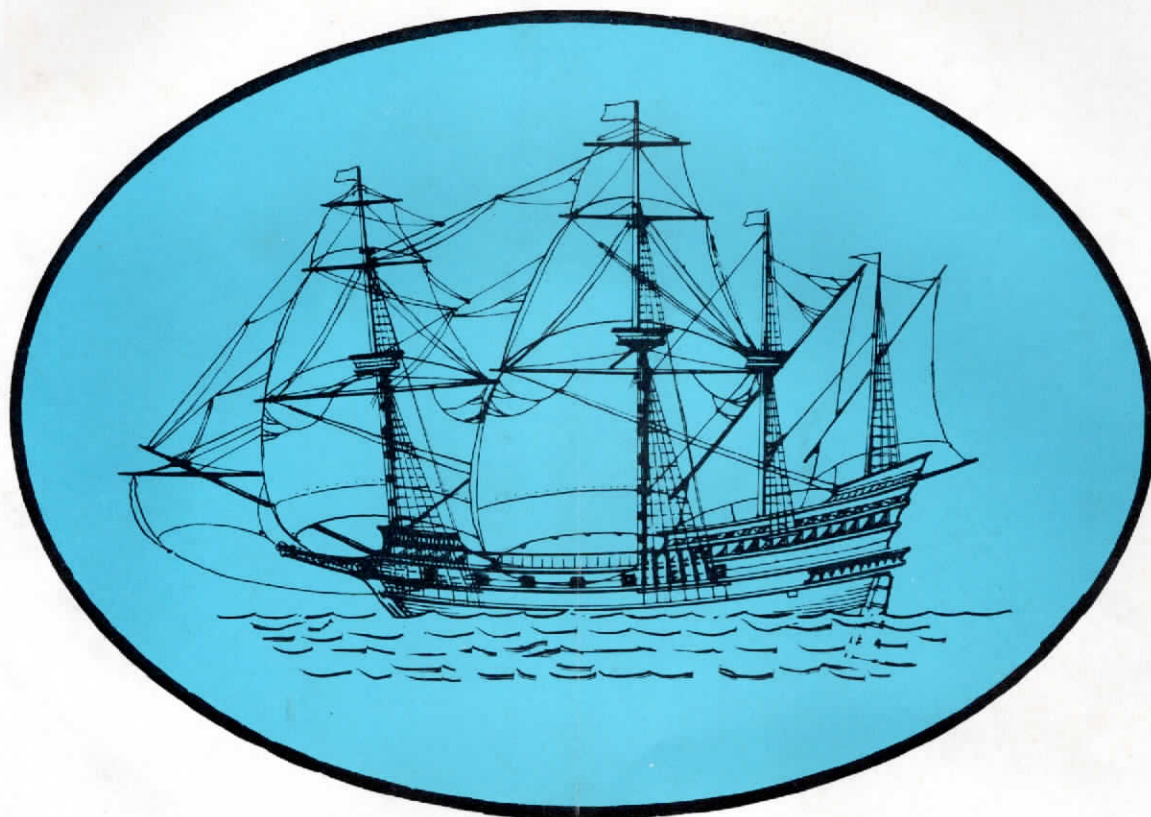


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I must apologise for the lateness in publishing this edition. A rather protracted illness which sadly prevented me from playing and officiating in the West of England Championships combined with the lateness in arrival of important material for this edition have been contributory factors in the delay.

The County Championship in the West of England was won by Devon with Gloucester coming in a close second. The Second Team Champions were Somerset with Devon as runners-up. All four teams go through to the final stages of the competition with our best wishes for their success. It is hoped to give a full report with results in the Congress Edition in July - if anyone will send me a report!

Finally, I would like to thank those who have assisted me in producing this edition in most difficult - and I trust, not to be repeated - circumstances.

Ralph Newman

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THE WEST OF ENGLAND CONGRESS

For many years the venue of this Congress has rotated around the Counties. This was possible by renting premises at a relatively low cost. At the last meeting of the Executive it was decided to find free venues wherever possible - even if that meant that the County rotation scheme went by the board. At the moment, there are only two known to fall into this category - Weston-super-Mare and Torquay. Naturally, the Congress Committee is most anxious to stage the Congress around the Counties in rotation and every effort will be made to that effect. However, unless Union fees are to go up (Heaven forbid!) until more free venues are found this will not be possible.

The Union would welcome suggestions as to how other free venues are to be found - and where. Will any reader please let our Union Secretary know of likely premises suitable to staging our Congress that could be obtained free of charge in the operative area of the Union.

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LESSER-KNOWN DEFENCES TO THE LOPEZ

by A.R.B. Thomas

My friend Ralph Newman has asked me to write something for Westward Ho! I gladly do so, and hope that this article will benefit West of England chess. I shall examine in turn the Moller and Berlin Defences to the Lopez; the former I recommend for tournament play, the latter for correspondence.

