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Extras <b>Total</b>	b 8			8 1 <b>82</b>		w 2						23 <b>328</b>
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Total				267		(4 wic	kets)					130
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MATCH NUMBER 35: BEDFORDSHIRE V NORFOLK

At The ? Bedford on Thursday 20, Friday 21 July 1911

Result: Match drawn - Bedfordshire won on first innings Points: Bedfordshire 3; Norfolk 1

Toss: Norfolk Umpires: Not known Debutants: Bedfordshire (?); Norfolk (?)

First day score: Norfolk 182; Bedfordshire 245-9 wickets (F E Pestell 2\*)

Norfolk  * Rev G B Raikes C J H Treglown G A Stevens M Falcon G W Birkbeck H R Wakefield + R W Thurgar E J Fulcher G Gemmell Allsopp, T C Watson, H Extras Total	c Saun run ou c and l b Peste c Apth b Orr	ell ers b Or iders b C t b Griers ell iorp b P	Orr on ilgrim				19 8 28 10 1 71 7 7 12 1 10 8 182	(4) ( ) ( 3) ( 1) ( 2) ( 5) ( ) ( ) ( ) ( )	c Roge	t by b ( ers b ( horp b stock stock rson ell hurt	Grierson Orr Pilgrim b Orr b Orr	ı			66 18 108 20 27 17 12 4 26 7 23 328
Fall of wickets	1	2		3		4	5	6	7		8	9		10	
First innings	34	37		,		•	76	115	•		_	-		182	
Second innings	34	79	2	226				260				328		-	
Grierson	18	5	27	1	-	-		(4)	21	2	57	2	-	-	
Pilgrim	16	2	41	1	-	-		(2)	13	2	43	1	1	-	
Pestell Pestell	15	3	70	3	-	-		(1)	18	1	78	1 5	1	-	
Orr	10.2	2	36	4	-	-		(3)	22.3 3	1 0	88 19	0	•	-	
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Falcon	18	1	60	2	1	-		(1)	5	1	18	1	-	-	
Allsopp	5	1	19	0	-	-									
Raikes	19	1	61	3	-	-		(3)	11	1	36	2	-	-	
Wakefield	13	3	28	2	-	-		(2)	8	2	19	0	-	-	
Watson	13.5	3	59	2	-	ì		(4)	5	1	7	0	-	-	
Fulcher	12	3	30	1				(6)	2	0	14	0	-	-	
Birkbeck				_				()	11	1	28	1	-	-	
Extras	•	-	10	0	-	-				•	8	0	-	-	
Total	80.5	12	267	10	1	1			42	6	130	4	-	-	

This match was drawn. For the home side, there were 7 fours and ? fours respectively in Rogers's two innings of 64 and 57. For the visitors, there were 1 six, 11 fours, ? threes and ? twos in Stevens's 108, an innings of ? minutes. Wakefield's 71 contained 11 fours and Raikes's 66 included ? fours. In the Norfolk second innings, Stevens and Raikes put on 147 runs for the second wicket. In the Bedfordshire [first?] innings Allsopp reopened a wound in his finger and Gibson acted as his substitute

Ground; ground location; umpires; debutants; extras breakdown; part fall of wickets; in Norfolk second innings twos and threes and duration of Stevens's 108, boundaries in Raikes's 66, part batting order, and runs bowling 20 short; in Bedfordshire second innings boundaries in Rogers's 57, and part batting order, initials of Rogers - SM has 'E'.]

