

Cheshire v Staffordshire

Championship match played at Oxton, 12th - 13th May 1948

Cheshire (10 points) beat Staffordshire (0) by an Innings and 3 runs

Toss won by Cheshire

Cheshire 1st Innings 269/10 All Out (Overs 110.2)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
D.E.Mount		b S.J.Norcup	1
H.N.Nuttall	c H.H.Wood	b H.J.Thornhill	36
C.B.Harrison		b B.Shardlow	29
A.M.Wolstenholme	lbw	b F.Taylor	28
J.G.Cranmer	c E.D.Dennis	b F.Taylor	1
G.Bull	c E.Broderick	b H.J.Thornhill	94
W.Winstanley	lbw	b B.Shardlow	1
J.Briggs	c S.J.Norcup	b H.J.Thornhill	16
S.G.Shepherd	c S.J.Norcup	b F.Taylor	0
A.D.Lord	not out		47
L.Wilson*+		b H.J.Thornhill	4
extras		(b5 lb5 w0 nb2)	12
TOTAL		10 wickets for	269

FOW

1-3 (D.E.Mount) 2-67 (H.N.Nuttall) 3-71 (C.B.Harrison) 4-76 (J.G.Cranmer)
5-105 (A.M.Wolstenholme) 6-110 (W.Winstanley) 7-133 (J.Briggs) 8-134 (S.G.Shepherd)
9-261 (G.Bull) 10-269 (L.Wilson)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
S.J.Norcup	18	6	48	1
F.Taylor	27	4	58	3
B.Shardlow	33	10	53	2
E.Broderick	15	1	47	0
H.J.Thornhill	16.2	3	42	4
H.H.Wood	1	0	9	0

Staffordshire 1st Innings 139/10 All Out (Overs 68.2)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
R.Smith	c W.Winstanley	b S.G.Shepherd	17
F.R.Bailey	lbw	b W.Winstanley	6
E.A.Hutton	c L.Wilson	b W.Winstanley	28
E.Broderick	c W.Winstanley	b J.Briggs	39
E.D.Dennis+		b W.Winstanley	17
B.Shardlow*	c G.Bull	b S.G.Shepherd	14
H.H.Wood	c L.Wilson	b S.G.Shepherd	4
P.H.C.Charnock		b S.G.Shepherd	1
F.Taylor	c D.E.Mount	b W.Winstanley	7
H.J.Thornhill		b W.Winstanley	0

S.J.Norcup	not out		0
extras		(b4 lb2 w0 nb0)	6
TOTAL		10 wickets for	139

FOW

1-6 (F.R.Bailey) 2-28 (R.Smith) 3-80 (E.A.Hutton) 4-110 (E.D.Dennis) 5-127 (E.Broderick)
 6-127 (B.Shardlow) 7-130 (P.H.C.Charnock) 8-139 (F.Taylor) 9-139 (H.J.Thornhill)
 10-139 (H.H.Wood)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
S.G.Shepherd	23.2	7	32	4
W.Winstanley	19	5	49	5
J.Briggs	12	5	32	1
A.D.Lord	14	5	20	0

Staffordshire 2nd Innings (Follow-on Enforced) 127/10 All Out (Overs 61.2)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
R.Smith	c D.E.Mount	b S.G.Shepherd	10
F.R.Bailey	c W.Winstanley	b S.G.Shepherd	0
E.A.Hutton	c H.N.Nuttall	b W.Winstanley	9
E.Broderick	c L.Wilson	b J.Briggs	12
E.D.Dennis+	c H.N.Nuttall	b S.G.Shepherd	11
H.H.Wood		b S.G.Shepherd	10
B.Shardlow*	c L.Wilson	b S.G.Shepherd	26
P.H.C.Charnock		b J.Briggs	18
F.Taylor	run out		3
H.J.Thornhill	c H.N.Nuttall	b W.Winstanley	16
S.J.Norcup	not out		5
extras		(b6 lb1 w0 nb0)	7
TOTAL		10 wickets for	127

FOW

1-1 (F.R.Bailey) 2-18 (R.Smith) 3-26 (E.A.Hutton) 4-43 (E.Broderick) 5-45 (E.D.Dennis)
 6-64 (H.H.Wood) 7-85 (P.H.C.Charnock) 8-91 (F.Taylor) 9-121 (B.Shardlow)
 10-127 (H.J.Thornhill)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
S.G.Shepherd	23	8	45	5
W.Winstanley	17.2	2	31	2
J.Briggs	13	6	21	2
A.D.Lord	8	3	23	0

Yorkshire II v Staffordshire

Championship match played at Saltaire, 26th - 27th May 1948

Match Drawn

Toss won by Staffordshire
Comment no play 1st day
Points Awarded Staffordshire 3, Yorkshire II 5