The Moller Defence

This was for many years a favourite of Alekhine, but is now so neglected that there is no mention of it in Jon Speelman's excellent Pocket Encyclopaedia of Chess Openings. Even Leonard Barden in his book, The Ruy Lopez (much studied in Russia) does not even consider Alekhine's main line, as I have already pointed out in my book Chess for the Love of it, which devotes a whole chapter to the Moller Defence. What follows is a summary:-

1. $\frac{e4}{e5}$ 2. $\frac{Nf3}{Nc6}$ 3. $\frac{Bb5}{a6}$ 4. $\frac{Ba4}{Nf6}$ 5. $\frac{O-O}{Bc5}$ This is the Moller Defence.

Faced with it for the first time and believing it to be bad, the club player will probably try :-

6. Ne5: Then can follow 6. $\overline{NN:}$ 7. $\frac{d4}{Ne4:}$ 8. $\frac{Qe2}{Be7}$ 9. $\frac{Qe4:}{Ng6}$ 10. $\frac{f4}{O-O}$ 11. $\frac{f5}{d5}$
 12. $\frac{Qd3}{Nh4}$ 13. $\frac{g3}{c5}$ with a great game for Black. In a club game this year there followed :-

14. $\frac{dc:}{Bc5:+}$ 15. $\frac{Kh1}{b5}$ 16. $\frac{Bb3}{Bb7}$ 17. $\frac{gN:}{d4+}$ 18. $\frac{Kg1}{Qh4:}$ 19. $\frac{Rf4}{Qe1+}$ 20. $\frac{Rf1}{Qh4}$ 21. $\frac{Rf4}{Qg5+}$
 22. $\frac{Qg3}{Qe7}$ 23. $\frac{Qd3}{Rae8}$ 24. $\frac{Bd2}{Qg5+}$ 25. $\frac{Qg3}$ when Black could win by Qf6 threatening Qc6 as well as Re2.

The more knowledgeable will play :- 6. c3, when follows 6. $\frac{\overline{Ba7}}$ 7. $\frac{d4}{Ne4:}$ (Alekhine's move). (In this variation, should White play 7. Re1 instead of 7. d4, Black has a sacrificial attack beginning with 7. $\overline{Ng4}$, that K.J. Bloodworth played recently on an unsuspecting opponent).

Now White will try either 8. Qe2 or 8. Re1. One is good, the other bad, and I don't propose to give any further analysis. I have already said where the curious can find the answers.

The Berlin Defence

This, unlike the Moller, is perfectly sound, and so is good for correspondence chess. I want to confess my indebtedness to P.R. England, a leading British player in the first quarter of this century, two of whose letters analysing the Defence I still treasure.

1. $\frac{e4}{e5}$ 2. $\frac{Nf3}{Nc6}$ 3. $\frac{Bb5}{Nf6}$ (The Berlin Defence) 4. $\frac{O-O}{Ne4:}$ 5. $\frac{d4}{Nd6}$ 6. $\frac{de:}{Nb5:}$ (A)
 7. $\frac{a4}{d6}$ 8. $\frac{e6}{fe:}$ (B) 9. $\frac{aN:}{Ne7}$

(A) Some books recommend 6. $\frac{BN:}{dB:}$ 7. $\frac{de:}{Nf5}$ 8. $\frac{Qd8:+}{KQ:}$ 9. $\frac{Nc3}{h6}$, but Speelman gives black a plus.

(B) My correspondence opponent in 1982 tried a gambit here 8. $\frac{aN:}{Ne5:}$ 9. $\frac{NN:}{dN:}$

10. $\frac{Qh5}{Bd6}$ 11. $\frac{Bg5}{Qd7}$ 12. $\frac{b6}{cb:}$ 13. $\frac{Rd1}{O-O}$ and Black won.

There are a variety of White's 10th moves after the 9 given above. A game Alekhine-England in the early 20s continues :-

10. $\frac{Nd4}{e5}$ 11. $\frac{Re1}{Nf5}$ 12. $\frac{Nc3}{Be7}$ 13. $\frac{NN:}{BN:}$ 14. $\frac{Qd5}{Qc8}$ 15. $\frac{b6}{cb:}$ 16. $\frac{Nb5}{Qc6}$ 17. $\frac{QQ:}{bQ:}$
 18. $\frac{Nc7+}{Kd7}$ 19. $\frac{NR:}{RN:}$ and, as England wrote to me, "I think Black should win and he did".

My correspondence opponent played normally this year :- 10. $\frac{Ng5}{Nf5}$ 11. $\frac{Re1}{Be7}$ 12. $\frac{Ne6:}{BN:}$

13. $\frac{RB:}{O-O}$ and certainly Black can't complain of his game. Speelman gives another

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variation:- 10. Nc3
Nf5 11. Nd4, but then makes Black play Qf6 which is bad. The golden rule for Black is to play Nf5 and never Ng6.