Eastern Daily Press 21,22 July, Norfolk Chronicle 29 July, Norwich Mercury 29 July (Stephen Musk). Sources:

Status: First draft match score - to check Bedfordshire and other sources for missing details

### Gricket

#### BEDFORDSHIRE WNORFOLK.

The County Clab are to be congratulated on their venture into the alloring domains of charity cricket, for Thursday saw the largest crowd on the Grammar School ground that has ever foregathered at a County match in Bedford and the home team establish a splendid lead. It was mostly a Society party, but there was no inconsiderable number off those whose names would not be found in "Who's Who" or Debrett. Among those present we noticed Mr. and Mrs. S. Howard Whitbread, the Mayor and Mayor ess of Bedford Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Carter, Mr. W. W. Marks, Mr. R. W. Allen, the Rev. C. F. Farrar, Mr. J. Howard Howard, Mr. R. E. Prothero, General Layard, Dr. Bower and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Whitchurch, Tea was provided in a delightful wanner by Mrs. Dymock, Miss F. Orr and their helpers, and music by the Bedford Town Band.

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But the cricket was the thing. Though Mr. Orr lost the toss, Bedfordshire's star always seemed in the ascendant, and that despite the fact that the visitors brought practically their Championship side of last year, and Bedfordshire were weak. With Morcon and Wharmby away, the Norfolk batsmen should have revelled on the plumb fast wicket Cherry had provided. Treglown and Raikes had made 34 off Grierson and Pilgrim, when Pestell, relieving the former, bowled Raikes in his first over and Treglown in his 2nd. Pestell bowled magnificently at this stage, his length, variety and Judgment being alike excellent. Stevens and Falcon fook the score to 64, when Orr went on and got the ex-Cambridge captain brilliantly caught on the square leg boundary by Saunders. Three runs later Birkbeck was smarthy run out by Holdstock. At 76 Stevens, who had never been comfortable with Orr's slowe fell to a catch at cover point. Wakefield and Thurgar improved matters, but jwith the lost ball before lunch, and with the score at 115, the latter was well bowled by Pestell. Shortly after resuming. Falcher lifted a ball he intended to drive, and Apthorp accepted it at the wicket. Chiefly by the magnificent batting of Wakefield, who was playing his second game for Norfolk, the tail end put some spirit and dash into the innings. He made 71 of the 161 scored in the hour he was at the wickets for 32. Pestell three for 70. Pilgrim one for 41, and Grierson the other for 27. Bedfordshire commenced their, innings soon after 3 o'clock with Rogers and Holdstock. After a shake start, the Bedford boy settled down to hat really admirably, catting and driving the fast bowling and placing the slows with polished esse. He was frequently applauded. At 33 he lost the stumper. He completed his fifty out of 78 made in exactly the hour. At 82.Willett played too late for a special rapid from Watson; With Squire and Rogers together some sparkling cricket was some more atwactly but he seed the hall and was caught. His 64 occupied him 56 minutes in the re

the longer Nortolk remained in the field the longer Bedfordshire were deprived of the opportunity. Both men presented a straight hat to everything, and withstood the prestry wiles and devices of the visiting, bowlers to get themselves out. Googlies and off's received the same cautious treatment, but Pestell got in several very nice strokes. However, at 267 Pilgrim repeated his old offence, and the innings closed 85 on.

Norfolk began their second venture at ten minutes to twelve. Falcon and Birkbeck batted by the book, taking no risks, but apparently finding no difficulty with the bowling of Pestell and Pilgrim. At 34 Orr took the ball from Pilgrim, and off his first ball saw Rogers hold an easy catch at mid-off which settled Falcon's account. This brought in Stevens, the crack-bat of the side, and considered by some to be the best bat in Minor county cricket. With Grierson bowling for Pestell, the batsmen adopted cautious tactics, a tribute to the fine bowling at both ends. Stevens spooned one from Grierson towards Pilgrim at point, but the fielder started too late for what would otherwise have been an easy catch. At 75 Pestell miesed Birkbeck in the slips of Grierson, but in the next over "Apthory find" him at the wickets off Pilgrim. Soon after one o'clock the arrears, were knocked off, and Stevensbegan to open his shoulders.

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At lunch the score stood at 121 for 2: Resuming, fours came with relentless regularity, notwithstanding repeated changes. In 20 minutes 50 runs were added, and still they came. At 2:45, Stevens completed his century, and five minutes later he sent up the second century.

