

CRICKET.

BEDS' NARROW ESCAPE AT ST. ALBANS.

Hertfordshire met Bedfordshire, in the Minor Counties Championship, at St. Albans, on Wednesday and Thursday. The match was left drawn, Herts taking major points for their first-innings lead. The cricket was very attractive. At one period yesterday it seemed that Herts would win outright, but although an extra half-hour was played, they could not force a victory. J. G. Bland, with a stylish innings of 73, Brown, with an exhilarating knock of 51, and T. P. Lawrence, who batted well for 46, were the principal contributors to Herts' first-innings total of 281. Beds, with Rawlins collecting 52 quickly, had made 106 for 4 on Wednesday, but yesterday, Burton, bowling splendidly, brought about a collapse. A fine knock of 76 by Southgate, who was aided by Page in a last-wicket partnership which yielded 52, enabled Beds to reach 253.

Herts, with a first-innings lead of 28, started their second venture badly, six wickets being down for 87, but de Zoete, Crossman, Brown and Lord Hyde retrieved the situation and Herts declared with 214 for 8. Brown, who made 50 not out, and Lord Hyde (41) got their runs quickly.

Left to get 243 for victory in eighty minutes, Beds lost five batsmen for 19, Burton having a brilliant spell in which he captured three wickets for three runs. When Herts' prospects of victory appeared bright, Holdstock and Southgate stopped the rot. After Holdstock had left with the score at 56, Southgate, who played another fine innings of 76 not out, brightened Hertfordshire's hopes of forcing a victory. Brown again acquitted himself splendidly with the bat and in the field, where his work was brilliant, but it was very apparent that the Herts attack needs strengthening. The brunt still falls upon Burton, who, in this match, took nine wickets at a cost of 14 runs apiece. Scores:—

Hertfordshire.—1st Innings.

T. P. Lawrence, c Rawlins, b Fryer	46
C. B. Fordham, c & b Albon	1
J. G. Bland, c Poole, b Albon	73
M. H. de Zoete, c Page, b Cook	27
Lord Hyde, lbw, b Albon	6
G. M. Crossman, c Southgate, b Fryer	29
A. Grimsdell, lbw, b Smith	10
Brown (S.), b Albon	51
G. R. Whitcombe, c Southgate, b Smith	8
Roberts (E.), st Page, b Smith	16
Burton (F.), not out	11
Extras	10
Total	281

Bowling.—Cook 1 for 54, Albon 4 for 73, Holdstock 0 for 59, Smith 3 for 48, Fryer 2 for 36.

2nd Innings.

A. Grimsdell, c Smith, b Albon	21
Roberts, b Smith	6
T. P. Lawrence, lbw, b Smith	0
C. B. Fordham, hit wicket, b Smith	11
J. G. Bland, st Page, b Fryer	5
M. H. de Zoete, c Rawlins, b Smith	30
G. M. Crossman, c Fryer, b Albon	29
Brown, S., not out	50
Lord Hyde, c Viscount Malden, b Cook	41
Extras	12
Total (8 wks. dec.)	214

Bowling.—Smith 4 for 3, Albon 2 for 43, Fryer 1 for 28, Cook 1 for 34.

Beds.—1st Innings.

A. B. Poole, b Fordham	2
F. Rawlins, c Lord Hyde, b Roberts	62
J. G. Cook, lbw, b Roberts	4
E. A. Fryer, c Bland, b Brown	16
L. Cockland, c Burton	32
Holdstock, c sub, b Burton	34
Viscount Malden, b Burton	2
H. A. Southgate, c Brown, b Fordham	75
E. F. C. Smith, c Brown, b Burton	5
E. G. Albon, b Burton	4
E. Page, not out	10
Extras	17
Total	253

Bowling.—Burton 5 for 76, Fordham 2 for 16, Roberts 3 for 70, Brown 1 for 52.

2nd Innings.

J. G. Cook, b Burton	0
F. Rawlins, st Grimsdell, b Fordham	2
E. A. Fryer, b Burton	6
L. Cockland, b Burton	0
A. B. Poole, c Brown, b Roberts	9
H. Southgate, not out	70
Holdstock, lbw, b Burton	27
Viscount Malden, st Grimsdell, b Whitcombe	13
E. F. C. Smith, not out	2
Extras	10
Total (for 7 wickets)	141

Bowling.—Burton 4 for 51, Fordham 1 for 14; Whitcombe 1 for 10, Roberts 1 for 37.

SCHOOL BEAT OLD ALBANIANS.

Yesterday, the annual matches between St. Albans School and the Old Albanians were played at Belmont-hill. In the first-eleven game, the School were successful by 47 runs. Scores:—

St. Albans School.

A. J. A. Goetzee, b Rowntree	10
R. D. Nelson, c Strofton, b Holt	3
E. N. Ryder, c Godwin, b Wiggs	9
C. W. C. Poore, b Barnes	34
J. E. Cantlay, c Wiggs, b Rowntree	1
J. W. Betts, c Fraser-Smith, b Rowntree	1
J. A. Robinson, b Holt	40
G. R. Walker, b Rowntree	8
H. L. Harvey, c Fraser-Smith, b Wiggs	10
H. A. Taylor, c Rowntree, b Royds	10
D. C. Urry, not out	1
Extras	15
Total	148

Bowling.—Wiggs 2 for 29, Holt 2 for 35, Barnes 1 for 35, Rowntree 4 for 16, Royds 1 for 7.
Second Innings: 106 (Goetzee 19, Taylor 19, Nelson 17, Ryder 16.—Holt 4 for 26, Faulkner 4 for 24.

Old Albanians.

Sanderson, c Harvey, b Taylor	6
Rowntree, lbw, b Urry	3
Holt, lbw, b Walker	16
M. A. Wiggs, lbw, b Urry	2
Barnes, c Poore, b Walker	14
Page, b Walker	0
Sir A. Faulkner, b Urry	5
Royds, c Ryder, b Walker	25
Fraser-Smith, not out	21
Godwin, run out	5
Strofton, c Cantlay, b Walker	0
Extras	4
Total	101

Bowling.—G. R. Walker 5 for 43; H. A. Taylor 1 for 27, D. C. Urry 3 for 21.

St. Albans School also won the second-team match in the annual fixtures with the Old Albanians yesterday, the margin in their favour being 111 runs. In their first venture, the School made 99 (J. H. Martin 20, W. Nelson 12, B. Nelson 11, E. Fenton 10), the wickets falling to F. L. Tuck 3 for 27, R. S. Hunter 2 for 34, F. C. Toogood 2 for 17, M. F. Bywaters 2 for 8. The Old Boys were dismissed for 40 (R. S. Hunter 20) by Watson 3 for 16, Coles 3 for 11, and W. Nelson 3 for 24. In their second innings, the School declared with 150 for 6 (Martin 41, not out, G. R. Coles 28, A. P. Watson 25, F. A. Giffen 18, Fenton 12, J. Sidney 13 not out), the wickets being taken by Toogood 2 for 47, Hunter 1 for 26, S. G. Hearn 1 for 16, A. E. H. Higgins 1 for 24, M. F. Bywaters 1 for 3. Left to get 201 for victory, the Old Boys in their final knock could only muster 80 (F. L. Tuck 31, E. N. Fox 23, Hunter 10) against the bowling of Watson 4 for 23, Coles 4 for 33, and Turner 2 for 11.

Radlett "A" beat Bushey II. by 56 runs. Radlett batted first and scored 170 runs for 3 wickets, when their captain closed the innings. R. Cooper and H. Gillams opened for Radlett, and put on 120 before Cooper was caught when seven runs short of his century. Cooper hit 17 boundaries in his score of 93. Gillam was un-defeated with 40 to his credit when the innings was closed. Bushey opened disastrously, and had 3 wickets down for only 3 runs, but Hings 32, Reynolds 16 and Basson 11, put a bet of complexion on the score, and the innings realised 84. Cooper was successful with the ball besides the bat, as he bowled 7 overs and had 5 maidens for 3 wickets for 10 runs. F. Green also did well with the ball, taking 4 wickets for 28 runs.

Watford and St. Albans Gas Co. (65) on Wednesday defeated Heath Farm (35) by 30 runs and, on Thursday, Heath Farm (33 and 21) beat Flek's Athletic (36 and 19) by six runs.

MINOR COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP.

HERTS v. Lincs.

HERTS WIN ON FIRST INNINGS.

Hertfordshire opened their Minor Counties Championship programme at Stevenage on Monday against Lincolnshire, and after a game that was always full of interest, took the majority of points for a first innings lead of 23 runs. Local interest was added to the match in view of the fact that "Wally" Shelford, the popular Stevenage bowler, was included in the Herts team and took three wickets for 42 runs.

Crossman won the toss and Herts took advantage of a wicket which favoured run getting. Fordham, who opened with Lawrence, was badly missed in the gully during the first over with no runs on the board. The home county was also lucky shortly afterwards when Lawrence should have been caught and bowled in Drake's fourth over, but the fast bowler dropped a rather easy catch. Up to this point scoring had been rather slow until Fordham sent Wilson to the boundary off two consecutive balls, and the 50 appeared in as many minutes. Immediately afterwards Fordham was caught and bowled by Worman for 18. Bland followed and at once gave the same bowler a very difficult caught and bowled chance. Both Lawrence and Bland played confidently after this, and the 100 appeared in 14 hours, the former meanwhile reaching 50. Lunch arrived with the two still undefeated and the score board reading 142-1-18. Shortly after the resumption Lawrence had another "let-off" when he nicked the ball over the wicket-keeper's shoulder for a four. The score had reached 162 when the partnership was broken, Lawrence being taken at the wicket for a well-hit 80, which included nine fours, and two runs later Bland was bowled by Worman for 53. At 178 Hodgson fell a victim to the wicket-keeper after scoring 1. Lord Hyde followed and quickly hit up 10 runs before being well caught by Loeffler off Drakes, the score having reached 200. The Herts captain was then joined by Grimsdell, better-known perhaps as the former Spur and International footballer, and between them added 0 to the total when Drakes bowled crossman. Brown joined the West Herts player and a steady rate of scoring was maintained, a lofty hit by Grimsdell registering the only six of the match. The seventh wicket fell when Brown was caught after securing a style's 14. One run later Whitcombe was bowled. Tea was taken with the score at 287, Grimsdell and Burton being the not-outs. A lucky snick through slips for 3 by Burton hoisted 300, and 18 runs later Grimsdell's splendid innings came to an end when he had the misfortune to dislodge his own balls. Some resistance was offered by Shelford and Burton, and 325 runs were on the board when the latter was bowled.

Stamp and Loeffler opened for Lincs, and with the score at 13 Fordham bowled Loeffler. Before stumps were drawn the visitors lost another wicket, Stamp being bowled by Brown. On Tuesday Lincs started 274 runs behind, with eight wickets in hand, and they got to within 23 of their opponent's before they were all out. In their second venture Herts totalled 112 for the loss of five wickets. Scores:—

HERTS.

1st Innings.

C. B. Fordham, c & b			
Worman	18	b Wilson	19
T. P. Lawrence, c Campbell,			
b Worman	80	c & b Dods	32
J. G. Bland, b Worman	53	b Wilson	7
G. M. Crossman, b Drakes	33	b Wilson	0
G. D. Hodgson, c Campbell,			
b Wilson	1	b Wilson	10
Lord Hyde, c Loeffler, b			
Drakes	10	not out	21
A. Grimsdell, hit wkt., b			
Worman	73	not out	23
Brown, S. H., c Stamp, b			
Mack	14		
G. R. Whitcombe, b Drakes	1		
Burton (F.), b Worman	20		
Shelford (W.), not out	2		
Extras	20	Extras	0
Total	325	Total (5 wks.)	112

LINCOLNSHIRE.

H. E. Scamp, b Brown	14
P. E. Loeffler, b Fordham	8
H. W. Dods, st Grimsdell, b Shelford	103
J. C. Walter, b Fordham	97
Rev. E. L. Howard Wright, c Hyde, b	
Fordham	0
T. E. Drakes, b Shelford	3
Rev. H. Mack, run out	11
Campbell, c Grimsdell, b Shelford	9
G. Chatterton, b Burton	17
P. L. Worman, not out	23
C. Wilson, c Hyde, b Burton	0
Extras	12
Total	302

Herts Bowling.—C. B. Fordham, three for 55; Shelford, three for 42.

Lincs Bowling.—Worman, five for 100; Drakes, three for 100.

HERTFORD v. BEDFORD RAMBLERS.

Mainly owing to a fine second-wicket stand by W. C. Hunt and S. F. Brown of 168 runs, Hertford gained a comfortable victory over Bedford Ramblers at Balls Park on Saturday.

Hertford won the toss and batted first, but made a bad start, Wright being out bow for 0 with the score at 11. Hunt and Brown, however, so mastered the bowling that it was not until the score had reached 170 that they were parted. The bowling for the first half hour was distinctly good, both batsmen being content to play themselves in, although Hunt did most of the scoring. Hunt quickened up the score by a series of boundaries, all in front of the wicket, and soon reached his 50 out of 90. Brown was not far behind him, and boundaries became monotonous; at one period seven 4's were hit off consecutive balls - four to Hunt and three to Brown. Just when Hunt's century seemed a certainty he was bowled in attempting a big hit. His 99 included no fewer than 17 boundaries and only 12 singles, and he only gave one chance. C. M. Gaunt joined Brown, and the latter continued to hit the bowling more or less where he pleased until he, too, was out whilst in the nineties - 229-3-94. Brown hit 16 4's, and also gave one chance, shortly before he was actually out. With so many runs on the board, the Hertford batsmen were inclined to "have a go" with disastrous consequences. Five wickets fell for a mere 9 runs, and when tea came, the innings was declared closed at 236 for eight.

Burley and Cooper gave Bedford a good start, both getting in some neat leg shots. 41 runs were scored by good and confident cricket before Barley was caught at mid-off by C. M. Gaunt. Tomkins showed a desire to score quickly, and hit up 10 out of 23 before retreating a ball hard to Hunt, who took a good one-handed catch at the second attempt. At 60 Perry skied an easy catch to G. B. Gaunt at cover point, while La Touche, bowling very well at the other end, virtually decided the issue by clean bowling three men in the next over. With seven wickets down for 73 Hertford appeared to have victory in their grasp, but the bowling seemed to slacken and Hodge showed his liking for it by hitting a few boundaries. He found a stubborn partner in Whitfield, and the two looked like playing out their innings. However, a change of bowling did the trick, Hodge poking one up to mid-on where Hockings took a good catch. Hodge's 45 included seven 4's and a 6. The innings closed when C. M. Gaunt took a very "cheeky" catch a yard away from Claridge's bat. Hunt followed up his batting success by taking five for 54, La Touche claiming three for 9. Scores:—

HERTFORD C.C.	
W. C. Hunt, b Claridge	99
L. G. Wright, lbw, b Hodge	0
S. F. Brown, lbw, b Hodge	94
C. M. Gaunt, b Hodge	14
A. V. Grubb, c Hodge, b Wharton	0
H. W. Barlett, c Gauntlett, b Wharton	2
G. B. Gaunt, b Wharton	0
A. Hockings, b Hodge	0
P. D. La Touche, not out	9
Dr. R. Mortis, not out	5
Extras	18
Total (for 8 wickets)	236

H. R. Moffatt did not bat.

BEDFORD RAMBLERS.

A. E. Burley, c C. M. Gaunt, b Moffatt	20
H. T. Cooper, b Hunt	24
E. F. Tomkins, c & b Hunt	19
H. Perry, c C. M. Gaunt, b Hunt	1
S. Whitehouse, b La Touche	2
N. King, b Hunt	0
S. Wharton, b La Touche	0
F. V. Gauntlett, b La Touche	0
L. Hodge, c Hockings, b C. M. Gaunt	45
J. Whitfield, not out	10
F. S. Claridge, c C. M. Gaunt, b Hunt	0
Extras	15
Total	137

FRANK PAWLE'S XI v. BISHOP'S STORTFORD COLLEGE.

Played at Woburn on Saturday. In this two-innings match, W. V. Knight took altogether 12 wickets for 70 runs, and made a total himself of 104. Scores:—

BISHOP'S STORTFORD COLLEGE.

FIRST INNINGS.	SECOND INNINGS.
H. H. Wagstaffe, c Morton,	b F. Pawle
b F. Pawle	17
H. J. B. Seale, c Neve, b F.	Pawle
Pawle	10
K. W. Bonnar, run out	20
F. H. Sutton, b Fish	6
D. F. Cook, b Fish	0
W. V. Knight, b Gristwood	51
R. C. Jocelyn, b Fish	4
S. Stephen, b F. Pawle	2
W. D. Goodley, b Gristwood	0
A. J. H. Palmer, not out	15
H. Y. Laurence, c H. Pawle,	b Thake
b Thake	11
Extras	8
Total	159
b Luff	4
Extras	17
Total	145

FRANK PAWLE'S XI.

FIRST INNINGS.	SECOND INNINGS.
J. T. Neve, b Stephen	28
W. Luff, st Cook, b Knight	14
F. Pawle, b Knight	12
M. W. Payne, b Stephen	24
T. Morton, b Palmer	1
F. G. Gristwood, c Palmer,	b Knight
b Knight	12
Capt. H. Pawle, c Laurence,	b Knight
b Knight	0
A. Shepherd, c & b Knight	3
H. Felstead, not out	0
G. Fish, b Stephen	0
R. Thake, b Stephen	0
Extras	16
Total	110
b Stephen	13
b Knight	0
c Sutton, b Knight	20
c & b Stephen	28
c Cook, b Knight	12
b Knight	10
c Sutton, b Knight	2
run out	0
c & b Knight	0
lbw, b Knight	0
not out	0
Extras	5
Total	90

HERTFORD v. W.B.T.S.

In the absence of the St. Albans side due to play at Balls Park and unavoidably cancelled owing to clashing with Hatfield show a match was arranged with the W.B.T.S. and a fine match resulted in a win for Hertford by 87 runs. Fifty runs were scored by each of the following Hertford players: Messrs. Chalmers Hunt, G. J. Pearce, and S. Brown (groundsmen). Scores:—

HERTFORD.

N. G. Chalmers Hunt, b Payne	55
G. Ainley, run out	0
G. W. Robinson, not out	12
G. J. Pearce, run out	57
S. F. Brown, not out	56
S. A. Watts, b Wells	0
H. Naylor, b Wells	0
Capt. Howie, b Payne	6
R. George, b Wells	5
W. Dolly, b Wells	0
Extras	11
Total (for 8 wickets)	210

J. Bunyan did not bat.

W.B.T.S.

Haylett, b Robinson	18
Payne, c Dolly, b Brown	44
Mashin, c & b Dolly	2
Ashurst, c & b Dolly	6
Peany, c & b Dolly	1
Cor, b Brown	23
Wells, c Chalmers Hunt, b Brown	6
Bowers, c & b Dolly	1
Heath, b George	11
Ward, b George	11
Green, not out	0
Extras	20
Total	143

CHESTNUT v. LUTON TOWN.

Played at Chestnut on Saturday. With one or two exceptions every batsman on the Chestnut side weighed in with a useful score which enabled the closure to be applied at 193 for seven wickets. Luton, thanks to a couple of chances, was top-scorer with 40. Things were by no means too rosy when he went in and any luck which comes his way is thoroughly deserved, so aggressive is his style. Link who opened his account with an 8 (four for overthrows) showed fine form. The two not outs, Oddy and Lay, had a merry twenty minutes at the finish. Knight with three for 57 was Luton's best bowler. With two wickets down for 17 things looked serious for Luton, but a splendid recovery was made per King and V. Ugrave. The third wicket put on 80. King was then well caught for 60. The only blemish was a very hard chance before scoring. V. Ugrave (40) batted well, but he lacked the variety and vigour of King. Owing to a bowling shortage Link operated at one end unchanged and finished with the fine analysis of four for 40. With six wickets down for 134 when time arrived the resultant drawn could be termed fairly even. Scores:—

CHESTNUT.

W. H. Aleock, c Taylor, b Warboys	12
A. V. Dean, c Wailer, b Knight	20
A. Bond, c King, b W. V. Knight	6
H. S. Greene, b Knight	14
E. F. Upton, lbw, b Fryer	49
S. Massey, c Fryer, b Holiday	8
C. Link, c Colling, b Knight	30
H. G. Lay, not out	19
H. W. Oddy, not out	21
Extras	8
Total (for 7 wickets, dec.)	193

E. A. Berridge and H. Cooper did not bat.

LUTON TOWN.

W. Brown, c Lay, b Link	1
W. E. King, c Bond, b Link	80
A. Fryer, c Massey, b Link	4
F. Wigngrave, c Bond, b Cooper	40
H. Hartop, c Greene, b Link	1
A. Warboys, c Greene, b Cooper	9
V. Colling, not out	2
G. Taylor, not out	3
Extras	5
Total (for 6 wickets)	134

W. Holiday, A. Wailer and H. Knight did not bat.

CHESTNUT II v. LUTON TOWN II.

Played at Luton on Saturday, and resulted in a win for Chestnut by 59 runs. Luton batted first and their score might have been increased but for the smart work behind the stumps by H. Day, combined with F. Bentley's bowling. However, Chestnut with six wickets down for 62 runs had again to rely on the remaining batsmen for the major part of their total. C. Maxfield with C. Wootton carrying the score from 62 to 104 before being parted for the seventh wicket. Scores:—

LUTON.

C. Hawley, b Wootton	13
S. White, c & b Bentley	1
H. Gailer, b Wootton	1
J. Webdale, st Day, b Bentley	6
S. Titmus, st Day, b Bentley	20
C. Smith, c Pett, b Bentley	1
F. Chapman, b Swain	13
J. Booth, st Day, b Bentley	33
J. Miller, c Bacon, b Bentley	5
W. Robinson, b Bentley	1
R. Bone, not out	0
Extras	5
Total	102

CHESTNUT.

F. Bentley, b Titmus	4
H. Pett, b Titmus	8
W. Bacon, b Titmus	7
H. Day, b Hawley	10
J. Woodcock, b White	0
H. Barton, b Titmus	0
C. V. Field, b White	7
C. Wootton, c Webdale, b Booth	27
Swain, b Booth	37
S. Barton, b Booth	16
R. Kane, not out	2
Extras	3
Total	161

STEVENAGE WEDNESDAY v. R.A.F. (DUXFORD).

Played at Duxford on Wednesday last. For Stevenage L. King took six wickets for 20. A.C. Ryder put up a spirited resistance, and was last out for a useful 33. L. A. Watson scored 50 in 16 minutes for Stevenage, which included six 4's and three 6's. Scores:—

R.A.F. (DUXFORD).

J. Luff, b L. King	0
Cpl. Pratt, c & b Ashworth	2
Cpl. Stripling, c Mulrhead, b L. King	0
A.C. Smith, c & b L. King	7
A.C. Batchelor, b Ashworth	1
A.C. Ryder, b Henderson	33
Cpl. Aldridge, b Ashworth	0
A.C. Bateman, b L. King	0
L.A.C. Walker, c & b L. King	0
A.C. Barham, c Charlton, b L. King	6
A.C. Williams, not out	4
Extras	28
Total	81

STEVENAGE WEDNESDAY.

J. R. Charlton, c Walker, b Batchelor	5
A. King, c Barham, b Batchelor	38
S. Chalkley, b Bateman	3
M. Mulrhead, b Bateman	0
L. A. Watson, c & b Gott	58
E. S. Henderson, b Batchelor	27
L. O. King, not out	43
H. Allison, not out	11
Extras	10
Total (for 6 wickets)	204

R. Lines, W. Ashworth, and H. Hunt did not bat.

BRAUGHING v. HOCKERILL.

Played at Hay Lodge, Braughing, on Saturday, ending in a win for the home team by 21 runs after a low-scoring game, in which the bowlers gained the day. W. Bardwell took five wickets for 5 runs, and W. Ginn five wickets for 15 runs for the winners. Scores:—

BRAUGHING.

S. Smith, c S. Thurgood, b Thurley	9
W. Bardwell, b King, b Thurley	2
L. Smith, b Curtiss	11
W. Ginn, b Thurley	1
E. Chalkley, c Ward, b Thurley	1
A. Parker, c King, b Thurley	3
A. Hagger, st Thurgood, b Curtiss	2
H. Webb, c De Boltz, b Thurley	5
L. Brunning, not out	0
H. Deville, b Curtiss	4
J. Phillips, b Curtiss	0
Extras	5
Total	38

HOCKERILL.

C. De Boltz, b Ginn	2
J. Ward, c Ginn, b Bardwell	3
H. Bunnett, b Bardwell	0
B. Thurley, b Bardwell	5
C. Thurgood, c Parker, b Bardwell	1
G. Curtiss, b Ginn	2
H. Martin, c Brunning, b Ginn	0
G. Warwick, b Ginn	1
S. Thurgood, b Bardwell	1
H. Warwick, c Deville, b Ginn	3
E. King, not out	2
Extras	7
Total	27

C.U.A.C. v. R.B.W.I.

Played at Amwell on Saturday. Phipps did well for the home team, scoring 27 and taking four wickets for 10 runs. Clibbon also bowled well, taking five for 18. Scores:—

C.U.A.C.

A. Graham, b Davies	1
W. Clibbon, lbw, b Tucker	8
F. Phipps, b Tucker	27
C. A. Marquis, c Clumbly, b Tucker	15
E. Silbrook, b Davies	3
W. Purdum, lbw, b Davies	11
C. Joffeys, b Davies	1
C. Oliver, c Albery, b Thompson	0
W. Fisher, not out	0
W. Steele, b Thompson	0
Extras	13
Total	70

R.B.W.I.

Slater, not out	15
Langdon, b Clibbon	0
Almond, b Clibbon	0
Clumbly, b Clibbon	0
Attwood, c Graham, b Clibbon	0
Tucker, lbw, b Clibbon	4
Albery, b Phipps	0
Davies, lbw, b Phipps	9
Sockhon, b Graham	0
Gregory, c Purdum, b Phipps	0
Thompson, b Phipps	7
Extras	0
Total	35

STANSTEAD ABBOTTS v. HARRIS BROS'. XI.

Played at Stanstead Abbots on Saturday. Scores:—

STANSTEAD ABBOTTS.	
M. A. Pearce, b White	0
H. H. Johnson, c Hunt, b Hunt	16
G. J. Pearce, c Carter, b Hunt	8
W. J. Watson, b Robertson	10
F. D. Brent, not out	19
K. B. Pearce, b White	19
J. Newman, c Hunt, b Hunt	17
A. J. Bowie, not out	7
Extras	22
Total (6 wks. dec.)	105

HARRIS BROS'. XI.

F. Ginger, b Newman	3
C. Glenister, b Gatfield	16
J. Robertson, c M. A. Pearce, b G. J. Pearce	0
A. H. Cooper, b Johnson	3
G. Hunt, b Gatfield	0
J. Watson, b Johnson	0
F. White, b Gatfield	6
D. Hunt, b Johnson	3
A. Carter, b Gatfield	0
A. Ward, not out	2
J. Pearce, b Gatfield	0
Extras	0
Total	45

NAZEING COMMON v. GILWELL BURY.

Played at Sewardstone on Saturday and won by the home team by 82 runs. Scores:—

NAZEING COMMON.	
B. Hollow, b Paul	10
E. Reynolds, b Paul	7
W. Hollow, b Paul	9
Colonel R. H. Andrew, b Kent	0
T. Mansfield, b Kent	1
N. Graham, b Paul	1
R. Mansfield, b Paul	0
R. Porter, c & b Kent	20
D. Graham, b Kent	0
F. Webb, b Kent	5
J. Traveller, not out	17
Extras	7
Total	92

GILWELL BURY.

E. R. Hott, b Webb	28
T. R. Miller, b Webb	3
F. W. Holmes, lbw b Webb	7
P. R. Paul, b Traveller	72
F. W. Kent, b W. Hollow	16
E. Morton, b D. Graham	4
A. Miller, not out	35
J. F. Workman, b N. Graham	1
E. H. Wales, b Webb	2
P. Westcott, b Webb	0
F. Barrrip, b Webb	0
Extras	6
Total	174

WELWYN GARDEN CITY II v. NORTHAMPTON POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE II.

Played on Saturday at Digs Well Park. The home side won by a narrow margin of 6 runs. Major made a very good catch to dismiss Coleman, who was scoring very quickly, and at this point the game turned in the Garden City's favour. Scores:—

WELWYN GARDEN CITY II.

Button, at Golton, b Webb	22
Hutchins, b Watson	0
Donald, b Webb	0
Major, b Webb	19
Beaumont, c Golton, b Dean	15
Cornell, b Webb	2
Fisher, b Wilson	15
Wick, not out	17
Young, c Jerrone, b Wilson	1
White, c Wilson, b Hall	0
Watts, b Hall	0
Extras	0
Total	113

NORTHAMPTON POLYTECHNIC II.

Hall, run out	12
Brown, b Fisher	9
Jerrone, b Major	12
Webb, c Button, b Fisher	0
Smith, c Beaumont, b Fisher	15
Denn, at Cornell, b Fisher	1
Wicks, c & b Button	6
Coleman, c Major, b Fisher	16
Wilson, not out	5
Jinell, b Fisher	2
Golton, run out	26
Extras	3
Total	107

HORNS ANTELLO v. HATFIELD HYDE.

Played on the Horns Antello ground on Saturday, when the visitors won by 30 runs. Scores:—

HATFIELD HYDE.

J. Ward, b Morris	6
F. Wren, c Pratt, b Calway	3
F. Holman, b Morris	18
W. Cook, b Calway	10
H. Henher, b Morris	2
N. Stubbs, lbw b Morris	9
W. Bracey, b Calway	5
C. Ivory, b Morris	2
F. A. Holman, b Calway	0
C. V. Ivory, not out	2
B. Hulke, run out	0
Extras	3
Total	50

HORNS ANTELLO.

E. Smith, c Ward, b Bracey	0
F. Gazeley, c Stubbs, b Bracey	3
F. Crane, b Bracey	0
A. Pratt, b Bracey	0
B. Darby, b Cook	4
W. Calway, b Cook	7
I. Morris, b Bracey	1
H. Goodland, run out	0
T. Laurence, b Cook	2
F. Laurence, c Ivory, b Bracey	2
J. Reason, not out	0
Extras	3
Total	20

ESSENDON v. DATCHWORTH.

Played at Essendon on Saturday, resulting in a win for the home team by 34 runs. Tea was kindly provided by Miss Dnr. Dale. Scores:—

DATCHWORTH.

D. Hurren, c W. Francis, b F. Bamford	0
W. Nash, b C. Francis	3
J. Hale, b F. Bamford	3
Stakes, b C. Francis	5
N. Skeggs, b C. Francis	4
H. Gutteridge, b C. Francis	0
H. Taylor, c C. Francis, b F. Bamford	2
F. Nash, b F. Bamford	3
H. Skeggs, b F. Bamford	0
J. Horner, lbw, b Francis	11
P. Nash, not out	3
Extras	7
Total	30

ESSENDON.

W. Gladwell, b F. Nash	2
B. Stevens, b H. Skeggs	0
A. Aldridge, lbw, b H. Skeggs	4
A. Pluck, b H. Skeggs	4
C. Francis, b F. Nash	14
F. Bamford, b F. Nash	10
E. Ballitt, b F. Nash	0
E. Brownell, run out	4
G. Backham, c Stakes, b H. Skeggs	0
W. Francis, not out	1
L. Girdlestone, c F. Nash, b H. Gutteridge	6
Extras	15
Total	63

POTTERS BAR v. SOUTHGATE COUNTY SCHOOL OLD BOYS.

Played at Northw. Place on Saturday. Potters Bar won the toss and batted first. A good start was made and the total reached 117 runs before the side was all out. Southgate Old Boys were easily dismissed for 33 runs, but in their second knock they hit up 114 for seven. V. Parker playing well for his 51. In the first innings Harvey took four wickets for 16, and V. Walby took six wickets for 13 runs. Scores:—

POTTERS BAR.

G. H. Fraser, c Borcham, b Frampton	10
E. Hickson, b Brisbane	7
C. F. Drane, at Stubbs, b Smith	15
S. Dubrey, c Rush, b Frampton	0
P. Thoms, c Frampton, b Hill	13
H. C. Frost, b Frampton	35
F. Shiers, c Stubbs, b Hill	5
V. Walby, c Hill, b Smith	5
R. Burgoyne, c Parker, b Pink	13
C. Barker, b L. Box	0
F. Harvey, not out	0
R. George, at Stubbs, b Smith	1
Extras	12
Total	117

SOUTHGATE COUNTY SCHOOL OLD BOYS.

H. G. Borcham, b Harvey	0
S. J. Van Raalte, b Walby	1
F. R. Stubbs, b Harvey	7
P. Rush, c Hickson, b Harvey	18
V. Parker, lbw, b Walby	0
H. Frampton, b Walby	1
M. Brisbane, b Harvey	1
E. Smith, b Walby	0
A. Stubbs, b Walby	0
E. Hill, b Walby	0
C. Pink, not out	0
Extras	5
Total	33

HATFIELD II v. ST. MICHAELS (WOOD GREEN).

An exciting finish was seen when Hatfield won the first home match of the season on Saturday by one run. Good bowling was witnessed on both sides. Scores:—

HATFIELD II.

C. Torr, b Cullen	9
W. Sands, b Mashford	0
R. Lay, c Osborn, b Mashford	0
P. Goodrich, c Bates, b Cullen	4
W. Stevens, b Cullen	9
C. Osborn, b Tabbit	0
F. Elliott, c Cullen, b Tabbit	5
H. Shepherd, b Mashford	10
C. Roberts, b Mashford	2
W. Walby, not out	0
J. Marsh, b Mashford	3
Extras	1
Total	14

ST. MICHAELS, WOOD GREEN.

Tabbit, c Roberts, b Osborn	0
Munn, b Shepherd	0
Heap, b Shepherd	9
Ashbury, c J. Marsh, b Osborn	0
Mashford, run out	11
Cullen, c Torr, b Osborn	3
Bran, c Lay, b Osborn	6
Stoney, b Shepherd	3
Bates, c Elliott, b Osborn	5
Stene, c Elliott, b Shepherd	5
Percy, not out	0
Extras	0
Total	50

BROXBOURNE v. HERTS C.C.C.

Played at Broxbourne on Thursday last, when the Herts C.C.C. won by 81 runs. Scores:—

BROXBOURNE.

J. S. Speed, b Smyth	13
G. B. Collett, c Paul, b Marsh	1
C. A. Nendick, c Mole, b Smyth	22
H. H. Jarrett, b Paul	13
H. W. Cole, b Paul	1
J. F. Prior, c Mole, b Hott	13
A. L. Stephens, b Paul	6
A. H. Jeffcoats, lbw, b Marsh	30
H. L. Sharpe, b Whitcombe	1
H. Woodbridge, c Hott, b Whitcombe	8
W. Scotton, not out	21
Extras	10
Total	130

HERTS C.C.C.

G. D. Hodgson, c & b Nendick	75
P. S. Stoyle, b Woodbridge	23
V. Hoare, b Nendick	38
G. R. Walker, c Nendick, b Scotton	4
G. R. Whitcombe, c Woodbridge, b Jarrett	26
P. R. Paul, lbw, b Nendick	20
E. H. Hott, c Sub, b Jarrett	6
S. B. Mole, b Jarrett	1
W. R. T. Hocking, b Nendick	1
W. H. Marsh, not out	4
Extras	22
Total	220

T. E. Smyth did not bat.

EAST FINCHLEY v. POTTERS BAR THURSDAY.

Played at East Finchley on Thursday last. This proved a very enjoyable fixture. By strange coincidence for the last eight matches the coin has been spun and "heads" called, but "tails" have turned up and this occasion the same thing happened. The home team won the toss, and batted first. A disastrous beginning, four wickets being down for 8 runs, but a stand was made, and the total reached 80 for the last wicket. For Potters Bar, Barker took six wickets for 43 runs, and Brock five for 40. Potters Bar opened even more badly than their opponents, losing the first two wickets cheaply, but fortunately they recovered, and ran out winners by 20 runs. Scores:—

EAST FINCHLEY.

L. Gouge, c & b Brock	1
P. Elnough, c Barker, b Brock	1
S. Deacon, b Barker	3
R. Drew, b Brock	2
J. Horne, b Barker	13
A. Stouak, b Barker	20
W. Box, b Barker	6
H. Tuffrey, c Hillsby, b Barker	12
A. Stoball, b Brock	2
J. Hack, b Barker	5
A. Gardener, not out	18
L. Box, b Brock	8
Extras	5
Total	80

POTTERS BAR.

R. Burgoyne, b Hack	0
S. A. Carr, b Drew	0
F. Stevens, c L. Box, b Monk	10
E. H. Brock, b L. Box	22
E. Hillsby, b Hack	21
E. Cryer, c Gardener, b Horne	5
C. Nicholls, c Tuffrey, b Drew	24
C. Barker, b L. Box	2
H. J. Staines, run out	0
G. Westoby, c Deacon, b Hack	1
E. Hurley, b Drew	8
H. Chant, not out	11
Extras	2
Total	118

BISHOP'S STORTFORD v. SAFFRON WALDEN

Played at Saffron Walden on Saturday. Scores:—

BISHOP'S STORTFORD.

H. E. B. Sheaves, b Adams	7
C. E. Fordham, b Overall	97
R. Briscoe, lbw, b Adams	0
J. C. Winter, c Kingsley, b Hare	104
C. H. Edwards, not out	29
H. S. Wigfield, not out	3
Extras	14

L. Reeve, G. M. Boxall, A. B. Searle, F. C. Comley and A. T. Q. Bluett did not bat.

SAFFRON WALDEN.

M. Day, b Edwards	0
C. Westwood, b Bluett	0
T. P. Jeffrey, b Edwards	11
N. Hare, b Bluett	2
D. B. Hare, b Bluett	3
A. E. Adams, c Wigfield, b Edwards	2
S. Skingsley, b Edwards, b Edwards	1
S. Rushmery, not out	3
A. W. Overall, b Edwards	2
Extras	0
Total	8

E. J. Hurry did not bat.

HODDESDON GAS v. STANSTEAD ABBOTTS II.

Played at Hoddesdon on Saturday, resulting in a win for Stanstead. Scores:—

HODDESDON.

Culpeck, b E. Francis	0
Clarke, b A. Francis	0
Wells, b A. Francis	5
Cannon, c Anderson, b A. Francis	1
Horne, b E. Francis	5
Robinson, c Vickers, b A. Francis	0
Goodwin, c Dymoke, b A. Francis	4
Stevens, b E. Francis	3
Chipperfield, c Dymoke, b E. Francis	0
Sutherby, b E. Francis	6
Young, not out	7
Extras	4
Total	44

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J. Summers-Gill, lbw, b Cannon	20
T. Best, c Young, b Wells	1
W. Fitch, c Sutherland, b Chipperfield	4
H. Hitch, b Cannon	4
P. Anderson, c Culpeck, b Chipperfield	3
B. Anderson, c Wells, b Clark	16
A. Francis, c Sutherland, b Clark	6
E. Francis, c Cannon, b Clark	0
A. Dymoke, b Clark	4
A. Dymoke, b Clark	4
F. Vickers, not out	13
W. Perry, b Clark	5
Extras	6
Total	81

WESTON v. LETCHWORTH TABULATORS.

This match was played on Tuesday evening last week at Letchworth, and ended in a fine win for the visitors. Weston opened the innings with B. Tomlin and F. Hales, who were both in fine form. Tomlin being lbw when he had made 65. G. Hales then joined his brother, and they took the score to 102 before declaring. E. Hales then being 101 not out. The Tabulators were not so successful, only two reaching double figures and were all dismissed for 30. F. Hales took four wickets in five balls, including the hat-trick.

WESTON.	
B. Tomlin, lbw, b Thacker	65
F. Hales, not out	101
G. Hales, not out	16
Extras	10
Total (for 1 wkt.)	192

LETCWORTH TABULATORS.	
S. Chapman, b F. Hales	25
T. Wright, b Field	0
J. Cains, b Field	0
E. Sanderson, b Field	0
C. Thacker, c Tomlin, b Cox	10
G. Farr, c Field, b F. Hales	1
F. Sargent, b F. Hales	0
H. Ludgen, b F. Hales	0
S. Coater, b F. Hales	0
J. Barnes, b F. Hales	0
J. Gourley, not out	3
Extras	3
Total	39

KINGS WALDEN v. UNITY.

Played on Saturday. Scores:—

UNITY.	
Johnson, run out	6
Sandford, not out	18
Jennings, c Tomkins, b Whitmore	10
Wynn, c Angel, b Whitmore	9
A. Stubbs, b Vesey	5
Newton, run out	6
C. Stubbs, c Hartley, b Vesey	0
Howell, b Vesey	0
Hanks, b Tomkins	4
Phoenix, c Tomkins, b Vesey	2
Clark, run out	2
Extras	20
Total	82

KINGS WALDEN.

Whitmore, c C. Stubbs, b Wynn	9
Harris, b Wynn	3
Rolph, b Johnson	12
G. Tomkins, c A. Stubbs, b Wynn	2
Hartless, b Wynn	1
Woodhams, c Johnson, b Sandford	10
Ainsee, c Sandford, b Wynn	18
Vesey, c Phoenix, b Wynn	2
H. Tomkins, b Phoenix, b Wynn	3
Angel, not out	1
Biggs, b Sandford	0
Extras	6
Total	66

HERTFORD G.P.O. v. HERTFORD Y.M.C.A.

Played at Hertingfordbury Park on Thursday evening last, an enjoyable game ending in a win for the Y.M.C.A. by 11 runs. Scores:—

Y.M.C.A.	
G. Huxter, b Mansell	6
L. Brown, b Pullen	7
J. Bulley, b Pullen	2
E. Dye, b Mansell	0
F. Sadler, b Pullen	0
O. Witticks, c James, b Pullen	2
F. Chapman, c Hart, b Pullen	10
G. Coleman, c & b Pullen	9
J. Langer, b Pullen	0
C. Standley, b Pullen	1
G. Brown, not out	0
Extras	7
Total	44

HERTFORD G.P.O.

V. Beaumont, c Huxter, b L. Brown	1
A. Rendall, c & b Bulley	3
H. Pullen, c & b Bulley	3
J. Burroughs, b Dye	6
G. Mansell, c Dye, b Bulley	3
J. James, c Sadler, b L. Brown	2
E. Salmon, b Dye	3
W. Whitaker, c Witticks, b Bulley	5
C. Hart, c Coleman, b Dye	0
R. Miles, c & b Dye	0
A. Salmon, not out	3
Extras	6
Total	38

HODDSDON v. RANELAGH.

Played at Lowfield on Saturday, resulting in a narrow win for the visitors. Crab batted well for Ranelagh and his 76 included two sixes and ten fours. For Hoddson Donleavy was in fine form, taking five wickets for 42 runs and following up with a useful 24.