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A MESSAGE FROM THE CONGRESS SECRETARY TO YOU ALL

On behalf of Congress Director Stewart Reuben and his team I am pleased to invite you once again to the GRIEVESON, GRANT BRITISH CHESS CHAMPIONSHIPS.

The Championships are again generously sponsored by London stockbrokers Grieveson, Grant and the BCF extends its grateful thanks to them.

The venue, the King George V College on Scarisbrick New Road, is about one mile from the junction of Eastbank Street and Southbank Road, following the main road marked to Ormskirk etc. on the map (this main road is in fact Scarisbrick New Road).

Pontins Holiday Village offers competitors and their families a 10% discount on their self-catering accommodation. Pontins is about three miles east on the coastal road. Arrangements should be made direct with Pontins, but send your booking form via the BCF office as it needs our rubber stamp to secure discount.

All competitors and their families are invited to "The Ken Dodd Laughter Show" as guests of the Council of the Metropolitan Borough of Sefton. This is an unprecedented invitation and I urge you to support it - tickets are free, of course, and it would be very helpful if you could give me an idea, on the entry form of the number of tickets that will be needed.

I should also like to mention the Southport Flower Show on 18-20 August. This is a famous annual event which is well worth visiting; indeed, it's almost worth a special trip to Southport!

Lady and girl competitors are asked to note that the British Ladies' Championship will this year be run as a 7-round Swiss from 13-19 August inclusive. Consideration is also being given to using this format for the British Veterans' Championship in 1984, and the views of eligible players are requested.

The control team looks forward to seeing you in Southport in August.

Please apply direct to me for entry forms.

PAUL BUSWELL,
Congress Secretary.

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TRIUMPH FOR HAMPSHIRE

Last Saturday saw the fulfilment of a dream for Hampshire junior chess when the county Under-18 team won the National Counties Under-18 Championship in Birmingham.

Four years ago, as Hampshire Junior Organisers, we made what was then a controversial decision. Our Under-18 team had been fairly consistent winners of the West of England Championship over a number of years. However, they had never been able to overcome the enormous strength-in-depth of counties like Yorkshire and Middlesex in the National Finals. Because of their greater populations (Middlesex,

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for example, includes half of London), these Counties have an inbuilt advantage. We have to counter this by increased effort in developing our young players.

Through the medium of Chilworth Chess Club, which is a Hampshire Junior chess training scheme, young players of exceptional promise can be identified, and in 1979 an exercise was carried out to project forward for a number of years the likely progress of our most promising youngsters. From this exercise it was possible to get a good indication of the future strength of our teams and who the players would be.

The results indicated that the team would peak in strength in 1983.

A decision was then taken, in 1979, to immediately revamp the Under-18 team and rebuild it around the players who were predicted as being the main strength in the 1983 team. This would give the younger players maximum opportunity to build their experience, and enhance team spirit over the longer term. Inherent in all of this was a decision to drop certain older players who would become ineligible when they reached 18. This meant weakening the team in the short-term.

The first outing for the rebuilt team was to the West of England Championships in 1980. Having become quite used to winning this event in convincing style, it came as something of a shock to some of the players that we didn't even finish second. Afterwards, there was not a little concern amongst some of the leading players that what we were doing might be mistaken. The then team captain, Stephen Bell of Southampton, was instrumental in allaying some of their fears when he reminded them that they had themselves been controversially included in the team when they had been very young.

Following this initial, and expected, setback, the team has steadily strengthened, and the core of the 1983 team is as predicted in 1979.

Over the years, the lads have shown commitment to the goal of achieving the title by 1983. Indeed, last year we thought we might do it, but finished second. Their victory this year is a fitting reward for the efforts and dedication they have shown for the past four years. Typical of this dedication has been the willingness of players to travel long distances as reserves. The team has always carried a reserve, and on more than one occasion that player had been called upon to make Herculean efforts (once on top board). This time was no exception. Dominic Tunks of Warblington travelled as reserve, concealing his disappointment in the remark that "... it's all for the team, isn't it.". In the event, he had to fill a vacancy on Board 6, where he won, and rounded off a memorable day by collecting the trophy on behalf of the team from a representative of National Westminster Bank.

We do not forget, also, that a number of players who are no longer eligible to play in the junior ranks made a major contribution to the advancement of the squad while they were members of it.

The team's victory is a suitable climax to the junior career of their captain Peter Wells of Portsmouth, who has lead them with distinction. Peter has represented England on a number of occasions, and has the unique record of having won the British Under-14, Under-16 and Under-18 Championships in successive years. He was recently awarded the international title of FIDE Master, and was by some margin the strongest player in the Finals. If he continues to improve at his present rate, Peter may well become Hampshire's first home-grown grandmaster.

It is a particular pleasure that the event was sponsored this year for the first time, by National Westminster Bank as part of their wider programme of support for junior chess. This enabled a better venue than usual to be hired, and the sponsors presented the winning team with a set of commemorative medals.