Pilgrim took Holdstock's place at the fopend. From his first ball Raikes gent 220 up, and from the next completed his helf century. It the next over, from Grierson's second ball Maltby at mid-off held a hot unfrom Stevens, it was a magnificent catchiand brought the Grammar Boy well deserved appreciation. In his innings Stevens hit one 6 and eleven 41s. The score when Stevens went out read 226–3–108. Raikes continued to but steadily; and the score rose to 240, when Orr went on for Pilgrim. From the last ball of his first over Apthory snapped up Raikes behind the wicker, the score reading 250–1–66. From the next ball—Grier.

when Orr went on for Pilgrim. From the last ball of his first over Apthorp enappeding Raikes behind the wicket, the score reading 250-1-66. From the next ball—Grierson's—Orr made a good attempt at a catch from Wakefield, but he just failed to reach it. He received his compensation in his next over, when Holdstock caught Wakefield in the country. 256 for five, the score stood them. When 260 was reached Fulcher was well bowled by Grierson, his contribution having been 4. From the last ball of the next over Apthorp—should have stumped Gemmell, but he struck over the wickets. A little laten he failed to hold him from a suick off Grierson's bowling. Gemmell and Treglown began another partnership, which bid fair to carry the side into the third century, but Pestell went on for Grierson, and with his first ball dismissed Gemmell with the score at 234. The 300 went up just before 4 o clock. Up to this time Treglown had made 13 in 44 minutes. At 307 Pilgrim caught, Watson off Opr's howling. Thursynwent—in, and after the heddition of 21 runs had up one from Orr and succumbed to another catch in the country by Holdstock.

The Skipper and Maltby—opened for the home county at 4.27, and before a run had been scored the former was dismissed by Falcon's fifth ball. Off Wakefield's fifth ball Rogers was missed by Fulcher. The first good hit of the side came from Maltby, who put one of Falcon's round to leg for a boundary. The total reached 29 before Maltby was caught at the wicket off Raikes. His score was 11. Holdstock, after scoring 6 was stumped by Thurgar, when the score stood at 39. Squires and Rogers stopped the rot, playing very carefully. Though slow at a first, the cricket soon brightened up. Bquires getting—in some pretty leg: glances. and Rogers cutting with accuracy and power. At 70 Rogers was given a life at the wicket and then went on to punish the bowlers. At 96 he completed his 50, Squires sending up the hundred in the next over with a capital leg glance. The stand was fast placing the home county into a safe po

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ĺ	R. W. Thurgar, c Holdstock, b Orr	12
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#### MINOR COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP.

BEDFORDSHIRE v. NORFOLK.

#### A FASHIONABLE GATHERING.

The above game commenced on the Grammar School ground, Bedford, yesterday, in brilliant weather. The home county were minus the services of A. F. Morcom, W. C. Bocquet, and Wharmby, their places being taken by N. C. Maltby, Pilgrim, and Pestell, two products of the local cricket League. Last season Norfolk got the better of the Bedfordians on two occasions, but this season it would seem from the great advantage that homesters have now in hand that the positions will be reversed. Bedfordshire are this season in a winning vein, and the display given yesterday in batting, bowling, and fielding reflects great credit on all concerned. cerned.

