

## **COUNTY CRICKET: SUNDRY EXTRAS**

### **Second Edition**

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The register below, a second edition of this little enterprise, seeks to recognise the achievements of 1,085 such cricketers in many areas of public life, including fields administrative, commercial, cultural, judicial, military, political, professional and sporting. This new version includes material kindly provided by respondents to the first version and material derived from various publications issued in the last couple of years.

It covers cricketers with United Kingdom residency who played in fewer than 100 matches in the 'official' County Championship between the start of the 1890 season and the end of the 2016 season, who no longer play high-level cricket, and who fall into one or more of the categories listed in the paragraph below.

They have:

- (a) played for England in a Test match;
- (b) been identified as cricketer of the year by *Wisden*, or as a young cricketer of the season by the Cricket Writers' Club;
- (c) been appointed a county captain in the Championship for more than one season;
- (d) an exceptional individual achievement to their name in Championship cricket;
- (e) held an important administrative position at national level in cricket;
- (f) played at national or international level in another sport;
- (g) umpired in 100 or more Championship matches;
- (h) other achievements in the public eye, including UK civilian or military honours;
- (i) been a director of a well-known business;
- (j) died while on active service.

The details provided for each player derive from a wide range of sources and comprise, where appropriate:

- (1) surname, forenames and well-used nicknames;
- (2) date and place of birth;
- (3) secondary schools and higher education institutions attended;
- (4) details of UK residence;
- (5) playing methods, as batsman, bowler and fielder;
- (6) details of counties represented in the Championship, seasons played, and playing status;
- (7) career record in the Championship, comprising matches played, runs scored and average, wickets taken and average, catches and stumpings made;
- (8) highest Championship score;
- (9) best innings bowling return in the Championship;

- (10) other cricket achievements, including Test appearances and Championship matches umpired;
- (11) major cricket or sports awards received;
- (12) close relatives who played Championship cricket;
- (13) achievements at national or international level in other sports;
- (14) other achievements in the public eye, including civilian and military honours;
- (15) an apposite comment or quotation;
- (16) date and place of death.

Further details about the entries can be seen in notes at the end of the register.

The register is an attempt at a comprehensive list of those meeting the qualifications set out above. The compiler hopes that it informs and entertains. As with the first edition, he would welcome additions to the list, and information leading to corrections to the existing entries, at [davidjeater@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:davidjeater@yahoo.co.uk).

## REGISTER OF PLAYERS

### **ABELL, George Edmond Brackenbury**

b 22.vi.1904 Worcester: ed Marlborough C; Oxford U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ bowler; wicketkeeper: Worcestershire 1923-1926, 1928, 1935, 1939, a, for many years a civil servant in India, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: cr 33 matches; 1,204 runs, av 23.60; none for 4; 41 ct, 12 st: hs 131 v Somerset, Wells, 1935: later, private secretary to last two viceroys of India; director Bank of England, Portals Holdings (paper mfg); Civil Service Commissioner: appointed OBE 1943, CIE 1946, KCIE (knighted) 1947 all for public services in India: 'the capacity of taking every form of work and play in his stride': d 11.i.1989 Ramsbury, Wiltshire.

### **ABERCROMBIE, Cecil Halliday**

b 12.iv.1886 Muzaffarpur (Bengal), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Berkhamsted S; Britannia Royal Naval C, Dartmouth: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1913, a: cr 12 matches; 755 runs, av 34.31; none for 65; 5 ct: hs 165 v Essex, Leyton, 1913: played rugby union for London Scottish and Scotland: a career naval officer, his chsp cricket comprised a successful six-week period 1913: d 31.v.1916 off Ringkøbing Amt, Denmark, killed in action when his ship exploded in the Battle of Jutland, and having no known grave.

ABERDARE, LORD, see BRUCE, Hon C.N. below.

### **ABLACK, Robert Kenneth**

b 5.i.1919 Port of Spain, Trinidad: UK resident 1941-1962: right-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; outfield: Northamptonshire 1946, 1949, a: cr 2 matches; 5 runs, av 2.50; 6 wkt, av 29.83; 0 ct: no four-wicket returns: later, well-known radio broadcaster on cricket, then chairman Trinidad National Broadcasting Service: d 15.xii.2010 Glencoe (Diego Martin), Trinidad.

### **ADAMS, Geoffrey Coker Arding**

b 24.v.1909 Hampstead, Middlesex: ed Radley C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ bowler; cover field: Hampshire 1928-1930, a: cr 18 matches; 421 runs, av 13.58; 4 wkt, av 40.50; 3 ct: no fifties: played rugby union for Harlequins: emigrated to Australia 1948, where later became well-known newspaper proprietor: appointed MBE 1969 for services to the newspaper industry: d 10.ii.1998 Geelong (Victoria), Australia.

### **ADAMS, Sidney Clarke**

b 17.viii.1904 Northampton: ed Northampton GS: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break bowler: Northamptonshire 1932, a: cr 8 matches; 56 runs, av 5.09; 7 wkt, av 28.00; 4 ct: no fifties; bb 4-21 v Glamorgan, Northampton, 1932: 'anyone who played cricket at Northampton between the wars needed a well-developed sense of the absurd', a reference to his dismissal of and by Samuel Beckett in a first-class match in 1926: d 24.ii.1945 Hamminkeln (Nordrhein-Westfalen), Germany, killed in action.

**ADSHEAD, Frank Hand**

b 9.ii.1894 Oldbury, Worcestershire: ed Dudley GS: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman: Worcestershire 1927, a: cr 2 matches; 26 runs, av 8.66; did not bowl; 2 ct: older brother of W.E.Barnie-Adshead (see below): awarded MC 1917: d 22.xi.1977 Willesden, Middlesex.

ADSHEAD, W.E, see BARNIE-ADSHEAD, W.E., below.

**AIREY, Robert Berkeley**

b 21.ix.1874 Southminster, Essex: ed Tonbridge S; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman: Hampshire 1911, a: cr 3 matches; 52 runs, av 10.40; did not bowl; 2 ct: no fifties: a career soldier stationed outside UK at various times, his appearances in chsp cricket were limited: awarded DSO 1916; appointed CMG 1918 for military services: d 23.vi.1933 Westminster, Middlesex.

**AKERS-DOUGLAS, Ian Stanley**

b 16.xi.1909 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Kent 1929, 1930, 1932-1934, 1936-1938, a: cr 45 matches; 1,389 runs, av 23.15; 3 wkt, av 20.33; 11 ct: hs 123 v Hampshire, Portsmouth, 1932: grandson of S.Christopherson (see below): amateur rackets singles champion 1932, 1933, 1934; amateur rackets doubles champion 1932, 1933, 1935; British open rackets singles champion 1933: d 16.xii.1952 Frant, Sussex, from injuries received in shotgun accident.

**ALDERWICK, Ernest Ewart Gladstone**

b 4.iv.1885 Bristol, Gloucestershire: right-hand middle-order batsman: Gloucestershire 1908, a: cr 2 matches; 7 runs, av 2.33; did not bowl; 0 ct: d 26.viii.1917 Péronne (Somme), France, killed in action.

**ALISON, Charles Hugh**

b 5.iii.1883 Preston, Lancashire: ed Malvern C; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; occ bowler: Somerset 1904, 1905, a: cr 2 matches; two innings, 5, 0\*; none for 23; 1 ct: later, working with H.S.Colt, a leading golf-course designer, undertook commissions in many countries: appointed MBE 1939 for services to golf: d 20.x.1952 Woodstock (Cape Province), South Africa.

**ALLOM, Maurice James Carrick**

b 23.iii.1906 Northwood, Middlesex: ed Wellington C, Crowthorne; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; outfield: Surrey 1927-1933, 1937, a: cr 83 matches; 685 runs, av 9.25; 278 wkt, av 22.94; 37 ct: hs 57\* v Middlesex, Kennington, 1932: bb 7-110 v Nottinghamshire, Kennington, 1929: played five Tests for England; president MCC 1969-1970; chairman TCCB 1969-1970: father of A.T.C. (Surrey 1960): tenor saxophonist Fred Elizalde jazz band 1927-1929: 'he regularly dismissed good players and sometimes frightened them': d 8.v.1995 Shipbourne, Kent.

**ALTHAM, Harry Surtees**

b 30.xi.1888 Camberley, Surrey: ed Repton S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Surrey 1908, 1909, 1912, a; Hampshire 1919, 1921-1923, a: cr 32 matches; 856 runs, av 20.87; none for 11; 16 ct: hs 141 v Kent, Canterbury, 1921: president MCC 1959-1960, treasurer 1949-1963: author well-known 'standard' history of cricket and other books: awarded MC 1917, DSO 1918; appointed CBE 1957 for services to cricket: 'among the best-known personalities in the world of cricket – player, legislator, Test selector, historian and coach': d 11.iii.1965 Sheffield, Yorkshire.

**AMOR, Stanley Long** ('Skipper')

b 22.vii.1887 Bath, Somerset: ed Bath C: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Somerset 1908, 1919-1922, 1930, a: cr 22 matches, incl 12 at Bath; 190 runs, av 7.91; did not bowl; 20 ct, 18 st: played hockey for Somerset: later, director Bath and Portland Stone (quarrying) and other companies: appointed MBE 1919 for military services in France: captained Bath CC for 36 seasons: d 7.viii.1965 Bath, Somerset.

**ANDERSON, William Burn**

b 12.xi.1871 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Harrow S: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler: Middlesex 1891, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 0, 2; did not bowl; 0 ct: later, partner Christie's (auctioneers): d 31.i.1948 Langham (nr Bury St Edmunds), Suffolk.

ANNALY, LORD, see WHITE, Hon L.R., below.

**ANSON, Geoffrey Frank**

b 8.x.1922 Sevenoaks, Kent: ed Harrow S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; versatile field: Kent 1947, a, cr 7 matches; 231 runs, av 17.76; did not bowl; 5 ct: hs 51 v Middlesex, Lord's, 1947: a career civil servant stationed for many years outside UK, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: awarded MC 1945: d 4.xii.1977 Ticehurst, Sussex.

**ANTON, John Hamish Hugh**

b 19.ix.1926 Kidderminster, Worcestershire: ed Rugby S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Worcestershire 1950, a: cr 4 matches; 74 runs, av 10.57; did not bowl; 2 ct: no fifties: played hockey for Scotland: later, director Victoria Carpets (carpet mfg).

**ARCHER, Alfred German**

b 6.x.1871 Richmond, Surrey: ed Haileybury C, Hertford Heath: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Worcestershire 1900, a: cr 2 matches; 20 runs, av 5.00; did not bowl; 4 ct, 1 st: played one Test for England: cited in the (then) well-known McConnell divorce case 1905: d 15.vii.1935 Seaford, Sussex.

**ARKELL, Henry John Denham**

b 26.vi.1898 Hornsey, Middlesex; ed Northampton GS: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Northamptonshire 1921, a: cr 2 matches; two innings, 5, 6; did not bowl; 0 ct: played hockey for Northamptonshire: d 12.iii.1982 Oxford.

**ARKWRIGHT, Francis Godfrey Bertram**

b 30.i.1905 Bromley, Kent: ed Eton C; Royal Military A, Sandhurst: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Hampshire 1923, a: cr 3 matches; 44 runs, av 8.80; did not bowl; 2 ct: career soldier stationed for many years outside UK: awarded MC 1940, DSO 1942: d 11.vii.1942 nr Acroma (Cyrenaica), Libya, killed in action and having no known grave.

**ARNOLD, Alban Charles Phidias**

b 19.xi.1892 Tattenhall, Cheshire: ed Malvern C; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-, later middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1912, 1914, a: cr 14 matches; 520 runs, av 24.76; none for 0; 4 ct: hs 76 v Somerset, Southampton, 1914: d 7.vii.1916 Ovillers-la-Boiselle (Somme), France, killed in action and having no known grave.

**ASHCROFT, Edward Maynard**

b 27.ix 1875 Longsight, Manchester: Owens C, Manchester: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm off-break bowler; cover field: Derbyshire 1897-1906, a, capt 1904, 1905: cr 91 matches; 4,084 runs, av 29.17; 17 wkt, av 64.00; 28 ct: hs 162 v Leicestershire, Leicester, 1902: no four-wicket returns: d 26.ii.1955 Upton-by-Chester, Cheshire.

**ASHTON, Claude Thesiger**

b 19.ii.1901 Kolkata (Bengal), India: UK resident from 1903: ed Winchester C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Essex 1921-1929, 1934-1938, a: cr 81 matches; 3,046 runs, av 24.36; 94 wkt, av 29.09; 68 ct: hs 118 v Surrey, Brentwood, 1934: bb 7-51 v Gloucestershire, Cheltenham, 1923: younger brother of P. (see below), H. (see below) and G. (see below): played football for Corinthians and England full and amateur teams, and in England hockey trials: d 31.x.1942 Caernarvon, in flying accident while training with Royal Air Force; R.de W.K. Winlaw (see below), was killed in the same accident.

**ASHTON, Gilbert**

b 27.ix.1896 Bromley, Kent: ed Winchester C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm leg-break bowler; cover field: Worcestershire 1922-1927, 1934, 1936, a: cr 26 matches; 748 runs, av 17.80; one for 43; 12 ct: hs 125 v Northamptonshire, Worcester, 1922: older brother of H. (see below), younger brother of C.T. (see above) and P. (see below): played football for Corinthians: awarded MC 1917: lost his left thumb during the Great War, but remarkably 'this had no discernible effect on his batting and fielding': d 6.ii.1981 Abberley, Worcestershire.

**ASHTON, Hubert**

b 13.i.1898 Kolkata (Bengal), India: UK resident from 1903: ed Winchester C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; close field: Essex 1921, 1922, 1927, 1934, a: cr 18 matches; 657 runs, av 22.65; did not bowl; 19 ct: hs 69 v Northamptonshire, Colchester, 1927: *Wisden* cricketer 1922; president MCC 1961-1962: younger brother of P. (see below); older brother of C.T. (see above) and G. (see above): president MCC 1960-1961: played football for Corinthians and West Bromwich Albion: Conservative MP for Chelmsford 1950-1964; junior minister

Treasury 1951-1955, Lord Privy Seal's office 1955-1957, Home Office 1957; later, Church Estates Commissioner, also director Ross Group (fishing, refrigeration) and other companies: awarded MC 1918; appointed KBE (knighted) 1959 for political and public services: d 17.vi.1979 Romford, Essex.

### **ASHTON, Percy**

b 27.ii.1895 Kolkata (Bengal), India: UK resident from c 1900: ed Winchester C: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Essex 1924, a: cr 1 match; two innings 31, 21; one for 51; 0 ct, despite losing an eye in the Great War: older brother of C.T. (see above), G. (see above) and H. (see above): awarded MC 1918: d 18.ix.1934 Bigbury-on-Sea, Devon.

### **ASKHAM, Sydney Thomas**

b 9.ix.1896 Wellingborough, Northamptonshire: ed Wellingborough S: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Northamptonshire 1914, a: cr 5 matches; 83 runs, av 13.83; two for 86; 0 ct, at age 17, 'probably [sic] an exceptional boy cricketer': d 21.viii.1916 Maily-Maillet (Somme), France, the shortest-lived chsp cricketer, killed in action aged 19 yr 11 mth, and having no known grave.

### **ASPINALL, Ronald**

b 26.x.1918 Huddersfield, Yorkshire: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; versatile field: Yorkshire 1947-1949, p: cr 28 matches; 647 runs, av 20.87; 108 wkt, av 19.34; 15 ct: hs 75\* v Nottinghamshire, Nottingham, 1948: bb 8-42 v Northamptonshire, Northampton, 1947: playing career curtailed by Achilles tendon injury: chsp umpire 1960-1981, 399 matches: d 16.viii.1999 Huddersfield, Yorkshire.

### **ATFIELD, Alfred John**

b 3.ii.1868 Ightham, Kent: right-hand lower-order batsman; versatile field: Gloucestershire 1893, p: cr 3 matches; 74 runs, av 12.33; did not bowl; 1 ct: chsp umpire 1905-1924, 281 matches: an MCC professional, often went in the northern winter to South Africa, umpiring first-class matches there: d 1.i.1949 Caterham, Surrey.

### **AVERIS, James Maxwell Michael**

b 28.v.1974 Bristol, Gloucestershire: ed Bristol Cathedral S; Portsmouth U; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Gloucestershire 1997, 1999-2006: cr 56 matches; 656 runs, av 10.58; 128 wkt, av 42.28; 13 ct: hs 53 v Surrey, Bristol, 2006: bb 6-32 v Northamptonshire, Bristol, 2004: played rugby union for Bristol and Harlequins.

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### **BACHE, Harold Godfrey**

b 20.viii.1889 Churchill (nr Kidderminster), Worcestershire: ed King Edward's S, Birmingham; Cambridge U: left-hand middle-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; outfield: Worcestershire 1907-1910, a: cr 15 matches; 176 runs, av 8.80; 3 wkt, av 11.00; 6 ct: no fifties: played football for Corinthians, West Bromwich Albion and England amateur team; played lawn tennis in



Wimbledon men's singles chsp, said to be 'the first player to use the double-handed backhand' there: d 15.ii.1916 nr Ieper (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, killed in action.

### **BACON, Francis Hugh**

b 24.vi.1869 Colombo, Ceylon: UK resident from an early age: ed St Edmund's S, Canterbury: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ right-arm slow bowler; cover field: Hampshire 1895-1897, p, then 1903-1907, 1909, 1911, a: cr 74 matches; 1,897 runs, av 15.94; 6 wkt, av 31.66; 34 ct: hs 110 v Leicestershire, Southampton, 1907: no four-wicket returns: d 31.x.1915 off St Margaret's at Cliffe, Kent, drowned at sea when his Royal Navy ship was mined.

### **BAGGALLAY, Richard Romer Claude**

b 4.v.1884 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Marlborough C: Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; versatile field: Derbyshire 1912-1919, a, capt 1913-1919: cr 30 matches; 686 runs, av 12.25; did not bowl; 25 ct: hs 88 v Somerset, Derby, 1913: a career soldier, he played only three matches in 1919 as he was appointed military secretary to Viceroy of Ireland: awarded MC 1917, DSO 1919: d 12.v.1975 Kensington, Middlesex.

### **BAIL, Paul Andrew Clayden**

b 23.vi.1965 Burnham-on-Sea, Somerset: ed Millfield S, Street; Cambridge U: right-hand opening batsman; occ right-arm off-break bowler; outfield: Somerset 1985, 1986: cr 7 matches; 229 runs, av 22.90; none for 4; 0 ct: hs 78\* v Kent, Canterbury, 1985: later, director Baird and Co (financial services) and other companies.

### **BAILEY, Sir Derrick Thomas Louis**

b 15.viii.1918 Marylebone, Middlesex: ed Winchester C; Oxford U; Royal Agricultural C, Cirencester: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; mid-off field: Gloucestershire 1949-1952, a, capt 1951, 1952: cr 53 matches; 1,871 runs, av 25.98; 12 wkt, av 29.92; 33 ct: hs 111 v Sussex, Hove, 1951: no four-wicket returns: awarded DFC 1944: succeeded his half-brother as third Bailey baronet 1946: 'his cherry-red Lagonda tourer would bomb up to the ground of a morning in a din of revs and full-throttled exhaust': d 19.vi.2009 Bluestone Hill, Alderney, Channel Islands.

### **BAILEY, Jack Arthur**

b 22.vi.1930 Brixton, Surrey: ed Christ's Hospital, Horsham; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-hand fast-medium bowler; versatile field: Essex 1953-1958, a: cr 65 matches; 261 runs, av 4.50; 186 wkt, av 22.61; 45 ct: bb 7-32 v Nottinghamshire, Southend-on-Sea, 1953, on chsp debut: secretary MCC 1974-1987: later, cricket and rugby union writer for *The Times* and other newspapers: on women becoming MCC members, commented, 'MCC have never subscribed to the freedom of thought which goes hand-in-hand with the unisex sauna': b 12.vii.2018.