Pat McEvoy Terry Hollington
Joint Hampshire Junior Organisers

U-18 NATIONAL FINALS

Results:-

1. Peter Wells (Portsmouth)	1 - 0	P.O'Neill (E.Glamorgan) (170)
2. Ian Welch (Portsmouth)	1 - 0	R. Cannings (Yorks.) (188)
3. Keith Fuller (Winchester)	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	D. Watts (Middx.) (190)
4. Philip Rossiter (Denmead)	0 - 1	S. Hood (Staffs.) (180)
5. Jeffrey Baillie (Portsmouth)	0 - 1	S. Mitchell (Yorks.) (180)
6. Dominic Tuns (Res.) (Warblington)	1 - 0	P.J. Wegener (E.Glamorgan) (130)
7. Jonathan Goddard (Fareham)	1 - 0	A. Deighton (Staffs.) (155)
8. Granam Strouts (Diss)	0 - 1	A.N. Stone (Middx.) (165)
9. Nigel Sibbett (Farnboro)	1 - 0	M. Ralphs (E.Glamorgan)
10. James Attwood (Andover)	1 - 0	M. Mitchell (Yorks.) (164)
11. Andrew Daley (Portsmouth)	1 - 0	G. Wall (Middx.) (152)
12. Keith Walker (Botley)	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	A. McCumiskey (Staffs.) (142)

GIRLS U-18 FINAL

Results:-

1. Emma Dove (Widley)	0 - 1	Cathy Forbes (Middx.) (163)
2. Caroline Hallett (Denmead)	1 - 0	Elizabeth Lee (Lancs.)
3. Lorian Cunningham (W.Ville)	1 - 0	Sharen Cumberworth (Lincs.) (126)
4. Sasha Johnston (Cowplain)	0 - 1	Fleur Gordon (Lincs.) (102)
5. Donna Potnecary (Fareham)	1 - 0	Susan Hurray (Lancs.)
6. Eleanor Johnston (Cowplain)	0 - 1	Rebecca Lawrence (Middx.) (110)

Results Table (U-18 Nat. Finals)F-

	Board No	-	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
Hampshire	(WECU)		1	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	8
Middlesex	(SCCU)		1	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	1	1	1	0	1	7 $\frac{1}{2}$
Yorkshire	(NCCU)		1	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	7
Staffordshire	(MCCU)		0	1	1	0	1	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	0	0	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	6
East Glamorgan	(Wales)		0	0	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1 $\frac{1}{2}$

Results Table (Girls U-18 Final):-

	Board No	-	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Middlesex	(SCCU)		1	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	1	1	1	5 $\frac{1}{2}$
Lincolnshire	(MCCU)		1	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	1	0	1	3 $\frac{1}{2}$
Hampshire	(WECU)		0	1	1	0	1	0	3
Lancashire	(NCCU)		0	0	0	0	0	0	0

C H E S S B I T S

Congratulations to Gerald Bennett who won the W.E.C.U. Individual Championships and qualifies for entry to the British Championships.

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A temporary truce between Westward ho.' and the BCF for reasons best known to the Editor and Paul Buswell!! - (But only temporary!!)

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Hampshire have an ambitious new project for the County's Under-18's. Fourteen teams of 4 players have entered the Hampshire Junior League and they have all been meeting once a month at different venues to play 2 matches each. 10 rounds have so far been completed and WATERLOOVILLE A are in the lead with $9\frac{1}{2}$ points, followed by BASINGSTOKE A with $8\frac{1}{2}$. These 2 teams have yet to play each other in the final session.

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"Players' Chess News" reports that Peter Biyiasas recently made an unusual request in the Northern California Championship: "Biyiasas said that he has the habit of blundering in other people's time pressure. To avoid this, he asked if he could donate some of his own remaining time to his opponent's clock! For example, if his opponent has only 1 minute for 15 moves while Biyiasas had one hour, Peter wanted to give the opponent 29 minutes of his own time thereby leaving himself with 31 minutes. This request was refused by the director". Biyiasas still won the event with 6/7!"

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THE COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIPS

Congratulations to Devon who won the County Championship with Gloucester coming in a close second. Congratulations also to Somerset who won the Second Team Championship with Devon as runners-up. All four teams now go through to the final stages of the competition with our best wishes for their success.