RANELAGH.	
A. H. May, lbw, b Donleavy	1
A. Hand, b Lovett	22
C. P. Sharpe, b Donleavy	0
C. Crab, c Douglas, b Donleavy	76
P. Brangwyn, b Donleavy	13
H. Pease, c & b Muncer	6
C. Lay, b Muncer	1
Petty, b Donleavy	2
R. Burn, not out	15
Cock, b Lovett	3
Porter, c Housden, b Lovett	11
Extras	4
Total	154

HODDSDON.

W. Housden, c Pease, b Crab	2
W. Douglas, c Pease, b Lay	52
H. Warren, run out	0
R. Muncer, lbw, b Crab	10
D. Donleavy, b Lay	24
H. Haynes, c Petty, b Crab	1
A. Lovett, b Lay	6
A. Sans, c Brangwyn, b Porter	7
G. R. Edwards, not out	1
J. Davies, b Porter	2
A. Warren, hit wkt, b Burn	6
Extras	6
Total	123

SAWBRIDGEWORTH II v. BROXBORNE II.

Played at Sawbridgeworth on Saturday. Scores:—

SAWBRIDGEWORTH II.	
S. Clarke, b Scotton	7
C. Boswell, b Woodbridge	4
W. St-phenon, c Woodbridge, b Gosling	41
L. Greengrass, c Colgate, b Scotton	22
W. Perry, b Scotton	1
S. Fish, lbw, b Scotton	18
A. Clements, b Woodbridge	29
A. G. Bean, b Scotton	0
G. Deards, not out	12
R. Fitch, c Colgate, b Woodbridge	2
S. Levy, b Woodbridge	0
Extras	19
Total	140

BROXBORNE II.

W. Scotton, b Clarke	4
Gosling, c Fish, b Clarke	25
H. Green, c Bean, b Boswell	0
W. H. Woodbridge, c & b Clarke	7
J. Foster, b Gosling	5
G. Radley, c Boswell, b Clarke	2
Shepherd, b Clarke	7
S. Colgate, b Boswell	5
G. Groves, b Boswell	1
A. Levy, not out	3
Extras	7
Total	66

SIMSON'S XI (HERTFORD) v. W.B.T.S.

Played at Goldings on Wednesday last week. A very exciting game was seen, the home side winning by the narrow margin of 4 runs. Scores:—

W.B.T.S.	
F. Tempest, c Brient, b Gatfield	2
J. Ward, c Brient, b Gatfield	0
G. Penny, run out	6
C. Coe, c Hall, b Spencer	5
J. Maslin, c & b Dye	21
F. Wells, c Gatfield, b Dye	7
F. Heath, c Spencer, b Dye	1
G. Ashurst, b Brient	10
M. Bowers, lbw, b Brient	2
J. Green, not out	0
A. Hardy, c Hall, b Brient	0
Extras	9
Total	63

SIMSON'S XI (HERTFORD).

Spencer, lbw, b Wells	2
Wallace, c Ward, b Wells	6
Hall, c Ashurst, b Coe	4
Gatfield, b Green	5
Whiting, run out	10
Brient, c Tempest, b Green	14
Scott, b Wells	1
Stockwell, c Green, b Wells	1
Blakes, b Coe	0
Dye, c Heath, b Coe	0
Crane, not out	0
Extras	3
Total	59

WELWYN v. KING'S WALDEN.

King's Walden gained an easy victory over Welwyn on Saturday, who collapsed before the bowling of Bottoms. The Rev. J. S. Shackleton batted well for King's Walden, as also did the two Pa...s. Scores:—

KING'S WALDEN.	
J. Parkyn, c & b Miller	33
H. Shaw, lbw, b Miller	19
Joe Parkyn, lbw, b Burrough	37
Rev. J. S. Shackleton, c Allison, b Merritt	17
A. Bottoms, b Burrough, not out	50
C. Cunper, b Burrough	2
W. Halley, b Burrough	4
Extras	21
Total (7 wkts. dec.)	187

A. Rolph, H. Whitmore, and J. Harley did not bat.

WELWYN.

F. Merritt, b Shaw	0
F. Burrough, b Bottoms	1
A. Miller, b Knight	9
J. Hilliard, lbw, b Bottoms	7
M. B. U. Dewar, b Bottoms	1
L. Hassard, b Bottoms	0
P. Allison, run out	8
T. Hill, c Bottoms, b Harley	10
D. Swann, c Cunper, b Knight	4
T. Halliwell, hit wkt., b Knight	12
P. Burrough, not out	7
Extras	11
Total	67

STEVENAGE CONSERVATIVE v. STEVENAGE BUNYAN.

Played at Stevenage on Wednesday last week. Scores:—

STEVENAGE BUNYAN.	
B. Nye, b Smeaton	8
F. Hopwood, b Smeaton	13
P. Young, lbw, b Hunt	3
F. Game, not out	13
C. Bentley, b Smeaton	5
S. Smith, run out	0
C. Leggett, c Austin, b Smeaton	0
S. Barker, c Presland, b Wood	1
L. Green, b Smeaton	0
A. Barker, run out	0
A. Ansell, run out	1
Extras	7
Total	51

STEVENAGE CONSERVATIVE.

Presland, b Leggett	0
Smeaton, lbw, b A. Barker	0
Woods, c Green, b Leggett	4
Hunt, b A. Barker	3
Austin, b A. Barker	0
North, b Leggett	0
Ellis, b Leggett	1
Rumball, b Leggett	0
Matthews, not out	2
Meat, c Bentley, b Leggett	0
Frost, c Smith, b A. Barker	3
Extras	2
Total	15

SHEPHALL v. STEVENAGE BUNYAN.

Played at Shephall on Saturday, when Bunyan won by 24 runs. Scores:—

STEVENAGE BUNYAN.	
C. Denson, b W. Cox	3
R. Witterling, b Brown	3
F. Game, c Spicer, b Morris	9
F. Hopwood, lbw, b W. Cox	1
C. Leggett, c Spicer, b F. Cox	2
F. Staff, b Morris	5
G. Nye, b Morris	6
W. Clarke, not out	11
S. Barker, b Gray	4
L. Green, b Gray	2
E. Kemp, b Cox	1
Extras	6
Total	53

SHEPHALL.

B. Spicer, b Leggett	2
F. Cox, b Game	3
B. Race, b Leggett	0
A. Brown, b Game	0
W. Cox, b Game	3
E. Bygrave, b Game	1
R. Wilnot, b Leggett	3
R. Fletcher, c Green, b Denson	3
S. Saagster, b Denson	6
R. Gray, not out	7
F. Morris, c Kemp, b Leggett	1
Extras	3
Total	29

NORTHAMPTON POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE v. WELWYN GARDEN CITY.

The Welwyn Garden City 1st XI were entertained by Northampton Polytechnic on Saturday, the game resulting in a draw after the home side had scored 252 for two wickets (declared). The Citizens started very badly, losing Field, Farthing, and Powell for 19 runs. Yull and Crump then put on 33 before the latter was dismissed, and after three more wickets had fallen cheaply, North joined Yull in a stand which put on 40 runs without loss, the Citizens final total being 111 for seven wickets. Scores:—

NORTHAMPTON POLYTECHNIC.	
Blkington, c & b Field	4
Hunt, c & b Field	5
Podella, not out	120
Best, not out	100
Extras	23
Total (for 2 wkts. dec.)	252

Halley, Golton, Bishop, Reid, Rance, Birch, and Heagerty did not bat.

WELWYN GARDEN CITY.

Field, lbw, b Golton	10
Farthing, b Golton	0
Powell, b Golton	9
Crump, c Rance, b Bishop	20
Yull, not out	28
Buchanan, b Best	0
Bisher, lbw, b Best	0
O'Connor, b Golton	7
North, not out	24
Extras	18
Total (for 7 wkts.)	111

ROSEDALE v. ACORN CLUB.
 Played at Golders Green on Saturday and resulted in a win for the home team. Scores:—

ACORN CLUB.	
C. Dean, b Jagers	52
R. Creasy, c E. Chastell, b Adams	50
T. Honnor, b Adams	19
T. Brown, c E. Chastell, b Adams	1
W. Thompson, b Dunn	4
F. Coe, b Adams	0
E. Verney, run out	8
R. Bakfield, not out	8
A. Dale, c E. Chastell, b Adams	5
T. Boxall, c E. Chastell, b Adams	6
W. Smith, c E. Chastell, b Adams	8
Extras	8
Total	161

ROSEDALE.	
T. Chastell, c Boxall, b Verney	9
W. Jagers, c Boxall, b Verney	40
G. Parker, c d b Verney	0
E. Eraser, c Brown, b Dean	0
C. Adams, b Coe	18
H. Chastell, c Dale, b Coe	0
E. Chastell, c Dean, b Verney	1
M. Dunn, c Smith, b Coe	0
H. Bye, c Dean, b Verney	2
T. Horlock, b Verney	10
F. Goodwin, not out	0
Extras	8
Total	88

ROSEDALE II v. ALBION.
 Played at Rosedale on Saturday and resulted in an easy win for the visitors. Scores:—

ALBION.	
P. Lister, c Chastell, b Jagers	0
F. Fenkes, b Jagers	0
G. Rule, b Bidwell	25
A. Knight, not out	65
B. Bentley, b W. b Bidwell	2
J. Rogers, b C. Eldred	0
E. Nelli, c Jagers, b Bidwell	2
H. Drew, b C. Eldred	4
L. Mead, b W. b C. Eldred	0
A. Johnson, not out	12
Extras	11
Total (8 wkts. dec.)	121

ROSEDALE II.	
H. Jagers, b W. b Whittle	12
A. Chastell, b Whittle	0
W. Bidwell, c Bentley, b Whittle	4
C. Eldred, b Lister	5
C. Howard, b Lister	0
A. Wheeler, c Drew, b Whittle	8
P. Bagnore, c d b Whittle	0
W. Andrews, c Bentley, b Whittle	12
F. Eldred, c Lister, b Whittle	7
P. Garlow, c Knight, b Whittle	1
J. Hanley, not out	2
Extras	4
Total	55

BENINGTON v. ARDELEY.
 Played at Benington on Saturday. Scores:—

BENINGTON.	
B. Jones, c Wittingham, b Cannon	10
J. Collis, b Boorman	3
G. Hamilton, run out	8
P. Collins, b Boorman	2
V. Camp, c Boorman, b Wittingham	34
E. Collis, b Wittingham	0
A. Punyan, b Boorman	6
P. Draper, b Dawson	4
F. Cannon, b Wittingham	11
F. White, not out	14
J. Watts, c Collis, b Dawson	1
Extras	10
Total	112

ARDELEY.	
A. W. Wittingham, b Hamilton	7
L. Dawson, b Camp	2
J. Cannon, c Collis, b Hamilton	2
F. Dawson, b Hamilton	39
V. Boulton, c Collis, b Hamilton	8
W. Mills, b Camp	6
W. Woods, c Bunyan, b Hamilton	14
C. Dawson, c Collis, b Hamilton	1
W. Poulter, b Collis	7
A. Boorman, not out	0
Extras	15
Total	93

F. Woods did not bat.

NOTABLE PERFORMANCES.

BATTING.		Runs
S. Knights	Sacombe Park	107*
J. C. Winter	Bishop's Stortford	104
F. Hale	Weston	101*
W. C. Hunt	Hertford	99
C. B. Fordham	Bishop's Stortford	97
J. Austin	Stevenage	96
S. F. Brown	Hertford	94
T. P. Lawrence	Herts	80
G. D. Hodgson	Herts C.C.C.	75
A. Grimsdell	Herts	73
P. R. Paul	Gilwell Bury	72
F. Clarkson	Stevenage	69
A. Knight	Albion C.C.	65*
B. Tonlin	Weston	65
L. J. Watson	Stevenage	58
G. J. Pearce	Hertford	57
G. M. Lines	Harpden	57*
S. F. Brown	Hertford	56*
C. Etheridge	Barnet	56
R. Hawkey	Sir W. Lawrence's XI.	55
N. G. Chalmers-Hunt	Hertford	55
W. V. Knight	B. Stortford College	53
J. G. Bland	Herts	53
A. Hornett	Hertfordbury	52*
W. V. Knight	B. Stortford College	51
L. Brazier	Hoddesdon	51
E. P. Upton	Cheshunt	49
M. Tooley	Harpden	45*
F. C. Payne	W.B.T.E.	44
W. R. Box	Barnet	44
P. Burgess	Burnham Green	44
T. Hemmings	Allenburys	43
L. O. King	Stevenage II	43*
H. Lamb	Easney	42
G. N. Scott Chad	Sir W. Lawrence's XI.	42
C. Bray	Hoddesdon	41
W. Jagers	Rosedale	40
W. Webster	Ponsbourne Park	39
F. Dawson	Arleley	39
Q. V. Hoare	Herts C.C.C.	38
A. King	Stevenage	38
H. J. B. Scale	B. Stortford College	37
C. Wootton	Cheshunt II	37
C. Link	Cheshunt	36
T. Newman	Roydon	36
A. Miller	Gilwell Bury	36*
G. C. Frost	Potters Bar	35
V. Camp	Benington	34
G. M. Crossman	Herts	33
J. Nicholson	Barnet	32
J. May	Ponsbourne Park	32
A. H. Jeffcoat	Broxbourne	30
C. L. Norris	"	30
E. Beecham	Bengeo	30
A. Cordell	Nazeling Common II	30
A. Woolston	Sacombe Park	30

* Denotes not out.

BOWLING.

		Wkts.	Runs
G. Hale	High Cross	9 for 9	0
A. Salmon	Allenburys	8 "	5
H. Pullen	Hertford P.O.	8 "	18
R. Childs	Bengeo II	7 "	10
C. Adams	Rosedale	7 "	48
F. Hales	Weston	6 "	3
W. Bracey	Hatfield Hyde	6 "	3
N. Edwards	Much Hadham	6 "	4
H. Hunt	Bengeo	6 "	6
C. Leggett	Stevenage Bunyan	6 "	7
H. M. Pamphilon	Hertford G.S. Colts	6 "	8
G. Alderman	Potters Bar II	6 "	8
L. King	Stevenage Wed.	6 "	10
C. H. Edwards	Bishop's Stortford	6 "	11
J. V. Walby	Potters Bar	6 "	13
G. L. Hickling	Roydon	6 "	18
A. Woolston	Sacombe Park	6 "	21
G. Hamilton	Benington	6 "	32
C. Barker	Potters Bar	6 "	43
F. Welsh	Nazeling Common	6 "	43
G. Chalkey	Sacombe Park	5 "	2
A. Lawman	Ponsbourne Park	5 "	5
W. Bardwell	Braughing	5 "	5
F. Spratt	Hertfordbury	5 "	6
A. Gatfield	Stanstead Abbots	5 "	10
H. Cuts	Hertfordbury	5 "	11
B. Gatwood	Kimpton	5 "	12*
C. Francis	Essendon	5 "	15
R. Clark	Hoddesdon Gas	5 "	15
W. Ginn	Braughing	5 "	15
W. Chilbon	C.U.A.C.	5 "	16
B. Butterfield	Kimpton II	5 "	17
F. Bamford	Essendon	5 "	17
J. Norris	Horns Antello	5 "	22
B. Crawley	Burnham Green	5 "	23
W. Webster	Ponsbourne Park	5 "	25
C. Osborne	Hatfield	5 "	25
C. Burnage	Watton II	5 "	37
E. N. Brock	Potters B. Thura	5 "	40
D. Donleavy	Hoddesdon	5 "	42
E. Dye	Y.M.C.A.	4 "	2
A. Barker	Stevenage Bunyan	4 "	6
J. Bulley	Y.M.C.A.	4 "	7
P. Burgess	Burnham Green	4 "	8
S. Pearman	Roydon	4 "	8
R. Hale	Kimpton	4 "	10
F. Phipps	C.U.A.C.	4 "	10
C. Leggett	Stevenage Bunyan	4 "	11
F. Game	"	4 "	12
F. Harvey	Potters Bar	4 "	16
H. Shepherd	Hatfield II	4 "	26

MINOR COUNTIES MATCH.

HERTS BEAT Lincs AT STEVENAGE

There was an exciting finish in the Minor Counties match between Herts and Lincs, which on Monday and Tuesday opened the Stevenage Cricket week.

Herts had made a total of 325—not a large nor a safe one for the Stevenage ground—and Lincs, with a lunch-time score on Tuesday of over 200 for two wickets, looked like pulling off the game. After lunch, however, there was a sensational collapse when the fine partnership of J. C. Walter and H. W. Dods, who had been batting together since just before the time limit the previous evening, was broken by Fordham, who bowled Walter. This was a calamity for Lincs, for during the morning Walter and Dods had been racing each other to the century mark, the latter reaching his 100 with Walters at 95. At lunch time Dods' score stood at 107, and Walters at 97. The first ball after lunch sent Walters' bails flying, and a great partnership which had produced 196 runs came to an end. The score was then 234 for 3. The batsman who followed Walter made no addition to the score, and it was not long before Dods, at 108, was stumped by Grimsdell off Shelford with the score at 237. Drakes took his place but went back to the pavilion with only three runs added, and four of the Lincs' wickets had fallen since lunch for the addition of only 8 runs. Another factor which decided the issue in favour of Herts was the dismissal of Mack, who was stumped by a brilliant throw-in by Stan Brown, the Hitchin lad, which sent the stumps flying. It was at the same time unfortunate that Campbell, Mack's partner, called a run when it was obviously too late, and Mack left with the score at 265 for 8. Worman later got well set but could get no one to stay with him for any length of time. Chatterton was bowled with the score at 302 for 9, and Major Wilson, the Lincs' captain, who followed him, failed to add to the score, and Herts were victors by 23 runs.

The Lincs' collapse was mainly due to some clever bowling by Shelford, who continually had the Lincs' batsmen guessing. He took 3 for 42 and Fordham 3 for 55. The Herts' wickets fell to Worman (5 for 109) and Drakes (3 for 100).

Herts batted a second time shortly before the tea interval, and again afterwards until six o'clock, putting up a score of 112 for 5. Scores:—

HERTS.

First Innings.

C. B. Fordham, c and b Worman	18
T. P. Laurence, c Campbell, b Worman	80
J. G. Bland, b Worman	53
G. M. Crossman, b Drakes	33
G. D. Hodgson, c Campbell, b Wilson	1
Lord Hyde, c Loeffler, b Drakes	10
A. Grimsdell, hit wkt, b Worman	73
S. Brown, c Stamp, b Mack	14
G. R. Whitecombe, b Drakes	1
F. Burton, b Worman	20
W. Shelford, not out	2
Extras	20
	325

Second Innings.

C. B. Fordham, b Wilson	19
T. P. Laurence, c and b Dods	32
J. G. Bland, b Wilson	7
G. M. Crossman, b Wilson	6
G. D. Hodgson, b Wilson	10
Lord Hyde, not out	21
A. Grimsdell, not out	23

(for 5 wickets) 112

S. Brown, G. R. Whitecombe, F. Burton and W. Shelford did not bat.

Lincs

H. E. Stamp, b Brown	14
P. E. Loeffler, b Fordham	5
H. W. Dods, st Grimsdell, b Shelford	108
J. C. Walter, b Fordham	97
Rev. R. L. Goward Wright, c Hyde, b Fordham	6
T. E. Drakes, b Shelford	3
Rev. W. H. Mack, run out	11
C. R. Campbell, c Grimsdell, b Shelford	9
Chatterton, b Burton	17
P. I. Worman, not out	23
C. W. Wilson, c Hyde, b Burton	6
Extras	12

LETCHWORTH v. ARRINGTON.

Played at Wimpole Park on Saturday. Letchworth, batting first, put on 140, and the home eleven opened spiritedly against this total. Smith (who took 6 wickets for 20 runs in 16 overs), and Phipps (3 for 45) dismissed the succeeding batsmen cheaply, and Letchworth won comfortably. Scores:—

LETCHWORTH.	
A. A. Stark, b Witherow	32
G. Kay, c Garner, b Thomas	15
L. E. Garling, c Thomas, b Wakefield	16
J. Smith, c Wakefield, b Bullen	5
F. S. Tofteld, run out	21
W. C. Dean, run out	10
J. Cox, not out	25
C. E. Phipps, c Moss, b Wakefield	6
A. Coaten, b Thomas	0
W. Ludwick, c Witherow, b Wakefield	2
L. Tannor, b Wakefield	0
Extras	8
140	

ARRINGTON.

J. Bullen, c Phipps, b Smith	1
A. Mayo, c Stark, b Phipps	16
A. Garner, b Coaten	21
W. Bullen, c Garling, b Smith	49
B. Thomas, c Coaten, b Phipps	5
G. Moss, not out	5
J. Skinner, c Smith, b Phipps	0
T. Wakefield, c Coaten, b Smith	2
A. Witherow, b Smith	0
G. Smith, b Smith	0
E. Charter, b Smith	0
Extras	8
107	

LETCHWORTH WEDNESDAY v. GILWELL BURY.

Letchworth Wednesday eleven visited the private ground of Mr. E. H. Wales on Wednesday last week, a very pleasant game ending in a win for the visitors, who batted very consistently and for whom Coaten took 4 wickets for 28 and Smith 4 for 38. Scores:—

LETCHWORTH.	
A. A. Stark, b Hott	20
L. E. Garling, b Paul	14
A. Farara, st Mole, b Marsh	33
S. Hayward, lbw, b Melbert	18
J. Smith, c Hodgson, b Paul	23
G. Kay, b Melbert	1
J. Cox, lbw, b Paul	2
A. Coaten, b Paul	3
P. F. Pateman, lbw, b Paul	24
P. Stacy, c and b Melbert	3
W. P. Westell, not out	9
Extras	8
158	

GILWELL BURY.

V. Hoare, b Stark	40
P. S. Stoyke, b Smith	2
G. O. Hodgson, lbw, b Smith	57
P. R. Paul, b Coaten	1
H. W. Holmes, b Coaten	0
E. K. Hott, b Smith	6
W. H. Marsh, b Coaten	0
T. Melbert, b Coaten	9
W. R. C. Hockin, b Pateman	6
S. P. Mole, b Smith	3
E. H. Wales, not out	0
Extras	12
136	

LETCHWORTH 2nd XI. v. WESTMINSTER RAMBLERS 2nd XI.

At Letchworth Corner on Saturday, the home eleven, for whom Cuthbertson took 7 wickets for 20, won comfortably. Scores:—

Letchworth 2nd XI: A. Cuthbertson, c Hurst, b Burns, 0; J. D. King, c Herrington, b J. Hurst, 41; S. Hayden, c Litnoden, b Hurst, 13; D. Watkins, b Burns, 9; H. Blay, c Litnoden, b Hurst, 0; R. Herrington, st Powell, b Burns, 11; E. G. Gardner, b Burns, 0; W. P. Westell, c Warrell, b Herrington, 1; F. Selway, lbw, b Burns, 1; S. Smith, not out, 15; J. R. Foster, not out, 11; extras, 8; (for 9 wkts, dec.), 113.	
Westminster Ramblers: 77.	

WELWYN v. KING'S WALDEN.

Played at Welwyn on Saturday, King's Walden enjoying an easy victory. The Rev. G. S. Shackelford was playing fine forcing cricket when the visitors declared at 187 for 7 wickets, he having just completed the half century; he hit seven 4's and two 6's. Bottoms, who took four of the Welwyn wickets for 12 runs in 13 overs, made the ball kick; eight

of his first ten overs were maidens, he having taken four wickets for four singles in that period. Knight took 3 for 29. For Welwyn, Burroughs took 4 for 72, and Miller 2 for 52. Scores:—

KING'S WALDEN.

John Parkyn, c and b Millar	33
H. Shaw, lbw, b Millar	19
Joe Parkyn, lbw, b Burroughs	37
H. Knight, c Allison, b Merritt	17
G. S. Shackelford, not out	50
A. Bottoms, b Burroughs	2
C. Cumper, b Burroughs	4
W. Harley, b Burroughs	4
Extras	21
187	

(for 7 wkts, dec.)

WELWYN.

F. Burroughs, b Bottoms	1
F. W. Merritt, b Shaw	0
A. Miller, b Knight	6
J. Hillyard, lbw, b Bottoms	7
M. Dewar, b Bottoms	1
L. Hassard, b Bottoms	9
P. Allison, run out	8
T. Hill, c Bottoms, b J. Harley	19
D. Swana, c Cumper, b Knight	4
T. Hellwell, hit wkt, b Knight	12
P. Burroughs, not out	7
Extras	11
67	

ASHWELL v. BLUE CROSS O.B.

Brilliant form with both bat and ball by Biles, the Ashwell veteran, was responsible for the downfall of the Hitchin Blue Cross Old Boys on Saturday at Ashwell.

Ashwell batted first, and test Pack, Oyston, and Moss cheaply, but Biles, on arrival, began to hit freely. Bryant also batted well until he was beautifully caught by French near the boundary. P. Anderson did well to take 6 wickets for 22. The Old Boys offered feeble resistance to Biles (6 for 2), and Pack (2 for 19). Ballard being the only batsman to reach double figures. Scores:—

Ashwell: L. V. Pack, b French, 5; J. Oyston, b Anderson, 1; W. Moss, b Chapman, 1; S. Bryant, c French, b King, 14; M. Biles, c King, b Geacher, 26; R. Ruske, b Anderson, 8; D. Williamson, b Anderson, 5; W. Anderson, b Anderson, 1; S. Jarman, b Anderson, 9; E. Capon, b Anderson, 0; E. H. Westrope, not out, 0; extras, 7; total, 77.
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Hitchin Blue Cross Old Boys: E. Chapman, c and b Biles, 2; E. K. Norgan, b Biles, 5; G. French, c Bryant, b Biles, 5; P. G. King, b Pack, 0; G. L. Coulson, c Anderson, b Pack, 2; P. Franklin, b Biles, 0; E. W. Ballard, not out, 22; P. Anderson, c Williamson, b Biles, 1; T. Olney, b Biles, 4; E. Geacher, b Bryant, 5; E. Gibson, b Bryant, 0; extras, 3; total 49.

KIMPTON v. ENFIELD STROLLERS.

Both sides failed badly at batting in this game at Kimpton on Saturday and in an exciting finish on the first innings Kimpton won by 2 runs.

Batting first, Kimpton could do nothing against the Strollers' attack, which was backed up by very smart fielding seven batsmen falling to catches. The total reached only 28, Birdseye (6) being top scorer.

After losing 2 for 2 the Strollers reached 17 for 3, but all were out for 26. Three smart slip catches added some good bowling by Gatward (5 for 12) and Hall (4 for 10), who bowled unchanged. The Strollers batted only ten men.

At their second attempt the home team scored more freely and quickly scored 63 for 6, Salmon (18, including a couple of sixes in succession), Hall (15) and Birdseye (17 not out) being the best. The Strollers scored 18 for 4, Hall again bowling well and securing 3 for 4, Gatward taking 1 for 11.

Scores: Kimpton 28 and 63 for 6, Enfield Strollers 26 and 18 for 4.

SANDRIDGE v. KIMPTON SEC. XI.

Visiting Sandridge on Saturday, Kimpton 2nd XI. scored 116 for 32 runs. Sandridge, who batted first, made a disastrous start by losing six wickets for nine runs. Butterfield at this stage having taken five for only one run. Whyman and French took the score to 32, and eighth wicket added forty, the innings for 71.

Of five bowlers tried for Kimpton, Butterfield (5 for 17) was the best. Kimpton made a fair start but lost wickets cheaply afterwards, and with no player

securing double figures the total reached only 29. Males making 9, Gatward 6 and Hall 5.

Scores: Sandridge 71, Kimpton 2nd XI. 39.

WARESLEY AND DISTRICT v. HITCHIN WEDNESDAY.

Played at Waresley Park on Wednesday last week, Hitchin winning by an innings.

Waresley were dismissed for 25, K. Brown taking 5 for 12 and C. Foster 5 for 10. Of Hitchin's total of 60, K. Brown made 26. T. Turner was unlucky to be run out when he had scored eight.

Waresley hit up 35 in their second innings, H. Sewell taking 8 wickets for 13; one batsman was absent and the other was run out.

Scores: Waresley 25 and 35, Hitchin Wednesday 60.

WESTON v. ASHWELL.

Played at Weston on Saturday, and ending in a win for the home team.

Ashwell were dismissed for 29 runs. This total was soon passed by Weston, who hit up a total of 75. For Weston, G. Ginn took 4 for 16, and F. Hales 5 for 10, and for Ashwell H. W.addock took 5 for 7 and S. Winter 4 for 11.

Scores: Ashwell 29, Weston 75 (W. Shephard 29, G. Ginn 14, W. Sheaf 10).

LETCHWORTH TABULATORS v. WESTON.

101 NOT OUT BY F. HALES.

Played on Tuesday evening last week at Letchworth, and ending in a fine win for the visitors.

Weston opened the innings with B. Tomlin and F. Hales, who were both in fine form, Tomlin being lbw when he had made 65. G. Hales then joined his brother, and they took the score to 192 before the side declared for the loss of only one wicket, F. Hales having made 101 not out.

The Tabulators were dismissed for 39, Field (3 for 18), Cox (1 for 1), and F. Hales (6 for 3) being the bowlers. F. Hales took four wickets in five balls, including the "bat trick." Of the Tabulators' total S. Chapman scored 25 and C. Thacker 10.

Scores: Weston 192 for 1 wicket, Letchworth Tabulators 39.

R.A.F. (HENLOW) v. KING'S COLLEGE.

The airmen secured a narrow victory in their match against King's College on Wednesday last week, winning by 22 runs.

Batting first, the homesters knocked up 146, Malin being the highest scorer with 47. With only five wickets down when the century mark was reached the College appeared to have a good chance of winning, but the remaining wickets fell rapidly, two players being run out in their anxiety to get the necessary runs to win.

Scores: R.A.F. (Henlow) 146 (Sergt. Malin 47, A.C. Woods 31, A.C. Craig 20, L.A.C. Young 12, A.C. Roberts 10), King's College 124 (Haynes 1 for 16, Hodder 3 for 27, Roberts 2 for 23, Young 2 for 15).

GRAVELEY v. WYMONDLEY.

Played at Graveley on Saturday, the visitors winning by 24 runs.

Graveley were slatted out for 15 runs, H. Bates taking five wickets for 10, and B. Wadlock 3 for 4. Wymondley made 39 (B. Wadlock 13), the wickets falling to F. Worboys (6 for 15), and A. Minnis (4 for 22).

Scores: Graveley 15, Wymondley 39.

PIRTON v. STEVENAGE E.S.A.

The E.S.A., playing at Pirton on Saturday, won rather easily.

Pirton were all out for 25, T. Watson taking six wickets for 8 runs in 7 overs, and A. Aldridge taking 3 for 15. Six bowlers were put on by Pirton, the most successful being R. Dawson (4 for 11) and S. Stapleton (4 for 18).

Scores: Pirton 25, E.S.A. 86 (A. Aldridge 21, M. Day 16, T. Palmer 13).

STEVENAGE v. HARPENDEN.

J. W. Austin (Stevenage) missed a century by four runs when he was run out after a splendid innings in this match at Stevenage on Saturday. His contribution went a long way towards his side's total of 211 for eight wickets. P. Clarkson, who was bowled by Dunch, made another good innings for Stevenage of 69. The match was not decisive, as when stumps were drawn Harpenden had made 157 for only five wickets. They had done fairly well against seven bowlers, only two of whom, Sheldorf (2 for 55) and Clarkson (3 for 50) took any wickets. Scores:—

STEVENAGE.	
P. Clarkson, b Dunch	69
L. A. Watson, lbw, b Appleyard	1
S. F. King, b Appleyard	18
J. Charleston, lbw, b Appleyard	1
J. W. Austin, run out	56
P. Jones, c Walthams, b Appleyard	5
R. G. Cannon, c Nelson, b Marsh	8
L. H. Feesey, st Mole, b Marsh	1
A. Ward, not out	2
Extras	10
(for 8 wkts) 211	
C. N. Hawkins and W. Sheldorf did not bat.	
HARPENDEN.	
F. Appleyard, b Clarkson	1
A. R. Hassall, c Watson, b Sheldorf	0
R. P. Nelson, c Charleston, b Clarkson	20
R. Kingham, c Hawkins, b Sheldorf	20
F. S. Walthams, b Clarkson	2
M. Tooley, not out	45
G. M. Lewis, not out	57
Extras	12
(for 5 wkts) 157	
F. Dunch, H. Howard, W. H. Marsh, and S. P. Mole did not bat.	

THREE COUNTS' HOSPITAL v. MORRIS MOTORS (OXFORD).

I. WARD'S HURRICANE INNINGS.

The Morris Motors team from Oxford paid their first visit to the Three Counties' Hospital on Saturday, and, although bringing a good side, they found the home team at the top of their form.

Winning the toss, the Hospital opened with P. Robinson and Page. After the latter's early dismissal, the former batsman and Saunders, the home skipper, put runs on quickly. Saunders unluckily played a ball on to his wicket, retiring with 36 to his credit. Goddard made 25 quickly, but Ward, who has been so consistent this season, electrified everyone with a hurricane innings of 175 not out, his hits including five sixes and twenty-four fours. He hit tremendously hard, some of his off drives and pulls being particularly forceful. It was an invaluable innings, and quite set the seal on Ward's excellent form up to the present. He has now scored well over 500 runs. P. Robinson scored 48 by sound cricket, and Lee also played a useful innings of 31 not out, the total at the declaration being 321 for 5 wickets—the highest total on the ground this season.

The visitors, after their gruelling time fielding in the sun, were not unnaturally somewhat disappointing with the bat, their total reaching only 119. Albon, Gibbs, and Johnson (5 for 23) all bowled well, and the Hospital won by 202 runs. Scores:—

THREE COUNTS' HOSPITAL.	
P. Robinson, b Stone	48
E. Page, c and b Stone	6
T. W. Saunders, b Thomas	36
E. G. Albon, b Thomas	5
H. B. Goddard, c Thornton, b Dumbrell	28
I. Ward, not out	148
A. Lee, not out	51
Extras	19
(for 5 wkts) 321	
MORRIS MOTORS.	
L. Rogers, b Albon	14
R. Thornton, b Gibbs	1
J. Simon, b Gibbs	6
B. Hetman, b Johnson	27
H. Procter, b Johnson	14
N. Dumbrell, b Johnson	0
J. Stone, c Lee, b Saunders	23
W. Couling, b Johnson	7
W. Livock, b Johnson	16
A. Thomas, not out	2
Extras	9

GRAVENHURST v. BIGGLESWADE LIBERAL CLUB.

Gravenhurst entertained the Biggleswade Liberal Club on Saturday and scored 104 runs, W. Powderham, of the Royal Air Force, hitting up 46 for them, and B. Womwell 37. The Biggleswade Liberal Club's score reached 53 (L. Revels 39). Powderham captured 5 wickets very cheaply for Gravenhurst. Scores: Gravenhurst 104, Biggleswade Liberal Club 53.

HEXTON 2nd XI. v. ST. IPPOLYTS.

Played on Hexton's fine ground on Saturday, St. Ippolyts winning by 53 runs. H. Breed played a big part in dismissing the homesters for 73; he took 5 wickets for 25 runs, L. Pratt taking 3 for 28. F. Prime and L. Breed gave a bright batting display for St. Ippolyts, Hexton's score being passed with only two wickets down.

Scores: Hexton 2nd XI, 73, St. Ippolyts 106 for 5 wickets (L. Breed 66, including ten 4's and two 6's; F. Prime 57 not out, including six 1's and five 3's; C. Breed 12).

R.A.F. (HENLOW) v. BEDFORD BANKS.

Played at Henlow on Sunday. The Banks won the toss and decided to bat on a fairly fast wicket. The steady and accurate bowling of Haynes (5 for 34) was the chief cause of the Banks collapse. Craig batted well for an hour and obtained 33.

The R.A.F. opened their innings rather shakily, but Snowden managed to pull the game round, and was bowled by Craig at 110 after compiling a useful 45. The innings closed at 142.

Scores: Bedford Banks 141, R.A.F. (Henlow) 142 (Snowden 45, Craig 26, Wollenden 15, F.O. McLean 15, I.L. Stafford 10).

LUTON POST OFFICE v. SHEFFORD WEDNESDAY.

Played at Luton on Wednesday last week, Shefford winning by 30 runs, with six wickets in hand. For the winners, H. Bryant took six wickets for 71 runs, F. Hare three for 16, and W. Taylor one for 32.

Scores: Luton P.O. 126, Shefford Wednesday 156 for 5 wickets (L. Garvin 45, H. Bryant 32, the Rev. T. W. Kingsnorth 27, J. Purfield 23).

STEVENAGE UNIONIST CLUB v. INNES SON & KING.

After dismissing Innes Son & King for 35 at Stevenage on Saturday, Stevenage Unionist Club made 99 for nine wickets. The visitors' best batsman was E. Dobbs, who made twelve, and was the only man in the side to make more than seven, which was S. Draper's score.

R. Austin made top score for the Unionist Club with 36, and R. C. Ellis hit a useful 21. K. Rumbald and A. Woods made 16 and 14 respectively.

For the Club Piggott took 6 for 16; Woods, 2 for 10, and Rumbald, 1 for 5. Doling took six Stevenage wickets for 31, and Norris 2 for 26.

NEW KNEBWORTH v. STEVENAGE 2nd XI.

Visiting New Knebworth on Saturday, Stevenage 2nd XI. dismissed the home team when they were still 60 runs behind the visitors. Stevenage batted first and their 138 for six wickets included a fine 55 not out by J. Peacock and 22 and 29 by J. Jones and H. Presland respectively.

M. Murrhead's 16 was the only large score for New Knebworth. For Stevenage, Presland took four wickets for 33, Boorman 3 for 28, Jones 2 for 7, and Judge 1 for 7. Scores:— Stevenage 2nd XI, 138, H. A. Boorman, b J. Lewis, 0; J. Peacock, not out, 55; L. Lovelace, c and b J. Lewis, 0; S. Jones, b Copeman, 22; J. Feesey, c Jones, b J. Lewis, 0; H. Presland, b Copeman, 29; R. E. Cople, c and b Copeman, 8; H. Judge, not out, 12; extras, 12; total, 138. R. R. Nash, L. Watson and M. Macro did not bat.

Knebworth, M. Murrhead, c Peacock, b Presland, 16; G. Palmer, b Boorman, 1; C. Cox, b Presland, 0; J. L. Lewis, b Presland, 0; C. Whitworth, b Jones, 1; J. M. Lewis, lbw, b Boorman, 1; A. T. Lewis, b Presland, 1; L. H. Downton, b Boorman, 1; C. Cox, c and b Jones, 4; G. Palmer, not out, 10; L. L. Lewis, b Judge, 1; extras, 3; total, 78.

EAST BEDS LEAGUE.

Division I.

Sandy 31, Stotfold 49. For Stotfold, who won the points by 15 runs, A. Cordell scored 15 runs, and A. Mays captured 6 wickets for 16 runs. Caldecote 155, Meppershall 101. In this highest-scoring game, which Caldecote won by 31 runs, A. Knight scored 29 runs and B. Nash 26 for Meppershall. Ickwell 32, Beoston 17. Woodbury 31, Goldington 139 for 9 wickets declared.

Division II.

Leppeworth 115, Dinton 73. For Leppeworth, W. Bert was top scorer with 17 and E. Cury took 4 wickets for 20 runs. Stotfold 2nd XI, 80, Longford 37. For the homesters, L. Brown was chief batsman, and A. Hyde took 3 wickets for 3 runs. Potton 2nd XI, 60, Dinton 49. Potton 2nd XI, 28, Wrothamworth 70.

Division III.

Meppershall 2nd XI, 38, Caldecote 2nd XI, 30. For Meppershall, W. Simons captured 4 wickets for 8 runs. Dinton 2nd XI, 21 and 20, Biggleswade Athletic 16 and 15 for 4 wickets (declared). Beoston 2nd XI, 24, Ickwell 2nd 79. Campton 59, Tadlow 22. For Campton, R. Stamp took 5 for 7, and A. Rainbow scored 16 runs.

SCHOOL SECTION.

Gamlingay School 8, Shefford School 29. For Shefford, C. Smith and A. Inskip each took 5 wickets for 4 runs.

THREE COUNTIES' HOSPITAL v. R.A.F. (HENLOW)

Henlow R.A.F. were heavily defeated in their match with the Three Counties' Hospital on Thursday last week.

Batting first, the home side put up a total of 252 for 7 wickets before declaring. E. G. Albon breaking his spell of bad luck with an excellent 80, being ably supported by Page (48), and R. Robinson (34).

The R.A.F. found the Hospital bowler, Gibbs, at the top of his form, and were quickly disposed of for 86, Gibbs having the fine analysis of 7 wickets for 31 runs. Scores:—

THREE COUNTIES' HOSPITAL.

H. B. Goddard, b Hodder	4
P. Robinson, b Young	15
I. Ward, b Roberts	24
E. G. Albon, c Cartmel, b Haynes	80
E. Page, b Young	48
R. Robinson, b Harvey	34
T. Short, b Harvey	0
A. Lee, not out	14
W. Johnson not out	22
Extras	11

(for 7 wks) 252

E. Gibbs and J. Daniels did not bat.

R.A.F. (HENLOW)

Sgt. Malin, b Gibbs	12
L.A.C. Craig, b Albon	9
Cpl. Snowden, c Goddard, b Gibbs	0
F.O. Cartmel, b Gibbs	2
L.A.C. Stevenson, c R. Robinson, b Daniels	9
E.O. Hodder, b Gibbs	4
F.Lt. Harvey, not out	39
L.A.C. Wood, b Gibbs	1
L.A.C. Roberts, b Gibbs	3
L.A.C. Young, c Lee, b Daniels	1
L.A.C. Haynes, b Gibbs	6

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R.A.F. (DUXFORD) v. STEVENAGE WEDNESDAY.

At Duxford, on Wednesday last week, Stevenage Wednesday had an easy win over the R.A.F. The Army men batted first and made 81 all out, their only double figure batsman being A.C. Ryder with 33, while 28 were accounted for by extras.

Play closed soon after the fall of the visitors' sixth wicket, and with their score at 204, L. A. Watson hit 58, L. O. King carried his bat 4 r 43, and A. King made a good 38. L. O. King also made a good show as a bowler taking six wickets for 20 runs.

SHEFFORD v. SOUTHILL.

Played in Southill Park on Thursday last week, Shefford being defeated by six wickets. For Southill E. Dilley took six wickets for 21 runs, and C. Brown two for 28. For Shefford, H. Bryant took two for 43, and F. Hare two for 22.

Scores: Shefford 81 (J. Garvin 27, J. Kitchener 14, P. Millard 13, G. Squire 10 not out), Southill 91 for 5 wickets (F. Thorogood 43, G. Potter 27).

HITCHIN MIDLAND v. OFFLEY 2nd XI.