Mrs. Dymock and Miss F. Orr had ar-

ranged for tea in an enclosire, which was well patronised, and the County Club should benefit by the venture. The Bedford Town Silver Band discoursed sweet music during benefit by the venture. The Bedford Town Silver Band discoursed sweet music during the afternoon. A large and fashionable company was present in the enclosure and parilion, among whom were the Lord Lieutenans (Lord St. John), Sir Algernon and Lady Osborn, the Hon. Henry St. John, the Mayores of Bedford (Mr. and Mrs. Hope), Mr. and Mrs. H. Whitbread, Col. and Mrs. Duberly, Major and Mrs. F. A. D. Stevens, Col. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Allen, Mr. W. W. and the Misses Marks. Dr. D. Bower, General Layard, Rev. R. H. Moss, Rev. C. F. and Mrs. Farrar, Mr. R. F. Prothero and Miss Prothero, Rev. G. F. Apthorp, Mrs. Powell, Mrs. Morrison, Mr. J. A. Whitchurch, Mr. Herbert King and Miss King (Broom), Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Ades, Mr. J. W. D. Harrison, Mr. W. Hatfald Harter, Dr. Stanbury Phillips, Mr. J. W. Crossman, Mr. C. J. Maltby, Mr. Charles Rry, and Mr. F. Hughes.

The Rev. G. B. Raikes won the sum of the coin, and took Treglown in with him to both on a perfect wicket. The Beds. skipper put on Grierson (School end) and Pilgrim to bowl. It was early evident that the batsmen were not out to take advantage, for a number of leg-balls went unnoticed. The first 12 overs produced 28 runs. Then Pestell displaced Grierson, and with his fifth ball he broke through the captain's defence. Without the addition of further runs off Pestell, the upset Treglown's etumps. the latter having very carefully compiled eight (2 for

he upset Treglown's stumps, the latter having very carefully compiled eight (2 for 37). At 53 Orr went on in place of Pilgrim. After Stevens had been let off in the slips, Samders was applauded for a bit of smart fielding in mid-field, and followed this up by taking Falcon on the square leg boundary off Orr's "changeables." (3 for 64). Birkbeck evidently did not feel at home with the skipper's bowling, and he let out to one which was Emartly returned by Squire from the long field, and Apthorp quickly upset his stamps. (4 for 67). Meanwhile, Stevens was playing a fine game, making the most of his runs off the left-hander, but in the next over he was caught at mid-off by Rogers, after making a capital 28. Half the side were out for 76, brought about by grand fielding and excellent bowling. Wakefield and Thurger made a stand, played free cricket, and the century was signalled after about an hour and a half's play. Grierson then went on vice Orr at the Park end, and Pilgrim relieved Pestell. The pair, however, continued to bat nicely but carefully; some of the strokes made by Wakefield were splendid, his drives being "extra:" At 112 Orr resumed operations with the ball, displacing Grierson. Three runs later Pestell "yorked." Thurger for a very carefully compiled 7. and the young pro. had then taken 5 for 45 (6 for 151). The players then adjourned for lunch.

On resuming after lunch, Fulcher joined Wakefield, and 15 were added when the former was snapped at the wicket. Gemmell was the incomer, but at 168 Wakefield fell c, and b, to Grierson. The batsman was well cheered for his splendidly played 71, which included ten 4's. Allsopp and Watson were the last pair, but the former did not long survive Orr's breaks, and was stumped. The innings thus closed for 182. Saunders was applauded for a bit of smart fielding in mid-field, and followed this up by

Holdstock and Rogers opened the Bedfordshire innings to the bowling of Falcon and Allsopp. The pair played pretty cricket, Rogers off strokes being good, and he compiled 22 out of the first 30. Raikes then went on at the Park end, but runs still continued to come. Rogers kept running out to Raikes' slows; once he returned a hot handful to the bowler, who was unable to hold it. Just afterwards, however, the Luton prowas nicely taken in the slips by Stevens off Raikes. Willett was the incomer, and opened his account with a single off Wakefield, who had given Allsopp a rest. Runs came at a nice pace, Rogers being the chief scorer; and 60 was signalled after considerably less than an hour's play. Watson was next given a trial with the ball. Rogers was cheered when he made his half century out of 78. Four runs later Willett was clean bowled for a nicely played 17. A cut by Squire past point to the boundary sent in 30, and a little later he sent up the century with a similar shot. He made six boundary hits in succession, and when the tea interval with a similar shot. He made six boundary hits in succession, and when the tea interval arrived his score stood at 27, and Rogers had