### **BAILY, Robert Edward Hartnell** ('Robin')

b 6.vi.1885 Limpsfield, Surrey: ed Harrow S; Cambridge U: righthand lower-order batsman; close field: Surey 1904, a: cr 2 matches; 60 runs, av 15.00; did not bowl; 2 ct: no fifties: a career civil servant stationed for many years outside UK, his appearances in first-class cricket were

limited: appointed MBE 1919, OBE 1925, CBE 1932 for public services in Sudan: d 19.ix.1973 Hereford.

**BAINBRIDGE, Herbert William** ('Bags')

b 29.x.1862 Guwahati (Assam), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: right-hand opening, later middle-order batsman; occ right-arm slow bowler; versatile field: Warwickshire 1895-1902, a, capt 1895, 1896, 1902: cr 99 matches; 4,207 runs, av 29.41; one for 36; 59 ct: hs 162 v Hampshire, Southampton, 1897: played football for Old Etonians in 1883 FA Cup final: later, director Mitchells and Butlers (brewing): 'he preferred to work in a supervisory capacity, with the professionals running about following his commands': d 3.iv.1940 Leamington Spa, Warwickshire.

**BAISS, Reginald Sydney Habershon**

b 6.iii.1873 Belvedere, Kent: ed Tonbridge S; Oxford U: right-hand lower-, later middle-order batsman; versatile field, incl wicketkeeper: Kent 1895, 1901, a, thought by some to be the first Jewish cricketer in the chsp: cr 7 matches; 230 runs, av 20.90; did not bowl; 5 ct: no fifties: played rugby union for Blackheath and Barbarians: d 2.v.1955 Tunbridge Wells, Kent.

**BALDOCK, William Frederick**

b 1.viii.1900 Wellington, Somerset: ed Winchester C; Oxford U: right-hand lower-, later middle-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1921, 1936, a: cr 7 matches; 130 runs, av 11.81; did not bowl; 2 ct: no fifties: a career civil servant specialising in forestry, emigrated to Tanganyika 1922, moving to Malaya 1939: d 3.xii.1941 Jabor Valley (Terengganu), Malaya, murdered by Japanese army, having been captured when serving with a local defence force.

**BALDWIN, Herbert George** ('Harry')

b 16.iii.1893 Hartley Wintney, Hampshire: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm leg-break bowler; cover field: Surrey 1922, 1924-1929, p: cr 28 matches; 477 runs, av 14.90; 3 wkt, av 107.00: 10 ct: hs 63\* v Gloucestershire, Kennington, 1925: son of H. (Hampshire 1895-1901, 1904, 1905): chsp umpire 1932-1962, 517 matches: d 7.iii.1969 Hartley Wintney, Hampshire.

**BANCROFT, John**

b 8.x.1879 Swansea, Glamorgan: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Glamorgan 1922, p: cr 9 matches; 36 runs, av 2.40; did not bowl; 4 ct, 3 st: played rugby union for Swansea and Wales: for his rugby, 'darling of Cymric crowds': d 7.i.1942 Swansea, Glamorgan.

BANES-WALKER, F.C., see WALKER, F.C.B below.

**BANKS, Percy d'Aguilar**

b 9.v.1885 Bath, Somerset: ed Cheltenham C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1903, 1908, a: cr 7 matches; 161 runs, av 12.38; did not bowl; 1 ct: no fifties: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: his batting as a schoolboy was described as 'Trumperesque': d 26.xi.1915 nr Ieper (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, killed in action.

**BARBER, Alan Theodore**

b 17.vi.1905 Sheffield, Yorkshire: ed Shrewsbury S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; slip field: Yorkshire 1929, 1930, a, capt 1930: cr 33 matches; 709 runs, av 18.17; none for none (one maiden over); 33 ct: hs 64 v Leicestershire, Kingston-upon-Hull, 1930: played football for Corinthians; Eton Fives amateur champion 1934, 1936: 'a natural aptitude for leadership' and 'a gifted and versatile games-player': d 10.iii.1985 Wokingham, Berkshire.

**BARBER, William Douglas**

b 17.x.1881 Eastwood, Nottinghamshire: ed Eton C: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Nottinghamshire 1904, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 7; did not bowl; 1 ct, 1 st: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent; awarded MC 1916: d 26.iv.1971 Ranby, Nottinghamshire.

**BARDSLEY, Robert Vickers**

b 28.vi.1890 Prestwich, Lancashire: ed Shrewsbury S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm leg-break bowler; outfield: Lancashire 1910, 1913, 1920, a: cr 7 matches; 46 runs, av 5.75; none for 23; 0 ct: a civil servant in Sudan from 1913, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: appointed MBE 1919, OBE 1927 for public services in Sudan, CMG 1933 for services there as governor Blue Nile province: d 26.vii.1952 Coldwaltham, Sussex.

**BARDSWELL, Gerald Roscoe**

b 7.xii.1873 Liverpool, Lancashire: ed Uppingham S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; slip field: Lancashire 1894, 1896, 1899, 1902, a, appointed capt 1899 but played only four chsp matches: cr 17 matches; 360 runs, av 17.14; 7 wkt, av 43.14; 25 ct: no fifties: bb 4-37 v Middlesex, Lord's, 1894: later, director G. and J.Greenall (gin distilling): d 29.xii.1906 New Orleans (Louisiana), United States, when recuperating from a brain operation.

**BARLOW, Charles Sydney**

b 10.v.1905 Durban, Natal: UK resident 1914-1927: ed Clifton C, Bristol; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Somerset 1925, 1926, a: cr 2 matches; 24 runs, av 6.00; two for 120; 1 ct: played rugby union for Rosslyn Park, Natal, Barbarians and in England trials, polo for South Africa: later, chairman Thomas Barlow and Sons (merchant bank) and Barlow, Rand (mining): in South Africa later described as 'a legendary industrialist': d 1.vi.1979 Sotogrande (Andalucia), Spain, while on holiday.

**BARLOW, Richard Gorton**

b 28.v.1851 Bolton, Lancashire: right-hand opening batsman; occ left-arm medium-pace bowler; point field: Lancashire 1890, 1891, p: cr 24 matches; 761 runs, av 21.13; 5 wkt, av 41.00; 21 ct: hs 92 v Gloucestershire, Bristol, 1890: bb 4-19 v Middlesex, Manchester, 1890: played 17 Tests for England: chsp umpire 1894-1908, 1910-1919, 313 matches: 'the trick was that, with an innings sheet-anchored by Barlow, the carefree amateurs could make merry': d 31.vii.1919 Blackpool, Lancashire, from heart failure, only five days after he had umpired chsp match at age 68 at Leeds.

**BARNATO, Joel Woolf** ('Babe')

b 27.ix.1895 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Surrey 1928, a: cr 2 matches, 10 runs, av 5.00; did not bowl; 5 ct, 1 st: a leading racing driver, with various co-drivers won Le Mans 24-Hour Race 1928, 1929 and 1930, all in Bentleys; later, chairman Bentley Motors: d 27.vii.1948 Marylebone, Middlesex, from thrombosis following cancer operation.

**BARNES, John Reginald**

b 18.v.1897 Aughton (nr Ormskirk), Lancashire: ed Marlborough C: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm leg-break bowler; cover field: Lancashire 1919-1926, 1928, 1930, a: cr 84 matches; 3,150 runs, av 28.89; none for 53; 37 ct: hs 123\* v Middlesex, Lord's, 1922: awarded MC 1917: 'he never played regularly enough to make the most of his free-driving style': d 22.vii.1945 Grange-over-Sands, Lancashire, from leukemia, after being retired from Royal Air Force on ill-health grounds.

**BARNES, Sydney Francis**

b 19.iv.1873 Smethwick, Staffordshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1895, 1896, p; Lancashire 1901-1903, p, playing regularly only in 1902, 1903: cr 47 matches; 490 runs, av 11.66; 226 wkt, av 20.15; 20 ct: bb 8-37 v Essex, Leyton, 1903: played 27 Tests for England: *Wisden* cricketer 1910: there was 'a Mephistophelian aspect about him; he didn't play cricket out of any green-field starry-eyed idealism' and his public cricket appearances were mainly in league and Minor Counties cricket: d 26.xii.1967 Cannock, Staffordshire.

**BARNES, William**

b 27.v.1852 Sutton in Ashfield, Nottinghamshire: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; versatile field: Nottinghamshire 1890-1894, p: cr 62 matches; 1,602 runs, av 17.04; 90 wkt, av 16.96; 31 ct: hs 104 v Yorkshire, Nottingham, 1891: bb 6-47 v Gloucestershire, Nottingham, 1890: played 21 Tests for England; chsp umpire 1898, 1 match: *Wisden* cricketer 1890: father of J.W. (Nottinghamshire 1909, 1910): when reprimanded for intemperance by the county committee, responded, 'How many of you could make a hundred, drunk or sober?': d 24.iii.1899 Mansfield Woodhouse, Nottinghamshire.

**BARNFATHER, James David**

b 22.vii.1896 Leicester: ed King Edward VI GS, Southampton: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Essex 1924, p: cr 5 matches; 50 runs, av 25.00; 13 wkt, av 27.30; 1 ct: bb 6-32 v Leicestershire, Leicester, 1924: awarded DCM 1919: later a building surveyor, 'he declined a contract offered by the county': d 21.viii.1957 Grays, Essex.

**BARNIE-ADSHEAD, William Ewart**

b 10.iv.1901 Oldbury, Worcestershire: ed Dudley GS; Birmingham U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; versatile field, incl wicketkeeper: Worcestershire 1922, 1924, 1925, 1928, a: cr 12 matches; 244 runs, av 11.51; did not bowl; 14 ct: hs 51 v Warwickshire, Birmingham, 1925: younger brother of F.H.Adshead (see above): played football for Aston Villa

and England amateur team: later, well-known obstetrician: d 26.i.1951 Edgbaston, Birmingham. (*Changed surname from Adshead to Barnie-Adshead 1918.*)

**BARRETT, Edward Ivo Medhurst**

b 22.vi.1879 Churt, Surrey: ed Cheltenham C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1896-1898, 1901, 1903, 1906, 1912, 1920, 1925, a: cr 76 matches; 3,386 runs, av 32.55; none for 40; 30 ct: hs 215 v Gloucestershire, Southampton, 1920: played rugby union for Lennox (Dulwich) and England, hockey for Hampshire; amateur golf champion Japan 1917: a career soldier/police officer stationed for many years outside UK, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent; appointed CIE 1919: d 10.vii.1950 Bournemouth, Hampshire, from injuries received in road accident.

**BARTON, Charles Gerard**

b 26.iv.1860 Sherfield English, Hampshire: ed Sherborne S: right-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; slip field: Hampshire 1895, 1896, a: cr 4 matches; 28 runs, av 9.33; 3 wkt, av 50.66; 0 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: awarded DSO c 1904: d 3.xi.1919 Hatfield Peverel, Essex.

**BARTON, Michael Richard**

b 14.x.1914 Dereham, Norfolk: ed Winchester C; Oxford U; Cornell U, Ithaca (N.Y.): right-hand middle-order batsman; slip field: Surrey 1948-1951, a, capt 1949-1951: cr 94 matches; 3,090 runs, av 21.31; did not bowl; 74 ct: hs 134 v Nottinghamshire, Nottingham, 1948: of his captaincy appointment, later commented that 'it was extraordinary really ... I was playing only occasional club cricket and I'd never captained a side in my life': 1.vii.2006 Sevenoaks, Kent.

**BATEMAN-CHAMPAIN, Hugh Frederick**

b 6.iv.1869 Ashford, Middlesex: ed Cheltenham C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman; point field: Gloucestershire 1896, 1902, a: cr 8 matches; 120 runs, av 12.00; did not bowl; 5 ct: no fifties: older brother of C.E. (Gloucestershire 1898, 1902, 1907), F.H. (Gloucestershire 1895-1902, 1904, 1906-1908, 1910, 1914) and J.N. (see below): a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: later, secretary-general British Red Cross: appointed CMG 1918 for military services: d 7.x.1933 Ascot, Berkshire. (*Changed surname from Champain 1870.*)

**BATEMAN-CHAMPAIN, John Norman**

b 14.iii.1880 Richmond, Surrey: ed Cheltenham C; Cambridge U; Wells Theological C: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Gloucestershire 1899, a: cr 2 matches; 2 runs, av 0.66; did not bowl; 2 ct: younger brother of H.F. (see above), C.E. (Gloucestershire 1898, 1902, 1907) and F.H. (Gloucestershire 1895-1902, 1904, 1906-1908, 1910, 1914): later, suffragan Bishop of Knaresbrough: d 22.x.1950 Bristol, Gloucestershire.

**BATES, Samuel Harold**

b 16.vi.1890 Edgbaston, Birmingham: right-hand lower-order batsman; left arm slow bowler: outfield: Warwickshire 1910-1912, p: cr 5 matches; 24 runs, av 3.00; 6 wkt, av 30.33; 0 ct: no

four-wicket returns: older brother of L.T.A. (Warwickshire 1913-1935): d 28.viii.1916 Hardecourt-aux-Bois (Somme), France, killed in action and having no known grave.

**BAXTER, Arthur Douglas** ('Sandy')

b 20.i.1910 Edinburgh (Midlothian), Scotland: ed Loretto S, Edinburgh: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1938, a: cr 2 matches; 17 runs, av 8.50; 5 wkt, av 46.40; 0 ct: no four-wicket returns: later, director Spicers (paper mfg), chairman Thorburn, Bain (stationery mfg): appointed MBE 1944 for military services: 'cheerful and friendly, enjoyed his cricket so much and helped others to enjoy theirs': d 28.i.1986 Edenbridge, Kent.

**BAXTER, Austin Godfrey**

b 21.ix.1931 West Bridgford, Nottinghamshire: ed Ratcliffe C; Nottingham U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Nottinghamshire 1952, 1953, a: cr 13 matches; 314 runs, av 14.95; none for 8; 4 ct: hs 98 (stumped) v Essex, Southend-on-Sea, 1953: played hockey for Nottinghamshire and Midlands: later, director Basford Group (textile mfg): d 17.i.1993 Nottingham.

**BEAN, Leslie Hugh**

b 2.ii.1906 Burnham-on-Sea, Somerset: ed Sherborne S; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm leg-break and googly bowler; outfield: Somerset 1929, a: cr 3 matches; 35 runs, av 5.83; one for 25; 1 ct: a career soldier, often based overseas, his appearances in chsp cricket were limited: appointed MBE 1945 for military services, OBE 1962 for services to mining in Ghana, having emigrated to that country c 1951: d 13.i.1988 Accra, Ghana.

**BEASLEY, Joseph Noble**

b 5.xii.1881 Northampton: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast medium bowler; versatile field: emigrated to Australia 1911, returning to UK 1914: Northamptonshire 1911, 1919, a, capt 1919: cr 14 matches; 96 runs, av 8.00; 4 wkt, av 56.00; 6 ct: no four-wicket returns: older brother of R.N. (Northamptonshire 1907-1909, 1911): played rugby union for Northampton: awarded MC 1917: described himself as 'a third-class cricketer who played first-class cricket', beginning his county's 'inter-war tradition of captains who deflected criticism by self-deprecation': d 23.i.1960 Stony Stratford, Buckinghamshire.

**BECHER, Adrian William Bay**

b 12.v.1897 Bourton-on-the-Water, Gloucestershire: ed Repton S; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-fast bowler; versatile field: Gloucestershire 1925, 1926, 1929, a: cr 8 matches; 227 runs, av 16.21; none for 112; 10 ct: hs 64 v Somerset, Taunton, 1928: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: awarded MC and bar both 1917; appointed MBE 1944, OBE 1945 for military services: d 29.iii.1957 Swindon (nr Cheltenham), Gloucestershire.

**BECHER, Sir William Fane Wrixon-**

b 7.ix.1915 Roxborough (Co Limerick), Ireland: ed Harrow S; Cambridge U: left-hand middle- or lower-order batsman: Sussex 1939, a: cr 2 matches; 28 runs, av 9.33; did not bowl; succeeded his father as fifth Becher baronet 1934; awarded MC 1943: d 6.1.2000 Brighton, Sussex.

**BEDDOW, Alan Michael**

b 12.x.1941 St Helens, Lancashire; ed Cowley GS, St Helens: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Lancashire 1962-1966, p: cr 31 matches; 663 runs, av 13.26; 15 wkt, av 30.30; 14 ct: hs 59 v Kent, Tunbridge Wells, 1965: no four-wicket returns: played rugby league for St Helens.

**BEDFORD, Philip Ian**

b 11.ii.1930 North Finchley, Middlesex: ed Woodhouse GS, Finchley: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break and googly bowler; out-, later slip field: Middlesex 1947, 1948, 1950, 1961, 1962, a, capt 1961, 1962: cr 59 matches; 674 runs, av 15.67; 96 wkt, av 32.57; 34 ct: hs 75\* v Gloucestershire, Gloucester, 1961: bb 6-52 v Yorkshire, Bradford, 1948: as captain, 'he put himself on to bowl so little that his quality could not be judged': d 18.ix.1966 Wanstead, Essex, from heart failure while playing in club cricket match.

**BEET, George**

b 24.iv.1886 Somercotes, Derbyshire: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; wicketkeeper: Derbyshire 1910, 1912-1920, 1922, 1925, p: cr 46 matches; 1,250 runs, av 16.44; none for 27; 60 ct, 10 st: hs 92\* v Warwickshire, Birmingham, 1919: father of G.H.C. (Derbyshire 1928, 1932); grandfather of G.A. (Derbyshire 1956, 1958, 1961): chsp umpire 1929-1946, 236 matches: achieved 'the complete vegetarian dismissal, c Beet b Root', once, the victim being H.P.Chaplin (Sussex), Derby, 1913: d 13.xii.1946 Somercotes, Derbyshire.

**BEISIEGEL, Walter Karl**

b 13.vii.1907 Uppingham, Rutland: ed Uppingham S; Royal Air Force C, Cranwell: right-hand middle-order batsman; cover field: Leicestershire 1934, a: cr 10 matches; 185 runs, av 12.33; did not bowl; 5 ct: no fifties: a career airforceman, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: appointed OBE 1950 for military services: d 8.i.1973 Halton, Buckinghamshire.

**BELCHER, Gordon**

b 26.ix.1885 Brighton, Sussex: ed Brighton C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler: Hampshire 1905, a: cr 1 match; two innings 0, 0; none for 3; 0 ct: awarded MC 1915: d 16.v.1915 Richebourg (Pas-de-Calais), France, killed in action.

**BELDAM, George William**

b 1.v.1868 New Cross, Kent: ed St John's C, Luton; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm slow-medium bowler; versatile field: Middlesex 1900-1907, a: cr 97 matches; 4,459 runs, av 29.52; 66 wkt, av 27.42; 64 ct: hs 155\* v Surrey, Lord's, 1902: bb 5-28 v Lancashire, Liverpool, 1902: older brother of C.A. (Middlesex 1896): later, director Beldam Tyres (tyre mfg): 'one of the leading early photographers of sports personalities, he produced

books of "action photographs" (a term he coined) on cricket, tennis, golf and jujitsu': d 23.xi.1937 Farnham, Surrey.

**BELL, Geoffrey Foxall**

b 16.iv.1896 Stapenhill, Derbyshire: ed Repton S; Oxford U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; outfield: Derbyshire 1914-1920, a: cr 5 matches; 69 runs, av 7.66; did not bowl; 2 ct: no fifties: a career teacher who retired to take up fruit farming, author books on this and theological questions: awarded MC 1919: d 17.i.1984 Haslemere, Surrey.

**BENCRAFT, Henry William Russell**

b 4.iii.1858 Southampton: ed St Edward's S, Oxford; St George's Hospital Medical C, Westminster: right-hand lower-order batsman; cover or point field: Hampshire 1895, 1896, a, capt 1895: cr 18 matches; 346 runs, av 15.72; did not bowl; 12 ct: hs 62\* v Derbyshire, Southampton, 1895: later, director Edwin Jones (retailing), Southern Newspapers and other companies; knighted 1924 for public services in Hampshire: d 25.xii.1943 (Christmas Day) Compton, Hampshire.