Offley 2nd XI. paid a visit to Hitchin on Saturday, and, batting first, scored 94, H. Woodfield making 30, and W. Weedon 23. The best bowling by the home side was that of C. Pitkin (7 for 38), and R. Osborne (2 for 6).

The only batsman to reach double figures for the Midland was C. Pitkin (42 not out).

W. Webb (1 for 25) took most wickets for Offley, L. Day also bowling well with 2 for 10.

Scores: Hitchin Midland 71, Offley 94.

HENLOW v. CLOPHILL.

Played at Henlow, Henlow winning by three wickets and 101 runs. Several of the Henlow players were in good batting form. Three of the Clophill players were run out, the visitors' wickets falling to R. Lygon (3 for 10), C. Harris (2 for 1), and T. Harris (1 for 18).

Scores: Henlow 172 (C. Harris 38, B. Mabbitt 27, A. R. Carlisle 21, T. Harris 20, S. Tompkins 11), Clophill 71.

CRICKET CORNER

BY WILL LOWE.

I spent two very enjoyable days at Stevenage on Monday and Tuesday, sitting next to friend Collinson, the veteran Herts scorer, watching Herts play Lines in the Minor Counties championship. The weather was ideal, and the Stevenage ground has never shown to greater perfection the work of Shefford.

Herts won the toss and opened with C. B. Fordham and T. P. Lawrence. The latter was badly missed off about the third ball, and again, a little after, Drakes, who was bowling, should have caught him with ease. These two misses were unfortunate for Lines, because Lawrence went on to score a fine eighty. Runs came slowly at first, Lawrence doing most of the hitting, and after an hour's play, with 50 on the board, Fordham was caught and bowled to Worman, he having batted for an hour for 18 runs. When Bland joined Lawrence runs came more freely, so that after a further half-hour's play Lawrence reached his half-century with a beautiful "four" and the Herts 100 went up. These two carried on until lunch-time, but after lunch Lawrence was caught at the wicket, and shortly after, when Crossman had taken Lawrence's place, Bland, at 53, was bowled, the ball just nicking his on-stump. Hodgson and Lord Hylie, the latter a son of the Earl of Clarendon, were quickly on and off, but when Arthur Grimsdell, the former "Spurs" captain, joined Crossman the pair hit merrily, Grimsdell hitting the only "six" of the day. They took the score to 109 before Crossman was bowled at 34. No one topped for long with Grimsdell until Burton came on and the score was taken to 287 at the tea interval, Grimsdell being 58 not out. After tea he had added 15 runs, when he hit his wicket. His place was taken by W. Shelford, the Stevenage groundman, who filled the vacancy caused by the absence of Roberts, who could not be released from Lords, where he is on the ground staff, despite a telegram from Crossman. Burton and Shelford offered some resistance, and the score went to 325 before Burton was bowled.

Stamp and Loeffler opened for Lines, the latter being bowled for 8 with the total at 13. Stamp followed soon after, Dods and Walter being in when time was called. Tuesday saw Dods and Walter continue their innings in a finely played partnership. They batted all the morning, Dods putting up his century just before lunch with his partner at 95. When lunch-time was called Dods had 107 to his credit and Walter 97. This partnership was broken immediately after lunch when Walter was bowled with the first ball of the re-opening over. Dods did not long survive, being smartly stamped at 108 by Grimsdell. Wickets fell quickly, four wickets falling with only 8 runs added since lunch. Only Worman made a stand, and Lines were all out at 302.

Features of the Lines' innings were the smart fielding of the Herts side, and the skilful bowling of Shelford. At one time Shelford had bowled seven overs and only two runs had been hit off him. At that point he was taken off and Burton put on, which was, I thought, quite an error, Burton's bowling being well hit. Stan Brown, of Hitchin, received prolonged applause from the big gate, at the Lincoln players who were watching when, from almost the boundary, he threw in and with a direct hit on the wicket ran out Mack, who was also the victim of a late call from Campbell.

It was an excellent game, with a finish as exciting as anyone could wish for.

CRICKET FIXTURES.

SATURDAY'S MATCHES.

- Henlow v Hitchin
- Potton v Hitchin Blue Cross O.B.
- King's Walden v Letchworth
- Letchworth 2nd XI. v King's Walden
- Three Counties' Hospital v Usac O.B.
- Arlesey v Biggleswade
- Biggleswade "A" v Arlesey 2nd XI.
- Welwyn G.C. 2nd XI. v Stevenage 2nd XI.
- Hitchin United v Redbourne
- Ashwell v Harston
- Baldock Albion v Ashwell 2nd XI.
- Aston v Graveley
- New Knebworth v St. Ippolyts
- Chater-Lea v S. & D.
- Hitchin Church Adult Class v St. Michael's
- Esavian v Shephall

EAST BEDS LEAGUE.

Division I.

- Beeston v Caldecote
- Stotfold v Meppershall
- Sandy v Goldington
- Ickwell v Woodbury

Division II.

- Langford v Stotfold 2nd XI.
- Dunton v Potton 2nd XI.
- Wrestlingworth v Henlow 2nd XI.
- Broom v Letchworth Albion

Division III.

- Caldecote 2nd XI. v Beeston 2nd XI.
- Meppershall 2nd XI. v Edworth
- Biggleswade Athletic v Ickwell 2nd XI.
- Tadlow v Dunton 2nd XI.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 9.

- Hitchin Police v Beds County Police
- Letchworth v Bishop Stortford
- Tabulator v S. & D.
- Luton Post Office v Hitchin Wednesday
- Three Counties Hospital v Hitchin Blue Cross O.B.

STEVENAGE CRICKET WEEK.

- To-day (Friday): Stevenage v Herts County Club.
- Saturday: Stevenage v Welwyn G.C.

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HERTFORDSHIRE v. LINCOLNSHIRE.

At Stevenage, on Monday, Herts opened their campaign in the Minor Counties' Competition. Lincolnshire, the visitors, were defeated on the first innings by 28 runs. T. P. Lawrence was top scorer for Herts with 80, and A. Grimsdell had made 73, when he hit his wicket. Score:

HERTFORDSHIRE.

C. B. Fordham, c and b Worman	18
T. P. Lawrence, c Campbell, b Worman	80
J. G. Bland, b Worman	53
G. M. Crossman, b Drake	33
G. D. Hodgson, c Campbell, b Wilson	1
Lord Hyde, c Loeffler, b Drake	10
A. Grimsdell, hit wicket, b Norman	73
Brown (S.), c Stamp, b Mack	14
G. R. Whitcombe, b Drake	1
Burton (F.), b Worman	20
Shelford (W.), not out	2
Extras	20
Total	325

Second innings.—C. B. Fordham, b Wilson, 19. T. P. Lawrence, c and b Dods, 32. J. G. Bland, b Wilson, 7. G. M. Crossman, b Wilson, 0. G. D. Hodgson, b Wilson, 10. Lord Hyde, not out, 21. A. Grimsdell, not out, 23. Total (5 wkts.), 112.

LINCOLNSHIRE.

H. E. Stamp, b Brown	14
P. E. Loeffler, b Fordham	8
H. W. Dods, st Grimsdell, b Shelford	108
J. C. Walter, b Fordham	97
Rev. R. L. Wright, c Lord Hyde, b Fordham	0
T. E. Drake, b Shelford	3
Rev. E. Mack, run out	11
Campbell, c Grimsdell, b Shelford	9
G. Chatterton, b Burton	17
P. L. Worman, not out	23
C. Watson, c Lord Hyde, b Burton	0
Extras	12
Total	302

Bowling Analysis.

LINCOLNSHIRE.

First innings.				
	O.	M.	R.	W.
Drake	32	5	100	3
Wilson	20	5	37	1
Mack	21	1	55	1
Worman	28	5	100	5
Wright	2	0	4	0
Second innings.				
Drake	3	1	13	0
Wilson	14	7	23	4
Worman	4	0	13	0
Dods	11	1	39	1
Loeffler	4	0	24	0

HERTFORDSHIRE.

Fordham	25	6	55	3
Shelford	23	9	42	3
Brown	24	2	83	1
Burton	26	5	64	2
Whitcombe	12	2	51	0
Lord Hyde	1	0	5	0

Cricket.

HERTS v. BEDS.

This match, in the Minor Counties Competition, was played at St. Albans on Wednesday and Thursday, and resulted in a draw, Herts taking first innings points. Score:-

HERTS.

T. P. Lawrence, c Rawlins, b Fryer	46
C. B. Fordham, c and b Albon	1
J. C. Bland, c Poole, b Albon	75
M. H. de Zoete, c Page, b Coole	27
Lord Hyde, lbw., b Albon	6
G. M. Crossman, c Southgate, b Fryer	20
A. Grimsdell, lbw., b Smith	10
Brown (S.), b Albon	61
F. R. Whitcombe, c Southgate, b Smith	8
Roberts (E.), st Page, b Smith	16
Burton (F.), not out	11
Extras	10
Total	281

Second Innings: A. Grimsdell, c Smith, b Albon, 21. Roberts (E.), b Smith, 6. T. P. Lawrence, lbw., b Smith, 0. C. B. Fordham, hit wkt., 1. Smith, 11. J. C. Bland, st. Page, b Fryer, 5. M. H. de Zoete, c Rawlins, b Smith, 30. G. M. Crossman, c Fryer, b Albon, 28. Brown (S.), not out, 59. Lord Hyde, c Viscount Malden, 41. Extras, 12. Total (8 wkts.), 214.

BEDS.

A. B. Poole, b Fordham	2
F. Rawlins, c Lord Hyde, b Roberts	52
J. G. Cook, lbw., b Roberts	4
E. A. Fryer, c Bland, b Brown	18
L. Cockland, b Burton	32
Holdstock, c Sub, b Burton	34
Viscount Malden, b Burton	2
H. A. Southgate, c Brown, b Fordham	75
E. F. C. Smith, c Brown, b Burton	5
F. G. Albon, b Burton	4
E. Page, not out	10
Extras	27
Total	263

Second Innings: A. B. Poole, c Brown, b Roberts, 9. F. Rawlins, st. Grimsdell, b Fordham, 2. J. G. Cook, b Burton, 0. E. A. Fryer, b Burton, 6. L. Cockland, b Burton, 0. Holdstock, lbw., b Burton, 27. Viscount Malden, st. Grimsdell, b Whitcombe, 13. H. A. Southgate, not out, 76. E. F. C. Smith, not out, 2. Extras, 10. Total, 144.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

HERTS.				
	O.	M.	R.	W.
Cook	19	3	54	1
Albon	28	3	73	4
Holdstock	30	2	59	0
Smith	15.4	2	48	3
Fryer	9	0	36	2
Second Innings.				
Cook	9	1	34	1
Smith	17	4	69	4
Albon	18	4	43	2
Fryer	8	2	28	1
Holdstock	4	0	24	0
Rawlins	1	0	4	0
BEDS.				
Fordham	4	1	16	2
Burton	86	12	76	5
Roberts	26	6	76	2
Brown	13	2	52	1
Whitcombe	4	1	16	0
Second Innings.				
Fordham	4	1	14	1
Burton	16	5	51	4
Roberts	10	1	37	1
Brown	5	0	21	0
Whitcombe	8	1	10	1

WEST HERTS v. SOUTH HAMPSTEAD.

There was an exciting finish to this match at Cassio-road on Saturday. South Hampstead at the call of time being 37 runs behind with one wicket to fall. G. Gallery and Z. Iranl opened the West Herts innings, and between them put on 89 for the first wicket. On A. Grimsdell joining Gallery, runs came at a good pace. Their partnership realised 92, Grimsdell then being dismissed for a capital 59, including nine fours. Gallery, who was sixth man out, seems to have last found his form, for during the time he was compiling his 108 he never gave a real chance, he hit eleven fours. With the total at 249 for eight wickets, the innings was declared, leaving South Hampstead two and a quarter hours to bat. H. N. Moss and A. J. Delcomney were not long in knocking out 44 of the arrears, and three wickets were down for 97. Then the pace slackened, and the visitors' early promise of passing the West Herts total gradually disappeared, and it was a question whether they would be able to avoid defeat. This they succeeded in doing. E. J. Hartman and F. Wallach keeping their ends up until stumps were drawn. D. J. Short did best with the ball for West Herts, his four wickets costing him 36 runs, while H. Brooman took a similar number for South Hampstead for 41. Score:

WEST HERTS.	
Z. Iranl, lbw, b Moss	15
G. Gallery, c Pinkham, b Brooman	106
A. Grimsdell, st Wallach, b Besch	59
A. L. Goodall, c Wallach, b Higgins	19
H. E. Blower, c and b Blade	22
C. J. S. Mitchell, c Higgins, b Brooman	3
J. C. Wiggs, st Wallach, b Brooman	5
H. P. Mason, c Williams, b Brooman	8
M. G. Horton, not out	1
Extras	14
Total (8 wks.)	249

D. J. Short and H. Hodgson did not bat. Innings declared, closed.

SOUTH HAMPSTEAD.	
H. N. Moss, c Horton, b Hodgson	28
A. J. Delcomney, b Iranl	21
R. C. Beach, c Iranl, b Gallery	38
G. Watkins, c Mitchell, b Short	16
W. Vickers, b Short	24
H. Brooman, c Iranl, b Short	45
C. Higgins, run out	0
C. Pinkham, c Grimsdell, b Short	33
W. J. Slade, run out	1
E. J. Hartman, not out	14
F. C. Wallach, not out	2
Extras	1
Total (9 wks.)	219

HERTS COUNTY CLUB v. BROXBORNE.

This match, played at Broxbourne on June 28, was won by the County Club by 31 runs. Score:—

BROXBORNE.	
J. S. Speed, b Smyth	13
G. B. Collett, c Paul, b Marsh	1
C. A. Rendick, c Mole, b Smyth	22
H. E. Jarrett, b Paul	13
H. E. Cole, b Paul	1
E. E. Prior, c Mole, b Hiett	18
A. L. Stephens, b Paul	1
A. H. Jeffcoat, lbw, b Marsh	80
H. J. Sharpe, b Whitcombe	1
H. Woodbridge, c Hiett, b Whitcombe	8
W. Scotton, not out	21
Extras	10
Total	139

HERTS COUNTY CLUB.	
G. D. Hodgson, c and b Rendick	75
F. S. Stoyles, b Woodbridge	23
J. V. Hoare, b Rendick	38
G. R. Walker, c Rendick, b Scotton	4
G. R. Whitcombe, c Woodbridge, b Jarrett	26
G. R. Paul, lbw, b Rendick	20
E. R. Hiett, c Sub, b Jarrett	6
E. P. Mole, b Jarrett	1
W. R. T. Hocking, b Rendick	1
W. H. Marsh, not out	4
Extras	72
Total (9 wks.)	230

T. E. Smyth did not bat.

BUSHEY v. RADLETT.

A somewhat close game at the Moat Field on Saturday resulted in Radlett winning by 10 runs. For Radlett, H. Postill and F. Down bowled excellently, and for Bushey H. B. Brown fielded very well and F. H. Purton bowled with a good length to obtain three wickets quickly. Score:

BUSHEY.	
G. R. Walker, b Postill	27
H. B. Brown, b Down	1
P. W. Bliss, c Stanley, b Down	1
J. G. Demery, b Down	0
A. J. Swanson, b Postill	0
W. Ingleson, b Postill	0
F. C. B. Petyfer, b Postill	2
T. J. Demery, not out	2
F. H. Purton, lbw, b Down	17
F. C. Rowe, b Down	0
P. Frith, b Postill	1
Extras	10
Total	59

RADLETT.

W. Brunton, b Swanson	10
H. D. Roberts, c Ingleson, b Swanson	5
H. D. Williams, b Swanson	0
R. Postill, run out	4
C. Dumbleton, c Brown, b Purton	13
A. Snelling, not out	88
T. Down, b Rowe	0
H. Poole, run out	0
J. Boucher, b Purton	0
S. Adams, b Purton	0
L. G. Adams, run out	0
Extras	2
Total	69

RICKMANSWORTH v. SLOUGH.

Played at Slough, the home team winning easily by 48 runs and 4vs wickets. Score:

RICKMANSWORTH.	
P. Aston, st Fahy, b Lund	5
K. Crosland, c Roby, b Black	4
J. Walker, c Deval, b Black	5
E. S. Crawshaw, st Fahy, b Black	69
J. K. Mortimer, b Payne	14
R. W. Fox, c Southall, b Payne	0
E. Ford, lbw, b Lund	0
C. M. Clements, b Jones	18
E. Rodbourne, b Jones	4
T. R. Harvey, c Black, b Jones	2
I. A. Nicholas, not out	9
Extras	6
Total	163

SLOUGH.

C. Southall, c Aston, b Ford	115
C. Wye, c Aston, b Rodbourne	37
V. Roby, b Harvey	6
N. Black, b Ford	24
A. E. Payne, not out	16
Deval, c Walker, b Ford	2
J. E. Lloyd, not out	1
Extras	11
Total (5 wks.)	211

V. Lund, Fahy, Oay, and Jones did not bat.

RICKMANSWORTH v. PLEIADAS.

There was an exciting finish to this game at Rickmansworth, the Pleiades winning by four runs. Score:

PLEIADAS.	
J. R. Merritt, b Fox	1
G. Roberts, c Crawshaw, b Rodbourne	19
A. Hopps, c Rodbourne, b Fox	10
F. G. Hilder, lbw, b Rodbourne	92
E. A. B. Tooth, b Fox	12
L. G. Fox, c and b Fox	0
H. R. Jeeves, b Fox	0
N. C. Wood, not out	2
F. Domone, c and b Fox	2
I. Nicholas, b Fox	0
T. Brown, c Aston, b Rodbourne	5
Extras	13
Total	156

RICKMANSWORTH.

J. Walker, c Tooth, b Hilder	0
P. Aston, c Domone, b Tooth	28
K. Crosland, b Hilder	0
R. S. Crawshaw, c Fox, b Tooth	37
J. K. Mortimer, lbw, b Roberts	9
R. W. Fox, lbw, b Hilder	23
E. Rodbourne, st Brown, b Tooth	1
F. Ogden, b Hilder	2
J. Sulston, b Hilder	6
C. M. Clements, not out	10
H. Wildman, lbw, b Hilder	13
Extras	28
Total	152

KINGS LANGLEY II v. HEMEL HEMPSTEAD II.

Hemel Hempstead won this match, thanks largely to the effective bowling of Blunt, who took five for 27, and a fine second wicket stand by Tarbox and Coughtrey. Score:

Kings Langley II.—A. H. King, b Coughtrey, 16. A. Rowson, b Hyde Weller, 16. B. Cox, c Kiesel, b Osborne, 17. A. Warren, c Coughtrey, b Blunt, 32. W. Cox, c and b Blunt, 6. D. Hookin, c Kiesel, b Blunt, 3. E. Williams, c Hyde Weller, b Blunt, 4. D. Baldwin, st Wilson, b Blunt, 8. W. Kingham, c Barnett, b Osborne, 4. H. Ward, not out, 21. W. Armstrong, b Coughtrey, 9. Extras, 9. Total, 149.	
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Hemel Hempstead II.—M. Snorall, b Armstrong, 4. J. Tarbox, b Williams, 33. E. C. Coughtrey, c Armstrong, b Ward, 34. R. Osgrove, c Armstrong, b Williams, 1. E. J. Wilson, b Rowson, 1. W. Barnett, b Rowson, 6. D. Blunt, c Warren, b Cox, 12. W. Hyde Weller, c Hookin, b Rowson, 0. G. Glenister, not out, 7. W. Tarbox, c B. Cox, 0. L. E. Kiesel, c Rowson, b King, 2. Extras, 11. Total, 111.

ABBOTS LANGLEY v LEAVESDEN MENTAL HOSPITAL.

At Abbots Langley, the Hospital winning by 28 runs. Score:

ABBOTS LANGLEY.	
A. Mansfield, lbw, b Crownshaw	6
B. Crownshaw, c Pusey, b R. Dean	10
R. Williams, b R. Dean	13
G. F. Simons, c E. Dean, b R. Dean	0
S. Booker, b R. Dean	0
R. A. Wall, c Row, b Crownshaw	21
E. J. Riley, b Dean	1
W. A. Paton, c R. Dean, b McCall	23
H. W. Brister, b Glenister	20
E. J. Pascoe, c R. Dean, b Crownshaw	13
F. Woolridge, not out	6
Extras	6
Total	110

LEAVESDEN MENTAL HOSPITAL.

F. Glenister, b Pascoe	1
R. Cook, c Simons, b Pascoe	19
L. Tuppen, b Pascoe	0
C. J. Dean, lbw, b Pascoe	0
E. McCall, c Paton, b Pascoe	9
R. Dean, c Wall, b Crownshaw	61
G. Rev, run out	15
R. Pusey, b Woolridge	18
W. Jones, c Booker, b Woolridge	10
O. Gregory, c Paton, b Crownshaw	8
H. Crownshaw, not out	5
Extras	6
Total	147

ASCOTT v. TRING PARK.

Played on Saturday in ideal weather, a pleasant game resulted in a win for the visitors by 10 runs. Score:

TRING PARK.	
E. Ball, c H. Pitchford	10
T. Blundell, b H. Pitchford	1
C. Price, lbw, b L. Pitchford	32
H. F. Sanders, c Bandy, b Guess	23
F. G. Howlet, b J. Pitchford	38
A. W. Hedges, c Hammerton, b J. Pitchford	1
F. Badley, st Hammerton, b J. Pitchford	4
D. Harrison, c Bandy, b H. Pitchford	2
A. R. Harrison, not out	20
F. Bradbury, b Guess	6
G. Desborough, c Hammerton, b L. Pitchford	6
Extras	14
Total	152

ASCOTT.

H. Pitchford, lbw, b Howlett	50
P. Guess, b Blundell	2
J. Pitchford, c Blundell, b Sanders	27
L. Pitchford, c Price, b Howlett	1
A. Pease, c D. Harrison, b Howlett	6
F. Foot, c Bell, b Howlett	7
F. Hammerton, b Hedges	27
W. Roadnight, b Hedges	0
K. Bandy, b Price	0
C. Badrick, run out	4
A. K. Horn, not out	0
Extras	18
Total	142

BOXMOOR v. STONY STRATFORD.

Boxmoor, playing at home, defeated Stony Stratford comfortably. Batting first, Reynolds and Bantfield gave them a good start with 57 for the first wicket. Reynolds, who went on to complete his 50, hit a six and seven fours. Stony Stratford went in against a total of 137, and batted stubbornly until Wykes was put on as first change bowler, and took five wickets for nine runs in five overs. Carpenter took two for 16. Garment two for 28, and Mead one for five. Score:

BOXMOOR.	
W. Bonfield, b B. Henson	18
W. Reynolds, b B. Henson	51
L. Cowley, b B. Henson	4
H. Mead, c Tucker, b B. Henson	1
H. Garment, c G. Henson, b Godman	16
J. Rae, b Whitehead	21
W. Hartley, lbw, b B. Henson	2
H. Wykes, not out	2
B. Carpenter, b Whitehead	14
W. Whybrow, b Whitehead	0
W. Badcock, b G. Henson	0
Extras	13
Total	137

STONY STRATFORD.

R. Godman, lbw, b Garment	0
B. Henson, c Badcock, b Wykes	80
S. Whitehead, c Carpenter, b Garment	11
A. Godman, c Garment, b Carpenter	0
F. Brazil, c Reynolds, b Wykes	4
E. Tucker, c Wykes	2
D. Bourne, c Carpenter, b Wykes	0
Q. Toddy, not out	0
J. Henson, c Cowley, b Mead	1
J. Dixey, b Carpenter	2
G. Eales, c Badcock, b Wykes	2
Extras	6
Total	61

LEIGHTON BUZZARD WESLEY GUILD v. CHIPPERFIELD.

Chipperfield won this match at Leighton Buzzard by seven wickets. Score:

WESLEY GUILD.

C. Whittaker, c Waterhouse, b Joiner	3
D. Veitch, c Waterhouse, b Wadham	47
F. S. Pickard, b Bignell	73
P. Jeffs, c Wadham, b Bignell	1
W. Brantom, b Bignell	5
J. Whittaker, c Stanbridge, b Bignell	0
W. Deacon, lbw, b Bignell	0
J. Chivers, c Spall, b Joiner	4
I. Chivers, not out	20
F. Hill, c Bates	8
B. Jones, run out	10
Extras	10
Total	176

CHIPPERFIELD.

G. Bunyan, lbw, b J. Whittaker	3
A. T. Hutchinson, b J. Whittaker	0
J. A. Bates, b J. Chivers	48
A. Joiner, not out	107
E. Spall, not out	25
Extras	7
Total (3 wks.)	190

G. A. Wadham, E. J. Waterhouse, F. Brown, F. Bignell, A. Stanbridge, and A. Miner did not bat.

CHORLEYWOOD v. HAMPSTEAD.

At Chorleywood, Hampstead winning by 51. Score:

HAMPSTEAD.

A. Saunders, c Stavert, b Roger Evans	13
J. Bunting, b J. Jarrett	37
M. Carpmael, st Bailey, b J. Jarrett	84
H. Ryland, b R. Eluhm	8
A. Fraser, c Bailey, b J. Jarrett	7
F. Flugel, b J. Jarrett	0
H. Allen, not out	6
J. Challen, not out	22
S. Laughton, c Bailey, b M. Cooper	3
E. Jenkins, run out	15
H. Leivers, b Roger Evans	62
Extras	9
Total	169

Second Innings: 58 (2 wks.).

CHORLEYWOOD.

M. Waghorn, b Saunders	10
D. Priestley, c Carpmael, b Fraser	10
L. Darvell, c Flugel, b Fraser	0
H. Darvell, b Saunders	0
H. Bailey, c Laughton, b Fraser	0
Roger Evans, b Fraser	8
M. Cooper, b Saunders	7
F. Stavert, not out	7
J. Jarrett, c Saunders, b Fraser	0
R. Blum, run out	0
H. Raggett, c Flugel, b Fraser	4
Extras	4
Total	43

Second Innings: 133.

PEEK FREAN'S v. COOPER'S RECREATION CLUB (BERKHAMSTED).

Cooper's Recreation Club (Berkhamsted) accomplished an outstanding performance on Peek Frean's ground. The home team declared at 136 for seven, and Cooper's had only 64 minutes to get the runs or play for a draw. They went for the bowling with refreshing vigour, and passed the home total just on time. H. Wharton played an aggressive innings of 74, which included no less than 15 fours. Score: Peek Frean's.—Belbin, b Clarke, 19. Underwood, b E. Preston, 9. D. Warren, b E. Preston, 48. B. Warren, b Robertson, 21. Love, c and b Wharton, 3. Butzback, lbw, b Wharton, 0. Notley, c and b Robertson, 2. Palmer, not out, 14. May, Dickson, and Overy did not bat. Extras, 20. Total (7 wks.), declared, 136. Cooper's Recreation Club.—P. R. Clarke, c Notley, b May, 5. H. E. Rance, b Underwood, 9. F. Goddage, b Underwood, 80. H. Wharton, c B. Warren, b Belbin, 74. D. Robertson, not out, 2. A. Preston, not out, 1. E. G. Preston, F. Miles, F. Bann, C. Margrave, and W. C. Pitkin did not bat. Extras, 17. Total (4 wks.), 188.

ALDENHAM v. SHENDISH.

This game at Shendish was won by Aldenham by the narrow margin of nine runs. Score: Shendish.—A. J. Cooper, lbw, b Wright, 0. S. Frost, c Pettit, b Wright, 0. D. Rodwell, c Pettit, b Reed, 17. D. Foskett, c and b Wright, 17. F. Haynes, b Wright, 14. J. Groom, b Wright, 1. F. Ridgeway, c Armstrong, b Wright, 13. C. Scott, run out, 1. W. Clarinbold, b Wright, 0. S. Foskett, lbw, b W. Hyde, 10. W. Williams, not out, 21. Extras, 5. Total, 99. Aldenham.—E. Timms, c Haynes, b S. Foskett, 10. E. Wright, c Haynes, b S. Foskett, 0. S. Foskett, c Haynes, b S. Foskett, 0. J. Armstrong, b Groom, 25. H. Hawkins, lbw, b Cooper, 37. C. J. Wright, c Haynes, b Cooper, 0. F. Masters, c Groom, b Cooper, 0. N. Ryder, run out, 12. P. Pettit, not out, 14. W. Gills, b Groom, 4. Extras, 1. Total, 108.

KINGS LANGLEY v. HEMEL HEMPSTEAD.

Played at Kings Langley, resulting in a draw. At the close Kings Langley were only 16 runs behind the visitors' total with five wickets in hand. Score:

HEMEL HEMPSTEAD.

W. H. England, b Crawley	1
R. C. Hubbard, b Winnard	30
G. E. Curtis, b Redding	8
A. P. Brown, b Atkins	17
N. Capel, c Harris, b Cruickshank	17
W. Brooke, c Scott, b Redding	10
L. W. Jordan, c Atkins, b Redding	13
G. Picton, not out	26
J. Leather, b Redding	4
A. W. Atkins, b Atkins	33
P. J. Johnson, not out	14
Extras	22
Total (9 wks.)	196

*Innings declared closed.

KINGS LANGLEY.

A. W. Warren, c England, b Atkins	3
W. R. Taylor, c Jordan, b Capel	5
J. H. Cruickshank, b Capel	16
D. G. Redding, not out	102
G. D. Butler, run out	0
B. W. Atkins, c England, b Atkins	42
A. C. Loader, not out	2
Extras	1
Total (5 wks.)	160

P. Harris, J. Scott, H. Crawley, and the Rev. M. Winnard did not bat.

BERKHAMSTED TOWN II. v. BERKHAMSTED SCHOOL II.

This match, on the Berkhamsted Town ground, produced a fine finish, and a win for the School by three runs. For the Town, Stanbridge took five for 59, and Smith three for 52.—Score: Berkhamsted School II.—H. D. M. Gilmour, c and b Taylor, 11. H. J. H. Vick, b Smith, 2. A. Campbell, b Smith, 30. D. M. Hopkinson, c and b Jeacocke, 23. K. M. Crick, b Stanbridge, 0. J. R. Harrowell, lbw, b Smith, 24. C. M. Lewis, b Stanbridge, 45. P. A. Hawks, lbw, b Smith, 0. W. D. Emmles, b Smith, 2. P. E. Hedger, c Jeacocke, b Stanbridge, 38. J. E. F. Voss, not out, 1. Extras, 13. Total, 189.

Berkhamsted II.—C. Tanner, b Hodges, 6. E. Wingfield-Stratford, c and b Hopkinson, 47. S. Taylor, c Campbell, b Hopkinson, 4. R. Stanbridge, c Hodges, b Lewis, 35. M. H. Crispin, b Lewis, 6. A. H. Jeacocke, c Campbell, b Emmles, 40. H. Weatherill, stumped, b Lewis, 16. A. W. Collin, b Emmles, 5. A. Cooper, c and b Lewis, 1. H. Todd, not out, 6. R. C. S. Smith, run out, 4. Extras, 5. Total, 186.

LEAVESDEN MENTAL HOSPITAL II. v. ABBOTS LANGLEY II.

This 12 a-side match, played at Leavesden, resulted in a win for the visitors by four wickets. At the agreed time for drawing stumps the visitors still required five runs to win, and Leavesden very sportingly obliged them by bowling an extra over. Score:

Leavesden Mental Hospital.—Robins, c Cobbett, b Coleman, 63. Mead, lbw, b Burns, 1. Simmonds, c Miles, b W. Cooper, 26. Bunce, c Miles, b Cruickshank, 17. Grundy, b Burns, 9. Soper, b Burns, 2. Vale, c Bells, b W. Cooper, 6. Rayner, c Cruickshank, b W. Cooper, 10. Hopwood, b Coleman, 13. Field, b Coleman, 0. Early, b Coleman, 0. Lawrence, not out, 1. Extras, 14. Total, 163. Abbots Langley.—H. G. Wolfe, c Grundy, b Bunce, 0. J. Bunce, c Soper, b Vale, 87. E. Burns, c Soper, b Grundy, 39. B. Cooper, lbw, b Vale, 4. A. Cruickshank, c Vale, b Grundy, 4. F. Coleman, c Robins, b Grundy, 13. A. E. Watson, not out, 27. A. Pudden, b Bunce, 3. W. Cooper, not out, 33. W. Miles, F. Tollett, and J. Bell did not bat. Extras, 4. Total (7 wks.), 167.

L.M.S. (WATFORD) A.C. v. WATFORD JUNCTION.

Considerable interest was aroused at this meeting between the two Watford Railway Clubs, and after a keen game Watford L.M.S. defeated their rivals by 14 runs, with three wickets to spare, when time was called. Score:

Watford Junction.—B. J. Hopkins, b Foxley, 21. R. T. Briers, c Prince, b Wells, 4. R. T. Bentley, c W. Reid, b Dear, 4. H. G. Briers, c Treacher, b Foxley, 4. W. Sheppard, run out, 8. H. Banfield, b Wells, 3. J. J. Healy, lbw, b Wells, 3. L. Young, c Treacher, b Foxley, not out, 2. Masters, b Wells, 6. C. Hopkins, not out, 5. F. Young, b Wells, 0. Extras, 4. Total, 59. L.M.S. (Watford) A.C.—F. Prince, c H. Young, b A. Briers, 1. A. Dear, c F. Briers, 1. H. Reid, lbw, b W. Sheppard, 17. A. Wells, c Bentley, b H. Briers, 44. B. Baker, b D. Masters, 4. G. Heaseman, Treacher, not out, 2. F. Watson did not bat. Extras, 5. Total (7 wks.), 83.

CROCKLEY (DICKINSON'S II.) v. T. A. CONSTABLE (LONDON).

This was a 12 a-side match, Dickinson's winning easily. T. Brown was in good form with bat and ball, scoring 104 not out and taking six wickets for 10. Score: T. A. Constable (London).—Ward, b Smith, 4. Terry, c Fowler, b Brown, 0. Looker, jun., c Fowler, b Smith, 0. (Chufchill, b Brown, 5. Hyde, b Smith, 1. Wheeler, b Brown, 7. Cutter, b Smith, 11. Looker, sen., not out, 1. Margetts, lbw, b Brown, 1. Redrup, c Turner, b Brown, 0. Crain, c Walker, b Putman, 1. Baker, c Turner, b Putman, 1. Extras, 6. Total, 58. Dickinson's II.—W. Putman, lbw, b Looker, jun., 6. N. Ovenden, b Ward, 6. S. Singleton, b Ward, 10. T. Brown, not out, 104. G. Wilson, not out, 41. Extras, 7. Total (3 wks.), 174.

BENSKIN'S v. LITTLE BRICKHILL.

Played at Little Otterspool, the home side winning by 24. Score: Little Brickhill.—F. Odell, c and b Norton, 19. F. Houghton, c Enticnap, b McGregor, 0. H. Devereaux, b Norton, 2. H. Goode, b McGregor, 13. H. Houghton, run out, 4. H. Kenley, c Furpin, b McGregor, 4. F. Holden, not out, 5. B. Walker, c Latham, b McGregor, 2. E. Devereaux, b Norton, 3. C. Parker, b Norton, 2. F. Sedgwick, b Norton, 8. Extras, 1. Total, 61. Benskin's.—A. V. Enticnap, lbw, b F. Odell, 10. E. McGregor, c Houghton, b F. Odell, 3. R. Norton, b H. Houghton, 1. C. Clarke, b H. Houghton, 2. F. Piper, b Goode, 19. A. Deayton, b F. Odell, 3. G. Challis, b Goode, 15. L. Turpin, b F. Odell, 7. G. Latham, run out, 5. L. Clarke, not out, 7. J. Garrad, b Goode, 0. Extras, 8. Total, 85.

WATFORD WESLEY POLYTECHNIC v. WATFORD.

At Brightwell's Farm, Wesley Polytechnic winning by 38. Score: Wesley Polytechnic.—F. Merchant, b Hansard, 0. B. Darvill, b S. Simpson, 0. L. Dauth, c S. Simpson, b Hansard, 4. A. Thurley, c Johnson, b J. Simpson, 38. A. Chandler, c Harvey, b Hansard, 0. F. Wells, c Johnson, b S. Simpson, 4. R. Westgate, b Harrod, 1. S. Bulch, b S. Simpson, 3. Cox, c Harvey, b J. Simpson, 25. J. King, c J. Simpson, b Hansard, 11. W. Chandler, not out, 4. Extras, 4. Total, 92. Watford.—M. Harvey, c W. Chandler, b Wells, 0. R. Caudell, b Wells, 3. J. Simpson, b King, 3. C. Hansard, b King, 5. S. Simpson, c Cox, b King, 0. H. Smith, c Bulch, b Westgate, 15. D. Johnson, b Thurley, 5. F. Smith, c A. Chandler, b Westgate, 4. J. Gaveray, c Dauth, b Thurley, 4. E. Hall, b Westgate, 0. R. Richford, not out, 0. Extras, 15. Total, 54.

CHIPPERFIELD II. v. KINGHAM INSTITUTE.

Kingham Institute won an interesting game at Chipperfield by 41 runs. Score: Kingham Institute.—S. Darvill, b Godman, 8. A. Woodward, c R. Waterhouse, b Brunsten, 37. W. Steel, lbw, b F. Haysman, 8. W. Leach, c J. Waterhouse, b W. Haysman, 23. W. Bryant, b W. Haysman, 9. S. Heester, b F. Haysman, 42. A. Jarmin, b F. Haysman, 21. A. Buckingham, c R. Waterhouse, b F. Haysman, 6. G. Hill, c E. Haysman, b F. Haysman, 11. E. Laing, c R. Waterhouse, b F. Haysman, 0. J. Holding, not out, 1. Extras, 30. Total, 199. Chipperfield II.—R. Waterhouse, c Leach, b Darvill, 0. F. Haysman, lbw, b Hill, 0. H. Brunsten, b Hill, 11. A. V. Duffon, b Hill, 11. S. Godman, b Steel, 42. E. Haysman, c Darvill, b Hill, 0. K. M. J. c Woodward, b Darvill, 42. J. Bunyan, c Hill, b Darvill, 1. J. Waterhouse, not out, 7. W. Haysman, c Bryant, b Hill, 6. C. Saunders, b Hill, 13. Extras, 22. Total, 165.

LEAVESDEN ROAD BAPTISTS v. SARRATT.

The Baptists won this game at Bricket Wood by 74 runs and 3 wickets. Score: Leavesden-road Baptists.—J. Willis, c and b W. Flitney, 17. G. Philbey, run out, 15. J. Ticehurst, c W. Young, b W. Flitney, 4. H. Liberty, c and b K. Baker, 4. J. Crussell, b W. Flitney, 54. C. Daniels, b S. Chalk, 10. A. Tallett, b W. Flitney, 3. A. Weaver, not out, 2. G. Braybrooke, not out, 1. P. Fames and H. Eames did not bat. Extras, 4. Total (7 wks.), declared, 114. Sarratt.—C. Pettifer, b L. Willis, 1. W. Young, b J. Ticehurst, 2. K. Baker, c Weaver, b J. Ticehurst, 13. V. Pettifer, b J. Ticehurst, 0. L. Poynter, b J. Crussell, 2. W. Flitney, b J. Crussell, 2. S. Chalk, c and b J. Ticehurst, 5. H. Lambert, b J. Ticehurst, 11. P. Tavener, c G. Philbey, b J. Crussell, 0. F. Poynter, c L. Willis, b J. Ticehurst, 1. A. Gray, not out, 0. Extras, 3. Total, 40.

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RICKMANSWORTH v. M.C.C.
 Played at Rickmansworth on Wednesday, and won by the visitors by 136 runs.
 Score:

M.C.C.	
R. H. J. Brooke	c Crosland, b Harvey
A. J. S. James	b Fox
C. H. Gosling	b Crosland, b Fox
F. H. Hollins	not out
D. W. Forbes	c Nicholas, b Fox
C. C. Melluish	b Fox
F. H. Carlton Levick	st Hill, b Fox
H. W. Brierley	c Barton, b Fox
Extras	16
Total (7 wickets) 268	

*Innings declared closed.
 W. Williams, Sweetland, and R. M. Bell did not bat.

RICKMANSWORTH.

P. Aston	b Forbes	19
R. Barton	b Brooke	9
K. Crosland	c Gosling, b Bell	38
R. S. Crawshaw	c James, b Melluish	86
L. Hill	b Forbes	0
R. W. Fox	st Sweetland, b Bell	0
P. Ogden	lbw, b Melluish	2
J. K. Mortimer	b Melluish	5
E. Rodbourne	b Melluish	19
T. R. Harvey	not out	2
I. A. Nicholas	st Sweetland, b Williams	0
Extras		2
Total...182		

SOUTH HAMPSTEAD II. v. WEST HERTS II.
 West Herts lost this match at South Hampstead by 67 runs. Score:

West Herts II.	J. H. Body, b Martin, 0.
D. A. Winter	c Brooman, b Humphreys, 27.
H. C. Eden	b Martin, 0.
D. C. Kendrick	b Humphreys, 52.
H. J. Paris	b Martin, 9.
R. A. Evans	b Martin, 98.
H. G. Lowndes	b Humphreys, 11.
R. H. Stimpson	not out, 9.
J. E. Shaw	b Martin, 1.
C. Deane	b Martin, 3.
E. G. Hawes	b Martin, 1.
Extras	12.
Total...152	
South Hampstead II.	H. R. Catlow, b Hawes, 44.
H. L. Wallach	lbw, b Stimpson, 5.
J. F. Wreford	b Body, 29.
J. Fedman	c Winter, b Eden, 95.
K. B. Moore	b Hawes, 5.
A. H. Davies	b Hawes, 2.
E. J. Baxter	c Shaw, b Hawes, 8.
W. T. Weston	b Deane, 8.
F. R. Brooman	run out, 6.
T. Martin	c Winter, b Eden, 1.
A. W. Humphreys	not out, 0.
Extras	16.
Total...219.	

WATFORD v. WEST HERTS III.
 Played at Water-lane, Watford winning by 81 runs. Score:

Watford.	G. Farnes, lbw, b H. J. Sear, 29.
W. Street	b D. A. Reid, 0.
C. Newberry	b H. J. Sear, 34.
A. L. Harris	b Butler, 15.
H. J. Sear	34.
A. L. Harris	b Butler, 15.
J. Lambert	c Reid, b E. L. Herbert, 81.
A. Knight	c Mitchellmore, b Sear, 2.
J. Campbell	b E. L. Herbert, 13.
G. White-stone	c Lanning, b Sear, 13.
J. H. Beaven	c Brand, b E. L. Herbert, 0.
C. Newberry	jun., not out, 0.
Extras	19.
Total...156.	
West Herts III.	J. I. Mitchellmore, b G. Farnes, 5.
H. J. Sear	b Beaven, 10.
D. A. Reid	c Whitestone, b G. Farnes, 20.
E. L. Herbert	b Beaven, 19.
G. A. Brown	b Beaven, 0.
E. A. Brand	b Beaven, 0.
C. W. Sprawson	b Beaven, 5.
P. Lanning	b Beaven, 3.
W. E. Hoare	b Beaven, 5.
Butler	not out, 2.
Stratton	b Beaven, 0.
Extras	6.
Total...75.	