arrived his score stood at 21, and Rogers nau amassed 63.
Fulcher and Raikes resumed the attack, and with the latter's third ball Rogers was taken behind the wicket. He had played a brilliant innings. Apthorp was the incomer, and opened with three singles. At 141 Equire's off stump was removed by Fulcher. His score of 36 included eight 4's. The county captain was the next to go to the wicket, and His score of 36 included eight 4's. The county captain was the next to go to the wicket, and he and Apthorp had a merry time, until at 156 Apthorp was out to a brilliant running catch by Wakefield. Maltby, who made his debut in county cricket, was at the wicket for a long time before he scored, and was eventually disposed of by Wakefield for a single. Saunders was the incomer, and he started scoring from an overthrow, which signalled the double century. Nine runs later Orr was caught by the opposing captain for a dashing display of 41, which included five 4's. (209 for 7). Grierson led off with a couple, and then a drive to the off boundary, which sent up 220. Saunders made some nice strokes, but when he had made 20 he was let off by Wakefield at mid-off. Several bowling Wakefield at mid-off. Several bowling changes were tried, and eventually Grierson was taken in the slips by Fulcher off Wake-

held. (237 for 8). The Arlesey amateur was well caught for a useful 25, and stumps were

rawn for the day. Scores and analysis.
Norfolk.—1st Innings.
C. J. H. Tregloun, b Pestell 8
Rev. G. B. Raikes, b Pestell 19
G. A. Stevens, c Rogers, b Orr 28
M. Falcon, c Saunders, b Orr 10
G. W. Birkbeck, run out 1
H. R. Wakefield, c and b Grierson 71
R. W. Thurger, b Pestell
E. J. Fulcher, c Apthorp, b Pilgrim 7
G. Gemmell, b Orr 12
Allsopp, st. Apthorp, b Orr 1
Watson, not out 20
Extras 8
Total 182
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Total (9 wickets) ..... 245 Pilgrim to bat.

#### ROUND ABOUT NOTES.

[By "Oozoo,"]

Whoever would have thought that Bed-fordshire, minus their two most dangerous and consistent bowlers. Wharmby and Mor-com, would be capable of getting Norfolk, com, would be capable of getting Norfolk, champion county as they are, out on a magnificent wicket for a pairty 182. But that is, as is now ancient history, what the Beds bowlers actually accomplished. It was a triumph of steady rather than brilliant bowling, backed up by fielding that would have done credit to any first-class county. It was a bad blow for Beds, when Wharmby wrote off, but the difficulty as to another bowler was solved by the inclusion of Frank Pestell, whose work for Warrington has been most praiseworthy this year. Thus it was that three of the four professionals on the side of the home county were youngsters born and the home county were youngsters born and bred and had learnt practically all their cricket within a mile of the Town Bridge.

Without Wharmby and Bocquet, two of the few batting successes of the Herts match, the batting strength of the side, on paper, gave rise to some reasonable trepidation, but all turned out well and in the first innings, of which consistency was the ruling note, young Rogers bore off the palm for the highest score. Norfolk were more at home during their second knock, and in the end left Beds. with 244 to get in just over a couple of hours. Evidently with the idea of having a good for the runs Orr went in first, but failed to survive the first over. From that point Beds, gave up hope of getting the runs and with three wickets down within half an hour, they were, for a time, fighting yith their backs to the wall. Norfolk put every ounce into getting them out and play for an hour was intensely interesting. Rogers and Hastings Squire were the herces of the Bedfordshire innings; had they not stopped together at such an opportune moment it is doubtful if we should be rejoicing in the capture of a further three points. When play came to a close, however, Beds. were in a very happy position, and had time allowed they must have bagged the full complement of points.