Final match results as follows :-

ENGLISH COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIPS

<u>HAMPSHIRE 8</u>		v	<u>SOMERSET 8</u>	
A.F. Brameld	200	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	T. Headlong	186
S.W. Tan	189	1 - 0	N. Rutter	
M.L. Newbury	188	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	J.A. Tuck	177
G.D. Tidmarsh	183	1 - 0	P. House	169J
C.B. Baker	186	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	R.W. Gregory	174
P.G. Stevenson	186J	1 - 0	C.R. Chambers	174
D.W. Bell	182	0 - 1	A. Exton	168J
K. Fuller	182J	1 - 0	R.J. Gregory	169
A. Faller	177	0 - 1	F. Martinez	175
M.J. Buckmaster	176	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	T. Edmondson	
P. Miller	174	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	J.E. Fewkes	165
T.I. Cowling	171	0 - 1	G. Miller	164
S. Dean	169	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	H.G. Thomas	164
L.C. Allen	166	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	G.N. Jepps	162
A.D. Crossin	161	0 - 1	T. Mowlem	161
P. Johnson	158	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	D. Littlejohns	159

<u>DEVON 10½</u>		v	<u>DORSET 5½</u>	
G.V. Wheeler	191	1½ - 1½	M.B. Isaacs	198
J. Wheeler	197	1½ - 1½	S.J. Shutler	197
D. Newhouse	195	1 - 0	R.H.K. Mann	185
A.R.B. Thomas	190	1½ - 1½	C. Johns	181
Default		0 - 1	H.D. Needham	173
S. Dilleigh	187	1 - 0	B.M. Hirsch	171J
B.W.R. Hewson	178	1½ - 1½	W. Ramsay	172
N. Crickmore	170J	1 - 0	M. Roth	167
C.J.V. Bellers	176	1 - 0	R. Valentine	168
T.F. Thynne	165	1 - 0	R.M. Pegg	163
R. Lingham	174	0 - 1	J. Walmsley	165
A.F. Footner	168	1½ - 1½	I. Clark	160
M. Roberts	155	1½ - 1½	T.F. Simms	154
P. Pritchard	159	1 - 0	J. Brook	
K.J. Bloodworth	150	1½ - 1½	D. Bevis	151
B.W. Clapp	161	1 - 0	J. Tilney-Bassett	148

<u>DEVON 5</u>		v	<u>HAMPSHIRE 11</u>	
G. Lane	207J	1½ - 1½	P.K. Wells	215
G.V. Wheeler	191	1½ - 1½	A.F. Brameld	200
J. Wheeler	197	1½ - 1½	J. Corfield	191
D. Newhouse	195	0 - 1	K.D. Gregory	190
P. Walden	190	1 - 0	M.L. Newbury	188
A.R.B. Thomas	190	0 - 1	P.G. Stevenson	186
S. Dilleigh	187	0 - 1	C.B. Baker	186
B.W.R. Hewson	187	0 - 1	K. Fuller	182
C. Hawthorne	173	1½ - 1½	D.W. Bell	182
N. Crickmore	170	0 - 1	A. Faller	
C.J.V. Bellers	176	1½ - 1½	R.J. Lock	
C. Lowe	168J	1½ - 1½	P. Miller	
C. Rigby	174	0 - 1	T.I. Cowling	171
R. Lingham	174	1½ - 1½	S. Dean	169
M. Roberts	155	0 - 1	L.C. Allen	166
C. Scott		1½ - 1½	I. Stenhouse	166

<u>GLOUCESTER 9</u>		v	<u>SOMERSET 7</u>	
A.P. Ashby	197	1½ - 1½	M. Truran	209
P. Dodwell	189	1 - 0	J.K. Whitcutt	
M.S. Davies	187	1 - 0	T. Headlong	186
A. Easton	186	0 - 1	R.H. Northage	179
M.E. Burn	184	1 - 0	N. Rutter	179
T. Modue	185	0 - 1	P. House	169J
M. Levene	185	1 - 0	C.R. Chambers	174
J.M. Aitkne	182	0 - 1	R.V. Gregory	174
P.J. Meade		1½ - 1½	A. Exton	168J
C.J.A. Jones	180	1 - 0	F. Martinez	175
R.O. Powis	179	0 - 1	R.J. Gregory	169
K.W. Derrick	175	1½ - 1½	T. Edmondson	
D.O. Collier	174	0 - 1	J.E. Fewkes	165
M.I. Davies	173	1 - 0	G. Sage	164
J.R. Boyce	178	1 - 0	T. Dann	163
R.J. Johnson	166	1½ - 1½	R.V. Puchades	160

<u>DEVON 9½</u>		v	<u>GLOUCESTER 6½</u>	
G. Lane	207	1 - 0	A.P. Ashby	197
G.W. Wheeler	191	1 - 0	P. Dodwell	189
J. Wheeler	197	1 - 0	M.S. Davies	187
P. Walden	190	1 - 0	M.E. Burn	184
A.R.B. Thomas	190	½ - ½	M. Levene	185
M. Rosseinsky	186	½ - ½	A. Easton	186
C. Hawthorne	173	0 - 1	J.M. Will	184
S. Dilleigh	187	½ - ½	Dr. J.M. Aitken	182
B.W.R. Hewson	178	½ - ½	P.J. Meade	
C. Rigby	174	½ - ½	C.J.A. Jones	180
R. Cotton	174	0 - 1	K.W. Derrick	175
C.J.V. Bellers	176	½ - ½	R.O. Powis	179
T.F. Thynne	165	1 - 0	J.R. Boyce	178
R. Lingham	174	½ - ½	G. Copeland	167
D. McCarthy	160	0 - 1	S.J. Popham	167
M. Roberts	155	1 - 0	I.R. Pickup	163