WATFORD AND ST. ALBANS GAS CO. v. NASH MILLS.
 This match, at St. Albans, was won by Nash Mills by 15 runs. Score:

Watford and St. Albans Gas Co.	F. B. Wakelita, c Canvin, b Parr, 5.
R. M. Swan	c Wade, b Canvin, 1.
J. Hornett	stumped, b Canvin, 3.
W. A. Meakins	c Wade, b Canvin, 7.
A. Gould	c Wade, b Canvin, 4.
A. E. Figg	c Chandler, b Parr, 8.
J. T. Dolamore	b Parr, 8.
S. Owen	c Wade, b Parr, 0.
A. Hole	nc out, 0.
F. Brookes	c and b Parr, 0.
F. Stanley	b Canvin, 3.
Total...39.	
Nash Mills.	W. Wright, not out, 21.
J. F. Whitaker	b A. Gould, 9.
F. Chandler	b A. Gould, 0.
W. Hill	c Stanley, b J. Hornett, 1.
F. Langston	run out, 0.
J. Parr	lbw, b A. Gould, 0.
G. Canvin	c Figg, b J. Hornett, 8.
H. White	lbw, b A. Gould, 0.
J. Wade	b A. E. Figg, 6.
H. Hoppes	c Figg, b J. Hornett, 5.
I. Gatheran	b W. A. Meakins, 8.
Extras	1.
Total...54.	

ST. ALBANS P.O. ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT v. ST. ALBANS AND WATFORD GAS CO. "A."
 The Pos. Office won this match at London Colney by 8 runs. Score:

Watford and St. Albans Gas Co.	"A."
W. Pocock	b G. Day, 23.
W. Beard	jun., b Leonard, 5.
B. Randall	c Day, b Leonard, 9.
B. Fowler	c Taylor, b Leonard, 1.
H. Crawley	c and b Leonard, 0.
W. A. Gough	b Leonard, 1.
B. Beech	b Leonard, 0.
H. Tearle	b Leonard, 0.
F. Cave	b Leonard, 1.
A. P. Wilkins	c Day, b Leonard, 2.
C. Simpkins	not out, 0.
Extras	4.
Total...37.	
St. Albans P.O. Engineering Department.	H. M. Taylor, c H. Crawley, b Pocock, 15.
F. Passridge	c F. Cave, b Pocock, 6.
G. A. Rose	c R. B. Fowler, b Pocock, 0.
C. Leonard	c Randall, b Pocock, 0.
G. Day	b Pocock, 8.
M. R. Crawley	b Crawley, 8.
G. Abbott	lbw, b Crawley, 0.
E. Dunnage	c W. Beard, b Crawley, 0.
L. C. Smith	b Pocock, 1.
J. Alfrey	c and b Crawley, 0.
C. J. Kazer	not out, 1.
Extras	6.
Total...45.	

BUSHEY v. ST. ALBANS.
 Bushey opened their Cricket Week by entertaining St. Albans at the Moat Field, and won comfortably by an innings and 42 runs. Bushey won the toss, and W. H. Marsh and S. P. Mole made an excellent start against the good bowling of J. Holt and C. H. Marsh. S. Taylor, M. E. Faithful, and C. Howard made useful additions to the score, which closed with the satisfactory total of 145. For St. Albans, E. J. C. Parker and H. E. Lillyard batted well. W. H. Marsh, W. Ingleson, and J. Harwood bowled very accurately. Mrs. Harwood kindly entertained the two elevens and the members of the Club to tea.

BUSHEY.

W. H. Marsh	b Rabone	21
S. P. Mole	c Harding, b E. Parker	20
J. Harwood	b Holt	0
S. Taylor	run out	28
M. E. Faithful	st Hillyard, b Parker	20
W. Ingleson	lbw, b Ryder	10
B. A. Watts	b Holt	2
J. E. Lillyard	run out	18
F. H. Purton	b Rabone	7
A. J. Reynolds	b Holt	4
E. B. Baxter	not out	0
Extras		19
Total...145		

ST. ALBANS.

F. G. Harding	run out	1
E. J. C. Parker	st Mole, b Marsh	9
H. E. Lillyard	c and b Ingleson	0
C. H. Habone	c sub, b Marsh	8
J. Holt	st Mole, b Marsh	16
G. Stephenson	lbw, b Ingleson	2
L. Ryder	c and b Ingleson	3
H. Stone	c Watts, b Marsh	0
J. Cleveland	not out	0
Total...39		

Second innings: F. G. Harding, b Taylor 7; E. J. C. Parker, c Mole, b Harwood 18; H. E. Lillyard, c Faithful, b Taylor 15; C. H. Habone, c sub, b Marsh 8; J. Holt, b Marsh, 12; G. Stephenson, b Harwood, 6; L. Ryder, lbw, b Marsh, 0; H. Stone, c and b Marsh, 10; J. Cleveland, c Watts, b Harwood, 1. Extras, 2. Total, 64.

BUSHEY v. HERTS COUNTY CLUB.
 On Thursday Bushey entertained the Herts County Club in splendid cricket weather. The County Club went in first, and declared at the tea interval with the score at 250 for nine wickets. R. B. Stephenson heading the score with 63. The score of the home side reached the 50 mark when Walker, who had made 41, sent up a catch, which was held by Darvell in midfield. Score:

HERTS COUNTY CLUB.

P. S. Stoyle	lbw, b Bliss	19
R. Evans	lbw, b Swanson	38
G. Bowman	b Bliss	5
G. Simons	c Hodgson, b Smith	2
G. H. Darvell	c Demery, b Bliss	46
Capt. T. E. Clutterbuck	c Waterhouse, b Smith	17
T. C. Smyth	c Smith, b Swanson	4
R. B. Stephenson	lbw, b Faithful	63
D. A. Reid	not out	27
G. M. Watts	c Bliss, b Faithful	1
W. H. Marsh	not out	6
Extras		16
Total (9 wickets) 250		

*Innings declared closed.

BUSHEY.

G. R. Walker	c Darvell, b Evans	41
G. D. Hodgson	b Smyth	58
W. P. Smith	c Evans	4
P. W. Bliss	b Evans	0
T. J. Swanson	b Smyth	25
P. L. Demery	b Smyth	27
J. Waterhouse	c and b Smyth	0
M. E. Faithful	c and b Smyth	0
W. Ingleson	c Reid, b Smyth	7
G. Howard	c Walker, b Marsh	0
A. J. Reynolds	not out	0
Extras		6
Total...173		

WATFORD WESLEY POLYTECHNIC v. ALLENBOR'S.
 Played on Wednesday at Brightwells Farm, and won by the Wesley by an innings and 17 runs. Score:

Wesley Polytechnic.	A. Thurley, lbw, b Heckford, 11.
F. G. Wells	b Heckford, 1.
A. E. Chandler	b Saunders, 17.
L. J. Dauth	b Saunders, 8.
J. Merchant	c Cox, 4.
W. E. Withey	b Tomlin, 4.
J. King	b Tomlin, 4.
T. North	b Cox, 17.
W. F. Chandler	c Heckford, b Wallace, 2.
E. F. Hutchins	not out, 1.
Extras	8.
Total...71.	
Allenbor's.	S. Russell, c King, b Wells, 0.
G. Tomlin	b King, 1.
Heckford	b King, 8.
A. Cox	c Dauth, b Wells, 5.
J. Watts	lbw, b King, 0.
L. Sisserman	c Dauth, b King, 5.
C. Joiner	c Dauth, b Wells, 2.
F. Ritchon	run out, 1.
A. Russell	c Merchant, b Wells, 7.
D. Saunders	b King, 1.
R. Wallace	not out, 0.
Extras	8.
Total...86. (Second Innings: 18).	

WATFORD CLARION v. L.M.S. ROAD MOTORS.
 At Bushey Hall Farm, the Clarion winning by 22 runs. Score:

L.M.S. Road Motors.	H. Adams, b Burgess, 12.
E. Widdall	b Burgess, 4.
C. Carter	c Deeley, b Wagland, 1.
C. Dyer	lbw, b Burgess, 7.
W. Bickers	b Wagland, 0.
T. Llewellyn	c Church, b Wagland, 3.
A. Ayres	b Burgess, 1.
T. Gill	b Wagland, 0.
F. Witten	b Wagland, 5.
H. Floyd	run out, 1.
H. Webster	not out, 0.
Extras	1.
Total...85.	
Watford Clarion.	B. Hale, b Adams, 0.
H. Atkins	c Adams, b Llewellyn, 2.
P. Dack	c Webster, b Llewellyn, 0.
E. Pinn	c Dyer, b Floyd, 25.
F. Freestone	b Floyd, 7.
A. Fletcher	c Gill, b Stone, 0.
H. Burgess	c Carter, b Floyd, 6.
J. Cartwright	c Webster, b Dyer, 10.
J. Wagland	b Floyd, 0.
W. Church	c Llewellyn, b Dyer, 2.
B. Deeley	not out, 1.
Extras	4.
Total...77.	

ST. JOHN'S v. CHORLEYWOOD HAMMERS.
 St. John's gained an easy victory over Chorleywood Hammers by 101 runs. Score:

St. John's.	P. Mated, c sub, b S. Evans, 6.
F. Cooper	c Humphrey, b White, 23.
S. Masters	b S. Evans, 2.
L. Ford	b S. Evans, 2.
H. Wells	b P. Evans, 10.
A. Bandy	b Winchester, 4.
J. Trevers	not out, 29.
S. Masters	b Humphrey, 0.
G. Trevers	b S. Evans, 3.
C. White	28.
E. Walker	not out, 2.
W. Treacher	did not bat.
Extras	7.
Total (6 wickets) declared, 118.	
Chorleywood Hammers.	E. Evans, b Cooper, 0.
P. Evans	b Cooper, 0.
A. White	b Cooper, 0.
G. White	b Cooper, 0.
H. Humphrey	b Cooper, 0.
H. White	c Wells, b Cooper, 0.
J. Winchester	b S. Masters, 0.
F. Williams	not out, 6.
A. King	b Cooper, 3.
G. Neatherland	run out, 2.
J. Treacher	b Masters, 0.
Extras	2.
Total...12.	

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* Not out.

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F. Cooper (St. John's) v. Chorleywood Hammers	7 for 4
C. J. Wright (Aldenham) v. Sheildish	7 for 29
R. A. Fox (Rickmansworth) v. Pleiades	7 for 39
J. Treacher (Leavesden Baptist) v. Sarratt	6 for 8
T. Brown (Dickinson II.) v. T. and A. Constable	6 for 10
W. Pocock (Watford and St. Albans Gas Co.) v. St. Albans P.O. Eng. Dept.	3 for 20
I. Wykes (Boxmoor) v. Stony Stratford	5 for 9
H. Floyd (L.M.S. Road Motors) v. Watford Clarion	5 for 10
J. Parr (Nash Mills) v. Watford and St. Albans Gas Co. "B"	5 for 19
G. Canvin (Nash Mills) v. Watford and St. Albans Gas Co. "B"	5 for 20
A. Wells (L.M.S.) v. Watford Junction	5 for 20
R. Norton (Beuskin's) v. Little Brickhill	5 for 21
W. Wayland (Watford Clarion) v. L.M.S. Road Motors	5 for 22

TEAMS FOR SATURDAY.

WEST HERTS v. CHORLEYWOOD.
 A: Chorleywood.
 West Herts.—J. C. Wiggs, A. L. Goodall, H. E. Blower, G. Gallery, Z. Iman, D. J. Short, C. J. S. Mitchell, A. Grimstead, F. T. Ward, D. C. Kendrick, E. G. Hawes.

WEST HERTS II. v. CHORLEYWOOD II.
 At Cassio-road.
 West Herts.—H. G. Lowndes, J. E. Shaw, J. H. Bedy, R. H. Stimpson, H. C. Eden, R. A. Evans, H. G. Horton, D. A. C. Reid, C. Deane, H. J. Paris, E. L. Herbert.

COUNTY CRICKET.

HERTFORDSHIRE OVERWHELM BERKS AT READING.

P. G. T. KINGSLEY'S FINE KNOCK.

Hertfordshire, meeting Berkshire in the Minor Counties Championship competition at Reading on Wednesday and yesterday, gained a big victory by an innings and 69 runs.

On a difficult wicket, P. G. T. Kingsley, the Oxford University captain, making his initial appearance of the season for Herts, who batted first, was responsible for a glorious knock of 158. C. B. Fordham, T. R. Walker and J. G. Bland also batted well. Berks, facing a total of 300, lost four wickets for one run, C. B. Fordham and R. Postill, of Radlett, who made an impressive debut for Herts, being responsible for the collapse. R. H. C. Human, the Cambridge Blue, retrieved the situation, but the total only reached 147.

Yesterday, Berkshire had to follow on 162 in arrears, and with Herts on top, they never appeared likely to avert an innings defeat. Roberts bowled particularly well, and his record of seven wickets at a cost of fewer than six runs each represents one of his best performances for the County. In this match, Herts' fielding and general team-work was excellent. Scores:—

Herts—First Innings.

T. P. Lawrence, c Dollery, b Remnant	0
C. B. Fordham, b Mundy	59
G. R. Walker, c Palmer, b Hinde	34
P. G. T. Kingsley, c Palmer, b Hinde	158
J. G. Bland, c Turner, b Hinde	26
G. M. Crossman, c Mundy, b Human	0
Lord Hyde, c Human, b Hinde	3
Brown (S.), c Vaughan, b Human	5
R. Postill, lbw., b Hinde	8
Roberts (E.), c Vaughan, b Hinde	8
Burton (F.), not out	0
Extras	8
Total	309

Bowling.—Human 2 for 49, Remnant 1 for 111, Hinde 6 for 56, Mundy 1 for 47.

Berks.—First Innings.

Hon. R. J. F. Remnant, b Fordham	1
H. L. Lewis, c Fordham, b Postill	0
H. E. Dollery, c Brown, b Postill	0
M. A. Turner, c Crossman, b Fordham	0
G. Sayles, c Fordham, b Roberts	19
R. H. C. Human, not out	82
W. Y. Woodburn, c Burton, b Roberts	0
R. H. R. Palmer, c Lawrence, b Roberts	22
R. T. Vaughan, b Postill	15
H. Mundy, lbw., b Postill	1
H. M. Hinde, b Burton	0
Extras	7
Total	147

Bowling.—Postill 4 for 27, Fordham 2 for 7, Roberts 3 for 64, Burton 1 for 23.

2nd Innings.

Hon. R. J. F. Remnant, lbw., b Roberts	36
H. L. Lewis, b Postill	2
H. E. Dollery, st. Crossman, b Roberts	0
R. H. C. Human, c Lord Hyde, b Roberts	26
M. A. Turner, c Fordham, b Burton	1
G. Sayles, c Lawrence, b Roberts	0
W. Y. Woodburn, c Postill, b Roberts	12
R. H. R. Palmer, b Roberts	7
R. T. Vaughan, run out	4
H. Mundy, c Brown, b Roberts	0
H. M. Hinde, not out	0
Extras	11
Total	93

Bowling.—Postill 1 for 29, Fordham 0 for 11, Roberts 7 for 37, Burton 1 for 5.

HERTS COUNTY CLUB SUCCEED.

The Herts County Club, visiting Chorley Wood, on Wednesday, won comfortably, finishing 54 runs on with two wickets in hand. Scores:—

Chorley Wood.

J. Waterhouse, c Simons, b Marsh ...	10
L. Darvell, c Iranl, b Marsh	31
J. Bates, c and b Hott	5
D. Priestley, b Iranl	32
A. Joiner, c Wales, b Marsh	4
R. Evans, run out	18
H. Darvell, not out	8
L. Wright, b Marsh	2
J. Jarrett, b Marsh	0
E. Hinton, c Reid, b Marsh	14
E. Collins, st. Mole, b Iranl	2
Extras	7
Total	131

Bowling.—Marsh 6 for 69, Hott 1 for 18, Blower 0 for 4, Iranl 2 for 33.

Herts County Club.

G. D. Hodgson, lbw., b Jarrett	21
P. S. Stoyke, b Bates	28
L. E. Garling, c Bates, b Evans	6
H. E. Blower, b Evans	11
Z. Iranl, c Joiner, b Bates	5
H. Simons, c Darvell, b Bates	14
F. R. Hott, c Hinton, b Darvell	31
S. P. Mole, not out	34
W. H. Marsh, b Bates	20
D. A. G. Reid, not out	5
Extras	6
Total (8 wks.)	185

E. H. Wales did not bat.
Bowling.—Jarrett 1 for 36, Evans 2 for 41, Bates 4 for 47, Joiner 0 for 22, L. Darvell 1 for 25, Hinton 0 for 2.

Shenley, who entertained **Charringtons**, on Saturday, succeeded by 74 runs, in a twelve-aside game. On winning the toss, Charringtons decided to bat first on a good wicket, and by the way in which they started it looked as if they would make a big score. They did not, however, fulfil their early promise, and were all dismissed for 40 runs, Harris 12, Russell 11 and Hansard 10, being the only batsmen to reach double figures. H. Gillam (6 for 23), A. Husselbee (3 for 17) and A. Gaunt (2 for 0), took the wickets. Shenley, who did not start any too well—they had two wickets down for eight runs—passed Charringtons' score for the loss of four wickets, and the total eventually reached 123, largely owing to a stand between F. Wooller (41) and A. Newland (12), which produced 53 runs for the seventh wicket. Cox, who took 5 wickets for 23 runs in 15 overs, and James 5 for 17, bowled very well for Charringtons.

Harpenden II., visiting **Berkhamsted II.**, won by two runs after a close finish. C. Dunham 70, H. Bentley 30, R. Pigott 15, H. F. Pigott 14 not out, with W. Freeman 10, were the principal contributors to Harpenden's total of 166. Berkhamsted replied with 134 (A. Wetherall 47, A. Jenoeke 45), Freeman taking 5 wickets for 65 and Bentley 5 for 59.

Watford and St. Albans Gasworks, on Wednesday defeated **Heath Farm Athletic** by six runs. Heath Farm made 31 (S. Parrott 22 not out), and the Gasworks replied with 37 (Figg 18). Hornett, for the Gasworks, took eight wickets for 10, and G. Taylor, for Heath Farm, captured 6 for 14.

Heath Farm Athletic overcame **St. Albans Postals** by 42 runs. After losing four wickets for one run, all taken by Wilson, Heath Farm mustered 53 (S. Chippitt 21, E. Jarvis 10). The Postals were dismissed for 11, F. Camfield taking 6 wickets for 4 and G. Taylor 4 for 4.

HENDREN'S ELEVEN AT RADLETT.

E. Hendren, the England Test Match cricketer, is taking a side to oppose Mr. L. J. Reid's XI, on Sunday, in what is becoming an annual fixture at Porter's Park, Radlett.

The team which "Patsy" Hendren is captaining will include H. W. Lee, Jack Dunston, G. Hart and E. Canning, all of the Middlesex team; J. G. Bland, the St. Albans and Herts County batsman, who is getting runs freely this season; F. Burton and S. Brown, the Herts County Club professionals, and F. Martin, of the Ground Staff at Lords.

Mr. Reid's eleven will, for the most part, be composed of local players, but it will include A. G. Doggart, the Middlesex player and Corinthian footballer, and C. B. Fordham, the Hertfordshire all-rounder.

Last year's game drew a large crowd. Play will start at 1.30 p.m. Admission is free, and refreshments will be obtainable on the ground.

Cricket.

MINOR COUNTIES MATCH.

HERTFORDSHIRE DEFEAT BERKSHIRE.
 Playing at Reading on Wednesday and Thursday in the Minor Counties' Competition, Herts beat Berks by an innings and 89 runs. Score:

HERTS.

T. P. Lawrence, c Dollery, b Remnant	0
G. E. Walker, c Palmer, b Hinde	34
C. B. Fordham, b Mundy	59
P. G. T. Kingsley, c Palmer, b Hinde	158
J. O. Bland, c Turner, b Hinde	26
G. M. Crossman, c Mundy, b Human	0
Lord Hyde, c Human, b Hinde	3
Brown (S.), c Vaughan, b Human	5
R. Postill, lbw, b Hinde	8
Roberts (E.), c Vaughan, b Hinde	8
Burton (F.), not out	0
Extras	8
Total	309

BERKS.

Hon. R. J. F. Remnant, b Fordham	1
H. L. Lewis, c Fordham, b Postill	0
H. E. Dollery, c Brown, b Postill	0
M. A. Turner, c Crossman, b Fordham	0
G. Sayles, c Fordham, b Roberts	19
R. H. C. Human, not out	82
W. Y. Woodburn, c Burton, b Roberts	0
R. A. R. Palmer, c Lawrence, b Roberts	22
R. T. Vaughan, b Postill	15
H. Munday, lbw, b Postill	1
H. M. Hinde, b Burton	0
Extras	7
Total	147

Second innings.—Hon. R. J. F. Remnant, lbw, b Roberts, 36. H. L. Lewis, b Postill, 2. H. E. Dollery, c Crossman, b Roberts, 0. R. H. C. Human, c Lord Hyde, b Roberts, 20. M. A. Turner, c Fordham, b Burton, 1. G. Sayles, c Lawrence, b Roberts, 0. W. Y. Woodburn, c Postill, b Roberts, 12. R. H. R. Palmer, b Roberts, 7. R. T. Vaughan, run out, 4. H. Munday, c Brown, b Roberts, 0. H. M. Hinde, not out, 0. Extras, 11. Total, 93.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

HERTS.

First Innings.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Human	16	2	49	2
Remnant	25	5	111	1
Hinde	18	2	56	6
Woodburn	7	0	38	0
Mundy	16	2	47	1

BERKS.

First Innings.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Postill	11	2	27	4
Fordham	4	2	7	2
Roberts	13	3	64	3
Burton	9	2	23	1

Second Innings.

Postill	10	1	29	1
Fordham	5	2	11	0
Roberts	12	1	37	7
Burton	8	3	5	1
Brown	3	0	19	0

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HERTS WANDERERS v. NORTHWOOD.

Played at Northwood on Monday, rain stopping play. Score:—

HERTS WANDERERS.

P. S. Stoylo, b Parker	47
J. O'Connor, lbw., b Parker	6
J. Gubbins, c Philp, b Parker	0
M. Blair, b Moss	0
Capt. T. R. Clutterbuck, c Waterhouse, b Moss	19
R. Slaughter, run out	92
G. Carter, not out	14
H. M. Lane, c Bates, b Moore	10
D. Sanderson, b Moss	0
Extras	11

Total (8 wks., dec.)...205

NORTHWOOD.

C. Moss, not out	30
E. Bates, b Clutterbuck	7
J. A. Bates, b Clutterbuck	27
A. C. Orr, c Carter, b Slaughter	32
R. Waterhouse, b Slaughter	4
C. Woodroffe, not out	6
Extras	12

Total (4 wks.)...118

CHIPPERFIELD v. ROYAL MASONIC SCHOOL (BUSHEY).

Chipperfield won this match on their own ground by 72 runs. Score:—

Royal Masonic School.—W. B. P. P. Aspinall, lbw., b Bates, 7. J. Hews, c Sharpe, b Bates, 12. M. H. Cutler, c Bignell, b Carlile, 24. J. R. Wards, c Carlile, b Bates, 9. J. F. Rush, c and l Carlile, 19. J. Harwood, st. Waterhouse, b Sharpe, 51. T. R. N. Crofts, c Carlile, b Bates, 12. G. T. Crofts, c and b Sharpe, 2. P. G. Philpote, c Waterhouse, b Sharps, 0. A. G. Tamlyn, c Carlile, b Sharpe, 0. H. P. F. Corbin, not out, 6. Extras, 9. Total, 145.
Chipperfield.—T. B. Sharpe, lbw., b G. T. Crofts, 14. A. T. Hutchinson, lbw., b Cutler, 29. J. A. Bates, c and b G. T. Crofts, 18. A. Joiner, c Bush, b Harwood, 13. N. E. W. Carlile, c G. T. Crofts, b Corbin, 45. E. J. Waterhouse, b Harwood, 28. G. A. Wadham, b Wards, 23. E. Spall, b Wards, 5. A. V. Duffton, not out, 6. F. Bignell, st. Rush, b Harwood, 1. J. Saunders, c Corbin, b Harwood, 1. Extras, 31. Total, 217.

CRICKET.

AN INNINGS WIN.

Robert's seven wickets for fifty runs in the first innings and five for 26 in the second, were outstanding features of the match between Hertfordshire and Cambridgeshire, which opened at Broxbourne, on Wednesday. The scoring was not prolific, but the wicket had been damaged to some extent by the rain, and Cambridgeshire, batting first, were dismissed for 111, H. B. Hart (41) being the only batsman to make a stand. At the fall of the seventh wicket, the score was 108, and the next three wickets fell for the addition of only three runs. Hertfordshire, on Wednesday, had obtained 130 for the loss of seven wickets, S. Brown (not out 31), G. R. Walker (20) and C. B. Fordham (22) being the principal scorers. Yesterday, Hertfordshire had passed their opponents' score before lunch and totalled 178, Brown carrying his score to 40 before being caught and bowled. The fielding and teamwork of the Hertfordshire side were excellent. In a second knock, Cambridgeshire mustered only 53, the top scorer being C. Smith, who scored 16. Hertfordshire won by an innings and fourteen runs. Scores:

Cambridgeshire—1st Innings.

H. B. Hart, c Postill, b Roberts	41
R. Edwards, lbw, b Roberts	10
Covill J., c Fordham, b Roberts	6
G. Carnegie Browne, lbw, b Roberts	12
H. W. Taylor, run out	4
E. Hobbs, lbw, b Burton	1
C. Smith, not out	13
T. W. Parfitt, c Brown, b Postill	13
J. W. Daisley, st. Crossman, b Roberts	3
G. C. Barrett, c Postill, b Roberts	0
D. V. Pask, st. Crossman, b Roberts	0
Extras	8
Total	111

Bowling.—Postill, 1 for 31; Fordham, 0 for 8; Roberts, 7 for 50; Burton, 1 for 14.

2nd Innings.

H. B. Hart, run out	5
R. Edwards, st. Crossman, b Roberts	13
Covill J., lbw, c Postill	7
G. Carnegie Browne, b Roberts	7
H. W. Taylor, c Brown, b Roberts	2
E. Hobbs, c Brown, b Burton	1
C. Smith, b Burton	16
T. W. Parfitt, c Lord Hyde, b Burton	2
J. W. Daisley, c and b Roberts	0
G. C. Barrett, not out	3
D. V. Pask	0
Extras	4
Total	53

Bowling.—Postill, 1 for 8; Fordham, 0 for 9; Roberts, 5 for 20; Burton, 3 for 5.

Hertfordshire.

G. R. Walker, c Hobbs, b Smith	20
T. P. Lawrence, c Hobbs, b Covill	10
C. B. Fordham, c and b Edwards	22
P. G. T. Kingsley c Barrett, b Edwards	1
J. G. Edwards, c Barrett, b Smith	11
G. M. Crossman, c Covill, b Edwards	10
Lord Hyde, c Daisley, b Smith	4
Brown S., c and b Covill	40
Roberts E., b Covill	12
R. Postill, b Pask	15
Burton F., not out	5
Extras	10
Total	178

Bowling.—Smith, 3 for 50; Pask, 1 for 10; Covill, 3 for 40; Daisley, 0 for 14; Edwards, 3 for 38.

ABANDONED.

The bad weather got the better of the teams when Hertfordshire opened the match against Buckinghamshire at Cokene on Monday. The match had to be abandoned after the fall of two wickets, and with only 44 on the board. Scores:—

Herts.

T. P. Lawrence, c Edwards, b Hazelton	1
G. M. Crossman, b Hazelton	8
C. B. Fordham, not out	18
G. T. Kingsley, not out	12
Extras	5
Total (2 wks.)	44

J. G. Bland, M. H. de Zoete, Brown (S.), G. D. Hodgson, M. Cooper, Roberts (E.) and Burton (F.) did not bat.

Bowling.—Hazelton 2 for 15, Edwards 0 for 24.

Bucks.—W. B. Franklin, W. E. Hazelton, R. H. J. Brooke, W. T. Brindley, A. G. Skinner, O. Badoeck, B. H. Stephen Davies, A. J. F. James, R. H. Rutter, C. D. Ruffery and Edwards (E.).

ST. ALBANS' GOOD SCORE.

At St. Albans, on Saturday, St. Albans knocked a good score against Luton, D. F. Harding and C. Dimpleton being the shining lights. The former played well for 73, and the latter gave a good exhibition, his score being 61. With five wickets down and 204 runs on the board, the side declared, and Luton replied with 144 for the loss of seven wickets, F. Wingrave (50) and W. Holiday (29) being the highest scorers. Scores:—

St. Albans.	
H. W. Adams, c Wingrave, b Lamont	6
J. G. Bland, b Emery	13
C. Dimpleton, b.w., b Lamont	61
D. F. Harding, b Emery	73
J. Holt, b Bocking	17
C. H. Rabone, not out	9
A. J. Barnes, not out	14
Extras	11
Total (5 wks., dec.)	204
Luton.	
J. Baum, J. Prunell, G. Stevenson and E. Orton	not bat.
W. E. King, c Stevenson, b Barnes	7
B. Bocking, b Holt	6
W. Holiday, c Stevenson, b Barnes	29
W. Brown, b Barnes	0
W. Emery, c Dimpleton, b Barnes	4
F. Wingrave, not out	50
E. Watkins, run out	4
F. Taylor, c Prunell, b Dimpleton	16
G. Hunt, not out	14
Extras	14
Total (7 wks.)	144
Bowling.—J. Holt 1 for 23, A. J. Barnes 4 for 92, C. H. Rabone 0 for 21, C. Dimpleton 1 for 19, H. W. Adams 0 for 5.	

WON BY ONE.

By one run only, St. Albans II. defeated Luton II. at Luton on Saturday. The only scores of note were 20 and 21 for St. Albans by D. Fassidge and A. H. Wilks respectively, and 24, 18 and 17 by H. Galer, F. Chapman and R. Bird respectively, for Luton. Scores:—

St. Albans II.	
F. Fassidge, c Kay, b Timmus	8
J. Henry, c Randall, b White	7
H. Walters, b White	0
D. Fassidge, b White	20
A. H. Wilks, c Randall, b White	21
A. Moreton, b White	0
C. Day, b White	5
K. Paine, b White	0
A. Parnell, b White	6
R. Barnes, not out	4
A. C. Stroffon, c White, b Gayler	5
Extras	7
Total	92
Luton II.	
J. Kay, c Stroffon, b Wilks	9
R. Bird, c Fassidge (D.), b Paine	17
H. Galer, c Walters, b Day	24
S. Timmus, c Wilks, b Day	5
W. White, c and b Day	0
H. Brewer, b Day	0
F. Chapman, b Paine	18
D. Johns, c Fassidge (D.), b Parnell	5
J. Booth, not out	4
M. D. Randall, b Parnell	0
S. Bone, c and b Paine	6
Extras	4
Total	91
Bowling.—K. Paine 3 for 31, H. Wilks 1 for 26, C. Day 4 for 16, A. Parnell 2 for 14.	

Watford, visiting Aldenham, lost by 16 runs and 5 wickets. W. Street (17) and Brewer (13) were the chief contributors to Watford's total of 63. The Aldenham bowling was steady, but the fielding was weak, several catches being missed. C. J. Wright (4 for 18), F. Masters (3 for 10), N. Hyde (1 for 7), and J. Armstrong (2 for 12) did best with the ball for Aldenham, who made 79 for the loss of seven wickets. E. Wright (12), H. Hawkins (10), J. Armstrong (13), and N. Hyde (12 not out) being their top-scorers.

Aldenham made 65 against the British Legion, on Wednesday last week. N. Hyde (15) and G. A. Timms (16) did well for Aldenham with the bat, while their best bowler was F. Masters (6 for 3). The British Legion totalled 27.

Sandridge, playing at home to the Royal Artillery, on Saturday, won by 94 runs. Batting first, they made 156 for 8 declared, by the aid of W. Rolfe (75 not out), F. Lovett (11 not out), S. Winch (13). The Royal Artillery could only reply with 42 against the bowling of F. Giles (7 for 17). W. Rolfe fielded well for Sandridge, one excellent throw-in from deep field to the wicket-keeper resulting in a fine run-out for one of the Royal Artillery's best batsmen.

On a wicket where the ball rose very awkwardly, causing one nasty accident, Cockfoster's, playing at home, beat Elstree, by 21 runs. W. Skelton (42 not out), and Haines (22) were the chief scorers for Elstree. N. Moore (10) was the only other Elstree batsman to reach double figures. Unfortunately for Skelton, Gurney was obliged to retire with a nasty cut under the eye. The innings closed with the score at 80. The Rev. B. Hopson (47), Clark (20), and E. Pickett (15) all made runs easily for Cockfoster's, but they were helped by "Mr. Extras" (22). C. Brown bowled well, his 8 wickets only costing 46 runs, E. Evans taking the other 2 for 30 runs.

CITY POLICE LOSE.

At Harpenden on Wednesday, St. Albans City Police played "D" Division of the Hertfordshire Constabulary. St. Albans Police, capt. first, Sergeant Sampson and P.C. Sheppard opening the innings. The former played consistently for 102 not out, and the latter ran up a useful 45, before he was caught. Among Sergeant Sampson's hits were 0 fours and 2 sixes. When the tea interval arrived, the score had reached 170, and the St. Albans men decided to declare their innings closed. Up to the loss of the eighth wicket by the Hertfordshire Police, matters were looking rosy for the St. Albans team, but apparently, Kingham had not been taken into account, and he was responsible for carrying the total to 188 without any further loss, the match being thus won by the Herts Police, by two wickets and nine runs. Kingham's contribution to this was an excellently-played 148 not out. Scores:—

St. Albans City Police.	
P.S. Sampson, not out	102
P.C. Sheppard, c Kingham, b Edwards	45
P.C. Burnett, b Carter	20
P.C. Hard, not out	10
Extras	2
Total (2 wks., dec.)	179
Ch. Cons. Ashton, P.C. Ball, Stroffon, P.C. Burne, P.C. Messenger, P.C. Hurst, P.C. Lee did not bat.	
"D" Division.	
P.C. Wells, b Ashton	1
P.C. Phipers, c Burnett, b Ashton	2
P.C. Edwards, c Ashton, b Sampson	8
P.C. Carter, c Stroffon, b Ashton	1
P.C. Whyman, b Sampson	0
P.C. Anderson, c and b Sampson	0
P.C. Thompson, c Stroffon, b Ashton	2
P.C. Jones, b Sampson	15
P.C. Smith, not out	5
Kingham, not out	143
Extras	5
Total (8 wks.)	188
P.S. Fitter did not bat.	
Bowling.—Sampson 4 for 72, Ashton 4 for 102, Sheppard 0 for 0.	

RAIN WINS.

Rain on Sunday prevented a day's cricket when Mr. L. J. Reid's XI. entertained "Pat" Hendon's XI. at Porter's Park.

Only three of Mr. Reid's batsmen were out when it was decided to give the rain rest. A. W. H. Baucher scored 32 not out, C. B. Fordham 29 and H. M. Garland Well 18. With eight extras the total reached 91. A. G. Daggart being caught and bowled without scoring.

H. Lee took all the wickets. The other members of Mr. Reid's team were G. H. Vasey, L. J. Reid, H. D. Roberts, G. C. Melluish, K. Postill, M. Brunton, H. Watson and T. Down.

St. Albans Rubber Works paid a visit to Kimp-ton on Saturday, but they found runs difficult to get. Kimp-ton winning a fairly easy victory, the bowling of Gattward, 5 for 13, and Hale, 5 for 23, being the main factor in the Rubber Works' defeat. Kimp-ton, batting first, lost four wickets for only 12 runs, but B. B. and B. Gray (37) made a stand. Gray and Shaw (18) added 23 for the eighth wicket, and the innings closed for 80, (Childs 4 for 24, Field 3 for 22, Fisher 1 for 15 and Turner 1 for 14). The Rubber Works reached only 36 (Burke 9, Windmill 8 and Judkins 8). In a second innings, the Rubber Works scored 57 for 6 (Fisher 22, Turner 10).

Leverstock Green (26) defeated Watford and St. Albans Gasworks "A" (22) by 14 runs. The Gasworks batted first, but did not fare any too well, the whole side being out for 22 runs, of which W. Beard (7) and H. Crawley (5) were the top-scorers. For Leverstock Green, G. Latchford again bowled remarkably well, and succeeded in obtaining 8 wickets for 10 runs. The remaining two wickets were claimed by A. Steers, for 30 runs. On going in to bat, Leverstock Green had 18 runs on the board for the loss of two wickets, but the other nine men only succeeded in getting another 18, making a total of 36. A. Steers (12), A. French (10) and G. Latchford (8) were Leverstock Green's chief scorers.

Batting first at Highwood Hill, on Saturday, the Old Albanians, who were entertained by Mill Hill Village C.C., started well, and looked capable of putting on a good score. The first wicket fell with 22 runs on the board, Hignett being out. Jerry, who followed, was soon back again after mistiming a ball well outside his wicket and playing on before having scored. Fraser-Smith, usually very safe between the wickets, ran himself out two runs later. The next five wickets fell for the addition of 21 runs, and it appeared that the Old Boys would be out for their lowest score of the season. Hunter, however, inspired hit hard and often, but showed great judgment in running singles with the field spread out. The 10. With Farr bowled at 74, which Hunter claimed and Sibley to bat in his first game of the season, it seemed that the team's fate rested with Hunter, but Sibley, encouraged by a four off his first ball, hit valiantly, and claimed eleven of the ball which kept low, the innings being beaten by a Knighton, who had had luck in being given out, made 24, including five 4's. Hunter (22 not out) and Sibley (11) were the other chief scorers. Mill seven overs yielding only four runs and one wicket, which fell at five, but Fraser-Smith again was out of form, and was giving away too many

boundaries. Mill Hill's second wicket realised 30 runs, a large proportion of which were byes, owing to the substitute keeper being handicapped by a bad leg. Two more wickets then fell to Jerry and W. H. Hignett, and with the score at 5 for 69, the Old Boys had a fighting chance, but they were unable to get rid of H. Gibbs (31 not out), and their score was passed by Mill Hill for the loss of six wickets. The best bowling figures for the Old Boys were J. C. Hignett 2 for 22, W. H. Hignett 4 for 28, and Jerry 1 for 2.

Harpenden N.C.H., entertaining Harpenden British Legion, won by 77 runs. The N.C.H. batted first, and Speight and Blythe opened the innings. With the exception of Speight's 36, scoring did not rise much until Smithers and Gillings came in. They made a good stand together, and by the time Gillings was caught, 39 had been added to the score. Smithers scored his 33 freely and quickly, but was finally caught by North at slip. The innings closed with 115 on the score-board, Rogers (40 for 45), Watson (2 for 21), Brouch (1 for 11), and Jakes (1 for 29) were the chief bowlers for the British Legion, who were very unlucky during their innings. The excellent bowling of Speight and Smithers proved too much for them and the close, their score only totalled 38. 5 hers, with the best ball of the game, sent one all twenty-eight yards behind the wicket. Jakes made their highest individual score, being 12 not out. Smithers (5 for 20) and Speight (1 for 18) did best with the ball for the N.C.H.

Frogmore's bowling, on Saturday, when they entertained Gorbamby, was effective, and visitors being dismissed for 20. In total comprising three 4's, two 2's, one 5, five "ducks" and a bye. Sir Alfred Faulkner took 6 wickets for 12, and G. Wright 3 for 7. Frogmore's score, however, was not great, as they could only muster 52. S. Lee and F. Ples, with 11 each, only achieving double figures. For Gorbamby, C. Javelan took 5 for 15, and R. Upton 4 for 25.

London Colney lost a very interesting game to Bentley Heath by 6 runs. The total scores were: London Colney 70, Bentley Heath 76. Bentley Heath, taking first knock, batted well, A. Trotz 10, A. Howard 18, C. Howard 14 and B. Whittaker 10 all reaching double figures. H. Eames bowled excellently for London Colney, and had the fine analysis of 5 wickets for 13 runs. London Colney began badly, but a fifth wicket partner up of 34 by A. Robinson 18 and B. Risley 16, who took the score to 55, turned the game in their favour. Their last five wickets, however, could only add another fifteen runs, and the score closed for 70. A. Bygrave bowled well for Bentley Heath, taking 6 wickets for 14 runs.

Markyate made their highest score of the season when they defeated Toddington, 25 Markyate, by 119 runs. S. Archer (73) and H. Archer (65) were Markyate's top-scorers, and W. Coles (15), A. Muckleston (10) and A. Fox (10) were the best batsmen for Toddington. A. Palmer (3 for 20), L. Turvey (4 for 24), S. Culver (1 for 2), and P. Cook (1 for 6) were Markyate's most dangerous bowlers. Toddington's bowlers were A. Muckleston, jr. (1 for 45), J. Bowers (1 for 57), A. Muckleston, sen. (5 for 26), W. Coles (1 for 29), and Pickering (1 for 8).

Freshwaters' O.D. visited Heath Farm O.C. on Saturday, and won by 16 runs. Freshwaters batted first, and knocked up 86, W. Adams making 36 and W. Penny 17. Hornet took 4 wickets, Taylor 3 and F. Camfield 3. J. Day (10) and E. Camfield (14) were the highest scorers for the Farm. The Freshwaters' bowlers were D. Gray (2 wickets), Adams (2), Atkins (2) and Penny (1). Heath Farm's score was 70.

In a return game with Nicholsons' (20 and 85), Heath Farm bowled and Athletic Club (28 and 27) were easily defeated. Turner, for Nicholsons', made 55 before being bowled by Taylor. Taylor bowled well for Heath Farm, taking 5 wickets for 6 runs in the first innings. Heath Farm's highest scorers were F. Camfield (16 and 11) and J. Day (8). For Nicholsons', Felstead scored 9, Klunlar 8 and Saunder 8.

Playing at Barnet, on Saturday, Harpenden effected a draw with the Barnet Club. Barnet batted first, and the innings closed at 156 for 9. G. Pank playing a fine 61 and H. J. Jewell 34 not out. F. Appleyard took 4 for 41 and W. H. Marsh 4 for 45. Harpenden's total was 104 for 8, and to this P. Kingham contributed 36, P. S. Stoyle 22, W. H. Marsh 18 not out, F. Dench 0, F. Appleyard 8 and A. R. Hussell 6. J. M. Wallis took 2 for 24, C. F. Etheridge 2 for 36, and W. W. Mulvey 1 for 20.