Norfolk came to Bedford under the stigma of a cound thrashing earlier in the week at the hands of Herts. (whom Beds. twice have defeated). They were anxious to make amends for an innings defeat and meant to make Beds. their victims. They had every encouragement. First use of Cherry's very best wicket and the knowledge that their opponents were badly handicapped for bowlers. Play at first was very slow, Grierson and Pilgrim keeping excellent lengths. When at last a change was necessary and Pestell displaced the Canfab success was not long delayed, and in the first two overs the Elstow youth clean bowled Tregloun and the Rev. G. B. Balkes. S. A. Stevens, that wonderful young batsman (who made three centuries last week), and M. Falcon, the well-known Cambridge secretary, were now associated, and a formidable pair they are. But Beds. were out for a win and Falcon, who naver appeared comfortable to Orr's wily ones, let out to a leg ball and was handsomely caught on the square leg boundary by that sprightly fieldsman, Saunders. Stevens was missed in the slips and appeared to be well away for a big score when he also fell a victim to a smare of Orr's.

Wakefield, a youngster up at Oxford, and Norfolk came to Bedford under the stigma

Wakefield, a youngster up at Oxford, and son of Bishop Wakefield, of Norwich; was the only one of their emaining batamen to do anything. He batted in grand style, the bowling appearing to present little difficulty to him. He had compiled a brilliant 71 ere Grierson got him, c and b. The last man in gave a little trouble but 482 was the total realised. Our had the best figures and bowled really well. Grierson's 12 overs for 27 runs shows what a really difficult bowler he is to score off. Pestell has improved considerably since he left Bedfordshire. He bothered the batsmen with his swinging, swerving hall, but neither his or Pilgrim's figures say how well they bowled.

Rogers and Holdstock opened for Beds and runs came very dowly, what scoring there was being done by the Modern School pro-

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Holdstock is a provermal slow starter, but somehow this year he can't get going, and in this match after batting quite a long while for 14 he was bagged in the slips. Rogers was showing capital form and with Willett Keeping his end up things were not going so badly for Beds. But Willett did not stay a great while, a beautiful ball putting his stumps savry. Squire and Rogers were partners in a good stand prior to tea, and the pair were still fogether when the halt was called.

The tea interval proved as it has many times proved before, disastrons for the batting side. Bogers was immediately caught behind the wicket for a really splendid 63. He is justifying his inclusion with a vengeance. Squire was out soon after, having hit besiderously, his 36 centaining a nice batch of eight boundaries. Orr and Apthorp were assisted in a merry stand until the latter were assisted in a merry stand until the latter was out to a ripping catch by Wakefield. There was still a chance that Norfolk would lead on the first innings and Orr was the right man to be at the wickets at such a juncture. He hit as if he had not a care in the world and the danger was soon past Maltby did not make much of a show, but Saunders and Grierson each made a few, and in the end Beds had a lead of 85.

On Friday Norfolk made a heroic effort to pull the match out of the fire. Two wickets were lost in wiping off the arrears and at lunch things were not altogether hopeful. But Norfolk were all out for the total spoils and Stevens and Raikes put up a bold opposition to whatever bowling Mr. Orr could put against tham. The burly old Norwich schoolboy batted magnificently and it was not until he had exceeded the hundred (his third, in four years on the Commence of the control of the purpose of the Commence of the control of the purpose of the Commence of the control of the purpose of the Commence of the pull of the purpose of the Commence of the pull of the pull

in four years, on the Grammar School ground) that he was out. So well did the Norfolk batsmen support him that the innings realised over three hundred, and Bedfordshire were left to get 244 in a couple of hours, a task they found impossible. But this second task they found impossible. But this second venture of Bedfordshire's further emphasised the fact that in "Dick' Rogers' son the county have a rare 'find," a somewhat ungainly figure at the wicket, he nevertheless bats very prettily, and I think, would make still more runs were he smarter between the wickets. And I have known him to get a heap of wickets with that crafty slow ball of this. Have we a J. W. Hearne in the making? With 143 on the board for three wickets and no chance of a definite finish being arrived at the game was abandoned. In every department Bedfordshire shone and they must be congratulated on taking three points ont be congratulated on taking three points out of such doughty opponents. We may see Beds. heading their section this year. They have a good start.