**BENNETT, Alfred Charles Leopold**

b 31.xii.1914 West Norwood, Surrey: ed Dulwich C: right-hand middle-order batsman; versatile field: Northamptonshire 1947-1949, a: cr 14 matches; 557 runs, av 22.28; did not bowl; 8 ct: hs 68 v Nottinghamshire, Northampton, 1947: a well-known London club cricketer, it is thought Surrey intended to offer him the captaincy in 1946, but by mistake it went to N.H.Bennett: appointed MBE 1945 for military services: declared bankrupt 1968: d 24.ix.1971 Thames Ditton, Surrey.

**BENTON, William Manstead**

b 11.vii.1873 Chelsea, Middlesex: ed Framlingham C; Lichfield Theological C: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Middlesex 1913, a: cr 1 match, one innings, 19\*: did not bowl, 0 ct: after leaving school joined the Army, but deserted and went to Australia and then to South Africa where worked at Robben Island leper colony; his desertion was later pardoned and he became an Anglican clergyman: d 7.viii.1916 Méricourt-l'Abbé (Somme), France, from wounds received in action.

**BERESFORD, Hon Seton Robert de la Poer Horsley**

b 25.vii.1868 Leixlip (Co Kildare), Ireland: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Middlesex 1909, a: cr 2 matches; 22 runs, av 7.33; did not bowl; 0 ct: played ice hockey for England; represented Ireland at trap shooting and won individual world chsp 1901, 1904, all reports which cannot be confirmed; represented GB at trap shooting in Olympic Games 1906: author books on gambling and prohibition: declared bankrupt 1902 and 1917, emigrating to France 1925 to avoid a third such declaration: 'a privileged waster, whose title and family connections allowed him to indulge in a champagne lifestyle and to stay one step ahead of his creditors': d 28.v.1928 Cap d'Ail (Alpes-Maritimes), France. (*Styled Honourable as a son of the third Baron Decies in the Irish peerage.*)



**BERKELEY, Robert George Wilmot**

b 23.iv.1898 Great Warley, Essex: ed Downside S, Stratton-on-the-Fosse; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Worcestershire 1922, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 0, 7; did not bowl; 0 ct: later, a well-known equestrian, being jt-master Berkeley Hunt 1928-1969: d 28.viii.1969 Bristol, Gloucestershire.

**BETTINGTON, Reginald Henshall Brindley**

b 24.ii.1900 Parramatta, New South Wales: ed King's S, Parramatta; Oxford U; St Bartholomew's Hospital Medical C, London: UK resident 1919-1928, while a medical student and junior doctor, then moved to New Zealand 1951: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm leg-break and googly bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1928, a: cr 15 matches; 605 runs, av 30.25; 54 wkt, av 29.44; 9 ct: hs 95 v Sussex, Lord's, 1928: bb 6-76 v Somerset, Lord's, 1928: played rugby union for Harlequins; Australian amateur golf champion 1932: d 24.vi.1969 Gisborne (Gisborne Province), New Zealand, killed in road accident.

**BEVES, Gordon**

b 15.iii.1862 Brighton, Sussex: ed Leys S, Cambridge: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Nottinghamshire 1890, 1891, a: cr 2 matches; 40 runs, av 10.00; did not bowl; 0 ct: played rugby union for Nottingham, rugby union international referee: emigrated to South Africa 1894, where later chairman South African Cricket Association: d 22.iii.1927 Johannesburg (Transvaal), South Africa.

**BIGNELL, Guy Newcome**

b 3.xii.1886 Muzaffarpur (Bengal), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Haileybury C, Hertford Heath; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1904, 1905, 1908, 1912, 1919, 1925, a: cr 51 matches; 1,531 runs, av 20.97; 15 wkt, av 41.66; 19 ct: hs 109 v Kent, Portsmouth, 1905: no four-wicket returns: younger brother of H.G. (Hampshire 1901, 1902): a career soldier stationed for many years outside UK, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: awarded MC 1917: d 10.vi.1965 Lausanne (Vaud), Switzerland. (*Played chsp matches in 1919 under the pseudonym Guy Newcombe.*)

**BIRD, Harold Dennis** ('Dickie')

b 19.iv.1933 Barnsley, Yorkshire: right-hand opening batsman; occ right-arm off-break bowler; outfield: Yorkshire 1958, 1959, p; Leicestershire 1960-1964, p: cr 83 matches; 2,821 runs, av 19.72; none for 20; 26 ct: hs 181\* v Glamorgan, Bradford, 1959: chsp umpire 1970-1998, 351 matches: best known as a Test and international match umpire, including three World Cup finals: appointed MBE 1986 for services to cricket, OBE 2012 for services to cricket and charity: 'top-quality umpiring ... calm, despite his nervous disposition; consistent, despite his erratic body movements; and unimpeachably impartial despite his obvious love for Yorkshire and England'.

**BIRD, Wilfred Stanley**

b 28.ix.1883 West Drayton, Middlesex: ed Malvern C; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Middlesex 1905-1908, a: cr 10 matches; 147 runs, av 11.30; did not

bowl; 10 ct, 9 st: hs 57 v Lancashire, Lord's, 1906: 'not the genius of ... MacGregor', but 'he was asked to represent England in South Africa and Australia': 9.v.1915 Richebourg (Pas-de-Calais), France, killed in action and having no known grave.

**BISGOOD, Bertram Lewis**

b 11.iii.1881 Glastonbury, Somerset: ed Prior Park C, Bath: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; versatile field incl occ wicketkeeper: Somerset 1907-1919, a: cr 60 matches; 2,013 runs, av 19.93; did not bowl; 22 ct: hs 116\*v Worcestershire, Worcester, 1907 on chsp debut and 116 v Gloucestershire, Taunton, 1914: younger brother of E.D.P. (Somerset 1909): played badminton for Ireland: later, chairman Brown Bros (vehicle components mfg): 'while batting he was somewhat studied in attitude': d 19.vii.1968 Poole, Dorset. (*His second wife, Jeanne, played Curtis cup golf for British Isles.*)

**BLACK, Lawrence Garfield**

b 15.ix.1881 Lambeth, Surrey: emigrated to Canada 1905, returning to UK c 1914: left-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1919, a: cr 3 matches; 36 runs, av 7.20; none for 202; 2 ct: awarded MC 1918: d 14.viii.1959 Dewsbury, Yorkshire.

**BLACKLIDGE, Henry George**

b 14.vii.1884 Guildford, Surrey: left-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm fast-medium or slow bowler; close field: Surrey 1908, 1912, 1913, p: cr 6 matches; 74 runs, av 12.33; 5 wkt, av 51.80; 7 ct: no four-wicket returns: d 23.v.1917 Al-Kūt, Mesopotamia, from dysentery while on military service.

BLACKTON, W.R., see READER-BLACKTON, W., below.

**BLAGRAVE, Herbert Henry Gratwicke**

b 3.iii.1899 Charlton Kings, Gloucestershire: ed Cheltenham C: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Gloucestershire 1922, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 0, 12; did not bowl; 0 ct: later, well-known racehorse breeder and trainer: d 4.vii.1981 Beckhampton, Wiltshire, leaving £3.2 million.

**BLAIR, Everard McLeod**

b 26.vii.1866 Bengaluru (Mysore), India: UK resident from c 1870: ed Cheltenham C; Royal Military A, Woolwich: right-hand middle-order batsman; versatile field: Kent 1893, 1896, 1900, a: cr 6 matches; 138 runs, av 17.25; did not bowl; 2 ct: hs 61 v Gloucestershire, Bristol, 1893: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: appointed CMG 1917 for military services: d 16.v.1939 Northampton.

**BLAKE, John Philip**

b 17.xi.1917 Portsmouth, Hampshire: ed Aldenham S; Cambridge U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; outfield: Hampshire 1937-1939, a: cr 12 matches; 241 runs, av 10.47; did not bowl; 7 ct: no fifties: older brother of D.E. (Hampshire 1949-1954, 1958): awarded MC 1944: d 3.vi.1944 Brač Island (Croatia), Yugoslavia, killed in action.

**BLAND, Ronald Dennis Fraser**

b 16.v.1911 West Bridgford, Nottinghamshire; ed Shrewsbury S: right-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm slow-medium bowler; outfield: Nottinghamshire 1929-1931, 1934, a: cr 15 matches; 146 runs, av 9.73; 50 wkt, av 36.08; 7 ct: bb 5-61 v Glamorgan, Cardiff, 1930: played bridge for England: d 10.iv.1997 Nottingham.

**BLAXLAND, Lionel Bruce** ('Bill')

b 25.iii.1898 Lilleshall, Shropshire: ed Shrewsbury S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Derbyshire 1925, 1932-1935, a: cr 18 matches; 465 runs, av 16.03; none for 18; 6 ct: hs 64 v Warwickshire, Derby, 1934: played football for Corinthians: 'a fine club cricketer who hit hard and often': d 29.iv.1976 Temple Ewell, Kent.

**BLOCK, Spencer Allen**

b 15.vii.1908 Esher, Surrey: Marlborough C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Surrey 1930-1933, a: cr 23 matches; 939 runs, av 28.45; two for 18; 10 ct: hs 117 v Leicestershire, Kennington, 1931: played hockey for Surrey and England, rugby union for Harlequins, Barbarians and in England trial: appointed MBE 1945 for military services: 'a tremendous straight driver who could strike terror into the hearts of his partners': d 7.x.1979 Meadle, Buckinghamshire.

**BODINGTON, Cecil Herbert**

b 20.i.1880 Suffield, Norfolk: ed King's S, Canterbury; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; unknown-arm and -method bowler: Hampshire 1901, 1902, a: cr 9 matches; 153 runs, av 12.75; 9 wkt, av 30.22; 4 ct: no fifties: no four-wicket returns: d 11.iv.1917 Fampoux (Pas-de-Calais), France, killed in action and having no known grave. (*Some sources report a third forename, Wyndham.*)

**BOON, Ronald William** ('Cocky')

b 11.vi.1909 Barry, Glamorgan: ed Barry GS; Trinity C, Carmarthen: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Glamorgan 1931, 1932, a: cr 10 matches; 183 runs, av 11.43; none for 43; 3 ct: no fifties: played rugby union for Cardiff, London Welsh, Barbarians and Wales; Welsh AAA 220 yd champion 1929: emigrated to New Zealand 1995: d 4.viii.1998 Waipukurau (Hawke's Bay), New Zealand.

**BORRETT, Norman Francis**

b 1.x.1917 Wanstead, Essex: ed Framlingham C; Cambridge U: right-hand opening batsman; left-arm slow bowler; cover field: Essex 1946, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 7\*; none for 42; 2 ct: played hockey for Essex, England and Great Britain, incl winning silver medal in 1948 Olympics; amateur squash champion five times, 1946-1950 and played for England and Great Britain: later, president Hockey Association and president Squash Rackets Association: reported to 'have declined an offer to drive at Le Mans': 10.xii.2004 Colchester, Essex.

**BORWICK, Peter Malise**

b 21.xi.1913 Buttercrambe, Yorkshire: ed Harrow S: right-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; outfield: Northamptonshire 1932, a: cr 3 matches; 25 runs, av 4.16; 3 wkt, av 32.66; 0 ct: represented Great Britain in three-day eventing in 1948 Olympics; jt-master Pytchley Hunt 1949-1983: awarded MC 1944: d 23.xii.1983 Haselbech, Northamptonshire.

**BOTHAM, Liam James**

b 26.viii.1977 Doncaster, Yorkshire: ed Rossall S, Fleetwood: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; versatile field: Hampshire 1996: cr 3 matches; 31 runs, av 10.33; 8 wkt, av 33.50; 2 ct: bb 5-67 v Middlesex, Portsmouth, 1996, in first chsp match: son of I.T. (Somerset 1974-1986, Worcestershire 1987-1991, Durham 1992, 1993): played rugby union for West Hartlepool, Cardiff and Newcastle, rugby league for Leeds and Wigan.

BOULAY, A.H. DU, see DU BOULAY, A.H., below.

**BOWELL, Norman Henry**

b 2.ii.1904 Oxford: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm slow bowler: Hampshire 1924, p: cr 2 matches; 8 runs, av 4.00; none for 56; 0 ct: son of H.A.W. (Hampshire 1902-1914, 1920-1927): d 5.iii.1943 Ballalae Island (Western Province), Solomon Islands, murdered by Japanese army when a prisoner-of-war.

**BOWERMAN, Alfred James**

b 22.xi.1873 Bridgwater, Somerset: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1900, 1905, a: cr 2 matches; 8 runs, av 2.00; did not bowl; 1 ct: played for the Devon and Somerset Wanderers CC team, representing Great Britain, which won the Olympic cricket tournament at Paris 1900: emigrated to Australia 1912: d 20.vii.1947 Brisbane (Queensland), Australia.

**BOWSTEAD, John**

b 14.v.1872 Edenhall, Cumberland: ed Repton S: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Middlesex, 1909, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 5, 16: did not bowl; 0 ct: awarded MC 1918: a stockbroker, his appearances in first class cricket were limited: d 17.i.1939 Ealing, Middlesex.

**BRADFORD, Evelyn Ridley**

b 16.iv.1869 Guna (Gwalior), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Eton C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler, sometimes of doubtful action; outfield: Hampshire 1895, 1896, 1899, 1905, a: cr 7 matches; 305 runs, av 27.72; 18 wkt, av 15.50; 5 ct: hs 102 v Leicestershire, Leicester, 1899: bb 6-28 v Essex, Southampton, 1896: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent; succeeded his father as second Bradford baronet 1911: d 14.ix.1914 Bucy-le-Long (Aisne), France, killed in action on same day as A.M.Byng (see below), the first two chsp players to lose their lives in the Great War.

**BRAIN, William Henry ('Sam')**

b 21.vii.1870 Bristol, Gloucestershire: ed Clifton C, Bristol; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Gloucestershire 1893, a: cr 6 matches; 93 runs, av 13.28; did not bowl;

9 ct, 10 st: father of J.H.P. (Glamorgan 1921, 1922): took hat-trick of stumpings, off C.L.Townsend, v Somerset, Cheltenham, 1893, the only instance in first-class cricket: later, chairman S.A.Brain and Co (brewing): d 20.xii.1934 Dinas Powys, Glamorgan.

### **BRAY, Charles**

b 6.iv.1898 Portslade, Sussex: ed Luton Modern S: right-hand opening, later middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Essex 1927-1937, a: cr 88 matches; 3,019 runs, av 23.22; one for 103; 51 ct: hs 122 v Glamorgan, Chelmsford, 1931: later, cricket and rugby union writer for *Daily Herald* and other newspapers; chairman CWC 1953: 'he later regretted that he had not been able to play more regularly': d 12.ix.1993 Bedford. (*Forename registered as Charlie at birth, but apparently used Charles in most situations.*)

### **BRAY, Edward Hugh**

b 15.iv.1874 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Middlesex 1895, 1896, 1898, 1899, 1906, a: cr 21 matches; 252 runs, av 9.33; did not bowl; 29 ct, 4 st: emigrated to India c 1900: later, managing director Gillenders, Arbuthnot (Calcutta merchanting house); member Bengal Legislative Council, Imperial Legislative Council of India, Viceroy's Executive Council (the Indian cabinet): knighted 1917, appointed CSI 1919 for public services in India: returned to UK 1922: d 27.xi.1950 Playden, Sussex.

### **BRAYBROOKE, Henry Mellor**

b 11.ii.1869 Kandy (Central Province), Ceylon: UK resident from an early age: ed Wellington C, Crowthorne; Cambridge U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Kent 1891, 1892, 1899, a: cr 17 matches; 524 runs, av 19.40; none for 21; 5 ct: hs 53 v Somerset, Taunton, 1892: appointed MBE 1920 for services to the wartime Voluntary Aid Detachment organisation: d 28.x.1935 Hawkhurst, Kent.

### **BRAYSHAY, Peter Beldon**

b 14.x.1916 Leeds, Yorkshire: ed Bootham S, York: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; outfield: Yorkshire 1952, a: cr 2 matches; 20 runs, av 6.66; 3 wkt, av 34.66; 0 ct: played badminton for Yorkshire and England: d 6.vii.2004 Leeds, Yorkshire.

### **BREEDEN, Carl Louis**

b 10.ii.1891 Moseley, Birmingham: ed King Edward's S, Birmingham; Birmingham U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1910, a: cr 5 matches; 80 runs, av 11.42; none for 29: 4 ct: no fifties: later, managing director Joseph Lucas, chairman Wilmot Breeden (both vehicle components mfg): d 2.xi.1951 Claverdon, Warwickshire.

### **BRICE, Gordon Harry Joseph**

b 4.v.1924 Bedford: ed Bedford Modern S: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; outfield: Northamptonshire 1949-1952, p: cr 23 matches; 404 runs, av 14.42; 66 wkt, av 34.21; 13 ct: hs 82\* v Hampshire, Bournemouth, 1950: bb 8-124 v Surrey, Kettering, 1951: played football for Wolverhampton Wanderers and Fulham: d 3.iii.2003 Bedford.

**BRIDGE, Derek James Wilson**

b 30.xi.1921 Cheetham, Manchester: ed King's S, Peterborough; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm off-break bowler; outfield: Northamptonshire 1947, a: cr 2 matches; 19 runs, av 4.75; two for 96; 1 ct: played rugby union for Richmond, Barbarians and in England trials: d 13.iii.2012 Builth Wells, Breconshire.

**BRISTOWE, Orme Chesshyre**

b 12.iv.1895 Watford, Hertfordshire: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break and googly bowler; outfield: Essex 1913, 1914, a: cr 11 matches; 249 runs, av 16.60; 22 wkt, av 40.95; 2 ct: hs 81 v Leicestershire, Leyton, 1914: bb 4-74 v Middlesex, Lord's, 1914: played golf for British Isles in Walker Cup competition 1924: d 27.xii.1938 Freiston, Lincolnshire, from heart failure while game shooting.

**BROBERG, Ralph Francis**

b 21.vii.1899 Balsall Heath, Birmingham: ed King Edward VI Camp Hill GS, Birmingham: left-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1920, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 4; none for 16; 0 ct: played rugby union for Moseley: d 3.ix.1938 Hall Green, Birmingham, from tuberculosis.

**BROCKLEBANK, John Montague**

b 3.iv.1915 Hoylake, Cheshire: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break bowler; outfield: Lancashire 1939, a: cr 4 matches; 5 runs, av 1.66; 5 wkt, av 55.80; 2 ct: no four-wicket returns: succeeded his brother as fifth Brocklebank baronet 1953; later, managing director Cunard (shipping), director Martins Bank and other companies: 'bowling off the wrong foot': d 13.ix.1974 Żetjun, Malta.

**BROCKLEHURST, Benjamin Gilbert**

b 18.ii.1922 Knapton, Norfolk: ed Bradfield C: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; versatile field: Somerset 1952-1954, a, capt 1953, 1954, 'with abject success, they finished bottom both years': cr 61 matches; 1,519 runs, av 16.51; one for 36; 25 ct: hs 71\* v Northamptonshire, Northampton, 1954: grandfather of B.L.Hutton (Middlesex 1999-2007): later, director Mercury House (publishing), managing director The Cricketer Ltd (magazine publisher): of his captaincy, 'if Brocklehurst the martinet was a failure, so were four or five others': d 17.vi.2007 Tunbridge Wells, Kent.

**BRODHURST, Bernard Maynard Lucas**

b 6.viii.1873 Varanasi (United Provinces), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Clifton C, Bristol; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1897, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 9; none for 23; 0 ct: a career soldier stationed for many years outside UK, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: d 27.iv.1915 St Juliaan (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, killed in action.

**BROMLEY-DAVENPORT, Hugh Richard**

b 18.viii.1870 Siddington, Cheshire: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; left-arm fast bowler; slip field: Middlesex 1896-1898, a: 28 matches; 739 runs, av 18.94; 15 wkt, av 40.20; 8 ct: hs 69\* v Lancashire, Lord's, 1896: no four-wicket returns: played four Tests for England: appointed OBE 1919 for military services: d 23.v.1954 South Kensington, Middlesex.