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A.P. Ashby	197	1 - 0	M. Simons	202
D.C. Osborne	189	½ - ½	M. Isaacs	188
P. Dodwell	189	0 - 1	S.H. Shutler	197
M.E. Burn	189	½ - ½	R.H.K. Mann	185
T. Mordue	185	1 - 0	M.D. Needham	173
M. Levene	185	1 - 0	B.M. Hirsch	171
P.J. Meade		½ - ½	N. Ramsey	172
C.J.A. Jones	180	½ - ½	S.M. Chivers	168
M.I.L. Davis	178	0 - 1	R. Valentine	168
R.O. Powis	179	0 - 1	M. Roth	167
J.R. Boyce	178	0 - 1	S. Anderson	167
K.W. Derrick	175	1 - 0	R. Pegg	163
N. Hosken	178	1 - 0	J. Walmsley	165
S. Popham	167	1 - 0	R. Burton	160
C.D. Neville	167	0 - 1	F. Kingdon	160
R.J. Johnson	166	1 - 0	R. Wood	159

<u>CORNWALL 3½</u>		v	<u>DEVON 12½</u>	
H. Coleman	192	0 - 1	G.W. Lane	207J
P.J. Williams	169	0 - 1	G.W. Wheeler	191
J.F.S. Menadue	165	0 - 1	J. Wheeler	197
R.J. Grime	161	1 - 0	D. Newhouse	195
M. Adams	155J	½ - ½	S. Dilleigh	187
K.G.P. Gunnell	158	0 - 1	C. Hawthorne	173J
N. Cummings		½ - ½	B.W.R. Hewson	178
J.R. Wordsworth	165	0 - 1	N. Crickmore	170J
M. Taylor	158	0 - 1	C. Rigby	174
A.D. Meakes	142	0 - 1	C.J.V. Bellers	176
J. Nicholas	152	0 - 1	T.F. Thynne	165
K. Brameld	152	1 - 0	R. Evans	167
A. Hebert	140J	0 - 1	R. Lingham	174
C.W. Barrell	131	0 - 1	D. McCarthy	160J
A. Barkhuysen	123	0 - 1	B.W. Clapp	161
J.R. Read	126	½ - ½	R.M. Bruce	154

<u>CORNWALL 4</u>		v	<u>HAMPSHIRE 12</u>	
H. Coleman	192	0 - 1	P.K. Wells	215
P.H. Clarke	208	0 - 1	G.H. Bennett	207
R.J. Grime	161	1 - 0	I.A. Welch	189J
N. Cummings		0 - 1	M.L. Newbury	188
M. Taylor	158	0 - 1	P. Stevenson	186
M.E.E. Clarke	145	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	R. Fuller	182
K. Brameld	152	0 - 1	M.J. Buckmaster	176
A.D. Meakes	142	1 - 0	R.J. Lock	
A. Hebert	140J	0 - 1	P. Miller	174
G. Wells	135J	1 - 0	T. Cowling	171
A. Barkhuysen	123	0 - 1	L.C. Allen	166
I. Pilling	125	0 - 1	P. Johnson	158
J.R. Read	126	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	P.L. Marshall	157
C.V. Barrell	131	0 - 1	K.R. Walker	149
R.F. Hitchcock	126	0 - 1	L.C. Walters	141
S. Fanning	132	0 - 1	S.D. LeFevre	139

<u>SOMERSET 10$\frac{1}{2}$</u>		v	<u>CORNWALL 5$\frac{1}{2}$</u>	
M. Truran	209	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	H. Coleman	192
J.K. Whitcutt		1 - 0	P.H. Clarke	208
R.W. Gregory	174	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	J.F.S. Menadue	165
C.R. Chambers	174	0 - 1	R.J. Grime	161
A. Exton	168J	0 - 1	D.J. Saqui	170
T. Edmondson		1 - 0	N. Cummings	
JLE. Fewkes	165	1 - 0	M. Taylor	158
T.J. Mowlem	161	0 - 1	M.E.E. Clarke	145
D. Littlejohns	159	1 - 0	A.D. Meakes	142
B.G.E. Gosling	155	0 - 1	A. Barkhuysen	123
C.E. Winch	153	1 - 0	I.K. Pilling	125
A. Hibbitt	152	1 - 0	J.R. Read	126
D.J. Holmes	151	1 - 0	S. Fanning	132
J.K. Brown	151	1 - 0	C.V. Barrell	131
P. Helbig	150	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	R.F. Hitchcock	126
D.C. Wood	150	1 - 0	P.A. Clarke	67J

SECOND TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP.