The excellent form shown by Bedfordshire The excellent form shown by Betilordshire this season has brought them to the top of the table in the North and East Section of the Minor Counties Championship, with a grand percentage of 86.68. It is very satisfactory to notice this, and all good Bedford ians hope the position will be maintained. The table given below is made up to July 22 inclusive.

Congratulations to Rogers, who, for his brilliant batting display last week, has been presented with a county cap, and has been nivited to play in the remainder of this season's matches for the County. The Modern School pro. has well earned both honours. T. Saunders, the Arlesey amateur, who was given his cap last season; has also been invited to take part in the remaining games.

It is satisfactory to note that the Norfolk team were very pleased with their visit. to Bedford last week. In conversation with the writer, their Secretary said his fellows always enjoyed playing against Bedfordshire, as they were such good sportsmen. The Norfolk skipper also confirmed this.

## Minor Counties Championship

#### BEDFORDSHIRE v. NORFOLK.

### BRILLIANT BATTING BY BOTH SIDES.

#### BEDS. GAIN THREE POINTS.

The first meeting of Bedfordshire and Norfolk took place on the Grammar School ground on Thursday and Friday last week. The home county wars minus the services of A. F. Morcom, N. C. Bocquet, and Wharmby, their places being taken by N. C. Maltby, Pilgrim, and Pestell. two products of the local cricket. League. Last season Norfolk got the better of the Last season Norfolk got the better of the Bedfordians on two occasions, but in the game under notice the homesters were the best side. Bedfordshire are this season in a winning vein, and the display given in batting, bowling, and fielding reflects great credit on all concerned. That Bedfordshire made such a creditable show is very gratifying, and should cause supporters to rally round the club. The first day's proceedings were displaying in favour of the home county, but Friday morning saw a change in the fortunes of day morning saw a change in the fortunes day norning saw a change in the tortunes of the visitors. The "sporting parson," as the Norfolk skipper is familiarly called, and Stevens played with determination, and had the satisfaction of turning the tide of fortune somewhat in their side's favour. The tune somewhat in their side's favour. The task set of Bedfordshire getting 244 in about two hours was, of course, bordering on the impossible, but the captain fell in a brave attempt at making a bold bid for victory. A word may be said about the fielding; we have seldom seen better, and the catches taken by Holdstock in the country on Friday with the glaring sun in his ways were indeed. with the glaring sun in his eyes were indeed

with the glaring sun in his eyes were indeed creditable.

The visiting captain won the toss, and opened the innings with Treglonn. Wickets fell at regular intervals, the best stand of the innings being made by Wakefield, who compiled a capital 71. The venture reached a total of 182, and late in the afternoon the home county had the satisfaction of passing their opponents' score. Norfolk did fruch better in the second innings, a great stand better in the second innings, a great stand being made by Raikes and Stevens, who put on 147 for the third wicket. It was al-most impossible for Bedfordshire to knock off the required runs for victory in the time at their disposal, but the score of 130 for four wickets was a good one. Full scores and ana-

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R. W. Thurger, b Pestell	7
E. J. Fulcher, c Apthorp, b Pilgrim	7
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H. Squire, not out	45
E. E. Apthorp, not out	3
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Raikes 11 1 36	2
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MATCH NUMBER 35 : BEDFORDSHIRE V. NORFOLK - MINOR COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP
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Notes: Wakefull's 71 contained 11'4's Royers 64 contained 7'4's. Steven's 108 contained 1'6' & 11'4's. Allsopp respect the June in his Junger & Cilson substituted. The game we last duran at 6-15. Sources: - EDP 21, 22 July, Mercury 29 July, Chronicle 29 July

## AUGUST 5, 1911.

#### DERBYSHIRE v. LEICESTERSHIRE.

WEEK-END CRICKET.