**BROMLEY-MARTIN, Eliot George**

b 2.x.1866 Callow End, Worcestershire: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm slow bowler; slip field: Worcestershire 1899, 1900, a: cr 9 matches; 155 runs, av 14.09; 10 wkt, av 26.10; 1 ct: no four-wicket returns: older brother of G.E. (see below): later, director Lloyds Bank: d 23.i.1946 Walton, Radnorshire.

**BROMLEY-MARTIN, Granville Edward**

b 18.x.1875 Callow End, Worcestershire: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand opening, later middle-order batsman; occ right-arm slow bowler; outfield: Worcestershire 1899, 1900, 1903, 1904, a: cr 31 matches; 1,068 runs, av 19.42; one for 73; 15 ct: hs 129 v Derbyshire, Worcester, 1899: younger brother of E.G. (see above): later managing director Martins Bank, director Kodak (photography supplies mfg) and other companies: 'one of the old school of country gentlemen and sportsmen': d 31.v.1941 Streat, Sussex.

**BROOKE-TAYLOR, Geoffrey Parker**

b 25.x.1895 Bakewell, Derbyshire: ed Cheltenham C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman: Derbyshire 1920, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 30, 14; did not bowl; 0 ct: emigrated to Argentina 1921: awarded MC 1918: d 13.i.1968 Hurlingham (Buenos Aires), Argentina.

**BROOKS, Paul Wilson ('Mister')**

b 28.v.1921 Marylebone, Middlesex: left-hand middle-order batsman: Middlesex 1939, p: cr 1 match, the last chsp fixture at Lord's before the start of the Second World War; one innings, 44\*; did not bowl; 0 ct: 'he never lived to enjoy the success he had earned': d 26.i.1946 Paddington, Middlesex, from wounds received in action in Italy.

**BROOKS, Reginald Alexander Dallas**

b 2.vii.1896 Cambridge: ed Dover C; Royal Naval C, Greenwich: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; outfield: Hampshire 1919, 1921, a: cr 7 matches; 171 runs, av 14.25; did not bowl; 2 ct: hs 101 v Gloucestershire, Southampton, 1919: played hockey for Hampshire and England: a career officer in the Royal Marines, he was director Political Warfare Executive 1943-1946, then commander Royal Marines, as full general, 1946-1949; Governor of Victoria 1949-1963: awarded DSO 1918; appointed CMG 1943, KCB 1948 for military services, KCMG 1952, GCMG 1953, KCVO 1954 (thus knighted three times) for services as Governor of Victoria: emigrated to Australia 1964: he 'looked every inch a viceroy, but a genial and approachable manner removed any hint of reserve': d 22.iii.1966 Frankston (Victoria), Australia.

**BROWN, Cecil Leonard Morley** ('C.L.M.')

b 16.vii.1895 Melton Mowbray, Leicestershire: ed Worksop C; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Leicestershire 1920, 1921, a: cr 7 matches; 74 runs, av 6.72; did not bowl; 1 ct: no fifties: a career airforce man who reached the rank of air vice-marshal, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: author history of aviation, contributor Punch magazine: appointed OBE 1945, CB 1955 for services to education in the Royal Air Force: d 6.xii.1955 Crowthorne, Berkshire.

**BROWN, Edward**

b 27.xi.1911 Newcastle upon Tyne, Northumberland: ed Darlington GS: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1932-1934, p: cr 28 matches; 134 runs, av 6.70; 56 wkt, av 33.51; 10 ct: bb 8-35 v Surrey, Birmingham, 1933: played football for Servette (Switzerland): d 16.iv.1978 Castle Bromwich, Birmingham.

**BROWN, John Dowell**

b 25.viii.1890 Coventry, Warwickshire: left-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1913, 1914, p: cr 9 matches; 12 runs, av 1.71; 9 wkt, av 29.33; 4 ct: bb 4-18 v Worcestershire, Dudley, 1913: played rugby union for Coventry: d 18.iii.1968 Leamington Spa, Warwickshire.

**BROWNLEE, Leigh Dunlop**

b 17.xii.1882 Bristol, Gloucestershire: ed Clifton C, Bristol; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm slow bowler; outfield: Gloucestershire 1901-1909, a: cr 61 matches; 1,529 runs, av 15.13; 13 wkt, av 26.00; 13 ct: hs 103 v Kent, Bristol, 1902: no four-wicket returns: older brother of W.M. (see below): editor *Daily Mirror* 1931-1934, the only chsp cricketer to edit a national newspaper: d 22.ix.1955 Hampstead, Middlesex.

**BROWNLEE, Wilfred Methven**

b 18.iv.1890 Bristol, Gloucestershire: ed Clifton C, Bristol; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; cover field: Gloucestershire 1909-1914, a: cr 30 matches; 737 runs, av 16.37; 34 wkt, av 30.55; 23 ct: hs 68 v Northamptonshire, Bristol, 1910: bb 6-84 v Worcestershire, Cheltenham, 1910: younger brother of L.D. (see above): d 12.x.1914 Weymouth, Dorset, from meningitis contracted while on military service.

**BRUCE, Hon Clarence Napier**

b 2.viii.1885 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Winchester C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; versatile field: Middlesex 1908, 1919-1922, 1924-1926, 1929, a: cr 59 matches; 2,890 runs, av 32.47; did not bowl; 20 ct: hs 149 v Lancashire, Lord's, 1919: open rackets singles champion 1932; amateur rackets singles champion 1922, 1931; amateur rackets doubles champion, with various partners, ten times between 1910 and 1934; amateur real tennis singles champion 1932, 1938; amateur real tennis doubles champion, with various partners, five times between 1923 and 1939: succeeded his father as third Baron Aberdare, of Duffryn, 1929, chairman National Fitness Council 1937-1939, member International Olympic Committee 1931-1951; director Duffield, Lindley and Co (fuel engineering) and other companies: appointed CBE 1949, GBE 1954 for services to young people's organisations: 'mingling of a polished style with



ready initiative': d 4.xi.1957 Morinj (Montenegro), Yugoslavia, drowned in river following road accident. (*Styled Honourable from 1895 as a son of the second Baron Aberdare.*)

**BRUMFITT, Jack**

b 18.ii.1917 Guiseley, Yorkshire: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Yorkshire 1938, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 9; did not bowl; 0 ct: played rugby union for Coventry: d 16.iii.1987 Ilkley, Yorkshire.

**BRUTON, Charles Lamb**

b 6.iv.1890 Gloucester: ed Radley C; Oxford U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; outfield: Gloucestershire 1922, a: cr 3 matches; 60 runs, ac 12.00; did not bowl; 0 ct: no fifties: a career civil servant stationed overseas 1914-19 47, his appearances in chsp cricket were limited: British commissioner Swaziland 1937-1942: appointed OBE 1935 for services as district officer in Uganda: d 26.iii.1969 Henley-on-Thames, Oxfordshire.

**BRUTTON, Charles Phipps**

b 20.i.1899 Southsea, Hampshire: ed Winchester C: right-hand lower-, later middle-order batsman; occ bowler; versatile field: Hampshire 1921-1930, a: cr 79 matches; 2,009 runs, av 18.09; none for 125; 35 ct: hs 119\* v Worcestershire, Worcester, 1924: son of S. (Hampshire 1904): later, county clerk Dorset County Council: appointed OBE 1946 for services to air-raid precautions organisations, CBE 1953 for public services as county clerk: d 11.v.1964 Ticehurst, Sussex.

**BRYAN, Godfrey James**

b 29.xii.1902 Beckenham, Kent: ed Wellington C, Crowthorne; Royal Military A, Sandhurst: left-hand opening or middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Kent 1920-1929, 1933, a: cr 47 matches; 1,794 runs, av 26.00; 21 wkt, av 62.04; 35 ct: hs 179 v Hampshire, Canterbury, 1921: bb 4-98 v Essex, Tunbridge Wells, 1921: younger brother of J.L. (Kent 1919-1932), and R.T. (Kent 1920, 1923-1925, 1928, 1937): scored 124 v Nottinghamshire, Nottingham, 1920, aged 17 yr 8 mth, the youngest player to score a chsp century: played rugby union for Richmond: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket comprised a few matches each season: appointed CBE 1953 for military services in Malaya: d 24.iii.1991 Canterbury, Kent.

**BUCKSTON, Robin Henry Rowland**

b 10.x.1908 Kensington, Middlessex: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; occ bowler; versatile field, incl occ wicketkeeper: Derbyshire 1928, 1937-1939, a, capt 1937-1939: cr 68 matches; 820 runs, av 11.23; none for 10; 16 ct, 1 st: hs 60\* v Warwickshire, Birmingham, 1938: son of G.M. (Derbyshire 1905-1907, 1921): d 16.v.1967 Burton upon Trent, Staffordshire.

**BUDD, William Lloyd**

b 25.x.1913 Hawkey, Hampshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; versatile field: Hampshire 1934-1938, 1946, p to then 1938, then a: cr 59 matches; 926 runs, av 11.43; 63 wkt, av 38.65; 23 ct: hs 77\* v Surrey, Kennington, 1937: bb 4-22 v Essex,

Southend-on-Sea, 1937: chsp umpire 1969-1984, his last appearance when aged 70 yr 9 mth, 223 matches: d 23.viii.1986 Southampton.

**BULL, Arthur Herbert**

b 23.i.1892 Wellingborough, Northamptonshire: ed Mill Hill S: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; outfield: Northamptonshire 1913, 1920, 1923, 1924, a, capt 1923, 1924: cr 32 matches; 487 runs, av 10.14; did not bowl; 10 ct: no fifties: played bowls for Northamptonshire and England; English bowls pairs champion 1932: d 18.xii.1965 Ingoldisthorpe, Norfolk.

**BULL, Frederick George**

b 2.iv.1875 Hackney, Middlesex: ed Audley House S, Lee (Kent): right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm off-break bowler, sometimes of doubtful action; versatile field: Essex 1895-1900, a: cr 83 matches; 1,096 runs, av 12.59; 335 wkt, av 23.05; 40 ct: bb 9-93 v Surrey, Kennington, 1897: *Wisden* cricketer 1898: for a brief period around 1897, 'the best English-born slow bowler now before the public': d 16.ix.1910 Lytham St Anne's, Lancashire, by his own hand.

**BURDETT, John Willder**

b 16.viii.1888 Blaby, Leicestershire: ed Oundle S: right-hand middle-order batsman: Leicestershire 1919, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 0, 1; did not bowl; 0 ct: played hockey for Leicestershire: awarded MC 1918 and bar 1919: d 16.iv.1974 Melton Mowbray, Leicestershire.

BURNELL-NUGENT, F.H., see NUGENT, F.H., below.

**BURNET, John Ronald**

b 11.x.1918 Shipley, Yorkshire: ed Ottershaw C (Surrey): right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ right-arm off-break bowler; mid-on field: Yorkshire 1958, 1959, a, capt 1958, 1959: cr 43 matches; 765 runs, av 13.66; one for 26; 7 ct: hs 54 v Sussex, Bradford, 1958 and 54 v Hampshire, Bournemouth, 1958: appointed OBE 1991 for services to sport in Yorkshire and Humberside: 'rightly credited with laying the foundations ... of the Yorkshire side that dominated the 1960s': d 6.iii.1999 Pateley Bridge, Yorkshire.

BURNETT-HITCHCOCK, B.F., see HITCHCOCK, B.F.B., below.

**BURNS, James**

b 20.vi.1866 Liverpool, Lancashire; right-hand middle-order batsman; occ left-arm slow bowler; outfield: Essex 1895, p: cr 15 matches; 418 runs, av 16.07; none for 53; 6 ct: hs 114 v Warwickshire, Birmingham, 1895: played football for West Bromwich Albion and Notts County: 'a humorous man' but 'too inclined to play to the gallery': d 11.ix.1957 Hampstead, Middlesex.

**BURRELL, Reginald John**

b 26.viii.1870 Kirtling, Cambridgeshire: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman: Essex 1895, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 4; did not bowl; 0 ct: older brother of H.J.E. (Essex 1895): later, director Ste Madeleine (sugar plantations); leading pig-breeder: d 16.iii.1948 Risby, Suffolk.

**BURRINGTON, Gilbert**

b 13.vi.1879 Bridgwater, Somerset: ed King's S, Gloucester: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1901, 1902, a: cr 3 matches; 40 runs, av 8.00; did not bowl; 1 ct: older brother of H.S. (Somerset 1903-1905): emigrated to Canada c 1905: awarded MM 1916: d 21.xi.1916 Le Sars (Pas-de-Calais), France, killed in action while serving with the Canadian Army.

**BURROUGH, William George**

b 22.vii.1875 Clun, Shropshire: ed King's S, Bruton: unknown-hand lower-order batsman; unknown-hand fast-medium bowler; outfield: Somerset 1906, a: cr 4 matches; 40 runs, av 5.71; 7 wkt, av 49.14; 2 ct: no four-wicket returns: father of H.D. (Somerset 1927-1947): later, director Legal Insurance and other companies: d 30.xii.1939 Wedmore, Somerset.

**BURROWS, Montagu Brocas**

b 31.x.1894 Sidlow, Surrey: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler: Surrey 1921, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 2, 24\*; 3 wkt, av 39.00; 0 ct: a career soldier, leader British military mission to Soviet Union 1944, 1945; later, chairman Edward Le Bas and Co (steel products), director other companies: awarded MC and DSO 1920; appointed CB 1943 for military services: 'when Brocas was around there was never a dull moment': d 17.i.1967 Marylebone, Middlesex.

**BURTON, David Cecil Fowler**

b 13.ix.1887 Bridlington, Yorkshire: ed Rugby S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; cover field: Yorkshire 1907, 1914 -1921, a, capt 1919-1921: cr 91 matches; 1,902 runs, av 19.60; did not bowl; 40 ct: hs 142\* v Hampshire, Dewsbury, 1919: older brother of R.C. (Yorkshire 1914): 'he could call for fielding excellence by his example': d 24.ix.1971 Chertsey, Surrey. (*Forenames registered at birth in the order Cecil David Fowler.*)

**BURTON, George** ('Farmer')

b 1.v.1851 Hampstead, Middlesex: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm slow bowler; versatile field: Middlesex 1890, 1891, 1893, p: cr 15 matches; 89 runs, av 6.35; 55 wkt, av 19.01; 12 ct: bb 7-46 v Kent, Lord's, 1890, during which he became the first bowler to take five wickets in an innings in the official chsp: chsp umpire 1898, 1899, 8 matches: 'just enough turn to beat the bat': d 7.v.1930 Westminster, Middlesex.

**BUSH, Harry Stebbing**

b 7.x.1871 Dulwich, Surrey: ed Dover C: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Surrey 1902, 1903, 1910-1912, a: cr 63 matches; 2,314 runs, av 25.71; two for 161; 34 ct: hs 135 v Derbyshire, Kennington, 1911: played rugby union for Harlequins: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: appointed CMG 1916, CB 1918 for military services: 'so sure was he in timing the ball that he batted without gloves': d 18.iii.1942 Farnborough, Hampshire.

**BUSH, James Arthur** ('Frizzy')

b 28.vii.1850 Kanpur (United Provinces), India: UK resident from c 1854: ed Clifton C, Bristol: left hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Gloucestershire 1890, a: cr 5 matches; 58 runs, av 9.66; did not bowl; 4 ct, 4 st: played rugby union for Blackheath and England: W.G.Grace thought him 'one of best amateur wicketkeepers of his day': d 21.ix.1924 Clevedon, Somerset.

**BUTTERWORTH, Reginald Edmund Compton**

b 16.viii.1906 Semarang (Central Java), Dutch East Indies: UK resident from 1916: ed Harrow S; Oxford U: right-hand opening batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1935-1937, a: cr 12 matches; 355 runs, av 18.68; 9 wkt, av 24.00; 2 ct: hs 59 v Yorkshire, Scarborough, 1936: no four-wicket returns: d 21.v.1940 St Martin-au-Laërt (Pas-de-Calais), France, killed in action when his plane was shot down.

**BUXTON, Robert Vere**

b 29.iv.1883 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1906, 1907, 1909, a: cr 9 matches; 319 runs, av 21.26; none for 15; 4 ct: hs 76 v Surrey, Lord's, 1907: at one time a career civil servant stationed overseas, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent; awarded DSO 1919: later, chairman Martins Bank, director Middle East Bank and other companies: 'a great and inordinately daring rider to hounds': d 1.x.1953 Itchen Abbas, Hampshire.

**BYNG, Arthur Maitland**

b 26.x.1872 Southsea, Hampshire: ed Grange S, East Cowes; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1905, a: cr 3 matches; 40 runs, av 8.00; none for 16; 0 ct: a career soldier stationed for many years outside UK: 'one of the best-known batsmen in the Army, being very sound': d 14.ix.1914 Vailly-sur-Aisne (Aisne), France, killed in action on same day as E.R.Bradford (see above), the first two chsp players to lose their lives in the Great War.

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**CADOGAN, Edward Henry**

b 11.ix.1908 Kasauli (Punjab), India: UK resident from 1914: ed Winchester C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler: Hampshire 1933, 1934, a: cr 4 matches; 26 runs, av 5.20; 13 wkt, av 21.61; 3 ct: bb 5-52 v Middlesex, Southampton, 1934: a career soldier often stationed outside UK, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: appointed CBE 1957 for military services in Cyprus: d 7.ii.1993 Lymington, Hampshire.

**CAESAR, William Cecil**

b 25.xi.1899 Battersea, Surrey: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; versatile field: Somerset 1946, a: cr 3 matches; 14 runs, av 4.66; 10 wkt, av 21.40; 3 ct: bb 4-59 v Leicestershire, Melton Mowbray, 1946, on chsp debut, at age 46: a career civil servant, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: played football for England amateur team: d 5.iv.1988 Richmond, Surrey.

**CAMPBELL, Gerald Victor**

b 19.iv.1884 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Eton C: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler: Surrey 1912, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 1: none for 26; 0 ct: awarded MC 1915: d 26.iii.1950 Lymington, Hampshire.

**CAMPBELL, Alastair Kenyon**

b 29.v.1890 Southampton: ed King Edward VI S, Southampton: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; outfield: Hampshire 1908, 1909, a: cr 7 matches; 91 runs, av 9.10; did not bowl; 1 ct: no fifties: played football for England amateur team: d 16.vi.1943 Cosham, Hampshire.

**CAMPBELL, Iain Parry**

b 5.ii.1928 Purley, Surrey: ed Canford S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Kent 1946, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 0\*; did not bowl; 0 ct: played hockey for Kent and England, rugby union for Blackheath and in Scotland trial: emigrated to New Zealand 1973: a 'remarkable schoolboy cricketer', scored 1,277 runs, av 116.09, for Canford School in 1946, but had almost no opportunities in chsp cricket: d 31.v.2015 Taupo (Waikato), New Zealand.

**CAMPBELL, Ion Percy FitzGerald**

b 25.xi.1890 Palampur (Punjab), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Repton S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Surrey 1910-1913, 1927, a: cr 24 matches; 815 runs, av 21.44; did not bowl; 9 ct: hs 88 v Leicestershire, Leicester, 1911: appointed OBE 1919 for military services: d 25.xii.1963 (Christmas Day) Stormontfield (Perthshire), Scotland. (*First forename sometimes spelled Ian.*)

**CAPES, Charles John**

b 5.1.1898 Forest Hill, Kent: ed Malvern C: right-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Kent 1923-1925, 1927, 1928, a: cr 32 matches; 487 runs, av 14.75; 55 wkt, av 24.50; 16 ct: hs 65\* v Lancashire, Maidstone, 1928: bb 7-20 v Leicestershire, Tonbridge, 1927: played hockey for Kent and England: d 16.ii.1933 Ospedaletti (Liguria), Italy.

**CARBUTT, Noel John Obelin**

b 25.xii.1895 Gingindlovu, Zululand: UK resident from an early age: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break and googly bowler; out field: Essex 1923, a: cr 2 matches; one innings, 12\*; two for 202; 0 ct: a career soldier often stationed outside UK, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: played rugby union for Blackheath: awarded MC 1917: emigrated to South Africa 1954: d 31.x.1964 Durban (Natal), South Africa.