On Sunday, Elstree's game with the Old Crusaders was ruined by rain. Batting first, the Crusaders had scored 45 for the loss of 3 wickets, when the match was abandoned.

Bonhley, batting first against All Saints', Whetstone, were dismissed for 81. L. Smith 17, H. Gillam 15, J. Black 11, and E. Osmond 10, being the chief contributors. All Saints' totalled 54, their best batsman being W. Dick, who A. Gaunt 2 for 0, and A. Newland took 4 for 8.

Potter's Bar 1st XI, playing a twelve-a-side game with Morris Works, Victoria, at Northaw on Saturday. Batting consistently throughout, Spencer 18. For the Works, Potter took 24 wickets for 46 and Lewin 4 for 47. Morris House lost their first wicket for one run, but after that they never looked back. C. Potter knocked up a merry 69, which included 15 fours, and B. Wicks played an excellent 24. Potter's Bar's 100 was the final wicket, fell at 124. For Potter's Bar, P. Shiers took three wickets for 5 runs, and F. Harvey 5 for 50.

HERTS DEFEAT BERKS.

THRILLING CONCLUSION IN MINOR COUNTIES' CHAMPIONSHIP.

Herts defeated Berks. in a Minor Counties Championship match, at Porter's Park, on Wednesday and yesterday, by three wickets.

After tea had stopped play at lunch-time, on Wednesday, Berks had been dismissed for a first-innings total of 65. Yesterday, Herts declared with 212 for 8 wickets, and Berks, in their second innings, made 108. Then, with three-quarters-of-an-hour before close of play, Herts required 52 to win, and succeeded by three wickets.

The feature of Herts' first innings was J. G. Bland's 47, C. B. Fordham's 39, Crossman's 38 and Kingsley's 40.

Herts.	
1st Innings.	2nd Innings.
J. G. Bland, c	47 lbw, b Remnant ... 5
F. Hinde, b Mundy ...	12 b Remnant 4
F. Remnant, c	c Woodburn, b
C. B. Fordham, c	39 Hinde 0
Norris, b Woodburn	
P. G. T. Kingsley, c	46 b Hinde 14
Norris, b Woodburn	c R. Palmer, b
M. H. de Zoete, run out	0 Remnant 2
G. M. Crossman, not out	38 c Carr, b Hinde ... 17
A. Grimsdell, lbw, b Remnant	0 not out 3
Brown, s, c Norris, b Woodburn	6 run out 1
Roberts, F., lbw, b Woodburn	0 not out 3
R. Postill, not out	0
Extras	6 Extras 3
Total (8 wkts.)	212
	Total (7 wkts.) 52

Burton, F., did not bat. R. Postill and Burton, F., did not bat.

Bowling.—1st Innings.—Remnant 1 for 80, Hinde 1 for 21, Human 0 for 7, Woodburn 4 for 66, Mundy 1 for 32. Second Innings.—Remnant 3 for 56, Hinde 3 for 13.

Berkshire.

Berkshire.	
1st Innings.	2nd Innings.
Hon. R. J. F. Remnant, c Grimsdell, b Postill	13 c Longton, b Burton 47
H. L. Lewis, b Burton	0 Fordham, b
J. H. Human, b Postill	1 Roberts 6
J. L. Carr, b Burton	0 b Burton 50
A. Norris, run out	0 not out 68
G. Sayles, c and b	12 c Longton, b Burton 4
Burton	st Grimsdell, b
R. H. R. Palmer, lbw, b Burton	6 Roberts 0
W. Y. Woodburn, b Roberts	1 b Burton 0
Gerald Palmer, c	3 b Burton 7
Burton, b Roberts	0 b Longton 0
H. Mundy, lbw, b Roberts	16 lbw, Roberts ... 0
H. M. Hinde, c	1 b Roberts 0
Grimsdell, b Burton	3 Extras 16
Extras	
Total	65
	Total 108

Bowling.—1st Innings.—Postill 2 for 19, Fordham 0 for 2, Burton 5 for 26, Roberts 5 for 18. 2nd Innings.—Postill 0 for 25, Burton 6 for 70, Roberts 4 for 51, Brown 0 for 19, Kingsley 0 for 11, Fordham 0 for 6.

POLICE DEFEAT H.O.H.

The annual cricket match between the St. Albans Police and those connected with the annual effort for the St. Albans Hospital—this year the H.O.H.—was played on the Belmont-hill fields yesterday. Among the spectators present were the Mayor of St. Albans (Mr. I. H. Ironmonger), the Mayoress (Miss Ironmonger) and Mr. H. Partridge Smith.

The Police were too good for their opponents and, thanks to the Chief Constable (Mr. N. Ashton 49, and P.C. Sheppard 68 not out, won easily by 7 wickets. Their total was 154 for 8 and that of the H.O.H. was 140. Sergt. Sampson had the splendid average of 6 wickets for 32.

During the interval, tea was taken at the Ver Hotel, where Mr. A. J. Reynolds, Captain of the H.O.H. team, extended a welcome to the visitors, who had come to see the game. At the conclusion of the match, the Mayor presented to the winning team the urn containing the "Ashes." Mr. Ashton responded: "This is the fifth year in succession that the Police have won the "Ashes." Scores:—

H.O.H.

R. Taylor, b Sergt. Sampson	31
M. Wiggs, c Cook, b Hard	72
Harvey, c Hard, b Ashton	7
Venner, c Porter, b Ashton	6
Gill, b Sergt. Sampson	6
Woodward, lbw, b Sergt. Sampson ..	0
Haxter, c Harrison, b Sheppard	7
Howkins, b Sergt. Sampson	5
R. Ralton, b Sergt. Sampson	1
W. Richardson, c and b Sergt. Sampson	1
A. J. Reynolds, not out	0
Extras	5
Total	140

Bowling.—Sergt. Sampson 6 for 32, Ch. Constable Ashton 2 for 55, Sheppard 1 for 47, Hard 1 for 1.

Police.

Sergt. Sampson, b Howkins	15
P.C. Sheppard, not out	68
P.C. Phipers, b Howkins	0
P.C. Hard, c Ralton, b Howkins	14
Ch. Cons. Ashton, not out	49
Extras	8
Total	154

P.C. Harrison, P.C. Messenger, P.C. Porter, E. Cook, B. Sampson, P.C. Gee did not bat. Bowling.—Howkins 3 for 55.

St. Albans drew with Abbot's Langley, at Abbot's Langley. St. Albans declared with 181 for 8 wickets, and Abbot's Langley made 61 for 5. For St. Albans, J. Holt made 46, C. H. Rabone 36 not out, and A. J. Barnes 36. Their best bowlers were Lismore (2 for 32), Dumpleton (3 for 26), Adams (4 for 32), and Harding (5 for 36). The chief batsmen for Abbot's Langley were R. Williams 16 and Image 12. Williams (2 for 28) and Image (3 for 30) were their most dangerous bowlers.

St. Albans II. entertained Abbot's Langley II. and scored 100 for the loss of three wickets (A. H. Wilks 56 not out, G. Morrison 27), before rain stopped play.

In an exciting game, yesterday, Heath Farm Social and Athletic Club defeated Fisk's XI, by five runs. F. Camfield and G. Garrott were the top scorers for Heath Farm with 12 each and Cain, with 15, was Fisk's top scorer. G. Taylor, 5 for 13, and F. Camfield, 5 for 16. Cain and Hutchins took all the wickets for Fisk's. Heath Farm Social and Athletic Club scored 82 and 48, and Fisk's XI 32 and 43.

At St. Albans, on Tuesday, London Colney Chorlators played and defeated St. Albans Abbey Chorlators. The Abbey had first knock, but scored only 17, Taylor (4 wickets) and Draper (5 wickets) bowling effectively. In a second innings they scored 24. London Colney's first innings yielded 31, of which Whitteman scored 15, and the second 14. It is hoped to arrange a return match at London Colney.

Rain delayed the start of the game between Aldenham and Radlett "A," at Aldenham, on Saturday, but good progress was made till rain again, at 6 o'clock, put a finish to the match. Radlett batted first and totalled 75, R. Cooper making 43 of the total, no one else reaching double figures. It was a very good knock considering the outfield was long grass and also very slow with recent rains. F. Masters had the best bowling figures for Aldenham, taking 3 wickets for 4 runs. J. Armstrong took 2 for 16, H. Scott 2 for 21 and C. Wright 2 for 30. Aldenham found runs even harder to get than Radlett did, and when rain put an end to the game they had lost 7 wickets for 38 runs, R. Stacey being 12 not out. For Radlett, S. Morris took 4 wickets for 9 runs, R. Cooper 2 for 21 and S. Loatson 1 for 2.

HERTS' INNINGS VICTORY.

Hertfordshire gained a victory by an innings and 34 runs when they visited Lincolnshire, at Boston, on Friday and Saturday, for their return game in the Minor Counties Championship.

J. G. Bland, who made 41, P. G. T. Kingsley 31, and Roberts 29 not out, all batted well on a very difficult wicket. Herts totalled 218, a very creditable score having regard to the adverse conditions. So splendidly did R. Postill and O. B. Fordham open the Herts attack that five Lincolnshire wickets were down for 11 and eight men were out for 28, but White and Norman added 48 for the ninth wicket. Lincolnshire had to follow on 145 in arrears. Roberts bowled very effectively, taking 6 wickets for 20, and Lincolnshire were all out for 111.

Roberts was in very fine form in this game, and in the two innings captured nine wickets for 45, an excellent performance. Scores:—

Herts.

J. G. Bland, lbw, b Cartwright	41
Brown (S.), run out	23
O. B. Fordham b Cartwright	9
P. G. T. Kingsley, c and b R. Chatterton	31
G. M. Crossman, c Worman, b R. Chatterton	13
T. P. Lawrence, c and b Worman	23
M. H. de Zoete, c Sutton, b R. Chatterton	18
A. Grimsdell, b Worman	8
Roberts (E.), not out	29
R. Postill, b Cartwright	12
Burton (F.), b Scholey	2
Extras	9
Total	218

Bowling.—Scholey 1 for 35, Worman 2 for 29, Sutton 0 for 21, Cartwright 3 for 36, Caswell 0 for 23, R. Chatterton 3 for 56.

Lincolnshire.—First innings.

R. Chatterton, c de Zoete, b Postill ...	0
J. Robinson, st. Grimsdell, b Roberts	13
R. Statters, lbw, b Fordham	0
G. Chatterton, b Fordham	0
T. Scholey, c Grimsdell, b Postill	5
W. A. Sutton, b Postill	0
M. H. Clark, b Postill	8
A. White, b Postill	20
J. Cartwright, b Roberts	0
J. N. Worman, c Grimsdell, b Roberts	28
W. Caswell, not out	0
Extras	5
Total	73

Bowling.—Postill 5 for 24, Fordham 2 for 5, Roberts 2 for 25, Burton 0 for 4.

Second Innings

R. Chatterton, c Bland, b Roberts ...	16
J. Robinson, b Burton	8
R. Statters, b Roberts	19
G. Chatterton, c Bland, b Roberts ...	0
T. Scholey, b Fordham	47
W. A. Sutton, c Brown, b Postill	0
M. H. Clark, b Roberts	10
A. White, b Roberts	5
J. Cartwright, not out	0
J. N. Worman, b de Zoete	0
W. Caswell, c Brown, b Roberts	0
Extras	6
Total	111

Bowling.—Postill 1 for 23, Fordham 1 for 7, Roberts 6 for 29, Burton 1 for 37, Brown 0 for 18, de Zoete 1 for 0.

RAIN ROBS HERTS OF POINTS.

Rain ruined Hertfordshire's Minor Counties Championship fixture with Norfolk, at Norwich, on Monday and Tuesday, a storm causing the game to be abandoned at a time when Norfolk were toiling to avert the follow-on.

Herts won the toss but, on Monday morning, the wicket was under water. A fresh wicket was prepared, and play started at 4.30 p.m. The outfield was sodden, and Herts did extremely well under the difficult conditions to score 93 for 3 wickets before the close of play for the day. J. G. Bland's innings was, in the circumstances, a splendid one, his 50 including six boundaries. C. B. Fordham, too, batted excellently. On Tuesday, Herts carried their total to 171. Norfolk made a disastrous start. R. Postill was bowling very fast and very accurately. Five Norfolk wickets were down for 9 and, at 2.30 p.m., when a storm broke and flooded the pitch, Norfolk, with only three wickets to fall, were still 123 in arrears. Scores:—

Herts.

J. G. Bland, c Barry, b Scott-Chadd	50
Brown (S.), c Bell, b Beadmore	1
C. B. Fordham, c Barry, b Scott-Chadd	87
P. G. T. Kingsley, c Beadmore, b Scott-Chadd	11
G. M. Crossman, c Stevens, b Falcon	28
T. F. Lawrence, c Coldham, b Beadmore	11
M. H. de Zoete, c Gladden, b Beadmore	17
A. Grimmsdell, c Scott-Chadd, b Bell	8
Roberts (E.), lbw, b Beadmore	4
R. Postill, c Barry, b Beadmore	0
Burton (F.), not out	0
Extras	4
Total	171

Bowling.—Bell 1 for 22, Beadmore 5 for 57, Scott-Chadd 8 for 56, Eagle 0 for 9, Falcon 1 for 23.

Norfolk.

F. R. Bell, b Fordham	5
R. H. Gladden, b Postill	0
W. G. Eagle, c Kingsley, b Postill	0
M. Falcon, c Brown, b Postill	0
B. W. R. Rought, lbw, b Fordham	0
J. M. Coldham, run out	6
G. A. Stevens, c Fordham, b Postill	17
G. N. Scott-Chadd, not out	19
J. H. Barry, not out	1
Total (for 7 wickets)	48

Nichols (J.) and W. A. Beadmore did not bat. Bowling.—Postill 4 for 19, Fordham 2 for 13, Roberts 0 for 16, Burton 0 for 0.

HERTS' FIRST INNINGS LEAD.

Hertfordshire took points for a first innings lead in their match with Cambridgeshire, at Cambridgeshire, on Wednesday and Thursday. Scores:—

Herts.—First Innings.

J. G. Bland, b Smith	13
Brown (S.), c and b Pask	5
C. B. Fordham, b Pask	36
P. G. T. Kingsley, b Smith	4
G. M. Crossman, run out	2
T. P. Lawrence, b Smith	11
M. H. de Zoete, c Smith, b Sussen	39
A. Grimsdell, not out	49
Roberts (E.), bow, b Smith	12
M. Cooper, b Smith	9
Burton (F.), bow, b Saxon	2
Extras	18

Total 201

Bowling.—Smith 5 for 46, Pask 2 for 28, Saxon 1 for 7, Sussen 1 for 4

Cambs.

H. B. Hart, bow, b Fordham	1
K. R. J. Saxon, c Kingsley, b Roberts	41
Covill (J.), bow, b Roberts	8
F. A. Ridgeon, b Roberts	9
R. Edwards, c Bland, b Cooper	21
L. Hobbs, c Grimsdell, b Roberts	2
C. W. Paddiford, c and b Fordham	7
E. I. Sussen, b Fordham	6
Smith (C.), c Lawrence, b Fordham	2
G. C. Barratt, not out	12
D. V. Pask, b Fordham	4
Extras	2

Total 102

Bowling.—Cooper 1 for 5, Fordham 5 for 32, Roberts 4 for 26

Herts.—Second Innings.

P. G. T. Kingsley, not out	25
G. M. Crossman, b Smith	5
M. H. de Zoete, b Smith	9
Brown (S.), not out	3

Total (2 wkts dec.) 33

Cambs.—Second Innings.

H. B. Hart, c Grimsdell, b Burton	8
K. R. J. Saxon, bow, b Roberts	2
Covill (J.), not out	2
F. A. Ridgeon, not out	2

Total (for 2 wkts.) 14

HERTFORDSHIRE'S LAST GAMES.

Hertfordshire, who, at the time of writing, held second place in the Minor Counties Championship Competition, and are not without hopes of ultimately succeeding, will be represented in their last two matches v. Bucks, at High Wycombe, on Monday and Tuesday, and against Norfolk, at Watford, on Thursday and Friday, by the following team:—

G. M. Crossman (Captain), P. G. T. Kingsley, A. Grimsdell, C. B. Fordham, J. G. Bland, M. H. de Zoete, T. P. Lawrence, R. Postill, Burton (F.), Roberts (E.), and Brown (S.).

HERTS GENTLEMEN LOSE BY THREE.

Sir James Hill's XI defeated the Gentlemen of Herts, at Hexton Manor, by 3 runs. W. E. King (43) and F. Popplewell (40) were the only batsmen to reach double figures for Sir James's XI, while P. S. Stoyke (22), K. Hunter (19), R. Evans (17) and W. H. Marsh (10) were the chief contributors to the Gentlemen of Herts' total. Hawler (5 for 25), Appleyard (2 for 26) and King (3 for 41) did most damage with the ball for the Gentlemen of Herts, and Evans (4 for 33) and Paul (6 for 36) were Sir James's chief bowlers. Scores:—

Gentlemen of Herts.	
W. H. Marsh, c Field, b Appleyard	10
P. S. Stoyke, b Hawler	22
L. E. Garling, b King	0
R. Evans, b Appleyard	17
K. Hunter, lbw, b King	19
F. R. Paul, b Hawler	7
E. Holt, lbw, b Hawler	7
H. Darvell, c Wild, b Hawler	0
G. Simons, b Hawler	0
E. H. Wales, not out	10
S. P. Mole, b King	4
Extras	5
Total	97

Bowling.—Hawler 5 for 25, Appleyard 2 for 26, King 3 for 41.

Sir James Hill's XI.	
W. E. King, c Hunter, b Evans	43
E. Cummings, c Darvell, b Evans	1
F. Popplewell, c Hunter, b Paul	40
B. Appleyard, b Evans	0
E. Ambler, lbw, b Paul	1
J. Ellison, c Mole, b Evans	5
R. Olliver, lbw, b Paul	0
W. Knight, c Simons, b Paul	0
C. E. Wold, c Mole, b Paul	3
R. Field, b Paul	6
D. Hawler, not out	0
Extras	1
Total	100

Bowling.—Marsh 0 for 30, Evans 4 for 33, Paul 6 for 36.

DEFEAT NARROWLY AVERTED.

At Cheshunt, on Tuesday, when rain interrupted play, the County Club declared with 179 for 8, and Cheshunt just managed to save the game, being 63 in arrears with only two wickets to fall when the end came. Scores:—

Herts County Club.	
R. B. Stephenson, lbw, b Swain	6
P. S. Stoyke, c Massey, b Link	77
R. Stephenson, not out	64
G. Simons, run out	23
Extras	0
Total (8 wickets dec.)	179

Capt. T. R. Clutterbuck, H. Cooper, E. R. Hott, S. P. Mole, J. Holt and W. H. Marsh did not bat. Bowling.—Swain 1 for 29, Link 1 for 22.

Cheshunt.	
H. Alcock, c Mole, b Marsh	4
J. D. Speed, b Marsh	1
A. V. Dean, b Hott	34
H. N. Greene, c Clutterbuck, b Marsh	32
S. Massey, c R. B. Stephenson, b Marsh	4
H. W. Oddy, c Holt, b Marsh	25
H. Pett, c Hott, b Eolt	1
C. Link, not out	11
C. W. Wootton, b Marsh	0
J. Swain, not out	2
Extras	3
Total (8 wickets)	126

E. A. Berridge, did not bat. Bowling.—Marsh 6 for 67, Holt 1 for 81, Hott 1 for 25.

LYE HOUSE BEAT BUSHEY.

Lye House, playing at home, on Saturday, won by seven wickets. The outstanding feature of the game was a marvellous catch made on the boundary by A. Austin to dismiss G. R. Walker. Bushey's leading batsman Austin, when against the rails and going at full length, took the ball in one hand when a six appeared certain. Facing a total of 116, J. Hollom, R. B. Rees, C. Gentle and R. J. V. Spurway all batted very confidently for Lye House. Scores:—

Bushey.	
G. D. Hodgson, c Bull, b Rees	28
G. R. Walker, c A. Austin, b Ruault	25
A. H. Fisk, b Ruault	2
W. F. Smith, b Ruault	18
T. L. Demery, b Rees	6
J. R. Wards, c Ruault, b Bull	0
M. K. Falful, c Spurway, b Bull	0
P. Blanford, c East, b Bull	16
W. Ingleson, c Rees, b Bull	3
J. Blanford, c Gentle, b Welsh	13
E. H. Purton, not out	1
Extras	3
Total	110

Bowling.—Bull 4 for 41, Welsh 1 for 29, Ruault 3 for 27, Rees 2 for 6.

Lye House.	
J. Hollom, c Purton, b Ingleson	27
R. B. Rees, b Purton	20
C. Gentle, b Purton	41
R. J. V. Spurway, not out	23
C. E. Ruault, not out	4
Extras	4
Total (for 8 wickets)	119

J. Roffe, W. East, W. Welsh, J. Bull, C. Austin and A. Austin did not bat. Bowling.—Smith 0 for 41, Ingleson 1 for 22, Purton 2 for 36, Wards 3 for 16.

ST. ALBANS BEAT EDMONTON.

Thanks to a fine not-out innings of 73 by C. H. Rabone, followed by good bowling by J. Holt and W. Lismore, St. Albans beat Edmonton, at Winchmore Hill, by 20 runs, on Monday. Scores:—

St. Albans.	
W. L. Clark, c Sharpen, b Day	85
E. J. C. Parker, b Johnson	0
W. Lismore, c Bennett, b Sharpen	0
C. H. Rabone, not out	73
H. W. Adams, b Bowles	4
J. Holt, b Day	3
S. H. Rabone, lbw, b Sharpen	7
A. J. Barnes, c Bliss, b Johnson	1
I. Baum, lbw, b Bowles	0
H. Walters, b Bowles	0
R. Baines, b Day	4
Extras	6
Total	185

Bowling.—Johnson 2 for 11, Bowles 3 for 43, Sharpen, 2 for 28, Milbourne 0 for 23, Day 3 for 24.

Edmonton.	
H. H. Sharpen, lbw, b Lismore	9
N. C. Bennett, b Holt	20
J. J. Matthews, b Holt	0
F. O. Milbourne, c Rabone, b Barnes	21
W. V. Vince, c Holt, b Clark	34
C. West, c S. Rabone, b Lismore	9
R. W. Day, b Holt	7
F. O. Johnson, c C. Rabone, b Lismore	0
G. C. Bliss, c S. Rabone, b Holt	5
F. Bowles, b Lismore	4
C. Coles, not out	1
Extras	5
Total	115

Bowling.—Holt 4 for 31, Lismore 4 for 28, S. Rabone 0 for 17, Clark 1 for 14, A. Barnes 1 for 20.

E. J. C. PARKER'S CENTURY.

St. Albans, visiting Dunstable, on Tuesday, won by 153 runs. E. J. C. Parker made a century for St. Albans, and L. M. Ryder brought about a Dunstable collapse, taking 6 wickets for 12 runs. S. H. Rabone (4 for 25) also bowled admirably. Scores:—

St. Albans.	
E. J. C. Parker, b Howes	103
D. F. Harding, c Johnson, b Patchett	35
C. J. Fletcher, b Gardom	26
C. H. Rabone, b Patchett	1
S. H. Rabone, lbw, b Gardom	2
B. T. Cadge, not out	19
A. J. Barnes, c Johnson, b Nicholls	3
G. Stevenson, not out	14
Extras	—
Total (6 wickets dec.)	204

W. Runchman, R. Baines and L. Ryder did not bat. Bowling.—J. Gardom 2 for 80, R. Nicholls 1 for 47, D. Patchett 0 for 24, J. Patchett 2 for 56, C. Howes 1 for 3.

Dunstable.	
L. Cockland, b S. H. Rabone	9
P. C. Howes, b S. H. Rabone	8
J. Gardom, c C. Rabone, b S. H. Rabone	0
W. Paterson, c Harding, b L. Ryder	0
W. Johnson, c Fletcher, b S. H. Rabone	17
J. Patchett, b L. Ryder	1
R. Nicholls, b L. Ryder	6
G. Thorne, c C. Rabone, b L. Ryder	0
H. Sumnerfield, c Baines, b L. Ryder	0
H. Allen, b L. Ryder	0
G. Smith, not out	0
Extras	6
Total	51

Bowling.—S. H. Rabone 4 for 25, W. Runchman 0 for 8, L. Ryder 6 for 12.

HARPENDEN AND LUTON DRAW.

Harpenden visited Luton, on Saturday, when a drawn game ensued. Scores:—

Harpenden.	
F. Appleyard, c Smith, b G. Taylor	27
R. P. Nelson, b G. Taylor	36
R. Kingham, c Worboys, b G. Taylor	0
K. Hunter, c Smith, b Lamont	6
A. Hassell, c and b Worboys	64
M. Tooley, not out	31
Extras	16
Total (for 5 wickets dec.)	180

F. Dench, H. F. Pigott, W. H. Marsh, R. Howard and S. P. Mole did not bat. Bowling.—Lamont 1 for 51, H. Taylor 0 for 25, Worboys 1 for 33, G. Taylor 3 for 44, Watkins 0 for 10.

Luton.	
W. Brown, b Marsh	0
G. Taylor, c Kingham, b Marsh	23
F. Wingrave, b Appleyard	36
F. Watkins, b Marsh	4
C. Smith, c Tooley, b Hunter	25
A. Waller, not out	5
F. Chapman, b Kingham	15
A. Worboys, not out	1
Extras	6
Total (for 6 wickets)	111

B. Collins, H. Taylor and J. Lamont did not bat. Bowling.—W. H. Marsh 1 for 82, F. Appleyard 3 for 35, H. Howard 0 for 13, K. Hunter 1 for 14, B. Kingham 1 for 10.

BUCKNALLS' ANNUAL RE-UNION.

Bucknalls', stalwarts of pre-war days, have an annual re-union on August Bank Holiday, when they play Lye House. This year's fixture, the sixth of its kind, proved very interesting and resulted in a victory for Lye House by 49 runs. Scores:—

Lye House.	
J. P. Hall, lbw, b Bull	16
J. Hollom, b Bull	4
R. J. V. Spurway, lbw, b B. Sharpe	33
R. B. Rees, c East, b Bull	2
F. B. Pinch, lbw, b P. Sharpe	44
B. O. Babb, b B. Sharpe	0
C. E. Ruault, b B. Sharpe	5
R. Pusey, c and b B. Sharpe	22
A. Austin, b B. Sharpe	12
C. Austin, b B. Sharpe	6
R. Jefford, not out	3
Extras	8
Total	154

Bowling.—Bull 3 for 25, B. Sharpe 6 for 43, Welsh 0 for 29, P. Sharpe 1 for 49.

Bucknalls'.	
W. East, c Hall, b Pinch	35
C. Gentle, b Pinch	3
J. Roffe, b Pinch	7
P. Sharpe, lbw, b Ruault	0
A. Sharpe, c Austin, b Ruault	0
J. Bull, b Pinch	11
B. Sharpe, c Spurway, b Pinch	24
W. Welsh, c Spurway, b Pinch	12
E. Mitchell, b A. Austin	0
E. Gentle, b A. Austin	1
E. Sharpe, not out	1
Extras	11
Total	105

Kimpton defeated Rutland by 90 runs in a two-innings match, at Kimpton, on Monday. Kimpton's first venture realized 81 (W. Pruden 25, Hale 11, Gatward 11, Meadows 10). Rutland, against the bowling of Gatward (5 for 12) and Hale (4 for 28) could only reply with 46 (F. Lloyd 10). Kimpton, making 88 (Gray 24, Pruden 20, Gatward 1, E. W. North 9) in their second venture, set 1 and to get 124 for victory. That task was beyond them, and the side collapsed badly, being dismissed for 27 before Hale (5 for 3), Russell (3 for 0) and Gray (2 for 6).

On Monday, Frogmore (56) suffered severely at the hands of Wafford Engineers (91), at Park Street, the latter avenging the defeat they received earlier in the season, but it is only fair to mention that Frogmore, owing to holidays, had a depleted team, and the visitors, Reid (21), Treacher (17), Heasman (11) and Watson (10 not out) batted well. Frogmore's bowlers were England (5 for 12) S. Gentle (2 for 18), lies (2 for 25) and S. Lee (1 for 19). None of the home team reached double figures, Clark and Gentle, with 8 each, and England 7, doing best. The Engineers' bowlers were C. Foxley (0 for 14) and A. Wells (4 for 16).

Hatfield United recorded a smashing victory over the L. and N.E. Railway Loco, at Hatfield. The railwaymen were dismissed for 29, of which E. Palmer made 11 not out and E. Dean 7. J. Smith taking 7 wickets for 7 and W. Sands 3 for 11. Hatfield United knocked up 107 for two wickets. E. Cooper Smith making 132 not out and H. Shepherd 63 not out. Cooper Smith hit no fewer than nineteen 4's.

The annual match, Married v. Single, at the Hatfield United Athletic Club, played on August Bank Holiday for a silver cup presented to the Club by the officers, N.C.O.'s and men of the 1/10th London Regiment, resulted in a runaway win by 102 runs for the single men. Both teams batted twice, players but fielded with eleven. The Singles won the toss, and batted first, on a wicket which, owing to the heavy rain during the night, soon set up, and made 140, of which E. Dean contributed 48, H. Shepherd 22, J. Walby 20, W. Whitby 12 not out, and W. Walby 12. The wickets fell to A. O. Fuller 4 for 37, W. Gilchrist 2 for 17, Simpson 2 for 28, E. Groom 1 for 10, F. Taylor 1 for 21, and E. Elliott 1 for 24. The Married were dismissed for 44 (A. O. Fuller 11, E. Elliott 7, H. Richardson 7) by Dean 4 for 16, Shepherd 3 for 10, Richardson 2 for 8 and Whitby 1 for 7.—After the match, Mrs. W. R. Watson presented the cup to the Captain of the Singles team, Mr. D. Richardson, who said he felt before the match that, at last, the Married team were going to wrest the cup, but it seemed traditional that the Singles should hold it; in fact, the Married had only won the cup once since the war, but he thought that winning the toss had won the match, owing to the state of the wicket. Mr. E. Groom, the Married's Captain, in responding, thanked all who had given their support, also those who had assisted in the day's arrangements, particularly Mrs. Watson and Mrs. Abrahams, who had charge of the catering arrangements.

Markyate, visiting Woburn, won by 84 runs. Woburn batted first and were all out for 80. Apart from L. Champkin (18) they could do nothing against the bowling of A. Palmer (6 for 14) and L. Turney (4 for 25). H. Archer (25) was the chief contributor to Markyate's total of 73. Woburn's most successful bowlers were for 20.

Markyate II, lost their home match with Bloot and were dismissed for 30 (F. Fountain 9, C. Turner 6 not out) by Reid (4 for 10), Worthington (3 for 5), Wilding (1 for 0) and S. Smith (1 not out). Biscot replied with 116 (Worthington 30 not out, A. Herbert 25), the wickets falling to E. Thorne (3 for 20), C. Cutler (3 for 37), R. Cain (2 for 23) and C. Betts (1 for 21).

Parish Church by 86 runs. Markyate batted first and were dismissed for 30 (F. Fountain 9, C. Turner 6 not out) by Reid (4 for 10), Worthington (3 for 5), Wilding (1 for 0) and S. Smith (1 not out). Biscot replied with 116 (Worthington 30 not out, A. Herbert 25), the wickets falling to E. Thorne (3 for 20), C. Cutler (3 for 37), R. Cain (2 for 23) and C. Betts (1 for 21).

HARPENDEN JUST FAIL TO FORCE WIN.

Harpenden just failed in an endeavour to force a victory in their match with West Herts, at Harpenden, on Monday. Facing a total of 221, Harpenden, at the close of the game, which was left drawn, with two wickets to fall, required only six runs for victory. Scores:—

West Herts.	
Z. Irani, b Marsh	1
H. F. Mason, b Howard	14
T. R. Taylor, c Kingham, b Marsh	4
H. E. Blower, c and b Howard	40
C. J. Mitchell, c and b Marsh	1
E. C. Kendrick, c Appleyard, b Hunter	16
J. C. Wiggs, c Tooley, b Howard	7
C. H. Sowndes, c Tooley, b Appleyard	19
E. L. Herbert, c Appleyard, b Marsh	1
D. A. G. Reid, b Appleyard	8
E. D. Hawes, not out	0
Extras	10
Total	121

Bowling.—Irani 6 for 38, Hawes 2 for 38, Lowndes 0 for 13, Mason 0 for 8.

Harpenden.	
F. Appleyard, lbw, b Irani	8
R. P. Nelson, b Hawes	11
K. Hunter, lbw, b Hawes	18
R. Kingham, c and b Irani	24
M. Tooley, c and b Irani	4
F. Dench, c Taylor, b Irani	2
H. F. Pigott, b Irani	0
W. H. Marsh, not out	15
K. Howard, b Irani	15
S. P. Mole, not out	0
Extras	19
Total (for 8 wks.)	116

P. C. Gladwin did not bat.
Bowling.—Irani 6 for 38, Hawes 2 for 38, Sowndes 0 for 13, Mason 0 for 8.

Radditt "A" were in a very favourable position when their game with St. Albans II., at Porter's Park, was left drawn. Radditt went in first. The batting was fairly consistent. T. Down made 69, playing correct cricket. A. G. Snelling scored 24 in a very good knock. F. Green 19, H. Williams 13 and W. Lamb 21 not out in about five minutes. The Radditt captain declared at tea time when the total stood at 172 for seven wickets. St. Albans had just over two hours in which to get the runs, but the early batsmen were painfully slow, taking an hour to make 21 runs. It was not till the arrival of C. Rabone that the rate of scoring was increased. Rabone and H. Walters took the total from 27 to 5 to 64. Although Walters did not make many runs, he played a good game for his side. After Walters left, Rabone and H. Wilks played out time, but they were ways looking for runs. C. Rabone's knock for St. Albans was very valuable, as he scored 38 not out out of a total of 82 for 7 wickets. H. Wilks was the only other batsman to reach double figures, scoring 11 not out.

Potter's Bar's first string received the Wood Green Wesleyans, on Saturday, and lost by three runs. Winning the toss, Potter's Bar batted first and compiled 137 runs, 24 of which were "Extras." Drane played very correctly for 52, he being sixth out. He, however, gave two chances, the first at 11. D. Westoby played well, too, for 29, he, eventually, being out to a fine one-hand catch at deep leg. Wood Green totalled 140, but there was a doubtful decision when the last pair were together, Potter's Bar claiming that Milner was bowled at 135, whilst the batsman declared that the ball rebounded from the wicket-keeper's pads. However, the Potter's Bar team sportingly returned to the field and lost the match by 3 runs. For Wood Green, McCarthy hit finely for 41, Forrest 35 and Burnell 32, were the other chief scorers. Harvey, Potter's Bar captain, again bowled well, taking 7 wickets for 45 runs.

Potter's Bar's second eleven match with Wood Green Wesleyans II., at Wood Green, resulted in a draw. Potter's Bar made 89 (Brown 21, Williams 20) and Wood Green 81 for 8 wickets (Ferring 20). For Potter's Bar, Westoby took 6 wickets for 21. For Wood Green, Weedon took 6 wickets for 15, and Batt 8 for 19.

Potter's Bar had their customary fixture with Mr. S. A. Pensonby's side, on Monday. A full day's cricket was played with thirteen players on each side. The bowling, on the President's side, however, was rather weak, and Potter's Bar, securing first knock, were not dismissed until they had compiled 267. L. Butcher headed the list with 63, whilst Frost made 40 and Drane 31. The President's side, in their first knock, totalled 82, of which number P. Spencer, by fine hitting, made 35 and Longley 14. Their second innings made 95, H. J. Richmond, the skipper, compiling 43 not out, Longley 14, Earnshaw 10 and Westoby 10. Mr. Pensonby, as usual, provided an "al fresco" lunch, etc.

Hatfield Estate defeated Finchley Municipal by 70 runs. Hatfield Estate made 110 (A. Gow 44, W. Mitchell 32, G. Diddams 11). Parker (4 for 30) did the best bowling for Finchley, who made a poor show with the bat, being all out for 49 (Fyans 16, Grimsley 9). W. Mitchell bowled splendidly for Hatfield Estate to capture 7 wickets for 38.

After two seasons in which the games have ended in a draw, Filtwick managed to beat Harpenden N.C.H. by 105 runs. Filtwick, having won the toss, decided to bat first. Horler and Godfrey made a good start, and for some time it seemed as though no bowler would be able to separate them. At last, however, E. French, with a beautiful spin ball, dismissed Horler for 29. Godfrey stayed longer and, by the time he was caught by Gillings at point, he had made 42. Hazley also batted well, for 29, and the Filtwick total reached 168. French (5 for 48) and Speight (4 for 71) did the best with the ball for the N.C.H. The N.C.H. had a half of their usual team on holiday; it was probably owing to this that their performance did not equal previous occasions. They were all out for 61. Richardson, who batted well for 29 not out, was the only man who was able to get a good score. The Filtwick bowlers were Godfrey (4 for 13), G. Horsler (3 for 12), H. Horsler (3 for 13) and Giles (1 for 17).

The game between the Old Albanians and the Fullerian Wanderers, on the Watford Grammar School ground, on Saturday, was interfered with by rain, and was left drawn. A late start was made and, batting first, the Old Albanians found runs difficult to obtain against very accurate bowling coupled with a slow outfield. The board showed fifty for two wickets but, after the dismissal of M. A. Wiggs for 22, no one stayed very long and the side was out for 94 (J. L. Sanderson 11, G. D. Wigge 18). W. L. Clark bowled with great accuracy for the Fullerians, his analysis reading: 21 overs, 6 maidens, 32 runs and 5 wickets. Left with only an hour-and-a-half to get the runs, the Fullerians started disastrously, T. Sear being brilliantly caught by Godwin at backward point, and Barnes, getting Clark and Brand caught, all for 8 runs. S. A. Rabone and Mitchellmore pulled the game round and took the score to 43 before Rabone was bowled by Sanderson for 22. Subsequently, though Mitchellmore (23 not out) and Rowe (12 not out) hit valiantly, they could not quite get the runs, and the final score was 70 for 5 wickets. For the Old Albanians, M. A. Wiggs took 2 for 31 and A. J. Barnes took 2 for 15.

In an all-day match, on Monday, the Old Albanians beat Emmanuel Old Boys by 4 wickets. The pitch was very tricky and runs difficult to obtain. Batting first, Emmanuel were dismissed for 54, of which A. Doud made 21. M. A. Wiggs made two brilliant catches at square leg and also took three wickets for 9 runs. Other bowlers were W. L. Hignett 2 for 12, J. L. Sanderson 2 for 12, and G. F. Roslyn 2 for 11. The Old Albanians passed this total for the loss of three wickets, M. A. Wiggs making 26, R. F. George 15, A. C. Strotton 11, but in endeavouring to force the pace the rest of the batsmen collapsed and the total only reached 77. F. Oakes taking 5 for 23. Batting again, Emmanuel were no better and were out for 50 (R. Doud 13). W. L. Hignett taking 4 for 10, E. F. George 3 for 9 and G. F. Roslyn 2 for 11. The Old Albanians were left to get 28 runs to win in 15 minutes. They lost 4 wickets in accomplishing this, J. L. Sanderson being the only one to hit the six that all the others got out attempting to get.

Shenley, visiting Rosslyn, at Barnet, on Saturday, won by two wickets. At one time it looked as if play would be impossible, as a storm broke over the ground just as a start was about to be made but, under the influence of a hot sun and fairly strong wind, the pitch dried quickly and the game was begun about 4 p.m. Rosslyn batted first and, with the exception of Crawshaw, who scored 29, no one settled down. Rosslyn were all dismissed for 71. Three Rosslyn men were run out, and of the remaining wickets H. Gillam took 8 for 24. When Shenley batted things went badly. Six wickets were down with but 24 runs scored when F. Smith was joined by his captain, F. Binn. That pair, however, raised the score to 62, when E. Binn was bowled for 14. Woolter then joined Smith, and they remained together until the Rosslyn score was passed. The Shenley total eventually reached 93 for 9, with L. Smith, who undoubtedly saved the game for Shenley, still undefeated, having scored 40. Aldred, who took six wickets for Rosslyn, bowled very consistently.

Shenley won their annual match with Kilburn Kingsley, on Monday, by 78 runs. The conditions necessitated a late start. Then Shenley, who won the toss, batted first, the wicket which was too dead to give much assistance to bowlers and, as the result of some steady and very consistent batting, ran up a total of 147. E. Binn and C. Rowson 29 each, H. Gillam 18, and E. Binn, L. Smith and C. Secker 10 each, all batted well. E. Smith, who sent down 19 overs and took 6 wickets for 21 runs, bowled splendidly for Kingsley, and was well backed up by Chambers, who took 3 for 20 runs. When Kingsley batted they could do little with the bowling of H. Gillam (7 for 27) and A. Gaunt (4 for 15) and were all dismissed for 74. Holden and E. Lovesey, who scored 26 and 13 respectively, were the only batsmen to reach double figures.

Aldenham lost to Morgan Grenfell and Co., at Beckenham, on Saturday, by 45 runs. Morgan Grenfell and Co. lost four wickets for 7. C. J. Wright clean-bowled the first two batsmen. With W. W. Hill, Wood, the Blue, and A. Baker, the Arsenal footballers, out for another run, Aldenham kept the whip-lash, and eight wickets were down for 23. A. Stone (33) and A. C. Hunt (22), however, retrieved the situation, and the total reached 80. C. J. Wright took 6 wickets for 26. H. Scott 3 for 28. F. Masters 1 for 7 and N. Hyde 1 for 4. Aldenham made a poor show with the bat, and were all out for 35, but, going in a second time, they did better and scored 47 for 8 (E. Wright 27, R. Stacey 14 not out).

On Monday, Aldenham defeated Mr. A. B. Stevens XI. by 55 runs. The losers batted first and were all out for 85 (Rutt 10). C. J. Wright taking 6 wickets for 19, including the "hat-trick," and H. Scott 2 for 18. Aldenham made 90. C. J. Wright shaping well for 35. E. Timms contributed 19 and H. Hawkins 10. Stevens' team had a second knock, and with the Aldenham captain giving all his players a run with the ball, they made 65 for 9. Pettitt (2 for 9) had the best bowling analysis.

Kimpton defeated St. Albans Rubber Works by 61 runs. The Rubber Works, who were short of several regular players, were quickly put out for 24 (J. Judkins 6) by Hale (5 for 10) and Gattward (5 for 12). Kimpton, who had won the match before their fourth wicket fell, went on to total 85 (C. Smith 24, W. Welch 18, Gattward 12). G. Childs (5 for 38) did best with the ball for the Rubber Works and received good support from L. Hall (2 for 11) and J. Fisher (2 for 12).