Played at Chesterfield on July 29, 31 and August 1 and left drawn. Beyond everything else this match was remarkable for the batting of Sharp who, doing better than ever before, scored 216 in four hours and 10 minutes—his first hundred in important cricket. He hit two 5's and thirty-seven 4's and drove and hit to leg well. He was missed when 82 and 103, and should have been stumped when 163. With Fowke, who batted for 200 minutes, he added 262 for the sixth wicket in three hours. Chapman batted well in both innings for Derbyshire. In his first he put on 58 with Oliver and 79 with Morton and in his second added 117 for the second wicket with Cadman. The latter, cutting and off-driving in attractive style, hit a 6 and sixteen 4's and made no mistake until 102. When the innings was closed Leicestershire were left with 193 to make in 110 minutes, but before they could go in rain came down and stopped the match. Score and analysis:—

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First innings. Derbyshire. Second innings.	
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Slater, c King, b Fowke 14 c Shields, b King	6 13
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Needham, b Brown 44	
A. J. Wood, b Shipman 51	
T. Forester, c Brown, b Fowke 35 not out	10
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Total 393 Total (5 wkts)* 2	41
*Innings declared closed.	
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Knight, b Morton 14 Shipman, b Forester	29
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Shipman bowled ten no-balls and one wide and King one no-ball.	
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Warren and Slater each bowled one wide, Morton two no-balls and Cadinan one	e.
WILLISHIRE v. SURREY 2ND XL-Played at Swindon on July 26 and 2	7
WILTSHIRE v. SURREY 2ND XI.—Played at Swindon on July 26 and 2 and won by Surrey 2nd XI. by an innings and 102 runs. Score.	
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Newman, b Myers 14 st Vigar, b Abel 1	5
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## Correspondence.

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AN ANECDOTE OF HIRST AND RHODES. To the Editor of CRICKET.

Sir,—The following anecdote, to the truth of which the writer vouches, has never as yet appeared in print, but has been carefully kept, like the solitary bottle of a rare and choice vintage, for some auspicious occasion. That occasion having now arrived (in the shape of Rhodes's benefit) the writer presents it, with his compliments, to be uncorked by the Editor of Cricket.

At the close of the season of 1902 the writer was playing in a small match for the benefit of some local charity, in which Hirst and Rhodes with characteristic good nature were also participating, their presence, needless to say, proving a great attraction. Everyone was still talking of the thrilling finish to the final Test match at the Oval, in which the last two men Hirst and Rhodes—the last hope of England—by their cool and plucky batting at the crisis of the game, gained for their country a most memorable victory by one wicket. During an interval in the local charity match, a player, whose enthusiasm for the game may be said to have outweighed his shie approached Hirst, and, chatting over the incidents of the great match at the Oval, asked him if he had not felt nervous towards the finish.

at the Oval, asked him if he had not felt nervous towards the finish.

"Nervous!" said Hirst, apparently surprised at the strangeness of the question; "no, I can't say that I was nervous. But now you come to mention it, I remember I was a bit afraid lest the occasion might be too big for Wilfred."

Pondering over this reply, our inquisitive cricketer a little later took advantage of the fall of another wicket to propound his little query to Rhodes.

"Nervous!" replied Rhodes thoughtfully. "No. I was'nt

"Nervous!" replied Rhodes thoughtfully. "No. I was'nt nervous. Not exactly what you might call nervous. But I must say I did feel anxious lest George might get out."

Huddersfield, July 27, 1911. Yours, etc.,
A. C. DENHAM.

BEDFORDSHIRE v. NORFOLK.—Played at Bedford on July 20 and 21 and left drawn. Score and analysis:—

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H. Willett, b Watson H. Squire, b Fulcher			17 36	not out	•			. 45	
E. E. Apthorp, o Wakefield, b Fa	lcon		24	not out		•••			
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Falcon bowled one wide and Fulcher one no-