Staffordshire 1st Innings 148/10 All Out (Overs 60.2)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
R.Smith	c J.Firth	b J.T.Lodge	9
F.R.Bailey	c F.Jakeman	b E.S.Barracclough	2
E.A.Hutton	c C.Walker	b E.S.Barracclough	0
E.Broderick	c C.Walker	b E.S.Barracclough	1
R.H.Dale	c K.Smales	b A.Mason	9
M.C.Harvatt*	c J.Firth	b E.S.Barracclough	0
B.Shardlow	c J.Firth	b E.S.Barracclough	79
E.D.Dennis+	c N.F.Horner	b J.T.Lodge	22
H.J.Thornhill	not out		15
S.J.Norcup	c C.Lee	b K.Smales	4
V.Burgess	c J.Firth	b E.S.Barracclough	1
extras		(b2 lb1 w0 nb3)	6
TOTAL		10 wickets for	148

FOW

1-6 (F.R.Bailey) 2-10 (E.A.Hutton) 3-12 (E.Broderick) 4-15 (R.Smith) 5-15 (M.C.Harvatt)
6-32 (R.H.Dale) 7-98 (E.D.Dennis) 8-137 (B.Shardlow) 9-142 (S.J.Norcup)
10-148 (V.Burgess)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
E.S.Barracclough	23.2	9	37	6
J.T.Lodge	13	6	17	2
K.Smales	10	2	41	1
A.Mason	7	1	27	1
C.Walker	7	1	20	0

Yorkshire II 1st Innings 150/7 Closed (Overs 50.5)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
C.Walker		c&b B.Shardlow	62
J.T.Lodge	c E.A.Hutton	b B.Shardlow	33
F.Jakeman		b V.Burgess	29
W.H.H.Sutcliffe		b B.Shardlow	5
C.Lee		c&b B.Shardlow	4
K.Smales	not out		9
N.F.Horner	c F.R.Bailey	b V.Burgess	2
J.Firth+	lbw	b B.Shardlow	3
E.S.Barracclough	not out		2

A.Mason dnb
J.R.S.Raper* dnb
extras
TOTAL

(b0 lb1 w0 nb0) 1
7 wickets for 150

FOW

1-90 (J.T.Lodge) 2-101 (C.Walker) 3-118 (W.H.H.Sutcliffe) 4-132 (C.Lee)
5-138 (F.Jakeman) 6-143 (N.F.Horner) 7-148 (J.Firth)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
S.J.Norcup	12	2	30	0
V.Burgess	12	6	32	2
B.Shardlow	20.5	3	45	5
H.J.Thornhill	6	1	42	0

Staffordshire v Northumberland

Championship match played at Porthill Park, 9th - 10th June 1948

Match Drawn

Toss won by Staffordshire
Points Awarded Staffordshire 3, Northumberland 5

Staffordshire 1st Innings 101/10 All Out (Overs 56.2)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
R.Smith		b H.Elsdon	0
F.R.Bailey	c H.B.Henderson	b H.Robson	7
E.A.Hutton	c J.S.Oswald	b L.F.Townsend	8
E.Broderick		b L.F.Townsend	11
M.C.Harvatt*		b L.F.Townsend	36
R.H.Dale		b H.Elsdon	0
B.Shardlow		b H.Elsdon	6
E.D.Dennis+	c J.S.Oswald	b L.F.Townsend	3
F.T.Boulton	c L.F.Townsend	b H.Elsdon	0
S.J.Norcup	not out		7
V.Burgess	c K.J.Earl	b J.S.Oswald	13
extras		(b6 lb2 w0 nb2)	10
TOTAL		10 wickets for	101

FOW

1-0 (R.Smith) 2-24 (F.R.Bailey) 3-64 (E.A.Hutton) 4-65 (E.Broderick) 5-70 (R.H.Dale)

6-78 (B.Shardlow) 7-78 (E.D.Dennis) 8-78 (F.T.Boulton) 9-82 (M.C.Harvatt)

10-101 (V.Burgess)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
H.Elsdon	18	8	23	4
K.J.Earl	4	4	0	0
J.S.Oswald	8.2	3	9	1
H.Robson	10	3	31	1
L.F.Townsend	16	7	28	4

Northumberland 1st Innings 121/10 All Out (Overs 48.5)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
C.L.Routledge	c M.C.Harvatt	b F.T.Boulton	28
R.Tompkins	lbw	b V.Burgess	5
L.F.Townsend	c E.A.Hutton	b B.Shardlow	13
G.Walton		c&b F.T.Boulton	4
T.Miller	c R.H.Dale	b F.T.Boulton	14
L.E.Liddell*	c M.C.Harvatt	b F.T.Boulton	0
J.S.Oswald		b B.Shardlow	10
H.Elsdon		b B.Shardlow	23
H.B.Henderson+		b B.Shardlow	0
K.J.Earl	c S.J.Norcup	b B.Shardlow	8

H.Robson	not out		9
extras		(b5 lb2 w0 nb0)	7
TOTAL		10 wickets for	121

FOW
 1-10 (R.Tompkins) 2-27 (L.F.Townsend) 3-45 (G.Walton) 4-58 (C.L.Routledge)
 5-58 (L.E.Liddell) 6-75 (T.Miller) 7-79 (J.S.Oswald) 8-79 (H.B.Henderson)
 9-93 (K.J.Earl) 10-121 (H.Elsdon)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
S.J.Norcup	6	0	17	0
V.Burgess	10	4	11	1
B.Shardlow	18.5	4	55	5
F.T.Boulton	14	2	31	4