<u>GLOUCESTER 11</u>		v	<u>WILTSHIRE 5</u>	
M.I. Davis	178	0 - 1	S. Zeidler	173J
N. Hosken	178	1 - 0	D. Ward	162
R.J. Johnson	166	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	D. O'Byrne	154
S.J. Popham		1 - 0	I. Banks	154J
A. Wilson	151J	1 - 0	M. Morton	154
D.C. Barron	157	0 - 1	R. Rendell	151
D.E.B. Wigg	153	1 - 0	D. Dowson	
J. Thain	128	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	I. Comley	
R. Brown		1 - 0	R. Allen	123
J. Carr	147	1 - 0	D. Pott	124
R. Smith	147	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	W. Bruges	133
C.H. Breech	122	1 - 0	Default	
S.V. Maggs	146	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	Mrs. C. Williams	101
R.J.M. Selfe	144	1 - 0	Mrs. E. Hartford	109
Mrs. A.E.R.I. Oliver		0 - 1	M. Jones	
E. Newman	104J	1 - 0	D. Perrott	97

<u>WILTSHIRE 4</u>		v	<u>DORSSET 12</u>	
S. Zeidler	173J	1 - 0	M. Roth	167
D. Ward	162	0 - 1	R. Valentine	168
D. O'Byrne	154	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	R.M. Pegg	163
I. Banks	154J	0 - 1	J. Walmsley	165
M. Morton	154	0 - 1	I. Clarke	
R. Rendell	151	0 - 1	R. Burton	160
D. Dowson		1 - 0	F. Kingdon	160
R. Webb	152	0 - 1	D. Bevis	151
I. Comley		1 - 0	J. Tilney-Bassett	148
R. Allen	123	0 - 1	P. Colmer	
D. Potts	124	0 - 1	D.D. Roberts	134
W. Bruges	133	0 - 1	A. Primmitt	134
J. Franks	134	0 - 1	P. Overton	
Mrs. C. Williams	101	0 - 1	F. Hamilton-Taylor	118
G. Cole		0 - 1	D.A.T. Wallace	116
M. Jones		$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	A. Rooks	

<u>HAMPSHIRE 9$\frac{1}{2}$</u>		v	<u>WILTSHIRE 6$\frac{1}{2}$</u>	
R.J. Lock		$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	S. Zeidler	173J
S. Dean	169	0 - 1	D. Ward	162
L.C. Allen	166	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	D. O'Byrne	154
A.D. Crossin	161	1 - 0	I. Banks	154J
D. Smith	158	1 - 0	M. Morton	154
P. Johnson	158	0 - 1	R. Rendell	151
W.H. Silber	147	1 - 0	K. Inglis	
A.G. Dale	150	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	R. Webb	152
W. Purkiss	147	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	I. Comley	
L.C. Walters	141	1 - 0	R. Allen	123
S.D. LeFevre	139	1 - 0	D. Pott	124
K. Reed	139	0 - 1	W. Bruges	133
D.J. Knapp	138	1 - 0	Mrs. C. Williams	101
Miss. C. Prince		$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	Mrs. E. Hartford	109
J.J. Evans	137	1 - 0	G. Cole	
P.A. George	133	0 - 1	M. Jones	

<u>HAMPSHIRE 4$\frac{1}{2}$</u>		v	<u>SOMERSET 11$\frac{1}{2}$</u>	
P.L. Marshall	157	0 - 1	R.V. Puchades	160
A.G. Daley	150J	1 - 0	G. Sage	
K.R. Walker	149	0 - 1	D.R. Bagshaw	
W.H. Silber	147	1 - 0	T. Wallis	156
W. Purkis	147	0 - 1	B.G.E. Gosling	155
L.C. Walters	141	0 - 1	N.R. Ludgate	155
J.J. Evans	137	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	C.E. Winch	153
G.J. Balls	134	0 - 1	D. Woodruff	153
C.V. Fairall	134	1 - 0	A. Hibbitt	152
K. Reed	139	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	D.J. Holmes	151
R.C. Clark	138	0 - 1	P.J. Hallett	150J
S.F. Young	132	0 - 1	P. Helbig	150
P. George	133	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	D.C. Wood	150
Q. Winch		0 - 1	J.K. Brown	151
D. O'Farrell	119J	0 - 1	Miss L. Fursman	
M.I. Walker	111J	0 - 1	R. Bagshaw	131

<u>DEVON 13</u>		v	<u>DORSET 3</u>	
R.M. Bruce	154	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	P. Brackner	142
A. Boyne	152J	1 - 0	S. Crisp	138
P. Hlamkin	144	1 - 0	D. Burden	
A. Brusey	139	1 - 0	D.D. Roberts	134
Mrs. R.M. Bruce	147	1 - 0	A. Primmett	134
I. Calveri		1 - 0	W. Shutler	125
R. Luffman	144	0 - 1	P. Overton	
K. Rosario	155J	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	R. Evans	
A. Luffman	140J	1 - 0	P. Delman	
J. Parker	144	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	F. Hamilton-Taylor	118
R.H.T. Newman	149	1 - 0	D.A.T. Wallace	116
J. Ridolfo	144	1 - 0	D. Rampersad	
S. Wilks		1 - 0	G. Pope	
J. Hutchings	120J	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	F. Clarke	109
S. Luffman	135	1 - 0	R. Deeth	
D. Hutchinson	133	1 - 0	R. Dickson	103