**CARLIN, John**

b 3.xi.1861 Eastwood, Nottinghamshire: right-hand lower-, later middle-order batsman; occ bowler; wicketkeeper: Nottinghamshire 1890, 1892-1896, 1899-1901, p: cr 50 matches; 1,252 runs, av 19.26; 4 wkt, av 21.00; 70 ct, 25 st: hs 85 v Sussex, Hove, 1901: no four-wicket returns: chsp umpire 1902-1921, 263 matches: 'on learning that Notts did not want a left-handed batsman, he switched hands': d 28.xi.1944 Mansfield, Nottinghamshire.

**CARLISLE, Kenneth Ralph Malcolm**

b 28.iii.1908 Buenos Aires, Argentina: UK resident from 1909: ed Harrow S; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Sussex 1927, 1928, a: cr 3 matches; 55 runs, av 13.75; did not bowl; 2 ct: later, director Tribune Investments, chairman Brooke Bond Liebig (food mfg): d 23.vii.1983 Kensington, Middlesex.

**CARR, Austin Michael**

b 29.ix.1898 Broxton, Cheshire; ed Eton C: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Worcestershire 1921, 1922, 1925, a: cr 6 matches; 150 runs, av 15.00; none for 10; 0 ct: hs 82 v Essex, Worcester, 1921, on chsp debut: a career teacher, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: d 20.xii.1946 Worcester.

**CARR, Douglas Ward**

b 17.iii.1872 Cranbrook, Kent: ed Sutton Valence S; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break and googly bowler; outfield: Kent 1909-1914, a: cr 43 matches; 358 runs, av 10.22; 262 wkt, av 14.94; 15 ct: bb 8-36 v Somerset, Taunton, 1909 and 8-36 v Gloucestershire, Dover, 1912: played one Test for England: *Wisden* cricketer 1910: a career teacher who came into chsp cricket aged 37, 'he created consternation among batsmen' for five Augusts: d 23.iii.1950 Sidmouth, Devon.

**CARRIS, Harold Edward**

b 7.vii.1909 Urmston, Lancashire: ed Mill Hill S; Cambridge U: left-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1928-1930, 1932, 1933, a: cr 33 matches; 957 runs, av 19.14; two for 44; 9 ct: hs 72 v Nottinghamshire, Nottingham, 1930: older brother of B.D. (Middlesex 1937-1939): played rugby union for Barbarians: d 29.vii.1959 Cheadle Hulme, Cheshire.

**CARTER, Charles Edward Peers**

b 7.viii.1947 Richmond, Surrey; ed Radley C: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Somerset 1968, 1969: cr 26 matches; 73 runs, av 2.92; did not bowl; 47 ct, 6 st: later, director Willis Faber (insurance) and other companies: 'a good mixer, took the digs of old campaigners in his stride and never complained, even when hit on the head'.

**CARTER, Horatio Stratton** ('Raich')

b 21.xii.1913 Sunderland, Co Durham: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Derbyshire 1946, p: cr 3 matches; 8 runs, av 2.00; two for 46; 1 ct: played football for Sunderland, Derby County, Cork Athletic and England, one of the best-known players of his time: d 9.x.1994 Willerby (nr Kingston-upon-Hull), Yorkshire.

**CARTWRIGHT, Vincent Henry** ('Lump')

b 10.ix.1882 Nottingham: ed Rugby S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-or lower-order batsman; slip field: Nottinghamshire 1901, 1904, a: cr 6 matches; 52 runs, av 7.42; did not bowl; 1 ct: no fifties: played rugby union for Nottingham, Harlequins, Barbarians and England; rugby union international referee: president England Rugby Football Union 1928-29: later, director Alliance Assurance: awarded DSO 1918: d 25.xi.1965 Loughborough, Leicestershire.

**CASTLE, Frederick**

b 9.iv.1909 Elham, Kent: ed Langton GS, Canterbury; Goldsmith's C, New Cross: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm leg-break bowler; outfield: Somerset 1946-1949, a: cr 18 matches; 542 runs, av 20.84; none for 27; 4 ct: hs 60\* v Surrey, Weston-super-Mare, 1946: played hockey for Kent, Somerset and England: a career teacher, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: 'led some choruses from Gilbert and Sullivan ... and carried a pack of cards for some impromptu tricks when the rain came': d 17.v.1997 Portscatho, Cornwall.

**CAZALET, Peter Victor Ferdinand**

b 15.i.1907 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Kent 1927, 1932, a: cr 2 matches; 17 runs, av 5.66; did not bowl; 0 ct: well-known amateur National Hunt rider 1930-1938, retiring because of injury; then champion trainer 1950, 1960, 1965: d 29.v.1973 Plaxtol, Kent.

**CHALK, Frederick Gerald Hudson**

b 7.ix.1910 Sydenham, Kent: ed Uppingham S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; cover field: Kent 1933-1939, a, capt 1938, 1939: cr 93 matches; 4,135 runs, av 28.51; two for 137; 34 ct: hs 198 v Sussex, Tonbridge, 1939: played hockey for Surrey: awarded DFC 1941: d 17.ii.1943 Louches (Pas-de-Calais), France, killed in action. He was shot down while flying over France, his body being found in 1989, still in the cockpit of his plane which had been buried where it crashed. (*Forenames registered at birth in the order Gerald Frederick Hudson.*)

**CHALLEN, John Bonamy** ('Venus')

b 26.iii.1863 Ruthin, Denbighshire: ed Marlborough C; Trinity C, Dublin: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm fast-medium bowler; cover field: Somerset 1891-1896, 1899, a: cr 41 matches; 1,242 runs, av 19.10; 4 wkt, av 29.75; 24 ct: hs 107 v Sussex, Taunton, 1893: bb 4-43 v Sussex, Taunton, 1899: played football for Corinthians and Wales: d 5.vi.1937 Eastbourne, Sussex.

**CHALLENOR, Edward Lacey**

b 10.iii.1873 St Peter, Barbados: ed Harrison C, Bridgetown; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: UK resident from 1892: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Leicestershire 1906, 1913, a: cr 8 matches; 203 runs, av 13.53; none for 15; 2 ct: no fifties: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: awarded DSO 1916; appointed CMG 1918, CB 1919, CBE 1923, for military services: 'a pretty, stylish bat and could score quickly if necessary': d 15.ix.1935 East Finchley, Middlesex. (*He was older brother of George, the West Indian Test cricketer.*)

**CHAMBERLAIN, William Richard Frank**

b 13.iv.1925 Elton, Huntingdonshire: ed Uppingham S: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Northamptonshire 1946, a: cr 5 matches; 44 runs, av 6.28; did not bowl; 3 ct: later, chairman Chamberlain Phipps (footwear plant mfg), director Stead and Simpson (footwear retailing): chairman TCCB 1990-1994: 'English cricket maintained its financial strength under Chamberlain and has rarely been better-natured': d 8.iv.2004 Cambridge.

CHAMPAIN, H.F.B. and J.N.B., see BATEMAN-CHAMPAIN, H.F. and J.N., above.

**CHARTERIS, Hugo Francis Wemyss**

b 28.xii.1884 Newton Tony, Wiltshire: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman: Gloucestershire 1910, a: cr 1 match, one innings, 1; did not bowl; 0 ct: his selection 'was a surprise to many': d 23.iv.1916 Katia (North Sinai), Egypt, killed in action. (*Styled Lord Elcho when his father became eleventh Earl of Wemyss 1914.*)

CHELMSFORD, LORD, see THESIGER, Hon F.S.G., below.

**CHERRINGTON, Peter Ralph**

b 24.xi.1917 Newark-on-Trent, Nottinghamshire: ed Wellingborough S: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break and googly bowler; outfield: Leicestershire 1938, p: cr 10 matches; 85 runs, av 6.07; none for 127; 3 ct: awarded DSO 1945: 'the form he had shown in Leicester club cricket completely deserted him': d 20.i.1945 Monywa (Sagaing Province), Burma, killed in action.

**CHESTER, Frank**

b 20.i.1895 Bushey, Hertfordshire: left-hand middle-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; outfield: Worcestershire 1912-1914, p: cr 52 matches; 1,758 runs, av 24.76; 78 wkt, av 30.46; 25 ct: hs 178\* v Essex, Worcester, 1914: bb 6-43 v Hampshire, Southampton, 1913: playing career ended when right arm amputated at the elbow in Greece, 1917 after shrapnel wound turned gangrenous: chsp umpire 1922-1955, 531 matches: 'remembered as the man who raised umpiring to a higher level than had ever been known in the history of the game', but towards the end of his career became rather erratic: d 8.iv.1957 Bushey, Hertfordshire.

**CHESTERTON, George Herbert**

b 15.vii.1922 Chirbury, Shropshire: ed Malvern C; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler: Worcestershire 1950, 1952-1957, a: cr 45 matches; 349 runs, av 7.58; 161 wkt, av 25.90; 20 ct: bb 6-59 v Somerset, Worcester, 1950: appointed MBE 2012 for community services in Great Malvern: 'he put in his days of toil as a bowler, rather than lording it as a batsman': d 3.xi.2012 Great Malvern, Worcestershire.

**CHICHESTER-CONSTABLE, Raleigh Charles Joseph**

b 21.xii.1890 Marlow, Buckinghamshire: ed Stonyhurst C: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler: Yorkshire 1919, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 0; none for 6; 0 ct: awarded DSO 1916 and bar 1940 (24 years later); he was wounded six times during the Great War: in other respects, his life involved 'shades of Brideshead Revisited': d 26.v.1963 Burton Constable, Yorkshire. (*Changed surname from Chichester 1895.*)

**CHILDS-CLARKE, Arthur William**

b 13.v.1905 Exeter, Devon: ed Christ's Hospital, Horsham: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; close field: Middlesex 1923, 1925, 1931, 1933, 1934, a; Northamptonshire 1947, 1948, a, capt 1947, 1948: cr 59 matches; 1,472 runs, av 16.72; 18



wkt, av 48.11; 28 ct: hs 68 v Leicestershire, Leicester, 1948: no four-wicket returns: in 1948 the Northamptonshire committee 'offered him £10 for every place the team finished off the bottom ... this cost them nothing': d 19.ii.1980 Mevagissey, Cornwall.

### **CHINNERY, Harry Brodrick**

b 6.ii.1876 Teddington, Middlesex: ed Eton C: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ left-arm slow bowler; outfield: Surrey 1897 and 1904, a; Middlesex 1899-1902, a: cr 36 matches; 1,111 runs, av 20.96; 6 wkt, av 35.66; 11 ct: hs 149 v Warwickshire, Birmingham, 1897: bb 4-51 v Essex, Kennington, 1897: d 28.v.1916 Monchy-le-Preux (Pas-de-Calais), France, killed in action.

### **CHRISTOPHERSON, Stanley**

b 11.xi.1861 Blackheath, Kent: ed Uppingham S: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Kent 1890, a: cr 3 matches; 4 runs, av 1.33; 3 wkt, av 43.33; 0 ct: played one Test for England: president MCC 1939-1946, longer than any other such postholder: grandfather of I.S.Akers-Douglas (see above): played hockey for Kent and England: later, chairman Midland Bank, director Consolidated Goldfields of South Africa and other companies: d 6.iv.1949 St John's Wood, Middlesex.

### **CLARK, Arthur Henry Seymour**

b 26.iii.1902 Weston-super-Mare, Somerset: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Somerset 1930, p: cr 5 matches; nine innings, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0\*, 0\*, 0, 0, 0; did not bowl; 8 ct: a railwayman who was briefly his county's reserve wicketkeeper, his batting was uniquely summarised by *Wisden* as 'hopeless': d 17.iii.1995 Weston-super-Mare, Somerset.

### **CLARK, David Graham**

b 27.i.1919 Barming, Kent: ed Rugby S: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ right-arm spin bowler; close field: Kent 1946, 1948-1951, a, capt 1949-1951: cr 71 matches; 1,919 runs, av 16.12; one for 44; 45 ct: hs 78 v Surrey, Kennington, 1951: president MCC 1977-1978; treasurer 1981-1986, chairman ACCC sub-committee examining future of county cricket 1966: 'a Kent gentleman ... he would stress that we were to behave properly ... and then we would lose in a day and a half': d 8.x.2013 Lenham, Kent.

### **CLARKE, Carlos Bertram**

b 7.iv.1918 St Michael, Barbados: ed Harrison C, Bridgetown; Guy's Hospital Medical C, Southwark: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break and googly bowler; outfield: UK resident from 1939: Northamptonshire 1946-1949, a; Essex 1959, 1960, a: cr 62 matches; 925 runs, av 12.33; 195 wkt, av 28.34; 30 ct: hs 86 v Worcestershire, Worcester, 1947: bb 7-120 v Yorkshire, Northampton, 1947: played three Tests for West Indies: jailed 1962 for conspiring to carry out abortions in circumstances where he had been blackmailed, but was later reinstated as a doctor: appointed OBE 1983 for services to the Barbadian community in UK: 'he was for a time a guest of the Queen', after which 'he returned the same as ever and continued to weave his spells over a host of club cricketers': d 14.x.1993 Putney, Surrey.

**COBB, Humphry Henry**

b 12.vii.1873 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Sedbergh S: right-hand middle-order batsman; close field: Middlesex 1898, 1899, 1901, a: cr 10 matches; 157 runs, av 15.70; did not bowl; 10 ct: hs 55\* v Lancashire, Lord's, 1898: played rugby union for Rosslyn Park and Barbarians: d 13.xii.1949 Camber, Sussex.

**COBHAM, LORD**

b 23.x.1881 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Eton C: right-hand opening batsman; close field: Worcestershire, a, 1924, 1925: cr 2 matches; 42 runs, av 10.50; did not bowl; 0 ct: president MCC 1935-1936, treasurer 1938-1949: older brother of Hon C.F.Lyttelton (Worcestershire 1906, 1908-1910); father of Hon C.J.Lyttelton (see below): formerly Hon John Cavendish Lyttelton, succeeded his father as ninth Viscount Cobham 1922, thus being the highest ranking member of the UK peerage to play chsp cricket: Conservative MP for Droitwich 1910-1916; junior minister War Office 1939, 1940; director Eagle Star (insurance) and other companies: appointed KCB (knighted) 1942 for services to the Territorial Army: d 31.vii.1949 Bromsgrove, Worcestershire.

COBHAM, LORD (tenth), see LYTTELTON, Hon C.J., below.

**COLBECK, Leonard George** ('Toby')

b 1.i.1884 Harrow, Middlesex: ed Marlborough C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-, later lower-order batsman; outfield: Middlesex 1906-1908, a: cr 10 matches; 134 runs, av 7.44; did not bowl; 2 ct: no fifties: awarded MC 1917: for Cambridge University he scored 1,102 runs, av 40.81 in seventeen first-class matches, but surprisingly 'when tried for Middlesex he did very little': d 3.i.1918 on board ship off Cape of Good Hope (Cape Province), South Africa, from 'fever' contracted on active service.

**COLE, Eric Stuart**

b 10.ii.1906 Mtarfa, Malta: UK resident from an early age: ed Dover GS; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler: Kent 1938, a: cr 3 matches; 43 runs, av 8.60; 7 wkt, av 44.14; 3 ct: bb 4-78 v Lancashire, Manchester, 1938: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: appointed CBE 1945, CB 1960 for work as telecommunications specialist at War Office; later, director Ultra Electronics: d 19.xii.1992 Wandsworth, Surrey.

**COLEMAN, Edward Charles**

b 5.ix.1891 Southend-on-Sea, Essex: ed Dulwich C; Cambridge U: left-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Essex 1912, a: cr 2 matches; 10 runs, av 3.33; did not bowl; 1 ct, 1 st: d 2.iv.1917 nr Doirani (Makedonia), Greece, killed in action.

**COLLETT, Gilbert Faraday**

b 19.vi.1879 Gloucester: ed Cheltenham C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; slip field: Gloucestershire 1900, 1902, 1914, a: cr 8 matches; 115 runs, av 8.21; two for 86; 5 ct: no fifties: played rugby union for Blackheath, Gloucester, Barbarians and Lions:

awarded DSO 1918: later, managing director J.M Collett and Co (chemical mfg): d 26.ii.1945 Gloucester.

**COLLIER, Christopher George Arthur** ('Joe')

b 23.viii.1886 Banff, Scotland: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ right-arm slow bowler; outfield: Worcestershire 1910-1914, p: cr 50 matches; 949 runs, av 13.00; two for 266; 12 ct: hs 72 v Hampshire, Portsmouth, 1912: d 25.viii.1916 Mametz (Somme), France, killed in action.

**COLLINS, Geoffrey Albert Kirwan**

b 16.v.1909 Hove, Sussex: ed Lancing C: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; outfield: Sussex 1928-1931, 1933, a: cr 34 matches; 586 runs, av 13.95; did not bowl; 13 ct: hs 53 v Hampshire, Portsmouth, 1931: played football for Corinthians: later, director A.J.Collins and Co (reinsurance): awarded MC 1946: captained Sussex v Somerset, Bath, 1929, at age 20 yr 1 mth, thought to be the youngest player to lead a chsp team: d 7.viii.1968 Hove, Sussex.

COLLINS-PRICHARD, H.C., see PRICHARD, H.C., below.

**CONSIDINE, Stanley George Ulick**

b 11.viii.1901 Bilaspur (Bihar), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Blundell's S, Tiverton: right-hand middle-order batsman; cover field: Somerset 1919-1926, 1929, 1930, a: cr 85 matches; 2,838 runs, av 21.50; did not bowl; 40 ct: hs 130\* v Worcestershire, Taunton, 1921: a solicitor, he played a few matches each season: played rugby union for Bath, in Ireland trials and for England: d 31.viii.1950 Bath, Somerset.

**CONSTANT, David John**

b 9.vii.1941 Bradford-on-Avon, Wiltshire: ed Grove Park SMS, Lee: left-hand middle-order batsman; occ left-arm slow bowler; outfield: Kent 1961-1963, p; Leicestershire 1965-1968: cr 57 matches; 1,239 runs, av 16.97; one for 36; 28 ct: hs 80 v Gloucestershire, Bristol, 1966: chsp umpire 1969-2006 (38 seasons, more than any other umpire), 523 matches: played bowls for Gloucestershire: 'umpiring ... always with a smile on his face'.

**COOK, David Roland**

b 2.ix.1936 Edgbaston, Birmingham: ed Warwick S: right-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1967, 1968: cr 7 matches; 108 runs, av 13.50; 21 wkt, av 20.80; 4 ct: bb 4-66 v Yorkshire, Birmingham, 1967: played rugby union for Coventry.

**COOK, William**

b 16.i.1882 Preston, Lancashire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Lancashire 1905, 1907, p: cr 9 matches; 213 runs, av 19.36; 43 wkt, av 17.95; 4 ct: bb 7-64 v Gloucestershire Manchester, 1905, on chsp debut: older brother of L.W. (Lancashire 1907-1923): played football for Oldham Athletic, being banned for twelve months after refusing to leave the field when sent off in away match, then abandoned, v Middlesbrough, 1914/15: d 18.xii.1947 Burnley, Lancashire.

**COOKE, Noël Henry**

b 5.i.1935 Liverpool, Lancashire: ed Liverpool C: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; right-arm off-break bowler; outfield: Lancashire 1958, 1959, p: cr 9 matches; 187 runs, av 15.58; 3 wkt, av 24.00; 2 ct: no fifties: played hockey for Lancashire: d 28.ii.1995 Liverpool, Lancashire.

**COOPER, Frederick Joseph**

b 16.iii.1888 Wetherby, Yorkshire: ed Rutherford GS, Newcastle upon Tyne: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Essex 1921-1923, a: cr 9 matches; 169 runs, av 10.56; 3 wkt, av 104.66; 3 ct: hs 52 v Gloucestershire, Leyton, 1921: played football for Bradford Park Avenue: d 27.vi.1958 York. (*Played two chsp matches in 1921 under the pseudonym A.Brown.*)

**CORBETT, Bertie Oswald**

b 15.v.1875 Thame, Oxfordshire: ed Lord Williams' S, Thame; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman: Derbyshire 1910, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 1, 0; did not bowl; 0 ct: older brother of C.J. (Derbyshire 1911-1913, 1919-1921, 1924): played football for Corinthians and England: d 30.xi.1967 Portesham, Dorset.