Staffordshire 2nd Innings 117/0 Closed (Overs 29)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
R.Smith	not out		65
F.R.Bailey	not out		47
E.A.Hutton	dnb		
E.Broderick	dnb		
M.C.Harvatt*	dnb		
R.H.Dale	dnb		
B.Shardlow	dnb		
E.D.Dennis+	dnb		
F.T.Boulton	dnb		
S.J.Norcup	dnb		
V.Burgess	dnb		
extras		(b1 lb2 w0 nb2)	5
TOTAL		0 wickets for	117

FOW

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
H.Elsdon	4	1	14	0
K.J.Earl	2	0	12	0
J.S.Oswald	8	2	33	0
H.Robson	8	2	34	0
L.F.Townsend	7	1	19	0

Northumberland v Staffordshire

Championship match played at Jesmond, 21st - 22nd June 1948

Match Drawn

Toss won by Staffordshire

Staffordshire 1st Innings 198/10 All Out (Overs 69.2)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
R.Smith		b K.J.Earl	23
F.R.Bailey	c J.S.Oswald	b H.Elsdon	61
E.A.Hutton		b K.J.Earl	8
S.Crump	lbw	b H.Robson	3
M.C.Harvatt*		b H.Elsdon	29
T.G.Hollowood	run out		13
B.Shardlow		c&b J.S.Oswald	5
E.D.Dennis+		b H.Robson	22
H.H.Wood		b L.F.Townsend	23
F.T.Boulton	c T.Miller	b L.F.Townsend	0
V.Burgess	not out		2
extras		(b0 lb9 w0 nb0)	9
TOTAL		10 wickets for	198

FOW

1-46(R.Smith) 2-72(E.A.Hutton) 3-81(S.Crump) 4-115(F.R.Bailey) 5-142(M.C.Harvatt)
6-146(B.Shardlow) 7-151(T.G.Hollowood) 8-188(H.H.Wood) 9-188(F.T.Boulton)
10-198(E.D.Dennis)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
H.Elsdon	19	5	41	2
J.S.Oswald	22	4	73	1
K.J.Earl	14	3	30	2
H.Robson	12.2	2	43	2
L.F.Townsend	2	1	2	2

Northumberland 1st Innings 134/7 Closed (Overs 60.5)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
A.D.Cunningham	c E.D.Dennis	b H.H.Wood	2
R.Tompkins	c V.Burgess	b B.Shardlow	15
L.F.Townsend	lbw	b H.H.Wood	1
T.Miller		c&b V.Burgess	6
G.Walton	c B.Shardlow	b F.T.Boulton	14
L.E.Liddell*	c R.Smith	b F.T.Boulton	52
J.S.Oswald	lbw	b S.Crump	16
H.Elsdon	not out		14
H.B.Henderson+	not out		2
K.J.Earl	dnb		
H.Robson	dnb		

extras
TOTAL

(b0 lb12 w0 nb0)
7 wickets for

12
134

FOW

1-6 (A.D.Cunningham) 2-8 (L.F.Townsend) 3-23 (T.Miller) 4-37 (R.Tompkins)
5-86 (G.Walton) 6-101 (J.S.Oswald) 7-132 (L.E.Liddell)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
V.Burgess	12	4	13	1
H.H.Wood	7	4	10	2
B.Shardlow	19	7	54	1
S.Crump	10.5	4	27	1
F.T.Boulton	12	3	18	2

Durham v Staffordshire

Championship match played at South Shields, 23rd - 24th June 1948

Durham (10 points) beat Staffordshire (0) by 9 wickets

Toss won by Staffordshire
Umpires H.Cartwright - J.Murgatroyd
Scorers A.C.Lowerson - S.E.White

Staffordshire 1st Innings 157/10 All Out (Overs 51.3)

Batsman	Fieldsman
R.Smith	
F.R.Bailey	
E.A.Hutton	c A.W.Austin
S.Crump	
M.C.Harvatt*	c T.K.Jackson
T.G.Hollowood	c T.K.Jackson
B.Shardlow	c R.B.Proud
E.D.Dennis+	lbw
H.H.Wood	
F.T.Boulton	c F.Robson
V.Burgess	not out
extras	
TOTAL	

Bowler	Runs
b F.I.Herbert	72
b F.I.Herbert	7
b F.I.Herbert	0
b F.I.Herbert	0
b W.K.Laidlaw	15
b N.W.Owen	6
b W.K.Laidlaw	26
b W.K.Laidlaw	2
b W.K.Laidlaw	5
b W.K.Laidlaw	12
	2
(b4 lb3 w2 nb1)	10
10 wickets for	157

FOW

1-29(F.R.Bailey) 2-33(E.A.Hutton) 3-37(S.Crump) 4-54(M.C.Harvatt)
5-72(T.G.Hollowood) 6-109(B.Shardlow) 7-117(E.D.Dennis) 8-134(H.H.Wood)
9-147(R.Smith) 10-157(F.T.Boulton)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
F.I.Herbert	20	3	59	4
W.M.M.Robson	3	1	9	0
T.K.Jackson	4	0	12	0
W.K.Laidlaw	15.3	1	47	5
N.W.Owen	9	2	20	1