<u>DEVON 9</u>		v	<u>HAMPSHIRE 7</u>	
P. Pritchard	159	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	I.T. Sherman	
B.W. Clapp	161	1 - 0	A.D. Crossin	161
K.J. Bloodworth	150	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	D. Smith	158
R.M. Bruce	154	0 - 1	P. Johnson	158
A. Boyne	152J	0 - 1	K.R. Walker	149
J. Walker	153	0 - 1	W.H. Silber	147
P. Halmkin	144	0 - 1	W. Purkiss	147
I. Calvert	1	1 - 0	L.C. Walters	141
A. Brusey	139	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	A. Carpenter	
Mrs. R.M. Bruce	147	1 - 0	S.D. LeTevre	139
B. Langeheine		1 - 0	K. Reed	139
J. Parker	144	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	R.C. Clark	138
J. Ridolfo	144	1 - 0	R.D. Perrin	
S. Wilks		1 - 0	D. O'Farrell	119J
J. Hutchings	120	1 - 0	A. Prince	102
D.V. Hutchinson	133	0 - 1	A.D. Smith	86

<u>GLOUCESTER 5$\frac{1}{2}$</u>		v	<u>SOMERSET 10$\frac{1}{2}$</u>	
C.D. Neville	167	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	G. Miller	164
P.F. Day	162	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	H.G. Thomas	164
J.C. Barron	157	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	G.N. Jepps	162
J. Humphreys		$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	J.A. Borkowski	144
A. Wilson	151J	1 - 0	D. Littlejohns	159
D.E.B. Nigg	153	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	D.R. Bagshaw	158
J.B. Morrish	153	0 - 1	B.G.E. Gosling	155
D.H.T. Spencer	150	0 - 1	N.R. Ludgate	155
A.R. Bentley	148	0 - 1	C.E. Winch	153
R. Smith	147	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	D. Woodruff	153
S.V. Maggs	146	0 - 1	A. Hibbitt	152
R.J. Kiff	142	0 - 1	P.J. Hallett	150J
J. Thain	128	1 - 0	P. Helbig	150
J.C.B. Date	142	0 - 1	D.C. Wood	150
E. Newman		0 - 1	J.K. Brown	151
R. Lowery	117	0 - 1	B.T. King	137

<u>DEVON 12</u>		v	<u>GLOUCESTER 4</u>	
P. Pritchard	159	1 - 0	G. Tarrant	161
B.W. Clapp	161	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	J.C. Barron	157
A. Footner	168	1 - 0	D.E.B. Wigg	153
K.J. Bloodworth	150	1 - 0	J. Thain	128
R.M. Bruce	154	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	R. Smith	147
A. Boyne	152	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	A.R. Bentley	148
P. Halmkin	144	1 - 0	J. Carr	147
K. Rozario	155	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	S.W. Maggs	146
A. Brusey	139	1 - 0	E.W. Joce	137
Mrs. R.M. Bruce	147	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	J. Knight	
A. Luffman	140	1 - 0	N. Parker	128
J. Parker	144	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	R.L.A. Studer	125
R.H.T. Newman	149	1 - 0	C.H. Breach	122
R. Luffman	144	1 - 0	R. Lowery	117
J. Ridolfo	144	0 - 1	E. Newman	104J
D.Y.P. Hutchinson	133	1 - 0	T. Newman	

<u>GLOUCESTER 6$\frac{1}{2}$</u>		v	<u>DORSET 9$\frac{1}{2}$</u>	
P.F. Day	162	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	T.E. Simms	154
D.E.B. Wigg	153	0 - 1	J. Brooks	
A. Wilson	151J	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	P.C. Dearlove	150
D.H.T. Spencer	150	0 - 1	D. Bevis	151
A.R. Bentley	148	0 - 1	J.F. Timney-Bassett	148
J. Carr	147	0 - 1	C. Romero	147
S.W. Maggs	146	1 - 0	V. Shearing	
C.T.W Beveridge	142	0 - 1	S. Crisp	138
J.C.B. Date	142	0 - 1	D.D. Rberts	134
R.J. Kiff	142	1 - 0	A. Primmett	134
J. Brockbank		0 - 1	S.J. Shutler	125
J. Thain	128	1 - 0	J. Kelly	122
P. Smith	135	1 - 0	C.J. Fox	119
E.W. Joce	137	1 - 0	F. Hamilton-Taylor	118
Mrs. E. Oliver	134	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	M. Adams	108
M.D. Cooke	127	0 - 1	R.A.G. Marples	97

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