**CORBETT, Leonard James**

b 12.v.1897 Bristol, Gloucestershire: ed Fairfield GS, Bristol: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Gloucestershire 1920, 1922, 1923, 1925, a: cr 9 matches; 373 runs, av 20.72; none for 19; 9 ct: hs 55 v Somerset, Bristol, 1923: played rugby union for Bristol and England: later, director Wales Industrial Estates Corporation; cricket and rugby union writer *Sunday Times*: appointed OBE 1962 for services to industry: as a rugby player, 'accredited with selling the first dummy in the game': d 26.i.1983 Taunton, Somerset.

**CORNELIUS, Norman Stanley**

b 5.vi.1886 Crosby, Lancashire: ed Malvern C; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Gloucestershire 1910, a: cr 5 matches; 92 runs, av 15.33; did not bowl; 0 ct: played football for Corinthians: d 21.x.1963 West Felton, Shropshire.

**CORNWALLIS, Oswald Wykeham**

b 16.iii.1894 Linton, Kent: ed Royal Naval C, Osborne; Britannia Royal Naval C, Dartmouth: right-hand opening batsman, but did not appear on the field of play, one of only two such instances in chsp cricket, the other being J.Coulthurst (see below): Hampshire 1921, a: cr 1 match, but withdrew during first day when it became known that his brother (F.W.M.) had been killed by Irish republicans in Co Galway: younger brother of W.S. (Kent 1919-1926): appointed OBE 1919 for military services: d 28.i.1974 Froxfield Green, Hampshire. (*Styled Honourable from 1927 as a son of the first Baron Cornwallis.*)

**CORRAN, Andrew John** ('Oracle')

b 25.xi.1936 Norwich, Norfolk: ed Gresham's S, Holt; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Nottinghamshire 1961-1965, a, capt 1962: cr 95 matches; 1,671 runs, av 15.33; 289 wkt, av 27.04; 56 ct; hs 51 v Warwickshire, Nottingham;

1962: bb 6-31 v Somerset, Bath, 1965: played hockey for Nottinghamshire, Oxfordshire and in England trials: he had 'opinions on a wide range of subjects' and 'expressed them with freedom and frequency'.

### **COSH, Nicholas John**

b 6.viii.1946 Camberwell, Surrey: ed Dulwich C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; versatile field: Surrey 1969: cr 5 matches; 127 runs, av 18.14; did not bowl; 4 ct: hs 55 v Somerset, Taunton, 1969: played rugby union for Blackheath: later, director Bradford and Bingley (banking), Hornby (toy mfg) and other companies.

### **COTTERILL, George Huth**

b 4.iv.1868 Brighton, Sussex: ed Brighton C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm slow bowler; outfield: Sussex 1890, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 4, 11; none for 13; 0 ct: played football for Corinthians and England, rugby union for Blackheath and Richmond: d 1.x.1950 Cardiff, Glamorgan.

### **COULTHURST, Josiah**

b 24.xii.1893 Blackburn, Lancashire: left-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm fast bowler; outfield, but did not appear on the field of play, one of only two such instances in chsp cricket, the other being O.W.Cornwallis (see above): Lancashire 1919, p: cr one rain-affected match, in which he did not bat in his county's incomplete first innings, and where no further play occurred: d 6.i.1970 Wesham, Lancashire.

### **COURTENAY, Geoffry William List**

b 16.xii.1921 Castle Cary, Somerset: ed Sherborne S; King George Military C, Bengaluru: right-hand middle-order batsman; close field: Somerset 1947, a: cr 3 matches; 65 runs, av 10.83; did not bowl; 0 ct: no fifties: younger brother of P.G.S. (see below): played hockey for Scotland: a career teacher, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: d 17.x.1980 Edinburgh (Midlothian), Scotland.

### **COURTENAY, Peter Geoffry Searle**

b 11.iii.1914 Weymouth, Dorset: ed Marlborough C; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1934, a: cr 2 matches; 15 runs, av 3.75; did not bowl, 2 ct: older brother of G.W.L. (see above): played hockey for Somerset and West of England: d 3.iv.1959 Poole, Dorset, by his own hand.

### **COVENTRY, John Bonyng**

b 9.i.1903 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; outfield: Worcestershire 1920-1925, 1927, 1929, 1930, 1932, 1933, 1935, a, capt 1929, 1930: cr 75 matches; 1,751 runs, av 14.96; 14 wkt, av 44.71; 26 ct: hs 86 v Derbyshire, Worcester, 1922: no four-wicket returns: scored 9 runs, incl overthrows, off a ball from C.W.L.Parker, v Gloucestershire, Worcester, 1923, the most in a chsp match, one of four players to do this: later, director Tattersalls (racehorse auctioneer): d 4.vii.1969 Pirton, Worcestershire. (*Styled Honourable from 1930, when awarded that status by royal warrant.*)

**COWAN, Charles Frederic Roy**

b 18.ix.1883 Glangwryney, Breconshire: ed Uppingham S; Britannia Royal Naval C, Dartmouth: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1909-1911, 1919-1921, a: cr 25 matches; 720 runs, av 16.36; none for 9; 7 ct: hs 78 v Hampshire, Portsmouth, 1920: a career naval officer, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: awarded DSO 1919: d 22.iii.1958 Leamington Spa, Warwickshire.

**COWIE, Alexander Gordon**

b 27.ii.1889 Hordle, Hampshire: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1910, a: cr 2 matches; 3 runs, av 1.50; 9 wkt, av 29.00; 2 ct: bb 5-94 v Lancashire, Southampton, 1910: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: d 7.iv.1916 Al-Kūt, Mesopotamia, from wounds received in action.

**COXHEAD, Maurice Edward**

b 24.v.1889 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Eastbourne C; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; close field: Middlesex 1911, a: cr 2 matches; 6 runs, av 3.00; one for 15; 3 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: d 3.v.1917 Monchy-le-Preux (Pas-de-Calais), France, killed in action.

**CRABTREE, Harry Pollard**

b 30.iv.1906 Barnoldswick (nr Ingleton), Yorkshire: ed Ermysted's GS, Skipton; University C, Silkeborg (Denmark): right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield; Essex 1931, 1946, 1947, a: cr 21 matches; 1,004 runs, av 29.52; none for 47; 11 ct: hs 146 v Nottinghamshire, Clacton-on-Sea, 1946: played rugby union for Richmond, Barbarians and in England trial: appointed MBE 1956 for services to the post-war MCC cricket coaching scheme: 'a zest for living and a passion for cricket and rugby': d 28.v.1982 Chelmsford, Essex.

**CRAIG, Edward John**

b 26.iii.1942 Formby, Lancashire: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Cambridge U: right-hand opening batsman; slip field: Lancashire 1961, 1962, a: cr 6 matches; 214 runs, av 21.40; did not bowl; 5 ct: hs 89 v Nottinghamshire, Worksop, 1961, on chsp debut: later, author/editor various publications on philosophy; philosophy professor Cambridge U, 1998-2006: 'when his undergraduate cricketing days were over, he had a ceremonial burning of his cricket gear'.

**CRANFIELD, Lionel Lord**

b 11 .x.1883 Brixton, Surrey: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; versatile field: Gloucestershire 1903 and 1910, 1913-1919, 1921, 1922, p; Somerset 1906, p: cr 27 matches; 603 runs, av 14.02; 51 wkt, av 31.09; 15 ct: hs 51\* v Kent, Gloucester, 1914: bb 5-125 v Yorkshire, Bristol, 1914: a league-club professional whose appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: younger brother of B. (Somerset 1897-1905, 1908); father of L.M. (Gloucestershire 1934-1947): played rugby union for Bristol: d 17.v.1968 Sale, Cheshire.

**CRANKSHAW, Eric Norman Spencer**

b 1.vii.1885 Over Peover, Cheshire: ed Eton C: right-hand middle-order batsman: Gloucestershire 1909, a: cr 1 match; two innings 1, 1: did not bowl; 0 ct: appointed MBE 1919 for military services, CMG 1934, KCMG (knighted) 1939 for services as secretary Government Hospitality Fund, 'thus ensuring his appearance hundreds of times in the Court Circular' and commandant Cabinet war bunker: d 24.vi.1966 Reading, Berkshire.

**CRANSTON, James**

b 9.i.1859 Bordesley, Birmingham: ed Taunton S: left-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Gloucestershire 1890, 1891, 1899, a: cr 24 matches; 1,041 runs, av 26.02; did not bowl; 9 ct: hs 152 v Yorkshire, Dewsbury, 1890: played one Test for England: career curtailed by epilepsy: 'few left-handed men have ever played with such a uniformly straight bat': d 10.xii.1904 Bristol, Gloucestershire.

**CRANSTON, Kenneth**

b 20.x.1917 Liverpool, Lancashire: ed Liverpool C; Liverpool U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; close field: Lancashire 1947, 1948, a, capt 1947, 1948: cr 44 matches; 1,726 runs, av 40.13; 125 wkt, av 22.48; 28 ct: hs 155\* v Hampshire, Bournemouth, 1947: bb 7-43 v Surrey, Kennington, 1948: played eight Tests for England: played hockey for Lancashire: 'his publicity photograph would not have disgraced the stills in your local Gaumont ... his career might indeed have been scripted for portrayal on those very screens': d 8.i.2007 Southport, Lancashire.

**CRAWFORD, Alexander Basil**

b 24.v.1891 Coleshill, Warwickshire: ed Oundle S: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1911, a; Nottinghamshire 1912, a: cr 14 matches; 250 runs, av 13.88; 12 wkt, av 36.58; 5 ct: no fifties: bb 4-55 v Surrey, Nottingham, 1912: d 10.v.1916 Laventie (Pas-de-Calais), France, killed in action.

**CRAWLEY, Aidan Merivale**

b 10.iv.1908 Benenden, Kent: Harrow S; Oxford U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace or off-break bowler; versatile field: Kent 1927, 1928, 1930-1932, 1934, 1947, a: cr 31 matches; 1,503 runs, av 31.97; none for 65; 11 ct: hs 175 v Essex, Southend-on-Sea, 1930: president MCC 1972-1973; chairman TCCB 1972-1973: Labour MP for Buckingham 1945-1951 and junior minister Colonial Office 1945-1947, Air Department 1950, 1951; chief editor Independent Television News 1955-1957; Conservative MP for West Derbyshire 1962-1967; chairman London Weekend Television 1967-1973: 'no one could regret his versatility ... it was a condition of his existence': appointed MBE 1946 for military services: d 3.xi.1993 Banbury, Oxfordshire.

**CRAWLEY, Leonard George**

b 26.vii.1903 Nacton, Suffolk: ed Harrow S; Cambridge U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Worcestershire 1922, 1923, a; Essex 1926-1933, 1935, 1936, a: cr 59 matches; 3,382 runs, av 37.16; none for 29; 23 ct: hs 222 v Glamorgan, Swansea, 1930: older brother of C.L. (Essex 1929): English amateur golf champion

1931, runner-up 1934, 1937; played for British Isles in Walker Cup competition 1932, 1934, 1938, 1947: later, golf writer *Daily Telegraph* and other newspapers: 'the greater man when he banged the length-ball back past Tate's large boots': d 9.vii.1981 Worlington, Suffolk.

### **CRISP, Robert James**

b 28.v.1911 Kolkata (Bengal), India: moved to Southern Rhodesia at an early age, to South Africa 1931, then UK resident most years from 1936: ed Jeppe HS, Johannesburg: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Worcestershire 1938, a: cr 7 matches; 96 runs, av 10.66; 38 wkt, av 21.65; 3 ct: bb 7-82 v Middlesex, Lord's, 1938: played nine Tests for South Africa: later widely known as journalist, founding Drum magazine, writer for *Daily Express*, author several books about his war-time and other experiences: awarded DSO 1942, MC 1943; reported to have been recommended for VC 1943 but this vetoed by General Montgomery because of 'indiscipline': 'one of the most extraordinary men ever to play Test cricket ... statistics are absurd for such a man': d 2.iii.1994 Colchester, Essex.

### **CROCKFORD, Eric Bertram**

b 13.x.1888 Sutton Coldfield, Warwickshire: ed Eastbourne C: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; outfield: Warwickshire 1912-1919, 1921, 1922, a; cr 19 matches; 314 runs, av 9.81; two for 157; 5 ct: hs 55 v Lancashire, Manchester, 1913: played hockey for Warwickshire, England and Great Britain, winning gold medal in 1920 Olympics: d 17.i.1958 Sutton Coldfield, Warwickshire.

### **CROMMELIN-BROWN, John Louis**

b 20.x.1888 Delhi (Punjab), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Winchester C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler: Derbyshire 1922, 1924-1926, a: cr 15 matches; 634 runs, av 25.36; one for 70; 9 ct: hs 74 v Nottinghamshire, Nottingham, 1924: played football for Corinthians: author two volumes of poetry: d 11.ix.1953 Minehead, Somerset. (*Second forename sometimes reported as Lewis.*)

### **CROOKES, John Edward**

b 7.iii.1890 Horncastle, Lincolnshire: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1920, a: cr 3 matches; 50 runs, av 12.50; none for 6; 3 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: awarded DCM 1918: d 8.ix.1949 Worcester Park, Surrey.

### **CROOME, Arthur Capel Molyneux** ('Crumbo')

b 21.ii.1866 Stroud, Gloucestershire: ed Wellington C, Crowthorne; Oxford U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ right-arm slow bowler; mid-off field: Gloucestershire 1890-1892, a: cr 16 matches; 283 runs, av 12.86; 4 wkt, av 41.50; 10 ct: hs 71 v Lancashire, Bristol, 1890: later, cricket writer for *The Times* and other newspapers, golf writer for *Morning Post*: d 11.ix.1930 Taplow, Buckinghamshire.

### **CROSFIELD, Sydney Morland**

b 12.xi.1861 Warrington, Lancashire: ed Wimbledon S: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm fast, later slow bowler; versatile field: Lancashire 1890-1894, 1897-1899, a, capt



1892, 1893: cr 45 matches; 1,145 runs, av 19.40; two for 57; 23 ct: hs 82\* v Yorkshire, Bradford, 1891: d 30.i.1908 Las Palmas de Gran Canaria (Islas Canarias), Spain while on holiday.

**CROSS, Graham Frederick** ('Tank')

b 15.xi.1943 Leicester: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Leicestershire 1961-1966, 1968, 1970, 1971, 1975, 1976, p, 'his appearances being intermittent because of his footballing commitments': cr 76 matches; 1,935 runs, av 18.60; 86 wkt, av 29.62; 86 ct: hs 78 v Hampshire, Portsmouth, 1964: bb 4-28 v Lancashire, Manchester, 1970: played football for Leicester City and England under-23 team: but for his football, 'he would have secured the highest cricket honours as he possessed all the natural ability and temperament required'.

**CROSSE, Edmund Mitchell**

b 11.xii.1882 Camberwell, Surrey: ed Cheltenham C: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; outfield: Northamptonshire 1905-1908, 1910, a, capt 1907: cr 45 matches; 1,113 runs, av 13.91; did not bowl; 15 ct: hs 65 v Hampshire, Southampton, 1905 and 65 v Warwickshire, Coventry, 1905: later, director Crosse and Blackwell (pickle mfg) and other companies: recipient of famous telegram 'Bring boys home at once Mother' after his side dismissed for 12 v Gloucestershire, Gloucester, 1907, the lowest innings total in the chsp: d 28.vi.1963 Putney, Surrey.

**CROSSMAN, George Lytton**

b 18.ii.1877 Hambrook, Gloucestershire: ed Radley C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Gloucestershire 1896, a: cr 2 matches; 11 runs, av 2.75; did not bowl; 0 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were limited: awarded DSO 1902, appointed CMG 1916: d 17.i.1947 Colchester, Essex.

**CRUSH, Edmund**

b 25.iv.1917 Dover, Kent: ed Dover GS: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace or off-break bowler; versatile field: Kent 1946-1949, p: cr 41 matches; 1,054 runs, av 16.73; 78 wkt, av 37.66; 20 ct: hs 78 v Hampshire, Canterbury, 1947; bb 6-50 in same match: awarded MC 1944: d 9.vi.2007 Deal, Kent.

**CUMBERLEGE, Barry Stephenson**

b 5.vi.1891 Newcastle upon Tyne, Northumberland: ed Durham S; Cambridge U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Kent 1923, 1924, a: cr 5 matches; 288 runs, av 41.14; none for 1; 2 ct: hs 76 v Essex, Leyton, 1924: played rugby union for Blackheath, Barbarians and England; rugby union international referee: appointed OBE 1918 for military services: d 22.ix.1970 Folkestone, Kent.

**CUNLIFFE, Foster Hugh Egerton**

b 17.viii.1875 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Oxford U: left-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1897, 1898, 1903, a: cr 18 matches; 275 runs, av 13.75; 36 wkt, av 29.66; 9 ct: hs 62 v Somerset, Taunton, 1898: bb 5-99 v Sussex, Lord's, 1897: succeeded his father as sixth Cunliffe baronet 1905; later, fellow All Souls College, Oxford

and author popular military histories: d 10.vii.1916 Ovillers-la-Boisselle (Somme), France, from wounds received in action.

**CURRIE, John David** ('Muscles')

b 3.v.1932 Bristol, Gloucestershire: ed Bristol GS; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1953, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 4, 13; did not bowl; 0 ct: played rugby union for Bristol, Harlequins, West of Scotland, Barbarians and England: 'a formidable adversary in the line-out', but 'not long enough at the crease': d 8.xii.1990 Leicester.

**CURWEN, Wilfred John Hutton**

b 14.iv.1883 Beckenham, Kent: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Oxford U; right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Surrey 1909, a: cr 2 matches; 11 runs, av 3.33; did not bowl; 0 ct: played football for Corinthians and England amateur team: d 13.v.1915 nr Poperinge (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, killed in action and having no known grave.

**CUTHBERTSON, Geoffrey Bourke**

b 23.iii.1901 Hampstead, Middlesex: ed Malvern C; Cambridge U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; outfield: Middlesex 1921, 1923, 1925, 1926, a; Northamptonshire 1935-1938, a, capt 1936, 1937, 'two of the desperate seasons during the county's four-year sequence without a win': cr 52 matches; 1,292 runs, av 15.02; did not bowl; 19 ct: hs 96 v Lancashire, Northampton, 1937: 'by all accounts, an optimist and a genial man': d 9.viii.1993 Crawley, Sussex.

**CUTHBERTSON, John Layton**

b 24.ii.1942 Bombay, India: UK resident from 1948: ed Rugby S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Surrey 1963: cr 7 matches; 118 runs, av 19.66; 3 wkt, av 68.00; 1 ct; no fifties: played hockey for Surrey.

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**DAFT, Richard**

b 2.xi.1835 Nottingham, the earliest birth of any cricketer in the official chsp: right-hand middle-order batsman; close field: Nottinghamshire 1891, a, at age 55, alongside his son, the first such instance in the chsp: cr 3 matches; 27 runs, av 6.75; did not bowl; 0 ct: chsp umpire 1898, 1899, 20 matches, following his bankruptcy 1898: father of H.B. (Nottinghamshire 1890-1899): played 142 inter-county matches for Nottinghamshire 1858-1881, 'leading the county with poise and style' 1870-1880, to six unofficial Championships: d 18.vii.1900 Radcliffe on Trent, Nottinghamshire.