Durham 1st Innings 265/10 All Out (Overs 97.5)

Batsman	Fieldsman
G.Thompson	c S.Crump
F.Robson	
S.Robertson	lbw
J.Bewick	
T.K.Jackson	c F.R.Bailey
R.B.Proud*	c F.R.Bailey
N.W.Owen	
W.M.M.Robson	run out
W.K.Laidlaw	st E.D.Dennis

Bowler	Runs
b V.Burgess	13
b V.Burgess	6
b B.Shardlow	74
b B.Shardlow	17
b B.Shardlow	40
b B.Shardlow	58
c&b S.Crump	16
	0
b S.Crump	9

A.W.Austin+	c T.G.Hollowood	b H.H.Wood	13
F.I.Herbert	not out		11
extras		(b3 lb2 w0 nb3)	8
TOTAL		10 wickets for	265

FOW

1-9 (F.Robson) 2-25 (G.Thompson) 3-52 (J.Bewick) 4-151 (S.Robertson) 5-158 (T.K.Jackson)
6-187 (N.W.Owen) 7-189 (W.M.M.Robson) 8-221 (W.K.Laidlaw) 9-247 (R.B.Proud)
10-265 (A.W.Austin)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
V.Burgess	18	6	30	2
H.H.Wood	9.5	1	24	1
B.Shardlow	35	9	115	4
S.Crump	26	4	60	2
F.T.Boulton	9	2	28	0

Staffordshire 2nd Innings 140/10 All Out (Overs 51.1)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
R.Smith		b W.K.Laidlaw	38
F.R.Bailey		b F.I.Herbert	7
E.A.Hutton		b N.W.Owen	10
S.Crump	st A.W.Austin	b W.K.Laidlaw	3
M.C.Harvatt*		b N.W.Owen	1
T.G.Hollowood	st A.W.Austin	b W.K.Laidlaw	2
B.Shardlow	c N.W.Owen	b W.K.Laidlaw	55
E.D.Dennis+		b F.I.Herbert	0
H.H.Wood	st A.W.Austin	b W.K.Laidlaw	14
F.T.Boulton		b F.I.Herbert	2
V.Burgess	not out		0
extras		(b3 lb5 w0 nb0)	8
TOTAL		10 wickets for	140

FOW

1-11 (F.R.Bailey) 2-38 (E.A.Hutton) 3-49 (S.Crump) 4-57 (M.C.Harvatt) 5-74 (R.Smith)
6-83 (T.G.Hollowood) 7-109 (E.D.Dennis) 8-127 (H.H.Wood) 9-140 (B.Shardlow)
10-140 (F.T.Boulton)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
F.I.Herbert	16.1	5	36	3
W.M.M.Robson	5	2	3	0
N.W.Owen	13	2	34	2
W.K.Laidlaw	17	2	59	5

Durham 2nd Innings 35/1 Closed (Overs 13.4)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
G.Thompson	not out		22
F.Robson	c B.Shardlow	b H.H.Wood	2
S.Robertson	not out		11
J.Bewick	dnb		

T.K.Jackson	dnb
R.B.Proud*	dnb
N.W.Owen	dnb
W.M.M.Robson	dnb
W.K.Laidlaw	dnb
A.W.Austin+	dnb
F.I.Herbert	dnb
extras	
TOTAL	

(b0 lb0 w0 nb0)	0
1 wickets for	35

FOW
 1-16 (F.Robson)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
V.Burgess	7	2	18	0
H.H.Wood	5	2	9	1
B.Shardlow	1.4	0	8	0

Staffordshire v Yorkshire II

Championship match played at Stafford, 14th - 15th July 1948

Yorkshire II (10 points) beat Staffordshire (0) by an Innings and 65 runs

Toss won by Staffordshire

Staffordshire 1st Innings 89/10 All Out (Overs 53.3)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
R.Smith		b J.P.Whitehead	11
F.R.Bailey	c K.Smales	b C.W.Foord	5
E.Broderick	c J.Firth	b C.W.Foord	5
S.Crump	c F.Jakeman	b J.P.Whitehead	12
G.Shaw	c J.Firth	b C.W.Foord	5
P.H.S.Wadham	c W.G.Keighley	b C.W.Foord	0
B.Shardlow	c E.S.Barracclough	b C.W.Foord	5
E.D.Dennis+		b C.W.Foord	11
H.H.Wood*	c E.S.Barracclough	b C.W.Foord	3
S.J.Norcup	c J.Firth	b K.Smales	15
V.Burgess	not out		6
extras		(b3 lb6 w0 nb2)	11
TOTAL		10 wickets for	89

FOW

1-18 (F.R.Bailey) 2-22 (R.Smith) 3-28 (E.Broderick) 4-38 (G.Shaw) 5-40 (P.H.S.Wadham)
6-46 (S.Crump) 7-55 (B.Shardlow) 8-61 (H.H.Wood) 9-64 (E.D.Dennis) 10-89 (S.J.Norcup)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
J.P.Whitehead	18	3	33	2
C.W.Foord	25	12	30	7
E.S.Barracclough	9	2	11	0
K.Smales	1.3	0	4	1