Yesterday, St. Albans City Police played their return game with Bedford Borough Police, at Belmont-hill, St. Albans, and after an exciting finish to a low-scoring encounter, succeeded by one run. Bedford could only muster 30 (Jennings 8). G. Sheppard taking 7 wickets for 14 and A. C. Sampson 3 for 15. Sampson made 11, had 6 and took 3 for St. Albans, but when Denton, the last man, went in, four runs were required for victory. Denton made the winning hit and was bowled next ball. For Bedford, J. Connors took 6 wickets for 20 and Jennings 3 for 19.

Abbot's Langley II. beat Gornhambury II. by 39 runs. Abbot's Langley lost six wickets for 41, but Tolett, who hit ten boundaries in his 48, and Watson 26, put a different complexion on matters, and the total mounted up to 129. Upton took 6 wickets for 40, Javelau 2 for 29 and Mutton 1 for 31. Gornhambury replied with 99 (Burgess 24, Upton 22, Sampson 9). Aldridge 3 for 6 had the best analysis of the Abbot's Langley bowlers.

North Mymsms defeated Christ Church, Lancaster Gate, on Monday, by 25 runs, with six wickets to spare. Christ Church were dismissed for 71 (C. Walker 22, S. Mynett 20) by R. Colville (4 for 26), A. J. Bradbeer (2 for 12) and F. Hickson (2 for 6). North Mymsms made 115, of which Bradbeer contributed 81. In their second venture, Christ Church made 87 (A. Jordan 19), F. Hickson taking 6 wickets for 9. Left to get 43 for victory, North Mymsms won easily, and at the close of play had made 68 for 4 (Bradbeer 42 not out, C. Colville 26).

The match between Harpenden II. and Luton II., at Harpenden, on Saturday, was left drawn. Luton made 160 (J. Deacon 58, P. Bird 20), E. W. Pellant taking 4 wickets for 70 and H. Bentley 3 for 36. Harpenden's response had reached 130 for 6 when time came. J. Wren made 26, W. Freeman 20 not out, E. W. Pellant 19 not out, G. H. Gray 16, A. H. Miller 13 and C. Dunham 10.

Visiting King's Walden, on Monday, Harpenden II. participated in another drawn game. King's Walden declared with 185 for 3 (H. Shaw 105, G. S. Shuckleford 30 not out, J. Parkyn 33). Harpenden made a bold bid to force a victory, and at the close had made 174 for 6, C. Dunham batting finely for 111 not out, while R. J. Pigott contributed 44.

Wheatthainstead defeated Luton Clarendon by four runs on Saturday. Wheatthainstead made 87 (E. Elmore 23, A. Laphorn 23). Clarendon replied with 83 (R. Godfrey 32), F. Cain (5 for 33), and E. Elmore (4 for 27) were most successful with the ball for Wheatthainstead.

Welwyn Garden City II., visiting the William Baker Technical School, were defeated by four wickets. Welwyn Garden City totalled 93 (Bulter 21, Mann 16, R. Fisher 14, O'Connor 9). Brooks taking 4 wickets for 27. The School lost five wickets for 50, but a lively knock by Haslin of 59 not out, carried them to victory and, at the close, they had made 129 for 6, Busby contributing 20 and Penny 16. Mann (3 for 31) and Wleek (2 for 32) were the most effective of the seven bowlers tried by Welwyn Garden City.

Gornhambury lost by 29 runs to West Herts, on Monday, in a match which was played on a soft pitch and between showers. West Herts, who batted first, found runs difficult to obtain, out by cautious methods they gradually took their score to 87 (J. I. Mitchellmore 23, R. Starling, 15, L. H. Foxen 12 and E. Brand 12). Funnell took 3 wickets for 21 runs, and Neal 4 for 16 for Gornhambury. R. Starling, who bowled splendidly, took 5 wickets for 18 runs. C. Deane (4 for 17) had most of the Gornhambury batsmen guessing and the side was out for 58 (Halsey 18, Neal 9, and Twitthett 3).

North Mymsms were severely beaten by 104 runs at Gornhambury, on Saturday, when some splendid batting by Funnell was witnessed. Gornhambury were able to declare with the score of 132 for 6 wickets. Funnell batted steadily for his 50 not out, and Canon Crawley and K. Crawley batted very attractively for scores of 27 and 20 respectively, each hitting a six. F. Hickson was the best of the North Mymsms bowlers, and took 3 wickets for 18 runs. North Mymsms fared very badly before Twitthett (3 for 10) and Neal (6 for 16), who bowled unchanged and only totalled 28 (E. Colville 9 not out, and A. J. Bradbeer 6).

The annual match between St. Albans Cricket Club and Verulam Golf Club, a twelve-a-side affair, played at Clarence Park, on Tuesday and Wednesday of last week, resulted in a win for the Cricket Club by 87 runs. The Golfers batted first and totalled 100 (J. G. Bland 24, H. R. Horn 19, L. F. Allengame 10, L. Baum 10 not out), the wickets falling to C. H. Rabone (4 for 19), A. J. Barnes (3 for 53), J. Holt (2 for 12) and C. Dumpleton (1 for 12). The Cricket Club won the match before their third wicket fell and went on to total 187 (C. Dumpleton 60, D. F. Harding 35, A. J. Barnes 20), W. Lismore (8 for 61), L. Ryder (2 for 36) and L. Baum (1 for 22) took the wickets.

London Colney (67), on Saturday, avenged a defeat sustained earlier in the season by trouncing Watford (27) by 40 runs. Batting first, Watford were soon dismissed, H. Runchman (6 for 14) being absolutely unplayable. The Watford score was passed with only two wickets down, and eventually London Colney totalled 67. J. Holt, the St. Albans all-rounder, did well for his old club in scoring 32, whilst R. Risley (14) also batted well. C. Hambrook (5 for 12) and J. Campbell (4 for 21) bowled well for Watford.

HERTS v. LINCOLNSHIRE.

Herts, who are showing excellent form this season, beat Lincolnshire at Boston on Friday and Saturday by an innings and 34 runs. Score:—

HERTS.

J. G. Bland, lbw., b Cartwright	41
Brown (S.), run out	23
C. B. Fordham, b Cartwright	9
P. G. T. Kingsley, c and b R. Chatterton	31
G. M. Crossman, c Worman, b E. Chatterton	13
T. P. Lawrence, c and b Worman	23
M. H. de Zoete, c Sutton, b R. Chatterton	18
A. Grimsdell, b Worman	8
Roberts (E.), not out	29
B. Postill, b Cartwright	12
Burton (F.), b Scholey	2
Extras	9
Total...	211

LINCOLNSHIRE.

R. Chatterton, c de Zoete, b Postill	0
J. Robinson, st. Grimsdell, b Roberts	12
R. Flatters, lbw, b Fordham	0
G. Chatterton, b Fordham	0
T. Scholey, c Grimsdell, b Postill	5
W. A. Sutton, b Postill	0
M. H. Clark, b Postill	3
A. White, b Postill	20
J. Cartwright, b Roberts	0
J. N. Worman, c Grimsdell, b Roberts	28
W. Caswell, not out	0
Extras	5
Total...	78

Second Innings.—R. Chatterton, c Bland, b Roberts, 16. J. Robinson, b Burton, 8. E. Flatters, b Roberts, 19. G. Chatterton, c Bland, b Roberts, 0. T. Scholey, b Fordham, 47. W. A. Sutton, c Brown, b Postill, 0. M. H. Clark, b Roberts, 10. A. White, b Roberts, 5. J. Cartwright, not out, 0. J. N. Worman, b de Zoete, 0. W. Caswell, c Brown, b Roberts, 0. Extras, 6. Total, 111.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

HERTS.				
	O.	M.	R.	W.
Scholey	10	0	35	1
Worman	26	10	39	2
Sutton	7	0	21	0
Cartwright	11	0	36	3
Chatterton	16	2	56	3
Caswell	4	0	22	0

LINCOLNSHIRE.				
First Innings.				
Postill	11	2	24	5
Fordham	5	2	5	2
Roberts	10	4	25	3
Burton	5	2	14	0

Second Innings.				
Postill	11	8	23	1
Fordham	7	8	7	1
Roberts	11	8	20	6
Burton	10	2	37	1
Brown	8	2	18	0
de Zoete	1	0	0	1

HERTS v. NORFOLK.

Owing to rain, play in this match at Norwich on Monday did not start until 4.30 p.m., and at the close of play Herts had 95 for three. They ran their total to 171 on the second day, and had seven home wickets down for 46 when rain drove the players in. Herts thus had to rest content with a draw:—

HERTS.

J. G. Bland, c Bally, b Scott Chadd	50
Brown (S.), c Bell, b Beadsmore	1
C. B. Fordham, c Bally, b Scott Chadd	37
P. G. T. Kingsley, c Beardmore, b Scott Chadd	11
G. M. Crossman, c Stevens, b Falcon	28
T. P. Lawrence, c Coldham, b Beadsmore	11
M. H. de Zoete, c Coldham, b Beardmore	17
A. Grimsdell, c Scott Chadd, b Bell	8
Roberts (E.), lbw, b Beadsmore	4
R. Postill, c Bally, b Beadsmore	0
Burton (F.), not out	0
Extras	4
Total (7 wks.)	48

NORFOLK.

F. R. Bell, b Fordham	5
R. H. Gladden, b Postill	0
W. G. Eagle, c Kingsley, b Postill	0
M. Falcon, c Brown, b Postill	0
B. W. R. Rought, lbw, b Fordham	0
J. M. Coldham, run out	6
G. A. Stevens, c Fordham, b Postill	17
G. H. Scott Chadd, not out	19
J. H. Bally, not out	1
Total (7 wks.)	48

Nichols (J.) and W. A. Beadsmore did not bat.

Bowling Analysis.

HERTS.				
	O.	M.	R.	W.
Bell	17	7	22	1
Beadsmore	26	7	57	5
Scott Chadd	22	3	56	3
Eagle	6	3	9	0
Falcon	6	0	23	1
NORFOLK.				
Postill	11	1	19	4
Fordham	5	1	13	2
Roberts	6	1	16	0
Burton	1	0	6	0

HERTS v. CAMBS.

This match, at Cambridge, on Wednesday and Thursday, was drawn. Hertfordshire made 201 (Grimsdell 49 not out) and 33 for two (declared), and Cambridgeshire 102 and 14 for two.

HERTS COUNTY MATCH AT WATFORD.

The following players will represent Hertfordshire in the two concluding county matches of the season against Bucks on August 11 and 12, at High Wycombe, and against Norfolk on August 14 and 15, at Cassio-road, Watford:—G. M. Crossman (captain), P. G. T. Kingsley, A. Grimsdell, C. B. Fordham, J. G. Bland, M. H. de Zoete, T. G. Lawrence, R. Postill, Burton (F.), Roberts (E.), and Brown (S.).

The last match, against Norfolk, on the Cassio-road ground, Watford, may perhaps decide whether Hertfordshire will be at the top of the championship table at the end of the season. Hertfordshire are now second in the list; although amongst other counties Bucks and Norfolk have to be met, their present position augurs well.

Several well-known cricketers will be playing for Norfolk, including M. Falcon, R. Rought-Rought, the Cambridge blue, and S. Beadsmore, a slow spin bowler. In the absence of continual rain, the wicket at Cassio-road, Watford, should be in splendid condition, and two good days' cricket can be confidently anticipated.

HERTS COUNTY CLUB v. CHESHUNT.
At Cheshunt on Tuesday, the game being drawn. Score:

HERTS COUNTY CLUB.	
R. B. Stephenson, lbw, b Swain	6
P. S. Stoyle, c Massey, b Link	77
P. R. Stephenson, not out	64
G. Simons, run out	23
Extras	9
Total (3 wkts.)	179

*Innings declared closed.
Capt. T. R. Clutterbuck, H. Cooper, E. R. Hott, S. P. Mole, J. Holt, and W. H. Marsh did not bat.

CHESHUNT.	
H. Alcock, c Mole, b Marsh	4
J. D. Speed, b Marsh	1
A. V. Dean, b Hott	34
H. N. Greene, c Clutterbuck, b Marsh	32
S. Massey, c R. B. Stephenson, b Marsh	4
H. W. Oddy, c Holt, b Marsh	25
H. Pett, c Hott, b Holt	1
C. Link, not out	11
C. W. Wootten, b Marsh	9
J. Swain, not out	2
Extras	3
Total (8 wkts.)	126

C. A. Berridge did not bat.

BERKHAMSTED v. AMERSHAM.

Berkhamsted played Amersham on the latter's ground on Monday, and won by 83 runs. D. G. O'Shea scored 57 for Berkhamsted, and T. Clay took five Amersham wickets for 23 runs. Score:—

BERKHAMSTED.	
P. R. Stephenson, run out	6
E. C. Griffith, lbw, b James	20
V. M. F. Sheppard, c and b Brunning	33
D. G. O'Shea, b James	57
L. P. Vaughan, b Brunning	4
T. Clay, b Loos	0
R. Brandon, c Hoare, b Brunning	1
R. B. Stephenson, c Edgar, b Loos	4
S. Taylor, c and b Brunning	1
J. H. Hopkinson, c Shrimpton, b Loos	0
R. W. Finnemore, not out	0
Extras	2
Total	128

AMERSHAM.	
C. Collins, b Clay	10
H. C. Orton, c Clay, b Finnemore	1
R. Simms, c O'Shea, b Finnemore	0
W. Edgar, b Clay	3
H. R. Hoare, c Hoare, b Clay	14
T. W. Orton, run out	0
C. Frackley, b Clay	0
E. Loos, b Vaughan	5
H. C. James, not out	4
W. Brunning, c and b Clay	1
W. Shrimpton, run out	2
Extras	5
Total	45

ALDENHAM v. A. STEVENS' XI.

Aldenham won this game by 55 runs. Score:—
Aldenham.—G. A. Timms, b Baldock, 2. F. Masters, b Baldock, 2. H. Hawkins, run out, 10. R. Stacey, c and b Kevin, 2. G. Wright, c Kevin, b Reynolds, 5. E. Timms, c Baker, b Reynolds, 19. C. J. Wright, b Reynolds, 35. N. Hyde, c Rouse, b Stevens, 1. H. Scott, c Baker, b Baldock, 6. G. Brown, not out, 2. P. Pettit, c Baker, b Baldock, 0. Extras, 6. Total, 90.
A. B. Stevens' XI.—K. Baker, b Wright, 0. Kevin, b Wright, 6. Rouse, b Wright, 0. H. Baker, b Wright, 0. Rutt, c Pettit, b Scott, 16. A. B. Stevens, c Hawkins, b Scott, 0. Baldock, b Wright, 0. Moore, b Wright, 0. Reynolds, run out, 3. A. Wootten, not out, 0. F. Draper, run out, 7. Extras, 3. Total, 35.

BUSHEY II. v. CHIPPERFIELD II.

Chipperfield II. won easily at Bushey by six wickets. Score:—
Bushey II.—E. J. Baxter, c Haysman, b Milner, 7. R. Hodgson, b Godman, 44. J. Simpson, b Brunsten, 30. G. Howard, c J. Waterhouse, b Godman, 0. F. C. R. Petyfer, b Godman, 4. A. Basson, b G. Bunyan, 6. A. G. Reynolds, not out, 13. A. W. Hings, c and b G. Bunyan, 4. J. Lisle Taylor, b G. Bunyan, 0. S. Bell, b G. Bunyan, 0. L. Payne, b G. Bunyan, 0. Extras, 10. Total, 118.
Chipperfield II.—R. Waterhouse, c Hodgson, c Simpson, 2. E. Haysman, c Payne, b Hodgson, 7. S. Godman, not out, 65. E. Puddephatt, b Hings, 38. H. Brunsten, c Reynolds, b Simpson, 7. Extras, 18. Total (4 wkts.), 187. A. Milner, J. Bunyan, G. Bunyan, K. Milner, A. Brown, and J. Waterhouse, did not bat.

INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCES.

Batting.

A. Joiner, Chipperfield (v. Bushey)	*155
The Rev. C. C. Hamilton, Hemel Hempstead II (v. Redbourn)	122
H. H. Grange, Hemel Hempstead (v. Law Society)	*105
H. J. Tarbox, Hemel Hempstead (v. Law Society)	68
E. D. Cambridge, Berkhamsted (v. Kings Langley)	63
N. E. W. Carlile, Chipperfield (v. Bushey)	75
Harper, Luton Clarendon (v. Hemel Hempstead II.)	72
A. Wingfield, Redbourn (v. Hemel Hempstead II.)	*70
R. Reid, L.M.S., Watford (v. Kodak)	66
L. Tuppen, Leavesden Mental Hospital (v. Coleshill)	*66
S. Godman, Chipperfield II. (v. Bushey II.)	*65
A. Villet, Redbourn (v. Hemel Hempstead II.)	63
D. G. O'Shea, Berkhamsted (v. Amersham)	57
J. G. Bland, Herts (v. Norfolk)	56
A. W. Warren, Kings Langley (v. 7th Essex O.C.A.)	56
T. J. Tarbox, Hemel Hempstead (v. Brookfield)	14
R. Evans, Chorleywood (v. National Provincial Bank)	54
F. Howlett, Tring Park (v. R. Higgins' XI.)	54
Hadfield, J. M. Dent's (v. Dickinson's, Croxley)	52
E. D. Bowie, Mill Hill (v. Rickmansworth)	51
R. A. Evans, West Herts II. (v. Royal Exchange II.)	51

Bowling.

S. Capel, Hemel Hempstead (v. Law Society)	9 for 8
The Rev. M. Winnard, Kings Langley (v. 7th Essex O.C.A.)	9 for 17
J. A. Bates, Chipperfield (v. Bushey)	8 for 35
Wapboys, Luton Clarendon (v. Hemel Hempstead II.)	7 for 11
J. Titchhurst, L.R.B.C. (v. North Watford)	7 for 17
A. Thurley, Watford Wesley Poly. (v. Watford II.)	6 for 9
J. Fexley, L.M.S., Watford (v. Frogmore)	6 for 13
Roberts (E.), Herts (v. Lines)	6 for 20
E. Wolf, Christ Church (v. Watford and St. Albans Gas Co. "B")	6 for 20
L. Biswell, Watford II. (v. Watford Wesley Poly.)	5 for 9
D. Field, Christ Church (v. Watford and St. Albans Gas Co. "B")	5 for 10
B. Bunyan, Chipperfield II. (v. Bushey II.)	5 for 11
J. Crookes, National Provincial Bank (v. Chorleywood)	5 for 13
C. England, Frogmore (v. L.M.S., Watford)	5 for 14
Busby, J. M. Dent's (v. Dickinson's Croxley II.)	5 for 18
F. Howlett, Tring Park (v. Harrow St. Mary's)	5 for 19
C. Hansard, Watford II. (v. Watford Wesley Poly.)	4 for 4

TEAMS FOR SATURDAY.

WEST HERTS v. PINNER.

At Pinner.
West Herts.—J. C. Wiggs, A. L. Goodall, H. F. Blower, L. Hodgson, Z. Irani, C. J. S. Mitchell, H. P. Mason, D. C. Kendrick, E. G. Hawes, R. A. Evans, G. H. Lowndes.

WEST HERTS II. v. HEMEL HEMPSTEAD.

West Herts.—J. E. Shaw, J. H. Body, R. H. Stimpson, H. C. Eden, D. H. G. Reid, E. L. Herbert, C. Deane, L. A. Foxen, M. G. Hill, E. A. E. Brand, C. N. Sprawson.

WEST HERTS III. v. ALDENHAM.

At Cassio-road.
West Herts.—J. I. Mitchelmore, S. A. Thompson, H. J. Scar, R. E. J. Lanning, P. Lanning, W. E. Hoare, C. E. Cutmore, A. J. Ashbey, H. E. Dennett, W. G. Eade, G. H. A. Wilson.

WEST HERTS CLUB.

Owing to the Law Society Students Cricket Club being unable to raise a team, the match arranged between that club and the West Herts 2nd XI., at Cassio-road, for Monday, had to be cancelled.

BEDS MAKE HERTS FOLLOW-ON.

Hertfordshire were somewhat out of luck in their return Minor Counties Championship match with Bedfordshire, at Bedford, on Friday and Saturday. The game was left drawn, Bedfordshire taking points for a first innings lead.

Beds batted first and totalled 307, the highest score recorded against Herts this season. The Herts attack was considerably weakened by the absence of R. Postill and by the indisposition of E. Roberts, their most successful bowler, who has taken over fifty wickets in the competition this season. Roberts was unwell before the match started, but he took the field and did his best. He was, however, eventually compelled to cease bowling and that, coupled with some doubtful decisions, saw things go badly.

Herts finished their first innings 152 runs in arrears. In their second venture, Brown, P. G. T. Kingsley and M. H. de Zoete, batting antedidly, provided some of the brightest cricket of the game. At the close, Herts, with four wickets in hand, were 65 runs on. Scores:—

Bedfordshire.

F. D. Dynes, b Burton	72
F. Rawlins, b Cooper	0
W. A. Sime, b Brown	11
A. R. Alston, b Lawrence	35
E. F. Smith, c Grimsdell, b Lawrence	35
H. G. Wise, b Fordham	70
J. G. Cook, not out	45
H. A. Southgate, c Brown, b Lawrence	0
H. Vaughan Arbuckle, b Fordham	15
C. W. Rawlins, b Fordham	4
C. G. Parker, lbw, b Fordham	3
Extras	15

Total 307

Bowling.—Fordham 4 for 54, Cooper 1 for 26, Burton 1 for 81, Roberts 0 for 34, Brown 1 for 47, Kingsley 0 for 25, Lawrence 3 for 25.

Hertfordshire.

J. G. Bland, lbw, b Dynes	13
A. Grimsdell, b C. W. Rawlins	16
Burton (F.), run out	1
C. B. Fordham, b Smith	6
P. G. T. Kingsley, lbw, b C. W. Rawlins	12
Brown (S.), b Cook	34
M. H. de Zoete, run out	6
L. P. Lawrence, b C. W. Rawlins	23
G. M. Crossman, c Vaughan Arbuckle, b Alston	15
Roberts (E.), st. Parker, b Dynes	20
M. Cooper, not out	1
Extras	9

Total 155

Bowling (1st innings).—C. W. Rawlins 3 for 49, Smith 1 for 45, Dynes 2 for 15, Sime 0 for 12, Wise 0 for 13, Cook 1 for 10, Alston 1 for 2.

2ND INNINGS.

J. G. Bland, b Dynes	17
C. B. Fordham, c Parker, b Dynes	0
P. G. T. Kingsley, run out	41
Brown (S.), c Smith, b C. W. Rawlins	50
L. P. Lawrence, st. Parker, b Wise	19
G. M. Crossman, c Alston, b Dynes	22
M. H. de Zoete, not out	48
A. Grimsdell, not out	6
Extras	14

Total (for 6 wks.) ... 217

Bowling (2nd innings).—C. W. Rawlins 1 for 54, Smith 0 for 26, Dynes 3 for 45, Sime 0 for 24, Wise 1 for 35, Cook 0 for 2, F. Rawlins 0 for 13.

HERTFORDSHIRE'S WATERLOG.

Hertfordshire met their first reverse of the season in the Minor Counties Championship, on Monday and Tuesday, when Bucks defeated them at High Wycombe by six wickets. With F. Burton bowling splendidly to take 8 wickets for 22, Herts established a first-innings lead of 35, but in their second venture, finding Edwards and Hazelton almost unplayable on a wet wicket, were all out for 31, the smallest total recorded by the County in post-war cricket. Scores:—

Herts.		2nd Innings.		
1st Innings.				
G. M. Crossman, c	Franklin, b Hazelton	53	b Hazelton	0
P. G. T. Kingsley, b	Hazelton	0	b Edwards	5
C. B. Fordham, b	Brindley	0	lbw, b Edwards	10
J. G. Bland, c	Skinner, b Edwards	20	b Hazelton	4
Brown (S.), c Baker,	b Edwards	8	lbw, b Edwards	2
M. H. de Zoete, c	Stephen Davies, b	0	b Edwards	0
Rutter	T. P. Lawrence, run	12	b Hazelton	1
out	A. Grimsdell, c	10	b Hazelton	0
Stephen Davies, b	Rutter	0	not out	0
Roberts (E.), st	Franklin, b Edwards	0	not out	0
Franklin, b Edwards	R. Postill, lbw, b	3	lbw, b Edwards	0
R. Postill, lbw, b	Edwards	12	c Brooke, b Hazelton	5
Edwards	Burton (F.), c	3	Extras	4
Burton (F.), c	Powell, b Edwards	12	Extras	4
Powell, b Edwards	Extras	3	Extras	4
Extras	Total	136	Total	31

Bowling.—1st Innings.—Hazelton 2 for 25, Rutter 2 for 53, Brindley 1 for 24, Edwards 5 for 20. Second Innings.—Hazelton 5 for 10, Rutter 0 for 0, Edwards 5 for 8.

Bucks.		2nd Innings.		
1st Innings.				
W. T. Brindley, lbw,	b Burton	30	lbw, b Burton	0
R. H. J. Brooks,	lbw, b Burton	21	not out	31
A. G. Skinner, c	Crossman, b	17	c Grimsdell, b	0
Crossman, b	Roberts	0	b Burton	0
W. B. Franklin, c	Grimsdell, b Burton	0	lbw, b Roberts	9
L. G. Baker, c	Crossman, b Burton	14	b Roberts	18
Crossman, b Burton	B. H. Steven Davies,	4	b Burton	4
B. H. Steven Davies,	b Burton	0	not out	1
P. W. Negro, c	Fordham, b Burton	0	not out	1
Fordham, b Burton	W. T. Hazleton, b	0	Roberts	0
W. T. Hazleton, b	Roberts	0	not out	0
Roberts	C. F. Powell, not	0	out	0
C. F. Powell, not	out	0	out	0
out	R. H. Rutter, lbw,	2	b Burton	2
R. H. Rutter, lbw,	b Burton	0	Edwards (F.), c	0
b Burton	Edwards (F.), c	0	Brown, b Burton	0
Edwards (F.), c	Brown, b Burton	7	Extras	8
Brown, b Burton	Extras	7	Extras	8
Extras	Total	101	Total (4 wkts.)	67

Bowling.—1st Innings.—Postill 0 for 25, Fordham 0 for 3, Roberts 2 for 44, Burton 8 for 22. Second Innings.—Postill 0 for 4, Roberts 2 for 32, Burton 2 for 23.

CRICKET.

HERTFORDSHIRE'S CLOSING FIXTURE.

Yesterday, Hertfordshire received Norfolk, at Watford, in their last engagement of the season in the Minor Counties Championship, and at the close of the first day's play were 202 runs behind, with eight wickets in hand. Scores:—

Norfolk.

R. R. Bought, c Crossman, b Roberts	100
R. M. Beresford, run out	11
J. H. Bally, b Brown	8
M. Falcon, b Brown	1
J. Coldham, c Roberts, b Fordham	45
F. Low, lbw, b de Zoete	44
G. A. Stevens, st Grimsdell, b Burton	59
Nichols, not out	0
G. N. Scott Chad, c Brown, b Burton	16
W. Eagle, c Kingsley, b Roberts	7
R. W. Cant, b Roberts	0
Extras	15
Total	342

Bowling—P. Hill 0 for 47, Fordham 1 for 17, Roberts 3 for 46, Burton 2 for 66, Brown 2 for 52, Kingsley 0 for 13, Lawrence 0 for 16, de Zoete 1 for 30.

Herts.

P. G. T. Kingsley, c Coldham, b Nichols	14
G. M. Crossman, b Nichols	20
C. B. Fordham, not out	1
T. P. Lawrence, not out	0
Extras	6
Total (2 wickets)	50

J. G. Bland, M. H. de Zoete, A. Grimsdell, R. Postill, Roberts (E), Brown (S) and Burton (F) to bat.

COUNTY CLUB'S EASY WIN.

The Herts County Club, on their visit to Bishop's Stortford, during the East Herts clubs' cricket week, gained an easy victory by 158 runs. Scores:—

Herts County Club.

G. R. Walker, not out	82
P. S. Stoyke, b Gathergood	18
P. R. Paul, c Edwards, b Driscoll	15
G. D. Hodgson, b Gathergood	24
G. V. Hourie, lbw, b Boswell	12
Cuthbertson, c Bluet, b Watson	1
P. R. Stephenson, b Watson	1
F. S. Brett, b Watson	0
E. R. Holt, c Edwards, b Driscoll	19
R. B. Stephenson, not out	13
Extras	15

Total (for 8 wks. dec.) 205
E. H. Wales did not bat.
Bowling.—Edwards 0 for 30, Watson 3 for 31, Gathergood 2 for 46, Driscoll 2 for 69, Boswell 1 for 14.

Bishop's Stortford.

W. E. Smerdon, b Paul	2
H. E. B. Sheaves, c Holt, b Paul	0
K. Driscoll, b Cuthbertson	3
H. T. Seal, lbw, b Cuthbertson	11
C. H. Edwards, b Cuthbertson	2
E. R. T. Boswell, c Holt, b Paul	6
E. K. Brown, c Brett, b Paul	1
F. S. Wigfield, not out	11
F. T. O. Bluet, c and b Cuthbertson	0
H. Watson, b Paul	6
Dr. L. S. Gathergood, c Hourie, b Paul	4
Extras	1

Total 47
Bowling.—Paul 6 for 38, Cuthbertson 4 for 18.

GENTLEMEN OF HERTS WIN.

The Gentlemen of Herts, visiting the Old Berkhamsteadians, on Friday, succeeded by 49 runs. Scores:—

Old Berkhamsteadians.

N. J. Muschamp, lbw, b Evans	10
L. Wilson, lbw, b Evans	5
J. E. A. Betts, c R. Pank, b R. Stephenson	25
G. F. Carter, c O'Shea, b R. Stephenson	14
L. E. Houghton, b Hunter	2
R. S. Stanier, lbw, b R. Stephenson	0
C. H. S. Fifoot, not out	8
C. Bispham, c R. Pank, b R. Stephenson	1
J. H. Bavin, c Cox, b R. Stephenson	5
E. A. Pickard-Cambridge, run out	25
W. Murray, c Stoyke, b Marsh	3
Extras	12

Total 110
Bowling.—Marsh 1 for 40, Evans 2 for 30, R. Stephenson 5 for 22, Hunter 1 for 6, Second Innings: 135 for 3 dec. (L. Wilson 72 not out, G. A. Carter 58, Hunter 3 for 26).

Gentlemen of Herts.

P. S. Stoyke, b Bispham	0
P. R. Stephenson, lbw, b Houghton	0
K. Hunter, lbw, b Bispham	0
D. G. O'Shea, c Pickard-Cambridge, b Stanier	43
R. C. E. Pank, lbw, b Stanier	15
R. B. Stephenson, lbw, b Bispham	10
R. Evans, b Betts	65
S. W. Wood, b Muschamp	12
W. H. Marsh, c Fifoot, b Muschamp	5
S. P. Mole, not out	1
C. M. Cox, b Muschamp	1
Extras	14

Total 159
Bowling.—Bispham 3 for 37, Houghton 1 for 47, Stanier 2 for 25, Muschamp 3 for 23, Pickard-Cambridge 0 for 7, Betts 1 for 6, Second Innings: 91 for 4 (K. Hunter 45 not out).

R. P. NELSON AT LORDS.

R. P. Nelson, of St. George's School, Harpenden, was a member of the Young Amateurs' team which defeated the Young Professionals by an innings and 117 runs, at Lords, on Friday and Saturday, and performed very creditably.

Nelson, batted in attractive style for 37. He was not called upon to bowl in the Young Professionals' first innings, but in their second venture he was given a chance which he made the most of. In the course of thirteen overs, two of which were maiden, he captured four wickets for 24, three of his victims being clean bowled.

Regarded as a young player of great promise, Nelson is a good all-round left-hander. He bowls to break the ball back from leg with such a length and direction that the batsmen must play at him. In addition, his fielding at cover-point, at Lords, was favourably commented upon.

Nelson, who assists Harpenden, is one of a few very good youths for whom a trial in the County team cannot be long delayed.

The Old Albanians lost to the Old Finchhams by 13 runs, at Belmont-hill, on Saturday. Bating first, the Old Finchhams were given a good start by J. C. Wells (21) and A. Wells (28), the first wicket falling at 62; a collapse then occurred, and though J. M. Atkins (15 not out) and W. E. Fry (41) made a stand for the eighth wicket, the side were all out for 99. M. A. Wiggs took 4 for 37, and A. G. Owen 3 for 10. The Old Albanians lost four wickets cheaply, but Owen and Fraser Smith took the score to 64 before Owen was caught on the boundary for an attractive knock of 31. The Old Albanians had a good chance to win, but when Fraser-Smith had a good chance with the score at 83, the remaining batsmen did with the score at 86. For the Old Finchhams, J. W. Atkins took 5 for 18, and J. C. Wells 4 for 20.

ST. ALBANS' YOUNG PLAYERS SHINE.

St. Albans' young players did very well in the Club's match with the L.M. & S. Railway, on Saturday. The L.M.S. took two and-a-half hours to compile 107. H. Rabone and W. L. Clark shared the attack with J. Holt, who bowled splendidly to take 7 wickets for 15. With ninety minutes available for batting, St. Albans tried to force a victory, and at the close of the game, which was left drawn, were only fifteen runs behind with three wickets to fall. W. L. Clark and S. H. Rabone both batted confidently. Scores:—

L.M. & S. Railway.

J. Cooke, b S. H. Rabone	1
A. G. Gate, b S. H. Rabone	22
A. Parnham, b Holt	15
A. Gidding, lbw, b Holt	1
G. Steggs, b Holt	5
T. Weatherburn, b Holt	5
J. Valentine, lbw, b Holt	26
J. Stokes, c S. H. Rabone, b Holt	7
S. Perrott, b Clark	5
A. Sherwin, b Holt	1
E. Kay, not out	4
Extras	13

Total 107
Bowling.—S. H. Rabone 2 for 30, J. Holt 7 for 55, W. L. Clark 1 for 0.

St Albans.

D. F. Harding, b Steggs	15
W. L. Clark, b Valentine	36
C. J. Fletcher, run out	0
C. E. Rabone, b Gidding	0
J. Holt, b Valentine	4
S. H. Rabone, not out	20
A. J. Barnes, b Valentine	0
G. Stevenson, b Valentine	4
W. Hillyard, not out	1
Extras	8

Total (for 7 wks.) 92
A. Wiggs and C. J. Toog did not bat.

A TIE AT HARPENDEN.

Harpenden's home match with Stevenage had an unusual conclusion. When time was reached, Stevenage, with two wickets to fall, had equalled Harpenden's total of 175, and the game ended as a tie. Scores:—

Harpenden.

M. Tooley, b Shelford	13
K. Hunter, c Feesey, b Shelford	16
A. R. Hassell, b Shelford	40
P. Kingham, b Clarkson	7
E. D. Van Namen, c King, b Cannon	1
F. Appleyard, c Jones, b Shelford	9
Capt. F. S. Walthew, b Shelford	0
P. C. Gladwin, c Jones, b Shelford	3
W. H. Marsh, not out	8
H. Howard, c Jones, b Shelford	0
S. P. Mole, b Shelford	0
Extras	14

Total 175
Bowling.—W. Shelford 4 for 71, P. Clarkson 1 for 36, R. G. Cannon 1 for 26, C. H. Hawks 0 for 28.

Stevenage.

P. Clarkson, run out	72
L. A. Watson, c Mole, b Marsh	30
S. King, lbw, b Marsh	0
D. Moulds, c Mole, b Appleyard	23
R. G. Cannon, lbw, b Marsh	17
P. Jones, not out	10
J. Franklin, b Marsh	2
S. Jones, c Mole, b Appleyard	1
L. H. Freedy, run out	0
Extras	5

Total (for 8 wks.) 175
C. N. Hawkins and W. Shelford did not bat.
Bowling.—F. Appleyard 2 for 61, H. Howard 0 for 36, W. H. Marsh 4 for 55, F. S. Walthew 0 for 18.

GOOD BOWLING IN POLICE MATCH.

Two capital bowling performances were put up in the course of the match at Belmont Hill, St. Albans, on Friday, when "D" (Hemel Hempstead) Division, Herts Constabulary, won their return match with St. Albans City Police by 25 runs. St. Albans City had 54 on the board for the loss of five wickets, but the rest of the side collapsed badly before P. S. Milton, who, in all, took 7 wickets for 13, and the total only reached 57. P. S. Quarrie, with a heavy knock, which included a 6 and four 4s, paved the way to the County men's victory, which was secured before the seventh wicket fell. For St. Albans, P. S. Sampson took 7 wickets for 29. Scores:—

St. Albans City Police.

P. S. Sampson, b Thompson	0
P. C. Sheppard, c Whyman, b Milton	15
P. C. Ball, c Quarrie, b Milton	29
S. T. Cook, b Milton	4
Chief Constable, c H. Thompson, b Milton	0
P. C. Porter, c Anderson, b Fuller	4
P. C. Benn, c and b Futter	3
Det.-Sergt. Thorpe, b Milton	0
P. C. Harrison, c Quarrie, b Milton	0
Insp. Wright, not out	0
P. C. Denton, c Quarrie, b Milton	0
Extras	2

Total 57
Bowling.—Milton 7 for 13, Futter 2 for 8, Thompson 1 for 14.

"D" Division, Herts Constabulary.

P. C. Edwards, b Sampson	10
P. C. Thomson, c Wright, b Sheppard	2
P. S. Quarrie, b Sampson	25
P. C. Thompson, lbw, b Sampson	7
P. C. Phipps, b Sampson	7
P. C. Milton, lbw, b Sampson	2
P. C. Futter, b Ashton	7
P. C. Cross, b Sampson	1
P. C. 36 man, not out	13

P. C. Anderson, b Sampson 1
P. C. Rowe, c and b Ashton 3
Extras 7
Total 82
Bowling.—Sampson 7 for 29, Ashton 2 for 27, Sheppard 1 for 19.

After one of the most exciting games seen on their ground this season, Elstree defeated the Old Crusaders, on Sunday, by four runs. F. Lamb (36) was the chief contributor to the Crusaders' 137. A Smith (5 for 61) and C. Brown (3 for 32) came out with the best analysis for Elstree, who, when their last man went in, still had 100 runs for victory. J. Dyke kept his end up until D. Attewell made the issue safe. Elstree's total reached 141 (W. Skelton 39, C. Wilkins 30, D. Attewell 20 not out, M. Carr 11), E. Gurton (5 for 44) and Just. (3 for 35) were most effective with the ball for the Crusaders.

Welwyn Garden City II, narrowly escaped defeat in their home game with Turnell Park II. The Garden City men made 98, and Turnell Park II, when time was reached, had obtained 92 for 5 wickets.

Batting first, Wheathampstead (68) defeated London Colney (45), on Saturday, by 18 runs. For London Colney, H. Runchman again bowled well in taking 5 wickets for 17 runs. B. Arnold (12) and F. Cain (15) were the most successful batsmen for Wheathampstead, who did very well to dismiss London Colney for 45 runs. B. Rixey (12) and A. Robinson (10) batted well for London Colney, but the other batsmen, with the exception of H. Runchman (8 not out), were soon dismissed. F. Cain (4 for 12) bowled well for Wheathampstead.

Visiting Kent's II., at Luton, Markyate II, failed by 39 runs. E. Fountain (18 not out), C. Betts (15), H. Neal (10) and B. Warren (10) were the chief contributors to Markyate's 79. Whitley (4 for 21), Pearson (3 for 18) and Coulson (2 for 10) were the most successful bowlers for Kent's, who replied with 109 (Pearson 38, Whitley 23, Worthington 11). For Markyate, E. Thorne captured 4 wickets for 32, J. Brandham 2 for 11, H. Neal 2 for 1, and C. Cutler 2 for 42.

In a St. Albans Juniors' match, H. Rabone's XI, defeated E. R. Baines' XI, easily. Baines' team made 144 (E. R. Baines 30, A. G. Wiggs 25, L. Crocker 12, F. Scott 12, A. H. McKeog 10), the wickets falling to D. Turner (4 for 20), W. L. Clark (2 for 6), H. Rabone (2 for 29) and V. Arnold (1 for 20). W. L. Clark, who made 111, and R. Foster, who contributed 53, put on 175 for Rabone's XI, without being separated and then retired. The score was carried to 226 for 5 (J. Cleveland 10 not out). H. Berry (2 for 10) and E. Baines (2 for 24) were the only two of the eight bowlers employed by Baines' team to meet with any success.

Potter's Bar, visiting Welwyn, suffered an overwhelming defeat by 144 runs. Welwyn team batted first and put together the splendid total of 211 for two wickets before declaring. A. V. Miller compiled 107 not out, hitting fifteen fours and one six. S. Baverstock also batted well in scoring 52 not out, hitting eight fours and one six. Potter's Bar, in reply, gave a disappointing display, being dismissed for 67, of which J. Spencer scored 22 not out. Besides his great knock, Miller was also in fine form with the ball, taking 7 wickets for 23 runs.

Batford Boys' Sports Club defeated Kimpton II., at Kimpton, on Saturday, by 17 runs. Batford made 30 (W. Kingham 11, Brown 8, Jarman 6), Ward (3 for 1) and Miles (2 for 10) achieving most with the ball for Kimpton. W. Kingham (6 for 15) and F. Kingham (3 for 6), bowling unchanged, quickly ran through the Kimpton team, which could only respond with 22 (Gray 8, Angell 7).

West Herts II., after declaring with 107 for 8, defeated Aldenham by 31 runs, at Watford. A late start was made, and West Herts batted first. Their wickets fell to H. Scott (3 for 42), C. J. Wright (2 for 27) and P. Pettitt, who took two for 40 runs in the only over to be bowled. Aldenham, with 42 for four wickets, appeared to have a chance of victory, but a collapse ensued and the last wicket fell a few minutes before time with the total at 76 (Hawkins 27, C. J. Wright 10, Pettitt 10 not out).

Elstree failed in their home match with the Old Johnians by 35 runs, on Saturday. Their batting was disappointing. The total only reached 62. C. Wilkins (30), who batted extraordinarily well on a difficult wicket, and E. Evans (11) being the only players to reach double figures. The Old Johnians made 97. Steel (34), Smith (24), Findlay (15) and Gamble (10) being chiefly responsible. Evans (4 for 31), Garney (4 for 30) and Brown (2 for 36) bowling consistently for Elstree.

Potter's Bar II, beat Welwyn II, by 22 runs, at Northway Place, on Saturday. Potter's Bar took first knock, and, thanks to Collins, who scored an invaluable 47, put together a total of 86 runs. A curious part of their innings was bowlers, and Welwyn tried no fewer than eight, quickly finished off the last three wickets in five balls without the loss of a run. He performed after losing their first victim being Collins. Welwyn added forty without further loss, but 64. Williams (5 for 27) was the most successful bowler for Potter's Bar.