**DALMENY, LORD**

b 8.i.1882 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm fast bowler; versatile field: Middlesex 1902, a; Surrey 1904-1908, a, capt 1905-1907: cr 85 matches; 3,133 runs, av 24.28; 3 wkt, av 26.66; 38 ct: hs 138 v Leicestershire, Kennington, 1905: president MCC 1953-54: father of Lord Dalmeny (Middlesex 1919, 1921): leading racehorse owner: Liberal MP for Midlothian 1906-1910, thus, uniquely,

captaining a chsp county for two seasons while a member of the House of Commons; succeeded his father as sixth Earl of Rosebery and second Earl of Midlothian 1929; Secretary of State for Scotland 1945 (a Cabinet post, one of only two chsp cricketers to hold such a position); chairman National Liberal Party 1945-1947; director Alliance Assurance and other companies; chairman Scottish Tourist Board 1955-1965: awarded MC 1916, DSO 1918; appointed Privy Counsellor 1945, KT (knighted) 1947: 'Lord Dalmeny, clad in bright array, cheers on his men to keep the foe at bay': d 30.v.1974 Mentmore, Buckinghamshire, leaving £9.7mill, probably the wealthiest chsp cricketer. (*Formally Albert Edward Harry Mayer Archibald PRIMROSE, he was styled Lord Dalmeny until he succeeded his father as Earl in May 1929. His son, Archibald Ronald Primrose, a Middlesex cricketer, see text above, also used the Dalmeny courtesy title.*)

### **DAVIDSON, Kenneth Richard**

b 24.xii.1905 Calverley, Yorkshire: ed Ayr A: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Yorkshire 1933-1935, a in 1933, then p: cr 28 matches; 1,143 runs, av 30.07; did not bowl; 17 ct: hs 128 v Kent, Maidstone, 1934: played badminton for Yorkshire, Scotland and United States: emigrated to United States 1935 where later well-known as badminton player and promoter, staging matches in theatres and stadiums in North America and Europe: d 25.xii.1954 (Christmas Day) Prestwick (Ayrshire), Scotland in flying accident when visiting UK with United States badminton team.

### **DAVIES, David Roy**

b 12.viii.1928 Llanelli, Carmarthenshire: ed Llanelli GS; University C, Cardiff: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Glamorgan 1950, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 7; did not bowl; 0 ct: younger brother of H.G. (Glamorgan 1935-1958); played squash for Wales: d 14.vii.2013 West Clandon, Surrey. (*Roy was sixteen years younger than his brother Haydn, and after their parents were killed during the Second World War, Haydn adopted Roy and became his legal 'father'.*)

### **DAVIES, Geoffrey Boisselier**

b 26.x.1892 Bow, Middlesex: Rossall S, Fleetwood; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break or slow-medium bowler; slip field; Essex 1912-1914, a: cr 31 matches; 749 runs, av 18.19; 68 wkt, av 26.01; 26 ct: hs 118 v Somerset, Weston-super-Mare, 1914: bb 6-51 v Worcestershire, Colchester, 1914: *Wisden* thought 'there can be little doubt that, but for the war, he would have developed into an England player': d 26.ix.1915 Hulluch (Pas-de-Calais), France, killed in action and having no known grave.

### **DAVIES, Harry Donald**

b 13.iii.1892 Salford, Lancashire: ed Bolton S; Manchester U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Lancashire 1924, 1925, a: cr 11 matches; 260 runs, av 17.33; did not bowl; 4 ct: no fifties: played football for Bolton Wanderers and England amateur team: later, football writer for Manchester Guardian and well-known radio broadcaster: 'the first writer on soccer to rise above the immediate and quickly perishable levels of his theme': d 6.ii.1958 Riem (Bavaria), West Germany, in flying accident in which several members of the Manchester United football team died.

**DAVIES, Jack Gale Wilmot**

b 10.ix.1911 Broadclyst, Devon: ed Tonbridge S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order, later opening batsman; right-arm off-break bowler; cover field: Kent 1934-1949, 1951, a: cr 92 matches; 3,767 runs, av 25.28; 190 wkt, av 30.08; 50 ct: hs 168 v Worcestershire, Worcester, 1946: bb 7-20 v Essex, Tunbridge Wells, 1936: president MCC 1985-1986, treasurer 1976-1980: played rugby union for Blackheath and in England trial; Rugby Fives amateur singles champion 1936, 1937, 1939: later, director Portals Holdings (paper mfg), Bank of England: appointed OBE 1946 for military services: 'the sharpness of his mind was obvious to anyone who worked with him ... his laugh prevented him from becoming too intimidating': d 5.xi.1992 Cambridge.

**DAVIES, Philip Havelock**

b 30.viii.1893 Brighton, Sussex: ed Brighton C; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler: Sussex 1914, a: cr 1 match, one innings, 0\*; two for 26; 0 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: awarded MC 1919: d 30.i.1930 Catterick Camp, Yorkshire.

**DAVIS, Arthur Edward**

b 4.viii.1882 Leicester: ed Mill Hill S, Leicester: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Leicestershire 1901, 1903, 1905, 1908, a: cr 18 matches; 305 runs, av 13.86; did not bowl; 33 ct, 9 st: hs 55 v Sussex, Hove, 1905: d 4.xi.1916 Albert (Somme), France, killed in action and having no known grave.

**DAVIS, John William**

b 10.iv.1882 Ironville, Derbyshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; close field: Derbyshire 1920, p: cr 1 match; two innings, 8, 1: did not bowl; 2 ct: played football for Derby County: d 19.x.1963 Ripley, Derbyshire.

**DAWSON, Richard Kevin James**

b 4.viii.1980 Doncaster, Yorkshire: ed Batley GS; Exeter U: right-hand lower- or middle-order batsman; right-arm off-break bowler; versatile field: Yorkshire 2001-2006; Northamptonshire 2007; Gloucestershire 2008, 2009: cr 86 matches; 2,610 runs, av 22.50; 171 wkt, av 44.02; 54 ct: hs 87 v Canterbury, Kent, 2002: bb 6-82 v Glamorgan, Scarborough, 2001: played seven Tests for England.

**DAY, Harold Lindsay Vernon**

b 12.vii.1898 Darjiling (Bengal), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Bedford Modern S: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1922-1928, 1931, a: cr 77 matches; 2,919 runs, av 24.32; none for 46; 26 ct: hs 146 v Somerset, Bath, 1924: played rugby union for Leicester and England, rugby union international referee; later, rugby union writer for various newspapers: d 15.vi.1972 Hadley Wood, Middlesex.

**DEANE, Charles Gerrard ('Buster')**

b 8.iii.1885 Oakhill, Somerset: ed Taunton S: right-hand middle-or lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Somerset 1907, 1908, 1910-1913, a: cr 35 matches; 749 runs, av 12.27; 7 wkt, av 26.42; 25 ct: hs 78 v Hampshire, Southampton, 1911: 'an all-round

sportsman' and 'big strong chap': d 14.xii.1914 Multan (Punjab), India, from 'fever' while on military service.

**DEIGHTON, John Harold Greenway**

b 5.iv.1920 Prestwich, Lancashire: ed Denstone C: right-hand lower-, later middle-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Lancashire 1948-1950, a: cr 7 matches; 206 runs, av 25.75; 20 wkt, av 25.45; 3 ct: hs 79 v Leicestershire, Blackpool, 1949: bb 5-52 v Nottinghamshire, Nottingham, 1950: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: awarded MC 1945; appointed OBE 1958 for military services: d 15.ix.1999 Kingsclere, Hampshire.

**DEMPSEY, Miles Christopher**

b 15.xii.1896 Wallasey, Cheshire: ed Shrewsbury S; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman: Sussex 1919, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 4, 1; did not bowl; 1 ct: a career soldier, commander British Second Army 1944-1946, including the invasion of France and the liberation of Belgium, commander-in-chief British land forces in Middle East, as full General, 1946, 1947; later, director Courage, Barclay and chairman Greene, King (both brewing): awarded MC 1919, DSO 1940; appointed CB 1943, KCB 1944, KBE 1945, GBE 1956, for military services: d 5.vii.1969 Yattendon, Berkshire.

**DEMPSTER, Charles Stewart**

b 15.xi.1903 Wellington, New Zealand: ed Wellington I: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ right-arm slow bowler; versatile field, incl occ wicketkeeper: UK resident 1933-1946: Leicestershire 1936-1939, a, capt 1936-1938; Warwickshire 1946, a: cr 61 matches; 3,883 runs, av 44.63; two for 31; 30 ct, 1 st: hs 165\* v Yorkshire, Kingston-upon-Hull, 1939: played ten Tests for New Zealand; *Wisden* cricketer 1932: 'difficult to realise that such a stylish and cultured batsman had never received any coaching': d 14.ii.1974 Wellington, New Zealand.

**de PARAVICINI, Percy John**

b 15.vii.1852 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm slow bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1890-1892, a: cr 13 matches; 281 runs, av 13.38: none for 8 (two deliveries, both hit for four to conclude a match); 4 ct: hs 70 v Kent, Tonbridge, 1890: played football for Old Etonians (in two FA Cup finals) and England: appointed MVO 1908, CVO 1921 for services to hospitals: d 11.x.1921 Lower Basildon, Berkshire.

**DEW, John Alexander**

b 12.v.1920 Horsham, Sussex; ed Tonbridge S; Cambridge U; London Hospital Medical C, Stepney: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Sussex 1947, a: cr 2 matches; 51 runs, av 17.00; did not bowl; 1 ct 1 st: appointed MBE 2001 for community services in West Sussex: 'he needed only opportunity to be ranked among the very best of cricketers': d 7.ix.2008 Horsham, Sussex.

**DEWES, John Gordon**

b 11.x.1926 Latchford, Lancashire: ed Aldenham S; Cambridge U: left-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1948-1951, 1953-1956,

a: cr 56 matches; 3,213 runs, av 37.80; one for 10; 21 ct: hs 139 v Yorkshire, Leeds, 1950: played five Tests for England: played hockey for Kent and Warwickshire: 'he ended up with Middlesex rather than Lancashire because the powers at Old Trafford did not take to his public-school accent': d 12.v.2015 Bath, Somerset.

### **de ZOETE, Herman Walter**

b 13.ii.1877 Bromley, Kent: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm medium-pace spin bowler: Essex 1897, a: cr 2 matches; two innings, 2\*, 0\*; 3 wkt, av 30.33; 0 ct: played golf for England amateur team and Great Britain seniors team: 'the most graceful left-hand bowler, just as he was the most graceful ... swinger of a golf club': d 26.iii.1957 Ipswich, Suffolk.

### **DINWIDDY, Hugh Pochin**

b 16.x.1912 Kensington, Middlesex; ed Radley C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm leg-break and googly bowler; cover field: Kent 1933, 1934, a: cr 10 matches; 188 runs, av 17.09; none for 35; 8 ct: no fifties: played rugby union for Harlequins and in England trial: emigrated to Uganda 1956, where he was dean Makerere U, Kampala, returning to UK 1970: appointed OBE 1971 for services to higher education in Uganda: d 31.x.2009 Bognor Regis, Sussex.

### **DIVER, Edwin James**

b 20.ii.1861 Cambridge: ed Perse S, Cambridge: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace or lob bowler; versatile field, incl occ wicketkeeper: Warwickshire 1895-1901, p: cr 97 matches; 3,545 runs, av 24.11; none for 90; 54 ct, 4 st: hs 184 v Leicestershire, Birmingham, 1899: played football for Aston Villa: d 27.xii.1924 Pontardawe, Glamorgan.

### **DIXON, Eric John Hopkins** ('Budgie')

b 22.ix.1915 Horbury, Yorkshire: ed St Edward's S, Oxford; Oxford U: right-hand opening batsman; occ bowler; versatile field: Northamptonshire 1939, a: cr 8 matches; 353 runs, av 27.15; none for 20; 6 ct: hs 123 v Somerset, Northampton, 1939: 'the ideal temperament for an opening batsman': d 20.iv.1941 off Tripoli (Tripolitania), Libya, missing, presumed killed in action, when flying with Fleet Air Arm.

### **DIXON, Joseph Gilbert**

b 3.ix.1895 Chelmsford, Essex: ed Felsted S: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-hand fast-medium bowler; versatile field: Essex 1914-1922, a: cr 86 matches; 2,107 runs, av 16.85; 178 wkt, av 32.81; 44 ct: hs 173 v Worcestershire, Leyton, 1922: bb 6-33 v Somerset, Weston-super-Mare, 1920: awarded MC 1917: d 19.xi.1954 Chelmsford, Essex.

### **DOCKER, Ludford Charles**

b 26.xi.1860 Smethwick, Staffordshire: ed King Edward's S, Birmingham: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Warwickshire 1895, a: cr 3 matches; 93 runs, av 18.60; did not bowl; 3 ct: no fifties: later, chairman Docker Bros (paint mfg) and HP Sauce (sauce and pickle mfg), director Metropolitan Carriage and Wagon (engineering): d 1.viii.1940 Alveston, Warwickshire.

**DOGGART, Alexander Graham**

b 2.vi.1897 Bishop Auckland, Co Durham: ed Bishop's Stortford C; Cambridge U; right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1925, a: cr 4 matches; 96 runs, av 32.00; two for 111; 3 ct: no fifties: father of A.P. (Sussex 1947, 1951) and G.H.G. (Sussex 1948-1961): played football for Corinthians and England full and amateur teams: chairman England FA 1961-1963: d 7.vi.1963 Paddington, Middlesex.

**DOLDING, Desmond Leonard**

b 13.xii.1922 Nundydroog (Mysore), India: UK resident from 1929: ed Cliftonville S, Margate: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1951, p: cr 1 match; one innings, 0\*; did not bowl; 0 ct: played football for Chelsea: d 23.xi.1954 Wembley, Middlesex, from injuries received in road accident.

**DONNELLY, Martin Paterson ('Squib')**

b 17.x.1917 Ngāruawāhia (Auckland province), New Zealand: ed New Plymouth HS; Canterbury U, Christchurch; Oxford U: left-hand middle-order batsman; occ left-arm slow bowler; cover field: UK resident from 1945: Warwickshire 1948, 1950, a: cr 19 matches; 954 runs, av 34.07; two for 35; 8 ct: hs 120 v Yorkshire, Birmingham, 1950: played seven Tests for New Zealand; *Wisden* cricketer 1948: played rugby union for Canterbury (N.Z.), Blackheath, Barbarians and England: emigrated to Australia 1950: 'quick, balanced footwork and a full range of strokes' including 'cuts that were often likened to swordplay': d 22.x.1999 Sydney (New South Wales), Australia.

**DOUGLAS, Archibald Philip**

b 7.vi.1867 Southall, Middlesex: ed Dulwich C; Royal Military A, Woolwich: right-hand middle-order batsman; cover field: Middlesex 1902, a: cr 2 matches; 38 runs, av 19.00; did not bowl; 0 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: older brother of R.N. (see below), James (Middlesex 1893-1913) and S. (see below): appointed CMG 1916 for military services in Mesopotamia: d 24.i.1953 Taunton, Somerset.

**DOUGLAS, Robert Noël**

b 9.xi.1868 Southall, Middlesex: ed Dulwich C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; versatile field, incl occ wicketkeeper: Surrey 1890, 1891; Middlesex 1898-1902, 1904, 1905, a: cr 46 matches; 1,444 runs, av 23.67; did not bowl; 31ct, 3 st: hs 93 v Nottinghamshire, Nottingham, 1901: younger brother of A.P. (see above), older brother of James (Middlesex 1893-1913) and S. (see below): played rugby union for Harlequins: a career teacher, later an Anglican clergyman, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: d 27.ii.1957 Colyton, Devon.

**DOUGLAS, Sholto**

b 8.ix.1873 Southall, Middlesex: ed Dulwich C: right-hand lower-order batsman: Middlesex 1906, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 14, 16; did not bowl; 1 ct: younger brother of A.P. (see above), James (Middlesex 1893-1913) and R.N. (see above): d 28.i.1916 Cambrian (Pas-de-Calais), France, killed in action.

### **DOUTHWAITE, Harold**

b 12.viii.1900 Lancaster: ed Lancaster GS; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Lancashire 1920, 1921, a: cr 3 matches; 85 runs, av 17.00; did not bowl; 1 ct: no fifties: played football for England amateur team: d 9.vii.1972 Lancaster.

### **DOWLING, Geoffrey Charles Walter ('Guy')**

b 12.viii.1891 Armadale (Victoria), Australia: UK resident from an early age: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm bowler: Sussex 1911, a: cr 2 matches; 47 runs, av 11.75; one for 19; 2 ct: d 30.vii.1915 Hooge (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, killed in action and having no known grave.

### **DRAKE, Edward Joseph**

b 16.viii.1912 Southampton: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ bowler; versatile field: Hampshire 1931-1934, 1936, a in 1931, 1932, then p: cr 16 matches; 219 runs, av 8.11; 4 wkt, av 42.75; 10 ct: no fifties: played football for Arsenal and England, one of the best-known players of his time; later, manager Chelsea: 'he married a girl he met at a gasworks dance, not a detail associated with modern football stars of his magnitude': d 29.v.1995 West Wimbledon, Surrey.

### **DRAPER, Robert William**

b 30.i.1903 Mussoorie (United Provinces), India: UK resident from an early age: ed King Edward's S, Bath: right-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Somerset 1925, 1929, a: cr 2 matches; 13 runs, av 4.33; 3 wkt, av 35.33; 1 ct: appointed MBE 1945 for military services: emigrated to South Africa 1948: d 29.viii.1987 Pinetown (Natal), South Africa.

### **DRIFFIELD, Lancelot Townshend**

b 10.viii.1880 Old, Northamptonshire: ed St John's S, Leatherhead; Cambridge U: left-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Northamptonshire 1905, 1907, 1908, a: cr 38 matches; 597 runs, av 11.94; 104 wkt, av 24.87; 17 ct: hs 52 v Warwickshire, Northampton, 1905: bb 7-78 v Leicestershire, Leicester, 1908: played football for Corinthians: d 9.x.1917 Leatherhead, Surrey, from heart failure.

### **DRUCE, Eliot Albert Cross**

b 20.vi.1876 Weybridge, Surrey: ed Marlborough C; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; close field: Kent 1898, 1900, a: cr 3 matches; 22 runs, av 11.00: none for 36; 6 ct: amateur real tennis singles finalist 1920, at age 43: 'a natural aptitude for games': d 24.x.1934 West Brompton, Middlesex.

### **DRUCE, Norman Frank**

b 1.i.1875 Camberwell, Surrey: ed Marlborough C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; slip field: Surrey 1895, 1897, a: cr 11 matches; 235 runs, av 15.66; did not bowl; 6 ct: no fifties: played five Tests for England: *Wisden* cricketer 1898: after the Test matches, 'hardly any first-class cricket again ... he just found other things more interesting': later, director Smith, Druce and Co (gin distilling): d 27.x.1954 Milford on Sea, Hampshire.



**DRUMMOND, George Henry**

b 3.iii.1883 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Harrow S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; slip field: Northamptonshire 1920-1922, a: cr 4 matches; 33 runs, av 4.12; did not bowl; 3 ct: later, chairman Drummond's Bank, director Royal Bank of Scotland; exiled during Second World War to Isle of Man as a fascist sympathiser, but member House of Keys, Isle of Man 1946-1951: 'but many amateurs are rabbits ... the team could not have been worse than it was on the occasions I played in it': d 12.x.1963 Braddan, Isle of Man.

**DRYBROUGH, Colin David**

b 31.viii.1938 East Melbourne (Victoria), Australia: UK resident from 1947: ed Highgate S; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; close field: Middlesex 1960-1964, a, capt 1963, 1964: cr 81 matches; 779 runs, av 14.69; 181 wkt, av 27.36; 71 ct: hs 59\* v Essex, Westcliff-on-Sea, 1964: bb 7-94 v Northamptonshire, Northampton, 1964.

**DU BOULAY, Arthur Houssemayne**

b 18.vi.1880 Gillingham, Kent: ed Cheltenham C; Royal Military A, Woolwich: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Kent 1899, a; Gloucestershire 1908, a: cr 7 matches; 225 runs, av 28.12; two for 144; 2 ct: hs 58 v Nottinghamshire, Nottingham, 1899: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: played rugby union for Blackheath and South of England: awarded DSO 1918: d 25.x.1918 Fillièvres (Pas-de-Calais), France, from Spanish flu, a virus infection, while on military service.