Yorkshire II 1st Innings 277/10 All Out (Overs 111.4)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
F.Jakeman		b P.H.S.Wadham	19
W.G.Keighley	c V.Burgess	b P.H.S.Wadham	0
C.Lee	c E.D.Dennis	b S.J.Norcup	2
G.A.Smithson		b S.J.Norcup	133
J.Firth+	st E.D.Dennis	b B.Shardlow	20
K.Smales		b V.Burgess	16
J.R.S.Raper*	c F.R.Bailey	b V.Burgess	5
J.P.Whitehead		b S.Crump	11
E.S.Barracclough	not out		48
J.R.Ashman	lbw	b B.Shardlow	5
C.W.Foord		b B.Shardlow	5
extras		(b6 lb4 w2 nb1)	13
TOTAL		10 wickets for	277

FOW

1-10 (W.G.Keighley) 2-17 (C.Lee) 3-37 (F.Jakeman) 4-104 (J.Firth) 5-135 (K.Smales)
6-157 (J.R.S.Raper) 7-187 (J.P.Whitehead) 8-244 (G.A.Smithson) 9-261 (J.R.Ashman)
10-277 (C.W.Foord)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
S.J.Norcup	34	10	55	2
P.H.S.Wadham	13	2	42	2
V.Burgess	22	3	85	2
S.Crump	17	3	22	1
B.Shardlow	25.4	6	60	3

Staffordshire 2nd Innings 123/10 All Out (Overs 51)

Batsman	Fieldsman
R.Smith	
F.R.Bailey	lbw
E.Broderick	
S.Crump	lbw
G.Shaw	c J.Firth
P.H.S.Wadham	not out
B.Shardlow	c E.S.Barracclough
E.D.Dennis+	c C.Lee
H.H.Wood*	
S.J.Norcup	
V.Burgess	run out
extras	
TOTAL	

Bowler	Runs
b E.S.Barracclough	38
b J.P.Whitehead	13
b K.Smales	16
b E.S.Barracclough	1
b J.R.Ashman	1
	29
b J.R.Ashman	9
b J.R.Ashman	6
b J.P.Whitehead	5
b J.P.Whitehead	0
	2
(b1 lb2 w0 nb0)	3
10 wickets for	123

FOW

1-27 (F.R.Bailey) 2-64 (E.Broderick) 3-66 (S.Crump) 4-70 (G.Shaw) 5-80 (R.Smith)
6-91 (B.Shardlow) 7-100 (E.D.Dennis) 8-112 (H.H.Wood) 9-114 (S.J.Norcup)
10-123 (V.Burgess)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
J.P.Whitehead	11	1	28	3
C.W.Foord	8	1	32	0
E.S.Barracclough	3	1	10	2
K.Smales	17	7	20	1
J.R.Ashman	12	0	30	3

Staffordshire v Durham

Championship match played at Wolverhampton, 19th - 20th July 1948

Match Drawn

Toss won by Durham
Umpires F.M.Bickerton - C.H.Welch
Scorers A.C.Lowerson - S.E.White
Points Awarded Durham 5, Staffordshire 3

Durham 1st Innings 135/10 All Out (Overs 77.5)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
D.G.Harron	c B.Shardlow	b S.Crump	20
G.Thompson		b S.Crump	1
J.Bewick	lbw	b B.Shardlow	16
N.W.Owen		b B.Shardlow	0
T.K.Jackson	lbw	b B.Shardlow	21
R.B.Proud*		b V.Burgess	24
J.H.Clarke		b B.Shardlow	5
S.Robertson	c B.Shardlow	b S.Crump	16
W.M.M.Robson		b S.Crump	6
A.W.Austin+	c S.Crump	b B.Shardlow	14
A.Barker	not out		4
extras		(b7 lb1 w0 nb0)	8
TOTAL		10 wickets for	135

FOW

1-2 (G.Thompson) 2-50 (D.G.Harron) 3-52 (J.Bewick) 4-54 (N.W.Owen) 5-84 (T.K.Jackson)
6-100 (J.H.Clarke) 7-100 (R.B.Proud) 8-113 (W.M.M.Robson) 9-115 (S.Robertson)
10-135 (A.W.Austin)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
S.J.Norcup	10	4	11	0
H.H.Wood	4	1	12	0
V.Burgess	10	2	17	1
S.Crump	32	13	47	4
B.Shardlow	21.5	9	40	5

Staffordshire 1st Innings 119/10 All Out (Overs 70.2)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
R.Smith		b T.K.Jackson	6
W.Ellis	c R.B.Proud	b T.K.Jackson	8
E.A.Hutton	c A.W.Austin	b J.H.Clarke	26
F.R.Bailey	c J.H.Clarke	b N.W.Owen	36
E.D.Dennis+	c J.H.Clarke	b N.W.Owen	9
S.Crump	c J.Bewick	b T.K.Jackson	8
B.Shardlow	c S.Robertson	b N.W.Owen	0
G.Shaw		b N.W.Owen	0