Kimpton, visiting Preston, were defeated by an 31. Jenkins 11), their wickets falling to Lyle (4 for 22), Gatward (3 for 25), Russell (1 for 13) and Welch (1 for 18). The bowling of S. Wray and F. Wray was too good for Kimpton, who were all out for 36 (Hale 15, Smith 8), following on, were dismissed for 21 (Smith 8).

At London Colney, on Sunday, Mr. A. Holt's XI, lost a very exciting game to Mr. A. Buckingham's XI, by 4 runs. Bating first, Mr. Holt's XI was soon dismissed for 23. Mr. A. Buckingham was dismissed for 22. In the second innings, the home team were again dismissed cheaply for 27, after a great struggle. Mr. Buckingham's XI, eventually reached 32, to win an exciting game, by 4 runs. A feature of the play was the bowling of J. Holt, who, in all, took 13 wickets for 12 runs, and in all, who, for the visitors, took 15 wickets for 20 runs.

COUNTY CLUB BEAT CHIPPERFIELD.

The Herts County Club, visiting Chipperfield yesterday, won comfortably, finishing 50 runs ahead with two wickets to fall. Scores:—

Chipperfield.

R. W. Waterhouse, c Wales, b Marsh	27
H. Brusden, c Clutterbuck, b Brown	11
J. A. Bates, c Stoyle, b Cuthbertson	29
J. Cruickshanks, c Nelson, b Cuthbertson	2
A. T. Hutchinson, c Mole, b Cuthbertson	0
E. J. Waterhouse, b Marsh	0
E. Puddephatt, lbw, b Marsh	5
G. Bunyon, not out	4
E. Spall, b Cuthbertson	1
J. Bunyon, b Cuthbertson	0
F. Bignell, b Marsh	0
Extras	6
Total	94

Bowling.—Marsh 5 for 30, Bignell 1 for 17, Cuthbertson 4 for 24.

Herts County Club.

P. S. Stoyle, st E. J. Waterhouse, b	
J. Bunyon	45
R. P. Nelson, b Bates	13
K. Hunter, st Waterhouse, b J. Bunyon	28
A. Cuthbertson, c Brusden, b J. Bunyon	2
Capt. T. R. Clutterbuck, b Bates	1
W. H. Marsh, c Waterhouse, b Bates	6
E. H. Wales, c Waterhouse, b Bignell	22
K. Brown, b J. Bunyon	5
S. P. Mole, not out	0
R. G. Bowles, b Cruickshanks	18
Extras	10
Total (for 8 wickets)	150

G. Simons did not bat.
Bowling.—Bates 3 for 46, Bignell 1 for 16, Cruickshanks 1 for 22, J. Bunyon 4 for 31.

Yesterday, St. Albans City Police played their annual match with Mr. F. C. Strofton's XI, at Belmont-hill, St. Albans, and were defeated by 12 runs. Taking first knock, the Police were dismissed for 36, P.c. Sheppard carrying his bat through the innings for 16 not out, while P.c. Ball, P.c. Hypers and P.c. Porter contributed five each. A. J. Barnes (4 for 23), L. Harvey (2 for 9) and J. Hawkins (2 for 1) took the wickets for Strofton's XI. When four wickets were down for ten runs, J. Hawkins came to the rescue of his side with a timely innings of 16, and Mr. Strofton's team's total eventually reached 46, J. Brunt, with five, being the next highest contributor. P.c. Sheppard (4 for 23), P.c. Hard (2 for 7) and P.s. Sampson (2 for 13) shared the attack for the Police who, in a second knock, made 87 for 6 (P.s. Sampson 33, P.c. Ball 23, P.c. Hurst 16 and P.c. Hard 11 not out). The players and friends were the guests of Mr. F. C. Strofton at tea, and P.s. Sampson expressed the company's thanks to Mr. Strofton for his hospitality.

Heath Farm Social Club lost to Abbey Old Boys, on Saturday, by an innings and 30 runs. They were dismissed for 5 (Collins 0 for 3 and Richardson 2 for 2). Abbey Old Boys made 70, and Heath Farm could muster 17 in their second innings. On Thursday, Heath Farm lost to Mr. Joiner's XI, by 30 runs. Heath Farm totalled 26 and 27, J. Taylor nanking 13 and J. Day 11. Mr. Joiner's XI, for whom Newman and Gray were the successful bowlers, totalled 40 and 37, their chief run-getters being: Newman 14, C. Day 13 and Hunt 13.

Radlett "A" beat Chorley Wood II, by four runs. Chorley Wood batted first and were all out for 52, only J. Edwards (17) reaching double figures, but the last wicket put on 16 runs. Radlett's bowling was very accurate, A. Hale sending down 15 overs for 19 runs and 4 wickets, and S. Watson 8 overs for 6 runs and 4 wickets. Radlett seemed to have the game in their pockets, as there were 46 runs on the board for the loss of only four wickets, but a collapse set in and the next five wickets fell for the addition of four runs. When Radlett's last man went in they needed three to win, and in the finish they won by four runs, A. Wright taking 4 wickets for 7 runs, and E. Hinton 3 for 14.

Harpenden II, were defeated at Hexton by 77 runs. Hexton made 117 (W. E. King 34, A. R. Carlisle 25), and Harpenden were all out for 40 (C. Dunham 16, E. W. Pellant 9). F. Dench took 6 wickets for 45 for Harpenden and W. Freeman 4 for 38.

At Stockwood Park, Harpenden N.O.M. lost to Mount Tabor by 83 runs. Mount Tabor totalled 126 (W. B. Munns 45), J. Bayliss (6 for 67) and W. Speight (4 for 43) bore the brunt of the attack for the N.C.H., who could only respond with 43 (W. Speight 12).

Welwyn Garden City dismissed Ohingford for 00 and 97, and, making 209 themselves, won by an innings and 42 runs. N. Limb 73, G. Bowles 61, P. Field 34 and H. Pearson 22 shone with the bat, while Stroud, who took 7 for 44 in the first innings and Field bowled well.

On Sunday, Welwyn Garden City 05 (P. Field 34, Donald 19, Limb 16 not out, beat Mr. Price's XI, (71) by 24 runs. A. Cooper, who made 42 and took 6 wickets for 33, showed good all-round form for Price's team. Limb captured 6 wickets for 25 for Welwyn Garden City.

With the object of assisting the Welwyn Garden City Cottage Hospital, a knock-out cricket competition has been inaugurated. The first round is to be completed by the end of August, and the draw has resulted as follows: Dawnays Sports v. Welwyn Stores; Old Stagers v. Estate Office; Unity Works v. Welwyn Foundry; bye, Welwyn Scouts.

Frogmore (66) performed a creditable feat on Saturday, when, visiting Lye House (64), they were victorious by 4 runs. Their bowling and fielding were particularly good and there were no extras. There were several good catches, one, by F. Mercer, being particularly smart. Lye House batted first, and four wickets quickly fell for 14. C. E. Ruault (15), A. Austin (12), R. J. Spurway (10), R. Jefford (7 not out) and J. Holloway (6) were their principal scorers. Frogmore's bowlers were G. Eames (1 for 4), F. Iles (4 for 21) and G. Wright (5 for 53), and their chief scorers were G. Eames (24), G. Wright (10), F. Gray (8), F. Iles, S. Lee and F. A. Garner (6 each). For Lye House, J. Bull took 5 for 22, C. E. Ruault 3 for 24, and W. Welsh 1 for 18. The Lye House innings occupied an hour, and that of Frogmore an hour-and-a-half—a somewhat remarkable fact in so low-scoring a game.

BEDS v. HERTS.

Played at Bedford on Friday and Saturday. Beds, going in first, made 307. Fordham took four for 54. Herts made 125 in the first innings, and following on, totalled 217 for six, before stumps were drawn. The match was left drawn. Beds taking points for first innings lead.

Score:—

BEDS.

E. D. Dynes, b Burton	72
F. Rawlins, b Cooper	0
W. A. Sims, b Brown	11
A. E. Alston, b Lawrence	36
E. F. Smith, c Grimsdell, b Lawrence	36
R. G. Wise, b Fordham	70
J. G. Cook, not out	45
H. A. Southgate, c Brown, b Lawrence	0
H. Vaughan Arbuckle, b Fordham	15
C. W. Rawlins, b Fordham	15
C. G. Parker, b Fordham	3
Extras	15
Total	307

HERTS.

J. G. Bland, lbw., b Dynes	18
A. Grimsdell, b C. W. Rawlins	16
Burton (F.), run out	5
C. B. Fordham, b Smith	5
P. G. T. Kingsley, lbw., b C. W. Rawlins	12
Brown (S.), b Cook	84
M. H. de Zoete, run out	5
T. R. Lawrence, b C. W. Rawlins	23
G. M. Crossman, c V. Arbuckle, b Alston	16
Roberts (E.), st. Parker, b Dynes	20
M. Cooper, not out	1
Extras	9
Total	125

Second Innings.—J. G. Bland, b Dynes, 17. A. Grimsdell, not out, 8. C. B. Fordham, c Parker, b Dynes, 0. P. G. T. Kingsley, run out, 41. Brown (S.), c Smith, b C. W. Rawlins, 50. M. H. de Zoete, not out, 48. T. R. Lawrence, st. Parker, b Wise, 19. G. M. Crossman, c Alston, b Dynes, 22. Extras, 14. Total (6 wkts.), 217.

Bowling Analysis.

BEDS.				
	O.	M.	R.	W.
Fordham	19	3	54	4
Cooper	9	1	26	1
Burton	37	12	81	1
Brown	26	6	47	1
Lawrence	6	0	25	3

HERTS.				
First Innings.				
	O.	M.	R.	W.
C. W. Rawlins	23	6	49	3
Smith	21	7	45	1
Dynes	14	7	15	2
Cook	4	1	10	1
Alston	1	0	2	1

Second Innings.				
	O.	M.	R.	W.
C. W. Rawlins	18	6	54	1
Dynes	16	4	45	3
Wise	7	1	35	1

BUCKS v. HERTS.

Bucks won by six wickets at High Wycombe. For Herts G. M. Crossman contributed 53 in the first innings. Burton took eight wickets for 22. Score:—

HERTS.

G. M. Crossman, c Franklin, b Hazelton	53
P. G. T. Kingsley, b Hazelton	6
C. B. Fordham, b Brindley	9
J. G. Bland, c Skinner, b Edwards	20
Brown (S.), c Baker, b Edwards	8
M. H. de Zoete, c Stephen Davies, b Rutter	0
T. P. Lawrence, not out	12
A. Grimsdell, c Stephen Davies, b Rutter	10
Roberts (E.), st. Franklin, b Edwards	0
R. Postill, lbw., b Edwards	3
Burton (F.), c Powell, b Edwards	12
Extras	3

Total...188

Second Innings.—G. M. Crossman, b Hazelton, 0. P. G. T. Kingsley, b Edwards, 5. C. B. Fordham, lbw., b Edwards, 10. J. G. Bland, b Hazelton, 4. Brown (S.), lbw., b Edwards, 2. M. H. de Zoete, b Edwards, 0. T. P. Lawrence, b Hazelton, 1. A. Grimsdell, b Hazelton, 0. Roberts (E.), not out, 0. R. Postill, lbw., b Edwards, 0. Burton (F.), c Brooke, b Hazelton, 5. Extras, 4. Total 31.

BUCKS.

W. T. Brindley, lbw., b Burton	30
R. H. J. Brooke, lbw., b Burton	21
A. G. Skinner, c Crossman, b Roberts	17
W. B. Franklin, c Grimsdell, b Burton	0
L. G. Baker, c Crossman, b Burton	14
B. H. Stephen Davies, b Burton	4
P. W. Legros, c Fordham, b Burton	6
W. E. Hazelton, b Roberts	0
C. F. Powell, not out	0
R. H. Rutter, lbw., b Burton	2
Edwards (R.), c Brown, b Burton	0
Extras	7

Total...101

Second Innings.—W. T. Brindley, lbw., b Burton, 0. R. H. J. Brooke, not out, 31. A. G. Skinner, c Grimsdell, b Burton, 0. W. B. Franklin, lbw., b Roberts, 9. L. G. Baker, b Roberts, 18. P. W. Legros, not out, 1. Extras, 9. Total (4 wks.), 68.

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

HERTS.				
	O.	M.	R.	W.
Hazelton	8	2	25	2
Rutter	19	4	5	1
Brindley	10	3	24	1
Edwards	20	6	29	5
Second Innings.				
Hazelton	12	6	10	5
Rutter	3	1	9	0
Edwards	8	5	8	5
BUCKS.				
Postill	9	1	25	0
Fordham	5	3	3	0
Roberts	19	6	44	2
Burton	18	9	22	8
Second Innings.				
Postill	6	2	4	0
Roberts	10	1	39	2
Burton	10	1	25	2

Watford's County Match.

NORFOLK'S STRONG POSITION.

A gusty and boisterous wind which followed the heavy rain overnight dried up the pitch well and enabled the only county match which Watford has been allocated this season to be started promptly on the West Herts Ground on Thursday. The sun was brilliant too, a pleasant change from the recent weather.

Norfolk, who paid their first visit to Hertfordshire in nine years, were the first to bat; the wicket was in splendid condition thanks to the care of the ground staff. B. Rought-Rought and R. M. Beresford opened the innings, but when the score stood at 30, Beresford was run out, having just reached double figures. J. H. Bally joined Rought, and their partnership brought the score to 57 before he was bowled by Brown, the young Herts professional, who is making a splendid all-rounder. Three more runs had been added before Michael Falcon, the Norfolk captain felt foul of Brown. Then J. Coldham stopped the rot, and by the luncheon interval he and Rought had brought Norfolk's total to 126, Rought having scored 43 and Coldham 36.

During the morning Crossman, the Herts captain, had tried no less than seven bowlers.

Play was less than half-an-hour old in the afternoon when Coldham sent a hard drive which was well held by Roberts from Fordham's bowling. The pair had put on 66 in 48 minutes before lunch, and 84 in 65 minutes all told. Coldham's 45 included six fours, and the fourth wicket partnership had brought the score to 144. F. Low then went in but Rought was doing most of the scoring. Low had a narrow escape when he had scored his third single, being nearly caught by second slip.

After about an hour's play in the afternoon, during which Fordham, Brown, Roberts and Burton had all bowled without much avail on what was certainly a batsman's wicket, R. Posthill, who is a science master at Aldenham School and is playing his first season in Hertfordshire county cricket, was put on to bowl. He is a bowler who can put tremendous pace on the ball, but Rought hit two excellent fours off his bowling. Arthur Grimsdell kept wicket well for Herts and did not give away many chances. When Rought was nearing his century—his score stood at 96—he had an escape; he sent up a catch which just fell short of Roberts, who made a good, but unavailing effort to get under it. At 3.20, when the score stood at 201, Rought made his century. The Hertfordshire bowling now seemed to be thoroughly mastered, and both Low and Rought were scoring steadily. The fielding was the best feature of the home county's cricket. At 209 Crossman put on his eighth bowler, M. H. de Zoete, and in doing so made his 21st change of bowling. But still Norfolk continued to score.

After "Pat" Kingsley, this year's captain of Oxford University, had had an over de Zoete broke the spell, Low being lbw with the first ball of his third over. Low and Rought had put on 86 for the fifth wicket in 82 minutes, the score now standing at 224. G. A. Stevens then joined Rought and carried the score past the sixties. The Norfolk left-hander had the measure of every bowler that had been tried, and scored steadily with Stevens as he had done with his former partners, though his cricket was not lively. Stevens too, did his share and had hit three fours when he had scored 30, several other good shots being stopped in the long field. The tea interval came with the score at 274 for the loss of five wickets. Rought had scored 122 in four hours and twenty minutes, and Stevens had knocked up 31. There were 12 extras. Norfolk had passed their previous best total this season, 269 for nine, which they scored against Surrey's second eleven at the Oval.

After tea the remainder of the Norfolk team were quickly dismissed. Rought was caught by Crossman at short leg from Roberts' bowling after an innings of 136 which included thirteen 4's and had taken four hours and 22 minutes. The score then stood at 307. Stevens scored a bright 59 in 77 minutes. G. N. Scott Chad had added 16 before Brown caught him off Roberts' bowling.

Roberts took 3 wickets for 86 runs in 25 overs, Burton and Brown each accounted for 2, Burton at the expense of 66 and the other Herts professional for 52. Fordham's average was one wicket for 17 and de Zoete's was one for 30.

P. G. T. Kingsley and G. M. Crossman opened Hertfordshire's innings, but they were both out when the score had reached the first fifty. Their partnership realised 42 when Kingsley was splendidly caught at "silly" square leg by Coldham from Nichols and when 50 was registered Crossman, when Fordham had just broken his "duck" pulled over the ball on to his wicket from Nichols in attempting a full drive. This was the last wicket to fall overnight. Fordham and T. P. Lawrence were in when stumps were drawn, Hertfordshire having lost two wickets for 50 runs.

NORFOLK.

B. Rought-Rought, c Crossman, b Roberts	136
R. M. Beresford, run out	11
J. H. Bally, b Brown	8
M. Falcon, b Brown	1
J. Coldham, c Roberts, b Fordham	45
F. Low, lbw, b de Zoete	44
G. A. Stevens, st Grimsdell, b Burton	59
Nichols, not out	0
G. N. Scott Chad, c Brown, b Burton	16
W. Eagle, c Kingsley, b Roberts	7
H. W. Cant, b Roberts	0
Extras	15
Total	342

HERTS.

P. G. T. Kingsley, c Coldham, b Nichols	14
G. M. Crossman, b Nichols	29
C. B. Fordham, not out	1
T. P. Lawrence, not out	0
Extras	6
Total (2 wickets)	50

M. H. de Zoete, J. G. Bland, A. Grimsdell, Brown, R. Posthill, Burton, Roberts, to bat.

WATFORD v MALDEN.

Played at Water-lane, the home club winning by 15 runs. Hambrook took 6 for 28. Score:—

Watford.—G. Eames, run out, 13. H. Long, b S. Gorwood, 38. C. Hambrook, c W. Gorwood, b S. Gorwood, 10. W. Street, lbw., b Napthine, 8. F. Eames, c and b Napthine, 6. F. Card, run out, 2. A. L. Harris, c Cooper, b Lindsay, 0. J. Beavan, c L. Gorwood, b Lindsay, 5. L. Brewer, b Napthine, 0. G. Whitestone, c Cooper, b Napthine, 9. V. Marsh, not out, 2. Extras, 1. Total, 86.

Malden.—Keen, b Hambrook, 7. Howell, c F. Eames, b J. Beavan, 4. Len. Gorwood, lbw., b Hambrook, 7. Les. Gorwood, c Marsh, b J. Beavan, 22. Stan. Gorwood, b Hambrook, 6. Cooper, b Hambrook, 0. Napthine, c Harris, b Hambrook, 18. Rogerson, b F. Eames, 0. Lindsay, b F. Eames, 3. W. Gorwood, b Hambrook, 0. Clifton, not out, 0. Extras, 8. Total, 71.

INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCES.

Batting.

J. Simms, Radlett (v. Chorleywood)...	119
H. E. Blower, West Herts (v. Pinner)	100
E. W. Dynes, Beds (v. Herts)	72
L. Wilson, Old Berkhamstedians (v. Gentlemen of Herts)	*72
R. G. Wise, Beds (v. Herts)	70
E. Sedgwick, Chesham (v. Chesham League)	*65
H. Farbox, Hemel Hempstead (v. Flitwick)	61
— Woods, Sun Engraving (v. Hemel Hempstead Working Men's Club) ...	58
P. G. Wolf, Hemel Hempstead (v. West Herts II.)	55
G. F. Carter, Old Berkhamstedians (v. Gentlemen of Herts)	55
R. Evans, Gentlemen of Herts (v. Old Berkhamstedians)	55
G. M. Crossman, Herts (v. Bucks)...	53
H. Wolfe, Abbots Langley II, (v. Kings Langley II.)	50
Brown (S.), Herts (v. Beds)	50

Bowling.

Burton (F.), Herts (v. Bucks) ...	8 for 22
S. Godman, Chipperfield II. (v. Dickinson's, Croxley, II.)	7 for 27
P. E. Johnson, Hemel Hempstead II. (v. H.M. Stationery Office, Wealdstone)	7 for 30
R. Stanbridge, Beds II. (v. Bushey II.)	6 for 6
— Mason, H.M. Stationery Office, Wealdstone (v. Hemel Hempstead II.)	6 for 10
S. Simpson, Watford II. (v. Headstone St. George's II.)	6 for 18
W. Smith, Dickinson's, Croxley, II. (v. Chipperfield)	*5 for 4
Edwards (F.), Bucks (v. Herts) ..	5 for 8
W. E. Hazelton, Bucks (v. Herts) ..	5 for 10
L. Willis, L.R.B.C. (v. Mr. Thwaite's XI.)	5 for 15
L. Wallis, L.R.B.C. (v. Mr. Thwaite's XI.)	5 for 16
A. Dear, L.M.S., Watford (v. Leighton Wesley Guild)	5 for 17
— Wright, Mr. Thwaite's XI. (v. L.R.B.C.)	4 for 8
A. Holmes, Leighton Wesley Guild (v. L.M.S., Watford)	4 for 6
G. D. Redding, Hemel Hempstead (v. Flitwick)	4 for 8

*Hat trick.

HERTS v. NORFOLK.

AN INNINGS DEFEAT FOR HOME COUNTY.

Hertfordshire suffered an innings defeat at the hands of Norfolk in the Watford match on Friday. The visiting county were in a strong position on Thursday night. Batting first, they had made 342, and had taken two Hertfordshire wickets in the first innings for 50 before stumps were drawn.

On Friday morning the Hertfordshire batsmen all failed, and the rest of the side was skittled out with the addition of only 27 runs to the overnight score to complete the first innings. This was due to very effective bowling by Nichols, who took six wickets at the expense of only eight runs, ten of his fourteen overs being maidens. W. Eagle took the other four for 19.

Hertfordshire had to follow on, but could not save an innings defeat. G. M. Crossman scored 31, and C. B. Fordham made the highest score with 49. A. Grimsdell was not out for 36. T. P. Lawrence and Roberts were the only other two to make double figures, and neither of these reached the twenties. In the second innings Nichols took four for 30, W. Eagle three for 49, and R. W. Cant two for 46. Hertfordshire were all out for 184, and Norfolk thus won by an innings and 81 runs. Score:

NORFOLK.

B. Rought-Rought, c Crossman, b Roberts	136
R. M. Beresford, run out	11
J. H. Bally, b Brown	8
M. Falcon, b Brown	1
J. Coldham, c Roberts, b Fordham	45
F. Low, lbw, b de Zoete	44
G. A. Stevens, st Grimsdell, b Burton	59
Nichols, not out	0
G. N. Scott Chad, c Brown, b Burton	16
W. Eagle, c Kingsley, b Roberts	7
R. W. Cant, b Roberts	0
Extras	15
Total	342

HERTS.

P. G. T. Kingsley, c Coldham, b Nichols	14
G. M. Crossman, b Nichols	29
C. B. Fordham, c sub., b Eagle	1
T. P. Lawrence, c Coldham, b Nichols	13
M. H. de Zoete, b Nichols	3
J. G. Bland, c Beresford, b Nichols	4
A. Grimsdell, c sub., b Eagle	1
Brown, b Eagle	2
R. Posthill, lbw, b Eagle	0
Burton, not out	1
Roberts, b Nichols	1
Extras	8
Total	77

Second innings.—P. G. T. Kingsley, c Low, b Cant, 5. G. M. Crossman, c Low, b Eagle, 31. C. B. Fordham, c Low, b Eagle, 49. T. P. Lawrence, c Scott Chad, b Cant, 15. M. H. de Zoete, b Nichols, 3. J. G. Bland, c Low, b Eagle, 5. A. Grimsdell, not out, 36. Brown, run out, 0. R. Posthill, b Nichols, 0. Burton, b Nichols, 5. Roberts, c Low, b Nichols, 16. Extras, 19. Total, 184.

WEST HERTS v. MILL HILL PARK.

There was a very fine finish to this match at Cassio-road on Saturday. West Herts, batting first, were placed in a strong position by A. L. Goodall and H. E. Blower carrying the score from 43 to 100 in their third-wicket stand, and when the second century was reached a declaration was made. Goodall, who batted very soundly and without giving a chance, was then not out. St. Mill Hill Park, who were given two hours to get the runs, were lucky to escape defeat, as when stumps were drawn they had lost nine wickets for 83: it was the stubborn resistance of A. S. Herbert and H. H. Jay which saved them, as four wickets fell when the score was 65. D. J. Short, going on first change, was very successful, taking four wickets for 16 three in his seventh over. Z. Irani came out with three for 33, and L. Hodgson two for 27. Score:

WEST HERTS.	
A. Grimsdell, b Herbert	14
Z. Irani, b Townshend	15
A. L. Goodall, not out	81
H. E. Blower, b Boulter	39
H. P. Mason, c White, b Boulter	10
C. J. S. Mitchell, b Townshend	11
D. C. Kendrick, not out	14
Extras	16
Total (5 wks.)	200

*Innings declared closed.

J. C. Wiggs, H. G. Horton, D. C. Short, and L. Hodgson did not bat.

MILL HILL PARK.

J. P. Rowley, b Hodgson	5
G. W. Parrhead, c Grimsdell, b Short	12
F. D. Coulthard, c Grimsdell, b Irani	1
W. A. G. Pratt, lbw, b Irani	4
W. S. White, b Short	26
A. S. Herbert, lbw, b Irani	13
H. N. Atkinson, b Short	0
W. Townshend, c Blower, b Short	0
H. H. Jay, not out	12
L. W. Boulter, lbw, b Hodgson	2
A. J. Smith, not out	4
Extras	4
Total (9 wks.)	88

LEAVESDEN MENTAL HOSPITAL v. CHESHAM.

Played on Thursday, August 14, at Leavesden, and left drawn. Score:

LEAVESDEN MENTAL HOSPITAL.	
E. Jones, b Sedgwick	14
H. Cook, c Wilson, b Tompkins	9
F. Glenister, c Sedgwick, b Tompkins	9
C. Dean, b Sedgwick	32
L. Tuppen, b Sedgwick	15
T. Grundy, b Sedgwick	7
E. McCall, b Sedgwick	0
T. Robins, c Oliver, b Wheeler	6
E. Bunce, not out	12
H. Crowshaw, b Sedgwick	8
H. Howlett, lbw, b Wheeler	2
Extras	9
Total	128

CHESHAM.

F. Wilson, st Dean, b Glenister	7
R. Tompkins, lbw, b Glenister	13
E. Bates, b Crowshaw	1
W. Wheeler, b Crownshaw	3
A. Morcton, b Glenister	0
E. Sedgwick, not out	31
B. Oliver, run out	3
V. Belsham, b Crownshaw	9
A. Chisby, b Grundy	0
B. Crossley, not out	10
Extras	3
Total (8 wks.)	80

W. Glasgow did not bat.

LEAVESDEN MENTAL HOSPITAL v. BRONDESBURY PARK.

Leavesden Mental Hospital, playing at Brondebury Park, won by three wickets and 41 runs. Score:

BRONDESBURY PARK.	
G. Brooks, b Dean	12
F. Hemingway, b Dean	0
H. Monk, b Dean	0
F. Henn, c Dean, b Grundy	25
C. Douglas, b Dean	28
S. White, c McCall, b Grundy	5
E. Binmore, b Grundy	0
H. Camkin, b Dean	1
C. Crutchley, b Grundy	7
H. Crampton, b Dean	2
F. Tallen, not out	6
Extras	27
Total	107

LEAVESDEN MENTAL HOSPITAL.

E. Jones, c Douglas, b Brooks	21
R. Cook, b Douglas	5
F. Glenister, b Brooks	28
L. Tuppen, b Brooks	28
T. Grundy, lbw, b Camkin	10
R. Dean, c and b Douglas	51
E. McCall, not out	15
T. Robins, run out	17
Extras	3
Total (7 wks.)	151

H. Crowshaw, H. Chandler, and E. Colledge did not bat.

RICKMANSWORTH v. CHORLEYWOOD.

Playing at home, Rickmansworth won by four wickets and 10 runs. Score:

CHORLEYWOOD.	
M. Waghorn, c Jarvis, b Nicholas	26
D. Priestley, c Hill, b Fox	11
C. Stavert, b Rodbourne	1
L. Darvell, b Rodbourne	1
R. Evans, b Fox	28
M. Cooper, b Nicholas	2
E. W. Miller, b Sulston	5
R. Bennett, lbw, b Fox	0
J. Jarrett, not out	7
J. C. Collins, lbw, b Sulston	3
R. Blumh, b Fox	3
Extras	8
Total	95

RICKMANSWORTH.

P. Aston, b Cooper	3
L. Hill, b Stavert	6
R. E. Jordan, b Cooper	4
R. S. Crawshaw, b Cooper	28
E. Rodbourne, c Stavert, b Cooper	11
R. W. Fox, c Miller, b Cooper	16
J. Sulston, not out	25
I. A. Nicholas, not out	2
Extras	10
Total (6 wks.)	105

E. Ford, C. Jarvis, and T. R. Harvey did not bat.

CHIPPERFIELD v. HERTS COUNTY CLUB.

Herts County Club, at Chipperfield, won by 56 runs. P. S. Stoyle, making 45, Marsh took five wickets for 30, and Cuthbertson four for 24. For Chipperfield, Bates took three for 46 and J. Bunyon four for 31. Score:

CHIPPERFIELD.	
R. W. Waterhouse, c Wales, b Marsh	27
H. Brunnsden, c Clutterbuck, b Brown	11
J. A. Betts, c Stoyle, b Cuthbertson	29
J. Cruickshank, c Nelson, b Cuthbertson	2
A. T. Hutchinson, c Mole, b Marsh	0
E. J. Waterhouse, b Marsh	0
E. Puddenhatt, lbw, b Marsh	5
G. Bunyon, not out	4
E. Spall, b Cuthbertson	1
J. Bunyon, b Cuthbertson	0
F. Bignall, b Marsh	9
Extras	6
Total	94

HERTS COUNTY CLUB.

P. S. Stoyle, st E. J. Waterhouse, b J. Bunyon	45
R. P. Nelson, b Bates	13
R. Hunter, st Waterhouse, b J. Bunyon	28
A. Cuthbertson, c Brunnsden, b J. Bunyon	2
Capt. T. R. Clutterbuck, b Bates	1
W. H. Marsh, c E. J. Waterhouse, b Bates	6
E. H. Wales, c E. J. Waterhouse, b Bignell	22
K. Brown, b J. Bunyon	5
S. P. Mole, not out	0
R. G. Bowles, b Cruickshank	18
Extras	10
Total (9 wks.)	150

G. Simons did not bat.

HEMEL HEMPSTEAD v. BERKHAMSTED TOWN.

Hemel Hempstead, who entertained their close neighbours, Berkhamsted Town, on Saturday, gave a sparkling display with bat and ball, and won easily by 148 runs. Two good balls by Vaughan disposed of England and Wolf before many runs had been scored, but the Berkhamsted attack afterwards proved very limited, and Tarbox, Grange, and Capel batted with freedom, and laid the foundation for the home team's good total. Capel, who is played chiefly for his bowling, missed his 50 by only one run. Vaughan took four for 54, Smith two for 46, Mallett one for 28, Finmore one for 33, and Stephenson, who put himself on as third change, took the last wicket in his only over for four runs. Cuthbertson (29) and Smith (17 not out) were the only Berkhamsted batsmen to play with any confidence against the home attack. Atkins kept a fine length throughout, and, after bowling Stephenson with his first ball, finished with four for 21 in 15 overs, of which six were maidens. Capel took two for 28 in 13 overs, of which six were maidens. England two for 11 in five overs, and Tarbox (second change) two for none in two overs. Score:

HEMEL HEMPSTEAD.	
W. H. England, b Vaughan	6
H. J. Tarbox, b Smith	38
P. G. Wolf, b Vaughan	0
H. H. Grange, c Stephenson, b Smith	28
S. Capel, c P. R. Stephenson, b Mallett	49
E. Stratford, c Mallett, b Finmore	10
G. Pieton, b Vaughan	5
A. W. Atkins, c Fergusson, b Vaughan	2
E. D. Seabrook, not out	20
G. E. Currie, run out	5
R. B. Welch, b R. R. Stephenson	5
Extras	19
Total	184

BERKHAMSTED TOWN.

Cuthbertson, b Atkins	29
P. R. Stephenson, b Atkins	0
Sheppard, c England, b Capel	0
Griffith, b Atkins	0
Caldwell, c Webb, b England	8
Mallett, b Atkins	4
R. B. Stephenson, b Tarbox	2
Fergusson, c and b England	0
Vaughan, c Grange, b Capel	0
Smith, not out	17
Finmore, b Tarbox	0
Extras	8
Total	68

RICKMANSWORTH II. v. CHORLEYWOOD II.

Played at Chorleywood on Saturday, and resulting in a draw. Score:

Chorleywood.—J. Kimberley, b Hicks, 15. R. Marshall, c Barton, b Hicks, 10. J. Edwards, b Domone, 3. J. Pullen, c Odams, b Hicks, 31. A. Wright, b Domone, 14. H. Stanesby, c Wildman, b Hicks, 0. M. Anderson, c Hicks, b White, 14. J. Sevaes, b White, 8. T. Parson, b Hicks, 10. H. Collins, not out, 13. K. Ogden, not out, 14. T. Roberts did not bat. Extras, 10. Total (9 wks., declared), 142. Rickmansworth.—J. K. Mortimer, b Wright, 1. L. C. White, b Wright, 6. A. Watson, b Wright, 5. R. Barton, c Marshall, b Edwards, 8. W. Nunn, c Stanesby, b Wright, 10. P. Hoxwood, not out, 67. P. Domone, not out, 3. L. Adams, c Marshall, b Edwards, 1. A. Hicks, b Marshall, 3. H. Wildman, b Edwards, 0. F. Beeson, not out, 6. Bowley did not bat. Extras, 6. Total (9 wks.), 124.

ABBOTS LANGLEY II. v. CHIPPERFIELD II.

Abbots Langley, after an interesting game, defeated Chipperfield by 33 runs.

Chipperfield.—R. Waterhouse, b J. Mansfield, 31. S. Godman, b J. Mansfield, 3. E. Puddenhatt, b B. Cooper, 0. C. Saunders, b B. Cooper, 20. J. Bunyan, b B. Cooper, 2. J. Waterhouse, b B. Cooper, 5. K. Smith, b Cooper, 0. E. Bates, c Aldridge, b B. Cooper, 0. J. Saunders, b J. Mansfield, 0. A. Brown, run out, 4. E. Waring, not out, 0. Extras, 8. Total, 73. Abbots Langley.—J. Cobbett, c J. Waterhouse, b S. Godman, 7. H. G. Wolf, lbw, b E. Puddenhatt, 24. F. Tollett, b S. Godman, 5. B. Cooper, c R. Waterhouse, b A. Brown, 3. A. Cruickshank, b S. Godman, 0. W. Cooper, c J. Saunders, b S. Godman, 2. A. Aldridge, c A. Brown, b S. Godman, 2. E. Taylor, b S. Godman, 9. M. Bland, b A. Brown, 28. J. Mansfield, b R. Smith, 1. B. Aldridge, not out, 0. Extras, 1. Total, 106.

SARRATT v. LEAVESDEN-ROAD BAPTISTS.

Played at Sarratt on Saturday, the home side winning by 47 runs and one wicket. Score:

Leavesden-road Baptists. S. Liberty, b Lambert, 1. J. Ticehurst, b Flitney, 2. E. Liberty, b Flitney, 0. J. Crussell, lbw, b Lambert, 6. L. Leffarr, c Tavener, b Flitney, 0. H. Small, b Flitney, 1. E. Gray, b Lambert, 0. A. Tallett, c L. Poynter, b Flitney, 1. A. Weaver, not out, 7. H. Crussell, b Lambert, 0. H. Eames, b Flitney, 1. Total, 19. Sarratt.—K. Baker, c and b Ticehurst, 1. S. Chalk, st J. Crussell, b E. Liberty, 3. W. Young, c J. Crussell, b Tallett, 18. W. Flitney, c and b Ticehurst, 13. L. Poynter, c and b Ticehurst, 4. H. Griffin, c Crussell, b Ticehurst, 20. H. J. Simmonds, c J. Crussell, b S. Liberty, 5. F. Poynter, b Tallett, 0. P. Tavener, not out, 1. J. Higgs, b S. Liberty, 0. H. Lambert, did not bat. Extras, 1. Total (9 wks.), 66.

WEST HERTS II. v. HENDON.

At Hendon, on Saturday, West Herts won by 82 runs. L. A. Foxen made 54 and J. E. Shaw 40 not out. Wood took four for 20. Score:

West Herts II.—J. H. Body, lbw, b Marriott, 23. F. T. Ward, b H. Ridout, 0. H. C. Eden, b H. Ridout, 1. R. H. Stimpson, b H. Ridout, 10. D. A. G. Reid, b Marriott, 16. L. A. Foxen, b Worsman, 54. A. Marchant, lbw, b Marriott, 6. G. H. Wilson, b Marriott, 0. J. E. Shaw, not out, 40. C. Sprawson, b Ashby, 1. C. Deane, b Worsman, 5. Extras, 34. Total, 190. Hendon. T. W. Walker, b Deane, 1. E. Emmett, st Shaw, b Body, 13. M. Worsman, b Deane, 8. W. Ambrose, lbw, b Ashby, b Ward, 14. H. Ridout, b Ward, 0. A. Feard, b Body, 5. W. Collins, c R. Ridout, 12. W. Pearce, b Eden, 0. R. Ridout, not out, 0. Extras, 24. Total, 108.

TRING PARK v. ASCOTT.

At Tring, Ascott were victorious by an innings and 81 runs, J. Pitchford taking seven wickets for 25. Score:

H. Pitchford, c Reeve, b Price	21
P. Guess, b Hedges	29
L. Pitchford, b Howlett	42
G. Walker, c and b Price	3
J. Pitchford, c Rogers, b Howlett	14
F. Hammerton, b Blundell	0
W. Roadnight, b Price	17
A. Pease, b Price	7
S. Guess, c Blundell, b Price	19
K. Badrick, not out	4
K. Bandy, b Hedges	0
Extras	16
Total	172

TRING PARK.

C. P. Cole, c Badrick, b H. Pitchford	0
A. W. Hedges, b Walker	0
C. Price, c J. Pitchford, b H. Pitchford	4
T. Blundell, c J. Pitchford, b Walker	5
F. Howlett, c Walker, b H. Pitchford	18
H. F. Sanders, b Walker	0
J. Badley, b Walker	0
F. Rogers, b Walker	0
C. Desborough, b H. Pitchford	0
F. Reeve, b Walker	1
M. Copeland, not out	0
Extras	28
Total	28

Second innings.—C. P. Cole, not out, 1. A. W. Hedges, b H. Pitchford, 0. C. Price, c Roadnight, b J. Pitchford, 1. T. Blundell, lbw, b H. Pitchford, 1. F. Howlett, b J. Pitchford, 0. H. F. Sanders, b J. Pitchford, 5. J. Badley, c Roadnight, b J. Pitchford, 14. F. Rogers, c Pease, b J. Pitchford, 10. C. Desborough, c Guess, b J. Pitchford, 11. F. Reeve, c L. Pitchford, b J. Pitchford, 2. M. Copeland, b Guess, 12. Extras, 6. Total, 63.

ALDENHAM v. KEW.

Aldenham gained a run-away victory by 75 runs. C. J. Wright took seven for 13, and Arnold (for Kew) seven for 24. Score: Aldenham, F. Masters, b Arnold, 3. G. Brower, c Bates, b Arnold, 6. H. Hawkins, b Arnold, 9. E. Wright, c Bates, b Arnold, 23. E. Timms, c Clements, b Arnold, 0. C. J. Wright, b Taylor, 0. R. Stacey, b Arnold, 21. N. Hyde, c Williams, b Bates, 16. G. A. Timms, c Bates, b Arnold, 7. A. Woolton, not out, 2. T. Young, b Bates, 1. Extras, 15. Total, 103. Kew, J. Taylor, b C. J. Wright, 0. Bates, c F. Masters, b Arnold, b C. J. Wright, 0. Stonebridge, c F. Masters, b C. J. Wright, 1. Bowls, c Woolton, b C. J. Wright, 0. Pearce, run out, 10. Lomas, c and b C. J. Wright, 4. Williams, b C. J. Wright, 5. Wilkins, b C. J. Wright, 1. Clement, b F. Masters, 0. Childs, not out, 5. Extras, 1. Total, 28.

WATFORD II. v. DICKINSON'S II.

Watford won by five runs. C. Hammond took five for 12, and F. Elliott (for Dickinson's) six for 11. Score: Watford, M. Harvey, c Dorroffeld, b Elliott, 9. J. Simpson, b Elliott, 5. F. Harrison, b Elliott, 0. C. Hansard, b Elliott, 0. S. Simpson, c Miles, b Boseley, 0. D. Johnson, b Wilson, 10. F. Smith, b Elliott, 0. P. Marsh, b Elliott, 0. L. Gargrave, b Wilson, 1. E. Hall, b Wilson, 11. R. Richford, not out, 2. Extras, 2. Total, 40. Dickinson's II.—G. White, c Harvey, b Simpson, 3. E. Craddock, b Hansard, 4. G. Wilson, lbw, b Simpson, 0. A. Wiggs, b Hansard, 5. S. Boseley, b Hansard, 0. F. Elliott, not out, 12. H. Fowler, c Hall, b Hansard, 0. E. Dorroffeld, lbw, b Simpson, 7. A. Walker, b Simpson, 0. S. Miles, b Simpson, 0. R. Riddle, b Hansard, 0. Extras, 4. Total, 35.

WATFORD CO-OP. v. LETCHWORTH CO-OP.

With a somewhat depleted team, Watford Co-op. suffered their first defeat of the season by Letchworth to the tune of 50. Score: Watford Co-op., E. Toffeld, lbw, b Dunford, 15. R. Brandon, run out, 7. L. McIlroy, b Dunford, 3. G. Sears, c Brown, b Williams, 10. A. Bumpass, run out, 1. P. Sears, c Clouton, b Dunford, 5. J. Robinson, run out, 0. E. Webb, c Debenham, b Owen, 2. R. Mitchell, not out, 5. E. Johnson, c and b Owen, 0. H. Hives, b Dunford, 1. Extras, 8. Total, 57. Letchworth Co-op.—H. Dunford, st Toffeld, b G. Sears, 61. A. Williams, b McIlroy, 17. L. Fridge, b P. Sears, 0. F. Williams, c Hives, b McIlroy, 7. F. Owen, b G. Sears, 0. F. Falkner, c P. Sears, b G. Sears, 4. P. Brown, b McIlroy, 0. S. Clouton, b McIlroy, 0. H. Stephens, c P. Sears, b G. Sears, 11. H. Matthews, b McIlroy, 0. E. Debenham, not out, 3. Extras, 4. Total, 107.

