

His career-best score (106) came in the Minor Counties Championship encounter against Durham at Darlington CC on 9 & 10 July 1928

His career-best bowling figures (5/58) were also in the Minor Counties Championship, against Northumberland at Duke's Park, Bridlington, 13 & 14 Aug 1928

CAREER STATISTICS - BATTING & FIELDING

1st Class Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
5	6	0	49	25	8.16	-	-	3
2nd XI Minor Counties Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
24	36	4	758	106	23.68	1	3	15

BOWLING

1st Class Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5wI	10wM
	57.2	16	130	6	21.67	4/18	-	-
2nd XI Minor Counties Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5wI	10wM
	249.4	45	809	39	20.74	5/58	1	-

197) **Ronald Dracup SOMERS** – Born 30 July 1899 in Eccleshill, Bradford. He played just one Minor Counties Championship match against Lancs at the Wiggington Rd ground in York on 6 & 7 June 1927. He scored 1 and 9. He did not bowl and did not take a catch.

198) **G WAIND** – No biographical details are available for this player. He played just one Minor Counties Championship match against Notts at Duke's Park, Bridlington on 11 & 12 Aug 1927. He scored 13 and 2. He did not bowl and did not take a catch.

199) **Albert Edward WHITEHEAD** – Born 15 May 1900, Denshaw, Saddleworth, Lancs
Died 28 Oct 1983, Paignton, Devon, aged 83

He was a LH batsman and OB bowler

Yorks career – 1927-1929

His highest score (117*) came in the Minor Counties Championship match against Notts at Titchfield Park, Hucknall, on 12 & 13 June 1929
His best bowling figures were recorded in the Minor Counties Championship match against Lancs at Old Trafford on 5 & 6 Aug 1929

CAREER STATISTICS - BATTING & FIELDING

2nd XI Minor Counties Matches	Inns	Not Outs	Total Runs	Highest Score	Average	100s	50s	Ct/St
19	34	2	848	117*	26.50	1	1	11

BOWLING

2nd XI Minor Counties Matches	Overs	Maidens	Runs	Wickets	Average	Best Figures	5wI	10wM
	21	3	79	5	17.80	2/18	-	-

He received is cap for Devon CCC in 1946, having played in the Minor Counties Championship for Durham in 1932.