H.H.Wood*		b N.W.Owen	10
S.J.Norcup	not out		2
V.Burgess	lbw	b T.K.Jackson	7
extras		(b4 lb1 w0 nb2)	7
TOTAL		10 wickets for	119

FOW

1-8 (R.Smith) 2-24 (W.Ellis) 3-64 (E.A.Hutton) 4-86 (E.D.Dennis) 5-89 (F.R.Bailey)
6-93 (B.Shardlow) 7-93 (G.Shaw) 8-101 (S.Crump) 9-110 (H.H.Wood) 10-119 (V.Burgess)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
T.K.Jackson	26.2	9	49	4
W.M.M.Robson	11	3	19	0
N.W.Owen	24	10	27	5
J.H.Clarke	9	1	17	1

Durham 2nd Innings 102/10 All Out (Overs 65.1)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
D.G.Harron	c B.Shardlow	b S.Crump	23
S.Robertson		b S.Crump	31
J.Bewick	c B.Shardlow	b S.Crump	0
G.Thompson	c B.Shardlow	b S.Crump	5
J.H.Clarke	c G.Shaw	b S.J.Norcup	2
T.K.Jackson		b S.J.Norcup	10
R.B.Proud*	c E.A.Hutton	b S.J.Norcup	12
N.W.Owen	c E.A.Hutton	b S.J.Norcup	9
W.M.M.Robson	st E.D.Dennis	b B.Shardlow	1
A.W.Austin+	c V.Burgess	b S.J.Norcup	4
A.Barker	not out		0
extras		(b4 lb0 w0 nb1)	5
TOTAL		10 wickets for	102

FOW

1-52 (D.G.Harron) 2-54 (J.Bewick) 3-59 (G.Thompson) 4-62 (J.H.Clarke) 5-64 (S.Robertson)
6-77 (T.K.Jackson) 7-91 (R.B.Proud) 8-98 (N.W.Owen) 9-102 (A.W.Austin)
10-102 (W.M.M.Robson)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
S.J.Norcup	17	3	33	5
H.H.Wood	1	1	0	0
V.Burgess	10	5	12	0
S.Crump	22	11	28	4
B.Shardlow	15.1	5	24	1

Staffordshire v Buckinghamshire

Championship match played at Stone, 28th - 29th July 1948

Staffordshire (10 points) beat Buckinghamshire (0) by an Innings and 45 runs

Toss won by Staffordshire
Umpires B.W.Bellamy - W.R.Forster

Staffordshire 1st Innings 505/6 Declared (Overs 96)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
R.Smith		b A.Hayhurst	209
D.M.Haynes		b R.S.Tompkins	0
E.A.Hutton	c R.F.Baker	b O.G.Battcock	25
F.R.Bailey	c A.J.Hughes	b R.F.Baker	105
R.L.Halton	c D.G.Bousfield	b A.J.Hughes	86
E.Broderick	not out		25
R.H.Plant*		c&b A.Hayhurst	12
B.Shardlow	not out		27
E.D.Dennis+	dnb		
F.Taylor	dnb		
S.J.Norcup	dnb		
extras		(b10 lb4 w0 nb2)	16
TOTAL		6 wickets for	505

FOW

1-0 (D.M.Haynes) 2-40 (E.A.Hutton) 3-245 (F.R.Bailey) 4-403 (R.Smith) 5-450 (R.L.Halton)
6-466 (R.H.Plant)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
O.G.Battcock	23	4	84	1
R.S.Tompkins	13	0	71	1
A.Hayhurst	24	3	125	2
A.J.Hughes	14	0	69	1
R.F.Baker	19	1	105	1
D.G.Bousfield	3	0	35	0

Buckinghamshire 1st Innings 198/10 All Out (Overs 88.4)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
D.G.Bousfield		b S.J.Norcup	60
T.E.Busby		b R.L.Halton	19
R.I.H.Baker		b R.L.Halton	2
R.F.Baker		b R.L.Halton	2
J.F.N.Mayhew+	lbw	b F.Taylor	5
C.A.Prince		b R.L.Halton	5
A.Hayhurst	st E.D.Dennis	b B.Shardlow	44
R.S.Tompkins		b B.Shardlow	1
F.C.E.Whiting		b B.Shardlow	25
O.G.Battcock*	not out		14

A.J.Hughes	b E.Broderick	2
extras	(b9 lb8 w0 nb2)	19
TOTAL	10 wickets for	198

FOW
 1-57 (T.E.Busby) 2-85 (R.I.H.Baker) 3-89 (R.F.Baker) 4-92 (J.F.N.Mayhew)
 5-98 (C.A.Prince) 6-108 (D.G.Bousfield) 7-115 (C.A.Prince) 8-167 (A.Hayhurst)
 9-185 (F.C.E.Whiting) 10-198 (A.J.Hughes)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
F.Taylor	23	7	40	1
S.J.Norcup	28	7	26	1
B.Shardlow	20	1	84	3
R.L.Halton	16	7	27	4
E.Broderick	1.4	0	2	1