WATFORD JUNCTION v. GORHAMBUKY

Played at Shirley House School Ground (by kind permission of Mr. R. T. Campbell). This match was left drawn. Score: Gorhambury.—B. Halsey, b Sheppard, 19. B. Ashwell, c A. Briers, b Banfield, 10. W. Sinfield, b Banfield, 3. G. Ashwell, c B. J. Hopkins, b Banfield, 4. Canon Crawley, c and b Briers, 19. K. Crawley, lbw, b Sheppard, 0. C. Twitchett, c L. Young, b A. Briers, 14. E. Ryan, not out, 6. L. Turner, b A. Briers, 0. G. Neal, b A. Briers, 7. A. Paul, b A. Briers, 6. Extras, 5. Total, 93. Watford Junction.—B. J. Hopkins, b Twitchett, 5. W. J. Tattam, b Neal, 3. H. G. Briers, b Twitchett, 8. H. Banfield, b Neal, 12. W. Sheppard, not out, 12. A. W. Briers, not out, 11. R. J. Bentley, L. Young, L. Warren, C. Hopkins, and E. Viccars did not bat. Total (4 wkts.), 51.

L.M.S. (WATFORD) v. CHRIST CHURCH.

The L.M.S. (Watford) on Saturday beat Christ Church by 11 runs. Score: L.M.S. (Watford)—J. Hart, c Downer, b Albon, 14. A. Dear, c Field, b Downer, 2. E. Baker, b Downer, 1. R. Reid, c Gregory, b Albon, 0. W. Reid, c Jennings, b Albon, 0. F. Treacher, not out, 15. G. Heasman, c Gregory, b Field, 3. J. Prince, b Field, 2. C. B. Trye, c Gregory, b Woolf, 1. A. Walter, c Day, b Field, 4. B. Samuels, c Downer, b Field, 0. Extras, 5. Total, 47. Christ Church.—G. Day, c Treacher, b Trye, 6. G. Childs, b Trye, 0. A. Albon, b Dear, 5. A. Smith, c Heasman, b Dear, 2. H. Downer, b Trye, 5. E. Woolf, c W. Reid, b Dear, 3. W. Gregory, c Treacher, b Dear, 4. H. Johnson, c R. Reid, b Trye, 1. S. Jennings, c W. Reid, b Trye, 2. A. Newman, not out, 1. D. Field, b Trye, 0. Extras, 6. Total, 36.

ST. JOHN'S v. HAMMER (CHORLEYWOOD).

St. John's beat the Hammer at Chorleywood by 71 runs. Score: St. John's.—T. Steel, b H. White, 0. P. Maxted, c Lewin, b H. White, 8. H. Moreton, b Humphreys, 9. J. Trevers, c A. White, b Humphreys, 3. F. Cooper, b Humphreys, 31. A. Bandy, b Lewin, 22. A. Harrop, b C. White, 3. G. Trevers, at A. White, b H. White, 36. C. Webb, not out, 0. R. Haaves and W. Treacher did not bat. Extras, 9. Total (8 wkts., declared), 121. Hammer (Chorleywood)—V. Clark, c Hawes, b Cooper, 0. B. Evans, c G. Trevers, b Cooper, 20. H. White, b Cooper, 0. F. Lewin, b Cooper, 1. J. Rodfern, c J. Trevers, b Steel, 1. P. Evans, b Steel, 0. A. White, c Webb, b Steel, 8. C. White, c and b Steel, 0. J. Robins, b Cooper, 8. T. Williams, run out, 1. F. Humphreys, not out, 5. Extras, 5. Total, 50.

BERKHAMSTED TOWN II. v. HEMEL HEMPSTEAD II.

Berkhamsted II., playing at home, completely overplayed Hemel Hempstead's second string. Only Osborne and Johnson offered serious resistance to the Berkhamsted attack, and Hempstead were all out for 66. Stanbridge took four for 21 in 12 overs, Goffey five for 21 in 10 overs, and Breton one for 12 in five overs. Berkhamsted replied with 223, despite the fact that no less than nine of the Hempstead players were given a turn with the ball. Johnson took four for 31, Osborne two for 18, Ryde Weller one for 35, Jordan none for 32, Glennister none for 16, Barnett one for 23, Daft none for 12, Snoxall one for 14, and Wilson one for 20. Goffey and Breton put on over 100 for the third wicket. Score: Hemel Hempstead II.—L. Final, c Tanner, b Stanbridge, 0. M. Snoxall, c Skinner, b Goffey, 4. L. Jordan, b Goffey, 8. J. Tarbox, c Weatherill, b Stanbridge, 2. H. Daft, lbw, b Goffey, 0. B. Osborne, c Tanner, b Goffey, 18. F. Wilson, b Goffey, 1. P. E. Johnson, b Stanbridge, 16. S. Ryde Weller, b Stanbridge, 6. W. Barnett, not out, 0. G. Glennister, lbw, b Breton, 0. Extras, 11. Total, 66. Berkhamsted II.—C. Tanner, b Johnson, 1. H. E. Weatherill, b Ryde Weller, 1. P. Goffey, c Daft, b Barnett, 52. A. N. Breton, b Osborne, 82. B. Stanbridge, b Johnson, 25. M. H. Crispin, lbw, b Osborne, 0. S. A. Harrowell, b Snoxall, 23. O. M. Skinner, b Johnson, 9. A. Cooper, lbw, b Wilson, 6. F. Timberlake, b Johnson, 0. S. Voss, not out, 0. Extras, 24. Total, 228.

INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCES.

Batting.

B. Rought-Rought, Norfolk (v. Herts)	136
P. P. Stephenson, Young Amateurs (v. Gentlemen of Herts)	111
W. Hunter, Gentlemen of Herts (v. Young Amateurs)	89
A. N. Breton, Berkhamsted II. (v. Hemel Hempstead II.)	82
A. L. Goodall, West Herts (v. Mill Hill Park)	81
D. G. Redding, Kings Langley (v. St. Bartholomew's)	68
F. Hogwood, Rickmansworth II. (v. Chorleywood II.)	67
H. Dunford, Letchworth Co-op. (v. Watford Co-op.)	61
G. A. Stevens, Norfolk (v. Herts)	59
L. A. Foxen, West Herts II. (v. Hendon)	54
P. Goffey, Berkhamsted II. (v. Hemel Hempstead II.)	53
R. Dean, Leavesden Mental Hospital (v. Brondesbury Park)	51

Bowling.

C. J. Wright, Aldenham (v. Kew)	7 for 13
— Arnold, Kew (v. Aldenham)	7 for 24
J. Pitchford, Ascott (v. Tring)	7 for 25
W. F. Flitney, Leavesden-road Baptists (v. Barratt)	6 for 9
G. Walker, Ascott (v. Tring)	6 for 10
F. Elliott, Dickinson's II. v. Watford II.)	6 for 11
C. B. Trye, L.M.S., Watford (v. Christ Church)	6 for 17
B. Cooper, Abbots Langley II. (v. Chipperfield II.)	6 for 18
C. Howard, Watford II. (v. Dickinson's II.)	5 for 12
— Grundy, Leavesden Mental Hospital (v. Brondesbury Park)	4 for 7

TEAMS FOR SATURDAY.

WEST HERTS v. SOUTH HAMPSTEAD. At South Hampstead. West Herts.—J. C. Wiggs, A. L. Goodall, H. E. Blower, L. Hodgson, Z. Frank, A. Grimsdell, D. C. Kendrick, H. P. Mason, G. Gallery, F. T. Ward, G. H. Lowndes. WEST HERTS II. v. SOUTH HAMPSTEAD II. At Cassio-road. West Herts.—J. E. Shaw, J. H. Body, H. C. Eden, H. G. Horton, D. A. G. Reid, E. L. Herbert, L. A. Foxen, C. Deane, C. H. Cutmore, C. W. Sprawson, E. G. Hawes.

WEST HERTS III. v. CHRIST CHURCH II. On Christ Church's ground. West Herts.—I. J. Mitchellmore, S. A. Thompson, R. E. Lanning, P. Lanning, A. J. Ashbey, E. A. E. Brand, G. H. A. Wilson, W. G. Eade, G. A. Brown, O. S. Crisp II, E. Deunett.

HERTS COUNTY AVERAGES.

Eighth in the Minor Championship.

With a percentage of 60, Hertfordshire finished eighth in the Minor Counties' Championship. Until the last three games, Herts had definite prospects of finishing in the second position and thus qualifying to take part in the challenge match held between the first and second teams to decide the championship. Up to that period, Herts had obtained 29 points out of a possible 35, in seven matches, winning four outright and having secured a first-innings lead in the other three.

But then the side fell away, and from their last three games only one point was obtained out of a possible fifteen.

Wet wickets were frequently experienced, and, in consequence, there is a marked improvement in the bowling performances and a decline in the batting averages. Roberts and Burton, who bore the brunt of the attack, have excellent records, Roberts taking 53 wickets at a cost of under thirteen runs apiece, and Burton 43 at less than fourteen each. C. B. Fordham heads the bowling averages, with twenty-three wickets for 11.26 runs each, and R. Postill, of Radlett, despite the fact that the wickets rarely favoured him, did very well.

P. G. T. Kingsley, with an average of 29.62, heads the batting. J. G. Bland, with 396, has the highest aggregate of runs. The averages are:—

BATTING.

	Times Most		Total	Avg.
	No. not inns. out.	in inns.		
P. G. T. Kingsley	15	2	158	385 21.82
A. Grimsdell	15	5	73	264 26.40
J. G. Bland	17	0	75	396 23.29
C. B. Fordham	18	1	59	353 20.75
Brown (S.)	17	2	59	304 20.27
T. P. Lawrence	16	1	80	297 19.80
G. M. Crossman	19	1	53	354 19.67
Lord Hyde	6	1	41	85 17.00
M. H. de Zoete	14	1	48	192 14.76
Roberts (E.)	13	3	29	128 12.80
Burton (F.)	12	5	20	64 9.20
R. Postill	9	1	15	47 5.87

Also batted in less than six innings:—
G. R. Walker, 34 and 29; F. J. Longton, 12 and 4; G. D. Hodgson, 1 and 10; G. R. Whitcombe, 1 and 8; M. Cooper, 0 and 1; Shelford, 2.

BOWLING.

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Avg.
Fordham	120	85	259	23	11.26
Roberts	255	64	651	53	12.28
Burton	275	88	669	43	13.88
Postill	131	85	287	19	15.11

Also bowled and secured less than ten wickets:—Lord Hyde, P. G. T. Kingsley, G. R. Whitcombe, T. P. Lawrence, M. H. de Zoete, M. Cooper, Brown, and Shelford.

Gentlemen of Herts and County Club.

Of 30 matches played, the Gentlemen of Herts and County Club have won 17, lost 3, and drawn 10. G. R. Walker, the assistant hon. secretary, heads the batting with the fine average of 71. His enforced absence from the County XI. has been a great loss. Kenneth Hunter, the Harpenden player, has an average of 40, and P. S. Stoyle and G. D. Hodgson were very consistent, with the splendid aggregates of 521 and 450 respectively. W. H. Marsh, who has borne the brunt of the bowling, and is undoubtedly the best bowler of his type in the county, has taken 74 wickets with an average of under thirteen per wicket. Percy Paul has secured 27 wickets with an average of under ten. Altogether, nearly 80 members have taken part in these enjoyable and interesting matches, and the visits of the County Club are looked forward to with increasing interest by all the principal clubs in the county. It is expected that several new fixtures will be added to the already large list of fixtures in 1931. Averages:—

BATTING.

	Times Most		Total	Avg.	
	No. not inns. out.	in inns.			runs.
G. R. Walker	7	2	141	355	71.00
G. M. Crossman	4	0	84	104	41.00
K. Hunter	7	1	89	240	40.00
Roger Evans	6	0	58	187	31.16
P. R. Paul	7	3	43	119	29.75
G. D. Hodgson	16	0	75	459	28.68
Brown, S.	5	2	29	82	27.83
D. A. G. Reid	4	2	27	55	27.30
V. M. Sheppard	4	0	44	98	24.50
H. E. Blower	4	0	58	95	23.75
P. R. Stephenson	4	1	54	71	23.66
Q. V. Hoare	6	0	60	141	23.50
L. E. Garland	4	0	83	92	23.00
P. S. Stoyle	26	0	77	521	20.03
S. P. Mole	12	0	34	152	16.88
E. R. Flott	8	0	31	120	15.00
E. H. Wales	10	6	22	57	14.25
R. B. Stephenson	4	1	13	41	13.66
G. H. Darvell	7	1	48	78	13.00
J. G. Bland	4	0	34	52	13.00
G. Bowman	4	1	21	87	12.33
G. F. Simons	10	0	33	94	9.40
S. A. Watts	8	0	26	74	9.25
W. H. Marsh	19	4	51	198	9.20
L. Cartwright	5	0	22	46	9.20
T. E. Smyth	6	0	28	34	5.66

Forty-six others played less than four times, and are not included.

BOWLING.

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Avg.
C. H. Fordham	9	2	15	5	3.00
Cuthbertson, A.	30	14	42	8	5.25
Burton, F.	12	3	40	5	8.00
Z. Irani	34	5	88	10	8.80
Roberts, E.	46	10	115	12	9.58
P. R. Paul	105	30	231	27	9.66
R. B. Stephenson	13	1	62	6	10.33
Roger Evans	78	19	202	16	11.22
T. E. Smyth	32	5	140	12	11.66
T. P. Lawrence	28	1	141	12	11.75
W. H. Marsh	328	71	908	74	11.27
Brown, S.	82	8	212	17	12.47
G. R. Whitcombe	25	10	65	5	13.00
M. Cooper	89	15	290	16	18.12
E. R. Flott	60	17	158	6	26.83

ABBOTS LANGLEY v. GORHAMBURY.
This match was won by Abbots Langley by 63 runs. Score:

ABBOTS LANGLEY.

J. E. Inage, c B. Ashwell, b Funnell	24
B. Crowshaw, c J. Ashwell, b Turner	15
H. Williams, c Halsey, b Funnell	6
A. Mansfield, b Funnell	6
D. Crossley, c Paul, b Neal	11
S. Booker, not out	17
E. Watson, c Paul, b J. Ashwell	27
F. M. Riley, c Paul, b Funnell	25
G. F. Simons, b Funnell	0
Extras	8
Total (8 wkts.)	129

*Innings declared closed.
G. Carpenter and E. J. Pascoe did not bat.

GORHAMBURY.

B. Halsey, b Pascoe	2
J. Ashwell, c Williams, b Riley	0
T. Funnell, run out	0
B. Ashwell, c Riley, b Pascoe	18
C. Neal, not out	13
W. Sinfield, run out	18
R. King, b Carpenter	12
W. Hodges, c Williams, b Carpenter	6
L. Turner, b Pascoe	0
A. Paul, b Pascoe	4
H. Wilkins, b Pascoe	0
Extras	9
Total	66

HEMEL HEMPSTEAD v. TRING PARK.

Hemel Hempstead, playing at home, defeated Tring by 27 runs. The home team compiled a total of 152. Harold Tarbox being top scorer with 39. Howlett took five for 39, Blundell two for 43, Honour two for 49, and Copeland one for 19. A fine second-wicket partnership between Bell and Blundell gave the impression that Tring would pass the home total without difficulty, but the team collapsed badly against the good length bowling of Copel, who took seven wickets for 41 runs in 17 overs, England took the other three wickets at a cost of 19. None of the change bowlers, Tarbox, Grange, Jordan and Stratford, secured a wicket. Score:

HEMEL HEMPSTEAD.

W. H. England, lbw, b Howlett	4
H. J. Tarbox, c Rogers, b Honour	39
H. H. Grange, b Blundell	6
S. Copel, c Cole, b Copeland	21
G. Picton, c Blundell, b Honour	2
E. Stratford, b Blundell	22
L. W. Jordan, c Cole, b Howlett	26
W. Brooke, b Howlett	3
E. D. Seabrook, c Desborough, b Howlett	0
J. Tarbox, c Cole, b Howlett	0
R. B. Webb, not out	0
Extras	7
Total	152

TRING PARK.

E. Bell, b Copel	34
C. Desborough, c Grange, b Copel	0
T. Blundell, c Webb, b England	49
C. P. Cole, b England	0
F. Howlett, c Webb, b Copel	3
H. F. Sanders, c Grange, b Copel	10
J. Badley, b Copel	5
R. W. Honour, b Copel	2
F. Rogers, c Tarbox, b Copel	2
R. P. Cole, b England	0
M. Copeland, not out	0
Extras	10
Total	115

WEST HERTS II. v. NORTH MIDDLESEX II.

At Hornsey, the home side winning by 80 runs. Score:

West Herts.—J. H. Body, b Meyer, 5. D. A. Winter, c Perritt, b King, 24. H. C. Eden, b Perritt, 10. D. A. G. Reid, run out, 0. J. E. Shaw, b Perritt, 12. L. A. Foxen, b Perritt, 9. J. Cutmore, c Knights, b King, 0. A. Marcham, lbw, b King, 0. J. N. Sprawson, b Perritt, 0. W. E. Hoare, b Perritt, 0. C. Deane, not out, 0. Extras, 11. Total, 62.
North Middlesex.—C. Perritt, b Body, 26. P. Coates, b Body, 3. B. S. Read, c Shaw, b Reid, 27. H. S. Norris, c Deane, b Body, 7. E. R. King, c Body, b Reid, 25. R. B. Richardson, lbw, b Eden, 17. R. S. Butterworth, st Shaw, b Eden, 6. H. S. Knights, c Cutmore, b Eden, 4. G. Morgan, not out, 4. S. Meyer, c Winter, b Deane, 5. C. Walmot, b Deane, 1. Extras, 7. Total, 142.

WATFORD JUNCTION v. ALDENHAM.

This match played at Shirley House School ground, by kind permission of Mr R. T. Campbell, was won by Aldenham by 42 runs. Score:

Watford Junction.—B. J. Hopkins, c Wotton, b Armstrong, 0. R. J. Bentley, b Wright, 0. W. Sheppard, b Wright, 4. H. Banfield, b Armstrong, 0. H. G. Briers, lbw, b Wright, 0. A. W. Briers, c Stacey, b Armstrong, 3. L. Young, b Armstrong, 4. W. Newman, b Wright, 0. D. Masters, b Wright, 0. P. Young, run out, 9. E. Viccars, not out, 2. Extras, 1. Total, 23.

Aldenham.—G. Brown, c Hopkins, b H. G. Briers, 11. R. Stacey, b H. G. Briers, 0. E. Wright, b H. G. Briers, 2. E. Timms, b A. Briers, 4. R. Ilawkins, c Young, b A. Briers, 0. J. Armstrong, c H. G. Briers, b A. Briers, 2. C. J. Wright, b Banfield, 14. F. Masters, b Sheppard, 4. N. Hyde, not out, 21. H. Burchell, c H. G. Briers, b Sheppard, 4. A. Wotton, lbw, b Sheppard, 0. Extras, 3. Total, 65.

WATFORD II. v. LEAVESDEN ROAD BAPTISTS.

Watford II. won this game at Bricket Wood by 31 runs. Score:

Leavesden-road Baptists.—J. Ticehurst, c and b C. Hansard, 0. G. Kilby, run out, 0. E. Liberty, c L. Dauth, b S. Simpson, 1. A. Weaver, c and b S. Simpson, 0. S. Liberty, b S. Simpson, 5. C. Daniels, b C. Hansard, 1. G. Braybrooke, c F. Hall, b S. Simpson, 1. G. Humphrey, c and b C. Hansard, 8. E. Fames, not out, 1. H. Liberty, c J. Simpson, b S. Simpson, 0. A. Kameca, c J. Simpson, b S. Simpson, 1. Extras, 2. Total, 20.

Watford.—M. Harvey, lbw, b S. Liberty, 0. W. Brunt, c C. Daniels, b S. Liberty, 1. J. Simpson, c Daniels, b S. Philby, 10. C. Hansard, b S. Liberty, 19. R. Brown, b G. Philby, 2. L. Dauth, c E. Liberty, b S. Liberty, 8. P. Coadell, not out, 4. S. Simpson, b J. Ticehurst, 5. F. Smith, b J. Ticehurst, 0. E. Hall, c C. Daniels, b S. Liberty, 1. R. Richford, b J. Ticehurst, 0. Extras, 1. Total, 51.

WATFORD CO-OP. v. LUTON CO-OP.

Played at Luton on August 27, and won by Watford by 48 runs.

Watford Co-op.—R. Cockerill, b Fensome, 22. E. Tofteld, lbw, b Hills, 0. L. McIlroy, b Fensome, 4. A. Goddard, b D. Smith, 4. R. Sharman, c Foster, b Fensome, 14. P. Sears, b Fensome, 6. J. Day, b Fensome, 16. C. Ives, c James, b Hills, 11. A. Bumpass, c and b D. Smith, 4. W. Aldridge, c Foster, b Fensome, 1. J. Robinson, not out, 0. Extras, 3. Total, 91.

Luton Co-op.—D. Smith, st Tofteld, b Goddard, 14. A. Smith, c Tofteld, b Goddard, 0. F. Ansell, b Goddard, 3. C. Fensome, c McIlroy, b Sharman, 7. W. Hills, b Goddard, 6. A. Mathews, b Sharman, 0. A. Brown, b Sharman, 3. S. Elkins, c McIlroy, b Sharman, 0. A. Jackson, b McIlroy, 0. A. Foster, st Tofteld, b Sharman, 1. G. Jones, not out, 4. Extras, 5. Total, 43.

TRING II. v. HEMEL HEMPSTEAD II.

This match, played at Tring, ended in victory for the home team by 42 runs. Score:

Tring II.—H. Mumford, lbw, b Blunt, 16. J. Kingham, b Johnson, 0. A. Kempster, c Blunt, b Mills, 21. O. Harrison, c Mills, b Blunt, 8. J. Mumford, lbw, b Osborne, 12. H. Bandy, lbw, b Blunt, 9. J. Budd, run out, 9. N. Hartley, b Blunt, 2. H. Hockney, c Blunt, b Dunbar, 4. C. Hobson, c Blunt, b Johnson, 1. G. Glover, not out, 3. Extras, 5. Total, 90.

Hemel Hempstead II.—L. Final, lbw, b Bandy, 2. M. Snaxall, c Mumford, b Bandy, 2. R. Stanbridge, c Kempster, b Mumford, 1. D. Blunt, b Mumford, 2. C. H. Dunbar, b Kempster, 5. R. Osborne, c Hobson, b Mumford, 17. P. E. Johnson, b Mumford, 0. S. Ryde Weller, b Mumford, 4. W. Barnett, b Kempster, 6. P. Mills, not out, 5. G. Glenfater, c Hobson, b Mumford, 1. Extras, 3. Total, 48.

WATFORD CHRIST CHURCH v. WEST HERTS III.

This 10-a-side game at Durrants was won by Christ Church by 85 runs. Score:

Christ Church.—G. Day, b Dennet, 4. G. Rowe, b R. Lanning, 13. A. Albon, b R. Lanning, 13. D. Downer, c R. Lanning, b Hilton, 16. D. E. Woolf, c F. Jenkins, b Johnson, b Dennet, 0. A. Newman, run out, 9. H. Sturman, c Jenkins, b P. Lanning, 2. R. Johnson, not out, 5. Extras, 13. Total, 121.

West Herts III.—R. Lanning, lbw, b Woolf, 7. D. Hilton, b Woolf, 0. D. Brown, c and b Woolf, 2. Dennet, c Day, b Albon, 6. S. Thompson, b Woolf, 6. P. Lanning, c and b Woolf, 0. L. Thompson, c Albon, b Woolf, 0. F. Jenkins, not out, 11. Lowndes, c Day, b Woolf, 0. P. W. Sessman, c Newman, b Albon, 0. Extras, 4. Total, 36.

L.M.S. (WATFORD) v. DICKINSON'S (CROXLEY).

Played at Headstone-lane on Saturday, and won by the Railwaymen by 29 runs. Score:

L.M.S. (Watford).—J. Hart, b Elliott, 5. A. Dear, b Elliott, 6. G. H. Lutter, b Elliott, 46. R. Reid, b Elliott, 0. F. Treacher, b Lewin, 3. A. Wells, b Elliott, 2. W. Reid, not out, 26. J. M. Foxley, c Wiggs, b Lewin, 0. A. Walker, c Turner, b Elliott, 0. P. Jones, b Lewin, 0. B. Samuel, b Elliott, 2. Extras, 3. Total, 97.

Dickinson's (Croxley).—L. Jennings, st W. Reid, b Dear, 6. S. Singleton, c Hart, b Dear, 6. G. Wilson, c Hart, b Wells, 13. E. Dorrofield, b Dear, 4. G. Hopkins, c Foxley, b Dear, 4. F. Lewin, b Dear, 0. A. Wiggs, c W. Reid, b Foxley, 29. C. Watson, b Dear, 0. E. Turner, c Samuels, b Dear, 2. F. Elliott, b Dear, 4. W. Smith, not out, 0. Total, 68.

WEST HERTS v. NORTH MIDDLESEX.

Playing at Hornsey on Saturday, West Herts were defeated by 78 runs and nine wickets. West Herts, who batted first, lost their first three wickets for 33, and were all out for 145, the top scorers being F. T. Ward (40) and Z. Iranl (38). G. L. Burt was in fine bowling form for North Middlesex, taking seven wickets at a very small cost. The Hornsey club, when stamps were drawn, had scored 223 for one wicket. C. A. Wiles included in his 109 not out, gave fours. West Herts tried eight bowlers. J. T. Ward taking the only wicket for 16 runs. Score:

WEST HERTS.

G. Gallery, c Wills, b Burt	7
A. Grimsdell, c Donaldson, b Burt	2
A. L. Goddall, b Attoe	12
Z. Iranl, b Taylor	38
H. P. Mason, c Seagrave, b Burt	10
D. C. Kendrick, c Attoe, b Burt	10
J. C. Wiggs, b Burt	4
F. T. Ward, c Seagrave, b Burt	45
G. H. Lowndes, b Burt	4
E. L. Herbert, not out	9
L. Hodgson, b Attoe	0
Extras	4
Total	146

NORTH MIDDLESEX.

R. J. Richardson, b Ward	42
C. A. Wiles, not out	109
J. W. Donaldson, not out	58
Extras	14
Total (1 wkt.)	223

P. Attoe, G. Seagrave, P. H. de Keyser, A. C. Thompson, W. Joffrey, G. B. Burt, F. H. Taylor, and W. Allsopp did not bat.

CHORLEYWOOD v. BUSHEY.

Played at Chorleywood, the home side winning by 142. Score:

BUSHEY.

G. R. Walker, c Bayley, b Cooper	15
A. Fisk, c Pullen, b Jarrett	15
P. Bliss, c Bayley, b Jarrett	3
T. Demery, b Wright	19
M. Faithful, c Priestley, b Jarrett	1
D. Huggett, b Wright	4
Proctor, run out	1
J. Rowe, c Priestley, b Jarrett	3
L. Smoe, not out	7
A. Salmon, c Bennett, b Evans	5
Brant, b Evans	1
Extras	12
Total	82

CHORLEYWOOD.

M. Waghorn, c Demery, b Rowe	11
D. Priestley, lbw, b Huggett	23
L. Darvell, c Huggett, b Bliss	46
H. Bayley, lbw, b Huggett	14
J. Pullen, c Huggett, b Rowe	13
R. Evans, not out	69
J. Wilshin, c Demery, b Faithful	35
M. Cooper, c Walker, b Proctor	10
J. Jarrett, c Walker, b Faithful	4
B. Bennett, not out	3
Extras	10
Total (8 wkts.)	228

L. Wright did not bat.

TEAMS FOR SATURDAY.

WEST HERTS v. GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY.

On the G.W.R. ground. West Herts.—J. C. Wiggs, H. E. Blower, G. Gallery, Z. Iranl, A. Grimsdell, F. T. Ward, D. C. Kendrick, E. L. Herbert, G. H. Lowndes, K. G. Hawes, D. A. G. Reid.

WEST HERTS II. v. GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY II.

At Cassio-road. West Herts.—D. A. Winter, J. H. Body, R. H. Stimpson, R. A. Evans, H. C. Eden, C. Deane, L. A. Foxen, C. N. Sprawson, C. H. Cutmore, G. H. Wilson, R. E. J. Lanning.

WEST HERTS III. v. DICKINSON'S (CROXLEY).

At Croxley. West Herts.—S. A. Thompson, P. Lanning, G. H. Brown, A. Ashbey, H. Dennett, J. Huckvale, H. J. Sear, O. Crish, K. H. Slaughter, A. Marcham, F. Jenkins.

TWO SUCCESSFUL BOWLERS.

D. Field, captain of Watford Christ Church Club, has taken 50 wickets during the season at a cost of 4.84 runs per wicket. E. Woolf, of the same club, has an average, for 59 wickets, of 6.23.

CRICKET AVERAGES.

ST. ALBANS LOSE ONLY ONE MATCH IN VERY SUCCESSFUL SEASON.

YOUNG PLAYERS MAKING GOOD.

The past season has, for the St. Albans Cricket Club, been a very successful one, and the form shown by the younger players augers well for the future.

In twenty-seven matches played by the first eleven, only one defeat was sustained, and that in a mid-week fixture at Bushey, when the club could only field eight players. Altogether, thirteen victories were recorded, and, in the majority of the thirteen games left drawn, St. Albans were in a strong position.

The total runs scored by St. Albans were 4,327, which for 199 wickets gives an average of 21.74 per wicket. St. Albans' opponents scored 2,580 runs for 255 wickets, an average of 13.65 per wicket. The first eleven averages are:-

BATTING.

	Times		Most in		Inns. Ave.
	Inns.	n.o.	Runs.	Inns.	
J. G. Bland	10	1	418	87*	46.4
W. L. Clark	8	2	227	62*	37.8
S. H. Rabone	17	6	336	63*	39.8
D. F. Harding	10	1	542	100*	28.5
W. Lismore	19	3	409	74*	25.5
C. Dumbleton	18	2	344	69*	22.9
J. Holt	18	2	333	69*	20.6
C. H. Rabone	22	3	316	73*	16.6
H. W. Adams	17	0	264	64	15.5
A. J. Barnes	19	2	241	36	14.1
J. Prunell	7	2	56	20	11.2
E. Orton	8	2	86	17	9.3
G. Stevenson	14	2	94	39	7.8

Also batted:- E. J. C. Parker, 5 innings-204 runs; L. Hosier, 2-65; A. Stroffon, 1-39; C. Fletcher, 2-26; E. Berry, 1-22; E. Hillyard, 1-19; B. J. Cadger, 1-9; J. Baum, 1-17; L. Ryder, 2-14; D. M. De Zoete, 1-14; E. Toogood, 1-9; R. Norman, 2-7; C. Day, 1-7; K. Paine, 1-6; E. Dalnes, 2-4; W. Runchman, 1-3; J. Robinson, 1-1.

BOWLING.

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Avg.
C. H. Rabone	16.3	36	237	22	10.7
J. Holt	33.4	104	714	65	10.9
S. Rabone	157	38	382	34	11.2
W. Lismore	224	34	628	45	13.9
A. Barnes	92.1	5	361	29	18.0
W. Clark	43	7	91	5	18.2

Also bowled:- L. Ryder, 8 for 67; C. Dumbleton, 5 for 63; E. Parker, 2 for 49; J. G. Bland, 2 for 76; R. Norman, 1 for 40.

Catches made:- J. Holt, 12; C. H. Rabone, 10; S. H. Rabone, 8; C. Dumbleton, 7; G. Stevenson, 6; H. W. Adams, 6; W. Lismore, 6; E. Orton, 6.

SECOND ELEVEN FIGURES.

The second eleven played nineteen matches, of which three were won, ten drawn, and six lost. The side made 1,875 runs for 162 wickets, an average of 11.5 per wicket, and their opponents totalled 2,288 for 149 wickets, an average of 15.3 per wicket. The second eleven averages are:-

BATTING.

	Times		Most in		Inns. Ave.
	Inns.	n.o.	Runs.	Inns.	
H. Wilks	16	6	287	56*	26.1
G. Morrison	13	0	270	44	20.7
K. Paine	14	3	130	28*	11.8
A. Parnell	15	2	142	49	10.9
C. Day	14	4	89	31	8.9
D. Passidgo	17	0	143	31	8.7
P. Passidgo	16	1	123	26	8.2
E. Barnes	7	2	38	11	7.6
A. Morlon	11	1	67	22*	6.7
H. Walters	14	1	87	16	6.6
L. Ryder	10	1	89	22	6.5
G. Whitby	7	0	37	16	6.2

Also batted:- W. Clark, 1 innings-84 runs; C. H. Rabone, 1-28; J. G. Calder, 2-27; E. Toogood, 4-26; J. Henry, 5-21; W. Snashall, 2-9; G. Stevenson, 2-7; J. Prunell, 1-6; A. Lewis, 1-6; A. Stroffon, 1-5; H. Adams, 1-4; E. Bullen, 1-4; D. Turner, 1-4; G. Whitby, 1-2; -- Everington, 1-1.

BOWLING.

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Avg.
K. Paine	155.1	42	376	43	8.7
L. Ryder	176.5	26	526	33	15.9
A. Parnell	155.4	25	469	29	16.1
C. Day	95.3	10	282	16	17.6
H. Wilks	48	9	173	8	21.6

Also bowled:- W. Clark, 3 for 23; G. Whitby, 3 for 23; J. Calder, 3 for 23; -- Everington, 1 for 7; J. Henry, 1 for 8; E. Toogood, 1 for 23; D. Turner, 1 for 34; C. H. Rabone, 1 for 43.

Catches made:- D. Passidgo, 16 (and 9 stumped); H. Wilks, 6; G. Morrison, 4.

POTTER'S BAR.

Potter's Bar played twenty matches, of which nine were won, eight lost, and three drawn. The averages were:-

BATTING.

	Times		Highest		Inns. Ave.
	Inns.	n.o.	Runs.	Inns.	
E. C. Kirby	6	2	157	51*	39.25
G. C. Frost	11	0	272	51	24.8
M. H. Butcher	17	1	306	68	28.5
F. Shires	0	2	133	41	19
J. C. Spencer	14	2	194	64	16.10
C. F. Drane	20	0	307	58	15.3
G. Frisco	17	1	196	41	12.25
E. Hickson	19	1	144	31	8
F. Harvey	16	5	78	25	8
P. Timms	14	0	92	29	7.09
S. George	6	1	21	14	8.25
V. Walby	18	3	71	17	4.73
Reg. Burgoyne	16	1	70	18	4.0
R. Rusted	8	1	20	0	4.1

BOWLING.

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Avg.
Frost	19.3	1	53	10	5.5
Harvey	228.1	59	508	77	7.37
Shires	47.4	0	140	16	8.76
Fraser	90	18	277	27	10.2
Walby	168.7	34	465	40	11.55
Drane	20	5	89	5	17.9

Catches:- E. Hickson 9, M. Butcher 8 and stumped 11, C. Drane 8 and stumped 9, J. Spencer 6.

KIMPTON'S RECORD.

Kimpton's first eleven, under the capable captaincy of C. Smith, who has played in every game, has had another successful and enjoyable season. Nineteen matches were played, thirteen being won, five lost and one drawn, a record which compares favourably with that of the previous season which was the best the club had experienced for many years. Then Kimpton recorded fourteen wins and suffered seven defeats.

A feature of this season's games has been the number of close finishes and the consistently good bowling of R. Gattward and B. Hale, the latter having the excellent figure of 85 wickets at a cost of 374 runs, whilst Gattward took 68 wickets at a cost of 280 runs.

T. Russel, has the distinction of scoring the most runs of the season, only falling by four to reach 200. B. Hale, in scoring 83 against New Southgate Corinthians, got the highest individual score of the season. The second eleven played eleven games, winning five and losing six.

Cricket.

WEST HERTS AVERAGES.

The West Herts first eleven played during the past season 24 matches, of which nine were won, ten drawn, and five lost. Averages:

BATTING.

	Times Most		Total	Avg.
	No. inns.	not out.		
A. Grimsdell	18	1	115*	6.39
Z. Irani	18	2	69*	3.83
H. E. Blower	17	1	100	5.88
G. Gallery	14	0	108	7.71
F. T. Ward	11	3	53	4.82
C. J. S. Mitchell	15	2	57	3.80
A. L. Goodall	14	2	81*	5.79
D. C. Kendrick	14	3	47	3.36
J. C. W. Gs*	14	1	54	3.86
D. J. Short	11	3	48	4.36
H. P. Mason	11	1	28	2.55
L. Hodgson	9	3	7*	0.78

* Signifies not out.

Also batted: M. C. Hill, R. A. Evans, T. R. Taylor, H. C. G. Eden, A. J. Ault, L. A. Foxen, J. I. Mitchelmore, C. Deane, D. A. Winter, H. J. Paris, J. E. Shaw, E. L. Herbert, E. G. Hawes, H. G. Horton, G. H. Lowndes, D. A. G. Reid.

BOWLING.

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Avg.
E. G. Hawes	71	16	192	15	12.80
Z. Irani	353	102	835	56	14.91
D. J. Short	168	40	441	28	15.75
F. T. Ward	41	3	144	9	16.00
L. Hodgson	232	35	841	50	16.82
G. Gallery	42	1	241	12	20.08

Also Bowled: H. C. G. Eden, A. Grimsdell, C. J. S. Mitchell, D. A. G. Reid, M. C. Hill, D. C. Kendrick, R. H. Simpson, C. Deane, H. E. Blower, A. L. Goodall, G. H. Lowndes, H. P. Mason.

CRICKET AVERAGES.

HARPENDEN'S RECORD IN A BIG FIXTURE LIST.

Harpenden fulfilled a heavy first-eleven programme of thirty-three matches, of which nine were won, seven lost, fifteen drawn and one abandoned, while one ended in a tie. The first eleven scored 4,524 runs for 212 wickets, an average of 21.23, and their opponents obtained 4,104 runs for 260 wickets—an average of 15.78. The first eleven averages are:—

BATTING

	Times		Runs	Most		Inns.	Avg.
	Inns.	Not Out		In	In		
R. P. Nelson	15	3	558	105*	47.33		
F. Appleyard	24	2	760	98	34.54		
K. Hunter	12	1	359	82	34.63		
A. R. Hassell	15	1	330	64	23.57		
H. P. Pigott	9	2	153	37	21.85		
P. Kingham	18	2	345	72*	21.56		
M. Todley	16	2	227	45*	16.21		
G. M. Line	8	1	113	59*	16.14		
H. Howard	17	4	198	59*	15.23		
W. H. Marsh	18	5	169	19	13.00		
F. Dench	14	1	155	27	12.00		
Capt. F. S. Walthew	10	0	110	36	11.00		
J. H. Wren	10	2	86	36*	10.75		
S. P. Mole	13	6	54	15*	7.71		
P. C. Gladwin	9	2	60	16	7.14		

The following also batted in less than six complete innings: D. O. Lumby, 9, 2, 7; E. F. Cliff, 0; Major H. Boxwell, 1, 0; E. P. Pigott, 0, 13; E. C. Davenport, 2; H. B. Mole, 0, 3, 0; J. H. Molyneux, 1, 3, 2, 1; C. V. H. Cooper, 82; A. H. Read, 1, 5, 0; A. Wingfield, 9, 65; A. W. Stokes, 1, 0; B. C. Dorrington, 2, 12; E. W. Pellant, 1, 0, 0; J. Mardell, 61; C. D. Van Namen, 1, 0, 116, 0; D. Appleyard, 1; D. Mole, 1, 2; R. Pigott, 9, 2, 0, 4; E. Roberts, 17; A. J. Harriden, 20, 0; W. Freeman, 2, 2, 2.

* Indicates Not Out.

BOWLING

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Avg.
F. Appleyard	314.3	71	818	71	11.52
W. H. Marsh	407.3	72	1097	87	12.60
R. P. Nelson	63	4	177	11	16.09
F. Dench	84	12	265	15	17.66
R. Kingham	63.1	10	159	9	17.66
H. Howard	171.2	27	570	26	21.92
Capt. F. Walthew	121.5	22	404	14	28.14
K. Hunter	47	10	181	5	36.20

Also bowled: E. F. Cliff, 5, 2, 23, 2; S. P. Mole, 8, 0, 43, 5; B. C. Dorrington, 15, 5, 37, 3; C. V. H. Cooper, 3, 0, 16, 0; W. Freeman, 8, 0, 43, 0; E. Roberts, 8, 0, 36, 4.

SECOND ELEVEN.

The second eleven won nine matches and lost seven, five being drawn. They scored 2,476 runs for 177 wickets, an average of 13.99, against 2,754 runs for 202 wickets, an average of 12.16.

BATTING

	Times		Runs	Most		Inns.	Avg.
	Inns.	Not Out		In	In		
C. Dunham	18	2	394	111*	24.63		
A. H. Read	11	3	154	60*	19.25		
J. Wren	17	0	324	65	17.88		
W. E. Kimber	13	1	190	82*	15.83		
W. Freeman	17	1	243	61	16.19		
H. Bentley	11	1	151	81*	15.10		
G. H. Gray	10	0	143	48	14.30		
R. J. Pigott	10	2	101	44	12.63		
A. Wingfield	11	1	112	42	11.20		
E. W. Pellant	10	2	78	31*	9.75		
W. R. Wright	9	1	60	35	7.50		
M. O. Evans	11	2	57	37	6.33		
E. C. Pigott	12	4	43	14*	5.38		
Major H. Boxwell	7	0	27	6	3.86		
F. Meyer	7	4	6	2	1.67		

The following batted in less than six complete innings: E. F. Cliff, 29; F. Dench, 7, 6, 3, 23; R. E. Hunter, 0, 0, 2; J. Adams, 2, 3, 5, 2, 1; F. Applebee, 0, 2, 0; B. Bentley, 0, 3, 3, 2, 0; R. J. Wiseman, 1; R. Kingham, 12; A. H. Miller, 15, 13; M. O. Wray, 9, 2, 0, 0, 15; A. W. Stokes, 4; D. Mole, 1.

* Indicates Not Out.

BOWLING

	O.	M.	R.	W.	Avg.
H. Bentley	200	43	474	41	11.56
W. R. Wright	24	3	92	8	11.50
F. Dench	47	9	138	11	12.55
E. W. Pellant	56	10	165	13	12.69
Major H. Boxwell	34	2	135	10	13.50
M. O. Evans	110	27	304	22	13.82
W. Freeman	220	39	740	48	15.42
M. O. Wray	29	4	81	4	20.25

Also bowled: R. E. Hunter, 13, 1, 48, 3; W. E. Kimber, 2, 0, 7, 1; R. Kingham, 10, 7, 6, 4; J. Adams, 3, 0, 18, 1; D. Mole, 1, 0, 14, 0; R. J. Pigott, 2, 0, 16, 0.