Buckinghamshire 2nd Innings (Follow-on Enforced) 262/10 All Out (Overs 79)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
D.G.Bousfield		c&b F.Taylor	79
T.E.Busby	c F.R.Bailey	b S.J.Norcup	21
R.I.H.Baker		b B.Shardlow	21
R.F.Baker		b R.L.Halton	15
C.A.Prince	c E.Broderick	b R.L.Halton	54
A.Hayhurst	c F.Taylor	b B.Shardlow	30
F.C.E.Whiting	lbw	b B.Shardlow	0
R.S.Tompkins	lbw	b R.L.Halton	6
J.F.N.Mayhew+		b B.Shardlow	1
O.G.Battcock*		b R.L.Halton	11
A.J.Hughes	not out		14
extras		(b3 lb7 w0 nb0)	10
TOTAL		10 wickets for	262

FOW
 1-49 (T.E.Busby) 2-102 (R.I.H.Baker) 3-132 (R.F.Baker) 4-162 (D.G.Bousfield)
 5-230 (C.A.Prince) 6-230 (F.C.E.Whiting) 7-230 (A.Hayhurst) 8-231 (J.F.N.Mayhew)
 9-241 (R.S.Tompkins) 10-262 (O.G.Battcock)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
F.Taylor	19	3	55	1
S.J.Norcup	15	2	46	1
B.Shardlow	20	3	78	4
R.L.Halton	25	5	73	4

Staffordshire v Cheshire

Championship match played at Knypersley, 4th - 5th August 1948

Staffordshire (10 points) beat Cheshire (0) by an Innings and 54 runs

Toss won by Cheshire
Umpires G.E.Hart - H.L.Parkin

Cheshire 1st Innings 122/10 All Out (Overs 50.2)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
H.H.Simpson		b V.Burgess	3
B.M.Lowe	c E.D.Dennis	b R.L.Halton	0
J.R.L.Davies		b S.Crump	20
D.E.Mount	c E.Broderick	b R.L.Halton	59
J.Davies	c F.R.Bailey	b B.Shardlow	9
W.G.Allen+		b R.L.Halton	14
S.G.Shepherd	c E.D.Dennis	b V.Burgess	1
J.Briggs		b V.Burgess	9
A.D.Lord	c S.Crump	b R.L.Halton	2
W.Winstanley		b R.L.Halton	2
L.Wilson*	not out		0
extras		(b1 lb2 w0 nb0)	3
TOTAL		10 wickets for	122

FOW

1-2 (B.M.Lowe) 2-4 (H.H.Simpson) 3-55 (J.R.L.Davies) 4-74 (J.Davies) 5-108 (W.G.Allen)

6-109 (S.G.Shepherd) 7-109 (D.E.Mount) 8-112 (A.D.Lord) 9-118 (W.Winstanley)

10-122 (J.Briggs)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
V.Burgess	16.2	2	27	3
R.L.Halton	18	5	37	5
S.Crump	9	1	24	1
B.Shardlow	7	0	31	1

Staffordshire 1st Innings 226/10 All Out (Overs 92)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
R.Smith		c&b J.Briggs	35
E.Broderick	c A.D.Lord	b J.Briggs	29
E.A.Hutton	c W.G.Allen	b J.Briggs	0
F.R.Bailey	c W.G.Allen	b A.D.Lord	8
R.L.Halton	c A.D.Lord	b W.Winstanley	29
D.M.Haynes*	c L.Wilson	b S.G.Shepherd	21
S.Crump	c W.G.Allen	b W.Winstanley	7
R.H.Plant	st W.G.Allen	b J.Briggs	39
B.Shardlow	lbw	b W.Winstanley	38
E.D.Dennis+	c L.Wilson	b S.G.Shepherd	12
V.Burgess	not out		0

extras	(b5 lb3 w0 nb0)	8
TOTAL	10 wickets for	226

FOW
 1-57 (E.Broderick) 2-59 (E.A.Hutton) 3-68 (F.R.Bailey) 4-80 (R.Smith) 5-114 (R.L.Halton)
 6-130 (S.Crump) 7-148 (D.M.Haynes) 8-201 (R.H.Plant) 9-226 (B.Shardlow)
 10-226 (E.D.Dennis)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
S.G.Shepherd	34	3	74	2
W.Winstanley	26	5	64	3
J.Briggs	20	2	54	4
A.D.Lord	12	4	26	1

Cheshire 2nd Innings 50/10 All Out (Overs 45.2)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
H.H.Simpson		b V.Burgess	5
J.R.L.Davies	lbw	b V.Burgess	3
B.M.Lowe	c E.D.Dennis	b V.Burgess	14
D.E.Mount	st E.D.Dennis	b B.Shardlow	18
J.Davies	c B.Shardlow	b S.Crump	5
W.G.Allen+		b S.Crump	1
S.G.Shepherd		b S.Crump	2
J.Briggs	hit wicket	b B.Shardlow	0
W.Winstanley	c V.Burgess	b B.Shardlow	0
A.D.Lord	lbw	b B.Shardlow	0
L.Wilson*	not out		2
extras		(b0 lb0 w0 nb0)	0
TOTAL		10 wickets for	50

FOW
 1-5 (J.R.L.Davies) 2-21 (H.H.Simpson) 3-22 (B.M.Lowe) 4-36 (J.Davies) 5-38 (W.G.Allen)
 6-48 (S.G.Shepherd) 7-48 (J.Briggs) 8-48 (W.Winstanley) 9-48 (A.D.Lord)
 10-50 (D.E.Mount)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
V.Burgess	15	9	15	3
R.L.Halton	8	3	5	0
S.Crump	8	4	10	3
B.Shardlow	14.2	5	20	4

Buckinghamshire v Staffordshire

Championship match played at High Wycombe, 9th - 10th August 1948

Staffordshire (10 points) beat Buckinghamshire (0) by an Innings and 35 runs

Toss won by Staffordshire

Staffordshire 1st Innings 185/10 All Out (Overs 96.2)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
R.Smith		c&b A.J.Hughes	22
E.Broderick		b P.Isherwood	48
E.A.Hutton	lbw	b A.J.Hughes	37
F.R.Bailey	c J.F.N.Mayhew	b R.F.Baker	29
R.L.Halton		b R.F.Baker	14
D.M.Haynes		b O.G.Battcock	0
S.Crump	c O.G.Battcock	b R.F.Baker	6
R.H.Plant*	run out		0
B.Shardlow	c C.A.Prince	b R.F.Baker	8
E.D.Dennis+	c A.J.Hughes	b O.G.Battcock	0
S.J.Norcup	not out		0
extras		(b16 lb4 w0 nb1)	21
TOTAL		10 wickets for	185

FOW

1-46(R.Smith) 2-108(E.Broderick) 3-124(E.A.Hutton) 4-158(F.R.Bailey)
5-159(D.M.Haynes) 6-175(S.Crump) 7-183(R.H.Plant) 8-183(R.L.Halton)
9-185(B.Shardlow) 10-185(E.D.Dennis)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
O.G.Battcock	32.2	14	43	2
D.R.Peppiatt	13	4	16	0
R.F.Baker	28	6	54	4
A.J.Hughes	16	3	33	2
P.Isherwood	7	2	18	1

Buckinghamshire 1st Innings 62/10 All Out (Overs 52.3)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
A.M.Crawley	c D.M.Haynes	b S.J.Norcup	6
J.H.L.Aubrey-Fletcher		b R.L.Halton	3
C.A.Prince		c&b S.Crump	8
C.F.Deacon		b R.L.Halton	0
P.Isherwood	lbw	b S.Crump	3
R.F.Baker	c R.L.Halton	b S.Crump	21
R.S.Tompkins		b B.Shardlow	0
J.F.N.Mayhew+	c S.Crump	b B.Shardlow	0
O.G.Battcock*	c D.M.Haynes	b S.Crump	9
D.R.Peppiatt	not out		4
A.J.Hughes		b S.Crump	3

extras	(b4 lb0 w0 nb1)	5
TOTAL	10 wickets for	62

FOW
 1-9 (J.H.L.Aubrey-Fletcher) 2-9 (A.M.Crawley) 3-9 (C.F.Deacon) 4-16 (C.A.Prince)
 5-24 (P.Isherwood) 6-29 (R.F.Baker) 7-31 (R.S.Tompkins) 8-55 (J.F.N.Mayhew)
 9-58 (R.F.Baker) 10-62 (A.J.Hughes)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
S.J.Norcup	8	4	7	1
R.L.Halton	18	9	26	2
S.Crump	18.3	10	10	5
B.Shardlow	8	1	14	2

Buckinghamshire 2nd Innings (Follow-on Enforced) 88/10 All Out (Overs 38.2)

Batsman	Fieldsman	Bowler	Runs
A.M.Crawley		b S.Crump	50
J.H.L.Aubrey-Fletcher		b R.L.Halton	3
C.A.Prince		c&b R.L.Halton	0
C.F.Deacon	lbw	b B.Shardlow	6
P.Isherwood	c B.Shardlow	b S.Crump	0
R.F.Baker	c B.Shardlow	b S.Crump	16
R.S.Tompkins	st E.D.Dennis	b B.Shardlow	1
J.F.N.Mayhew+	lbw	b S.Crump	6
O.G.Battcock*		b B.Shardlow	3
D.R.Peppiatt		b B.Shardlow	0
A.J.Hughes	not out		0
extras		(b2 lb0 w0 nb1)	3
TOTAL		10 wickets for	88

FOW
 1-10 (J.H.L.Aubrey-Fletcher) 2-10 (C.A.Prince) 3-34 (C.F.Deacon) 4-41 (P.Isherwood)
 5-70 (R.F.Baker) 6-79 (R.S.Tompkins) 7-81 (J.F.N.Mayhew) 8-88 (O.G.Battcock)
 9-88 (A.M.Crawley) 10-88 (D.R.Peppiatt)

Bowler	Overs	Maid	Runs	Wkts
S.J.Norcup	7	5	7	0
R.L.Halton	9	4	17	2
S.Crump	10	2	22	4
B.Shardlow	12.2	3	39	4