**DUDLEY-JONES, Robert David Louis**

b 26.v.1952 Bridgend, Glamorgan; ed Millfield S, Street; Cardiff C of Education: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Glamorgan 1972, 1973: cr 5 matches; 15 runs, av 3.00; 13 wkt, av 27.00; 1 ct: bb 4-31 v Hampshire, Portsmouth, 1972: played rugby union for Cardiff.

**DUNCAN, Anthony Arthur**

b 10.xii.1914 Cardiff, Glamorgan: ed Rugby S; Oxford U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; outfield: Glamorgan 1934, a: cr 2 matches; 16 runs, av 8.00; did not bowl; 0 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: Welsh amateur golf champion 1938, 1948, 1952, 1954; runner-up British amateur championship 1939; captain British Isles in Walker Cup competition 1953: appointed OBE 1959 for military services: 'imparting acute observations in a parade-ground voice that carried across several fairways': d 3.i.1998 Farnham, Surrey.

**DUNKLEY, Maurice Edward Frank**

b 19.ii.1914 Kettering, Northamptonshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Northamptonshire 1937-1939, p; cr 35 matches; 847 runs, av 14.60; none for 12; 17 ct: hs 70 v Yorkshire, Scarborough, 1938: played football for Manchester City: 'a rustic batsman of the thumping order': d 27.xii.1989 Preston, Rutland.

**DUTHIE, Arthur Murray**

b 12.vi.1881 Saharanpur (United Provinces), India: UK resident from c 1890: ed Marlborough C; Royal Military A, Woolwich: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1911, a: cr 1 match; two innings 1, 5; 5 wkt, av 28.20; 1 ct: no four-wicket returns: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were limited: awarded DSO 1916; appointed OBE 1919 for military services: d 3.vi.1973 Chideock, Dorset.

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**EAGAR, Michael Antony**

b 20.ii.1934 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Rugby S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; close field: Gloucestershire 1957, 1961, a: cr 6 matches; 159 runs, av 15.90; did not bowl; 5 ct: no fifties: played hockey for Surrey and Ireland: 'prone to excessive theorising ... the cause of some strange-looking innings'.

**EBDEN, Charles Hotson Murray** ('Tommy')

b 29.vi.1880 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; outfield: Sussex 1904, a; Middlesex 1905, a: cr 5 matches; 96 runs, av 12.00; did not bowl; 1 ct: no fifties: played hockey for Middlesex and England: d 24.v.1949 Elvanfoot (Lanarkshire), Scotland.

**EBDON, Edward William**

b 22.iv.1870 Bradford-on-Tone, Somerset: ed Wellington S: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Somerset 1898, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 4, 5; did not bowl; 0 ct, 2 st: older brother of P.J. (see below) and J.F. (see below): played hockey for Somerset and England: d 6.xii.1950 Weston-super-Mare, Somerset.

**EBDON, John Francis**

b 16.ii.1876 Milverton, Somerset: ed St Luke's C, Exeter; London U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm slow bowler; outfield: Somerset 1898, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 1, 1; none for 73; 0 ct: younger brother of E.W. (see above) and P.J. (see below): played hockey for Somerset and England: d 1.xi.1952 Burley in Wharfedale, Yorkshire.

**EBDON, Percy John**

b 16.iii.1874 Milverton, Somerset: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1894, a: cr 2 matches; 13 runs, av 3.25; did not bowl; 1 ct: older brother of E.W. (see above); younger brother of J.F. (see above): played rugby union for West of England and England, hockey for Somerset: d 16.ii.1943 Wellington, Somerset.

**EDWARDS, Charles William**

b 18.x.1884 Port Elizabeth, Cape Colony: UK resident from an early age: ed Cheltenham C: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler: Gloucestershire 1911, 1912, a: cr 7 matches; 184 runs, av 13.14; none for 28; 7 ct: no fifties: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: awarded MC 1917, DSO 1919: d 22.v.1938 Earl's Court, Middlesex.

**EDWARDS, Guy Janion**

b 11.v.1881 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman: Essex 1907, a: cr 2 matches; 45 runs, av 15.00; did not bowl; 2 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: awarded MC 1917, DSO 1919: d 30.x.1962 Upper Slaughter, Gloucestershire.

**EDWARDS, Herbert Ivor Powell**

b 12.iii.1884 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Winchester C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman: Sussex 1908, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 7, 15; did not bowl; 0 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were limited: chairman East Sussex County Council 1934–1937; author military publications: awarded DSO 1919: d 24.ix.1946 Cowes, Isle of Wight.

**ELE, Peter James**

b 27.i.1935 Taunton, Somerset: ed Taunton S: left-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Somerset 1958, 1959, 1961, 1964, p: cr 49 matches; 447 runs, av 10.64; did not bowl; 80 ct, 14 st: chsp umpire 1979, 1981-1984, 1987-1990, 102 matches: 'not much luck came his way in county cricket', either as a player or as an umpire: d 24.i.2019 Wellington, Somerset.

ELCHO, LORD, see CHARTERIS, H.F.W., below.

**ELLIOTT, Harold**

b 15.vi.1904 Hindley, Lancashire: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Lancashire 1930, p: cr 1 match; one innings, 4; did not bowl; 2 ct, 1 st: chsp umpire 1939-1956, 242 matches: an analysis of lbw decisions showed 'he was the biggest outer of them all': d 15.vii.1969 Wigan, Lancashire.

**ENGLISH, Edward Apsey**

b 1.i.1864 Dorking, Surrey: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1898-1901, a: cr 18 matches; 565 runs, av 18.83; one for 101; 5 ct: hs 98 v Surrey, Kennington, 1898: d 5.ix.1966 Cadeleigh, Devon, aged 102 yr 8 mth, the longest-lived chsp cricketer until surpassed by J.M.Hutchison (Derbyshire 1920-1931) in 1999.

**ENGLISH, Ernest Robert Maling**

b 2.xii.1874 Cheltenham, Gloucestershire: ed Wellington C, Crowthorne; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman: Gloucestershire 1909, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 0, 2; did not bowl; 0 ct: awarded DSO 1918: originally a career soldier, later well-known as a character actor, often playing military roles, in the West End and in more than 30 films: d 18.viii.1941 South Kensington, Middlesex.

ERNSTHAUSEN, A.C.E. von, see von ERNSTHAUSEN, A.C.E., below.

ESCOTT, E.R., see SWEET-ESCOTT, E.R., below.

**EVANS, Alfred Englefield**

b 30.i.1884 Droigeflei, Cape Colony: UK resident from an early age: ed Britannia Royal Naval C, Dartmouth: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler: Hampshire 1919, 1920, a: cr 4 matches; 62 runs, av 10.33; 14 wkt, av 29.07; 3 ct: bb 4-74 v Surrey, Kennington, 1919: younger brother of W.H.B. (see below), older brother of D.M. (see below): a career naval officer, he reached the rank of vice-admiral: appointed OBE 1919 for military services, CB 1937 and KBE (knighted) 1943 for services to the Royal Navy: d 30.xii.1944 off Newfoundland, Canada while on active service, presumed dead when plane carrying him from Canada to Britain went missing.

### **EVANS, Alfred John**

b 1.v.1889 Highclere, Hampshire: ed Winchester C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; close field: Hampshire 1908, 1909, 1911, 1912, 1920, a; Kent 1921-1923, 1927, 1928, a, capt 1927: cr 42 matches; 1,599 runs, av 26.21; 21 wkt, av 34.04; 48 ct: hs 143 v Lancashire, Maidstone, 1927: no four-wicket returns: played one Test for England: awarded MC 1916 and bar 1919: well-known through his popular book, *The Escaping Club*, published 1921, describing his experiences when escaping several times from German prison camps in the Great War: d 18.ix.1960 Marylebone, Middlesex.

### **EVANS, Bertram Sutton**

b 17.xii.1872 Godalming, Surrey: ed Britannia Royal Naval C, Dartmouth: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; outfield: Hampshire 1900, 1909, a: cr 4 matches; 56 runs, av 14.00; did not bowl; 2 ct: no fifties: a career naval officer, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: appointed MVO 1910 for services associated with opening the first South African parliament: d 2.iii.1919 Paris, France, of Spanish flu, 'while travelling to take command of new ship'.

### **EVANS, Dudley MacNeil**

b 11.xii.1886 Droigeflei, Cape Colony: UK resident from an early age: ed Winchester C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; close field: Hampshire 1904, 1905, 1911, a; cr 15 matches; 361 runs, av 15.04; 50 wkt, av 27.56; 16 ct: hs 64 v Yorkshire, Huddersfield, 1911: bb 6-81 v Derbyshire, Southampton, 1911: younger brother of A.E. (see above): a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent, though in 1911 'he gave promise of becoming a sound bat, and bowled well': awarded MC 1917: d 18.xii.1972 Petersfield, Hampshire.

### **EVANS, George Herbert David**

b 22.viii.1928 Bristol, Gloucestershire: ed Wellington S: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield; Somerset 1953, a: cr 8 matches; 180 runs, av 12.85; none for 22; 5 ct: no fifties: played hockey for Somerset and Wales: d 20.vi.1991 Weston-super-Mare, Somerset.

### **EVANS, Herbert Price**

b 30.viii.1894 Cardiff, Glamorgan: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Glamorgan 1922, a: cr 1 match; two innings 0, 9; did not bowl; 0 ct: played football for Cardiff City and for Wales amateur and full teams: d 19.xi.1982 Penarth, Glamorgan.

**EVERS, Ralph Denis Mark**

b 11.vii.1913 Stourbridge, Worcestershire: ed Haileybury C, Hertford Heath: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; outfield: Worcestershire 1936-1938, a: cr 15 matches; 383 runs, av 15.32; did not bowl; 7 ct: hs 60\* v Nottinghamshire, Worcester, 1938: played rugby union for Moseley: later, director Price Pearson (refractory brick mfg): awarded DFC 1945: d 29.viii.2007 Totnes, Devon.

**EVERSHED, Edward**

b 3.xi.1867 Stapenhill, Derbyshire: ed Amersham Hall S, Reading; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Derbyshire 1898, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 1; did not bowl; 2 ct: younger brother of S.H. (see below): played rugby union for Rosslyn Park: d 18.ii.1957 Handsworth, Birmingham.

**EVERSHED, Sydney Herbert**

b 13.i.1861 Stapenhill, Derbyshire: ed Clifton C, Bristol: right-hand opening batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Derbyshire 1895-1901, a, capt 1895-1898: cr 55 matches; 2,773 runs, av 30.81; none for 33; 26 ct: hs 153 v Warwickshire, Derby, 1898: older brother of E. (see above): played rugby union for North of England and in England trials: later, chairman Marston, Thompson and Evershed (brewing) and director other companies: knighted 1929 for public and political services to Burton upon Trent: d 7.iii.1937 Burton upon Trent, Staffordshire.

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**FAIRBAIRN, Alan**

b 23.i.1923 Winchmore Hill, Middlesex: ed Haileybury C, Hertford Heath: left-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1947, 1948, 1951, a: cr 20 matches; 728 runs, av 26.00; none for 2; 9 ct: hs 110\* v Nottinghamshire, Nottingham, 1947: amateur squash champion 1952, 1953: 'hit centuries in his first two matches' in the chsp and was said to be 'a Frank Woolley of the future': d 7.iii.2005 Enfield, Middlesex.

**FARNES, Kenneth**

b 8.vii.1911 Leytonstone, Essex: ed Royal Liberty S, Romford; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; versatile field: Essex 1930-1934, 1936-1939, a: cr 77 matches; 589 runs, av 9.81; 359 wkt, av 19.24; 42 ct: hs 97\* v Somerset, Taunton, 1936: bb 8-38 v Glamorgan, Clacton-on-Sea, 1938: played 15 Tests for England: *Wisden* cricketer 1939: 'first-class cricket was my abstract chief deity': d 20.x.1941 Chipping Warden, Northamptonshire, in flying accident while training with Royal Air Force.

**FARNFIELD, Percy Hamilton**

b 16.i.1881 Guildford, Surrey: ed Woodford C, South Woodford; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman: Worcestershire 1925, a, at age 44: cr 1 match; one innings, 0; did not bowl; 0 ct: older brother of G.G. (Essex 1921): played football for England amateur team: d 19.viii.1962 Solihull, Warwickshire.

**FARR, Bryan Henry**

b 16.iii.1924 Nottingham: ed Harrow S; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Nottinghamshire 1949, 1951, a: cr 6 matches; 127 runs, av 15.87; 10 wkt, av 48.50; 2 ct: bb 5-96 v Worcestershire, Worcester, 1951: later, chairman Home Brewery; d 20.v.2017.

**FARRAR, Albert** ('Alty')

b 29.iv.1884 Brighouse, Yorkshire: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Yorkshire 1906, p: cr 1 match; one innings, 2; did not bowl; 1 ct: played rugby league for Rochdale Hornets: d 25.xii.1954 (Christmas Day) Halifax, Yorkshire.

**FAVIELL, William Frederick Oliver**

b 5.vi.1882 Loughton, Essex: ed Forest S, Walthamstow: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Essex 1908, a: cr 7 matches; 104 runs, av 13.00; none for 13; 4 ct: no fifties: a career soldier, incl governor Tower of London 1933-1945: awarded DSO 1918: emigrated to Kenya 1949: d 14.ii.1950 Nairobi, Kenya.

**FEARNLEY, Charles Duncan**

b 12.iv.1940 Pudsey, Yorkshire: left-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm off-break bowler; versatile field, incl occ wicketkeeper: Worcestershire 1962-1968, p: cr 2,896 runs, av 19.70; one for 37; 28 ct: hs 112 v Derbyshire, Kidderminster, 1966: younger brother of M.C. (Yorkshire 1962-1964): later, managing director Duncan Fearnley Ltd (cricket eqpt mfg).

**FELLOWS-SMITH, Jonathan Payn** ('Pom-Pom')

b 3.ii.1932 Durban (Natal), South Africa: ed Durban HS; Oxford U: UK resident from 1952: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Northamptonshire 1957, a: cr 12 matches; 546 runs, av 28.73; none for 180; 8 ct: hs 109 v Sussex, Hove, 1957: played four Tests for South Africa: played rugby union for Richmond and Northampton: 'if the game can conceivably be used as a force to unite conflicting racial groups, there seems to be no reason why South African cricket should not recover from its malaise': d 28.ix.2013 Luton, Bedfordshire.

**FERRIS, John James**

b 21.v.1867 Sydney, New South Wales: ed St Kilda C, Sydney: left-hand middle-order, later opening batsman; left-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: UK resident from 1890, returning to Australia 1895: Gloucestershire 1892-1895, a: cr 59 matches; 1,823 runs, av 17.52; 125 wkt, av 26.12; 27 ct: hs 106 v Sussex, Hove, 1893: bb 6-37 v Kent, Maidstone, 1893: played eight Tests for Australia, one for England: *Wisden* cricketer 1889: 'no one who can recall the cricket season of 1888 will need to be told what a sensation he and Charles Turner created ... for Gloucestershire, however, he proved as a bowler – not to mince matters – an utter failure': d 17.xi.1900 Durban, Natal, following a fall from a tram.

**FIDDIAN-GREEN, Charles *Anderson Fiddian***

b 22.xii.1898 Handsworth, Birmingham: ed Leys S, Cambridge; Cambridge U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field, incl occ wicketkeeper: Warwickshire 1920-1922, 1924-1926, 1928, a; Worcestershire 1931-1933, a: cr 83 matches; 3,087 runs, av 28.81; 5 wkt, av 67.80; 57 ct, 1 st: hs 108 v Essex, Worcester, 1931, on Worcestershire debut: played hockey for Worcestershire and England: d 5.ix.1976 Great Malvern, Worcestershire.

**FIELD, Edwin**

b 18.xii.1871 Hampstead, Middlesex: ed Clifton C, Bristol; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Middlesex 1904-1906, a: cr 6 matches; 234 runs, av 26.00; did not bowl; 5 ct: hs 107\* v Sussex, Lord's, 1905: played rugby union for Richmond, Barbarians and England: d 9.i.1947 Bromley, Kent.

**FINDLAY, William**

b 22.vi.1880 Liverpool, Lancashire: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ bowler; wicketkeeper: Lancashire 1902-1906, a: cr 54 matches; 1,192 runs, av 21.28; none for 15; 96 ct, 12 st: hs 81 v Gloucestershire, Manchester, 1902 and 81 v Sussex, Manchester, 1906: 'efficiency, tact and a pleasant manner': d 19.vi.1963 Westwell, Kent.

**FIRTH, John D'Ewes Evelyn ('Budge')**

b 21.ii.1900 Nottingham: ed Winchester C; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break bowler: Nottinghamshire 1919, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 1; 3 wkt, av 30.00; 1 ct: *Wisden* (school) cricketer 1919: later, career teacher and Anglican clergyman; author various histories and biographies associated with Winchester: 'a combination of wisdom, fun and innocence': d 21.ix.1957 Winchester, Hampshire.

**FISHER, Charles Dennis**

b 19.vi.1877 Seaford, Sussex: ed Westminster S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace or off-break bowler; outfield: Sussex 1898, 1900, 1901, a: cr 10 matches; 246 runs, av 15.37; 3 wkt, av 19.00; 4 ct: hs 80 v Worcestershire, Hove, 1901: later, an academic authority on Tacitus and classical historians: 'Sussex were always on the lookout for a keen amateur, to keep the wage bill down': d 31.v.1916 off Ringkøbing Amt, Denmark, killed in action when his ship was blown up in Battle of Jutland, and having no known grave.

**FISHER, John**

b 4.viii.1897 Hodthorpe, Derbyshire: left-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield; Derbyshire 1921, 1922, p: cr 3 matches; 52 runs, av 10.40; none for 15; 0 ct: no fifties: played football for Burnley: d 22.vi.1954 Castleford, Yorkshire.

**FITZROY, John Maurice**

b 20.ii.1897 Chelsea, Middlesex: ed Royal Naval C, Osborne; Britannia Royal Naval C, Dartmouth: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ right-arm bowler; versatile field: Northamptonshire 1925-1927, a, capt 1925-1927: cr 53 matches; 1,336 runs, av 14.36; two for 68; 44 ct: hs 50 v Kent, Chatham, 1927: later, chairman John Lewis (retailing): d 7.v.1976

Nuneaton, Warwickshire. (*Changed surname to Fitzroy-Newdegate 1936. Styled Honourable from 1943 when his mother was created Viscountess Daventry.*)

**FLEMING, Charles Barnett**

b 28.ii.1887 Derby: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman: Derbyshire 1907, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 2, 3; did not bowl; 0 ct: d 22.ix.1918 Grévillers (Pas-de-Calais), France, from wounds received in action.

**FLETCHER, Barry Elystan**

b 7.iii.1935 Birmingham, Warwickshire: ed Colwyn Bay GS: left-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Warwickshire 1958-1961, p: cr 33 matches; 762 runs, av 18.14; none for 13; 27 ct: hs 75\* v Worcestershire, Birmingham, 1960: played badminton for Wales.

**FLETCHER, Geoffrey Everingham**

b 20.vii.1919 Godalming, Surrey: ed Marlborough C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1939, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 19\*, 15; did not bowl; 1 ct: d 27.iii.1943 nr Matmata (Gabès), Tunisia, killed in action.

**FLINT, Benjamin**

b 12.i.1893 Underwood, Nottinghamshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Nottinghamshire 1919, 1920, p: cr 18 matches; 81 runs, av 9.00; 19 wkt, av 29.57; 5 ct: no four-wicket returns: younger brother of W.A. (Nottinghamshire 1919, 1920, 1922-1929), father of D. (Warwickshire 1948, 1949): chsp umpire 1946-1950, 106 matches: d 20.vii.1959 Nottingham.

**FLINT, Louis Edward**

b 10.i.1895 Ripley, Derbyshire: ed Mundella GS, Nottingham: left-hand lower-order batsman; right-hand fast-medium bowler; outfield: Derbyshire 1919, 1920, a: cr 7 matches; 100 runs, av 9.09; 8 wkt, av 36.37; 1 ct: no four-wicket returns: awarded MC 1917: d 3.iv.1958 Sutton-in-Ashfield, Nottinghamshire.

**FLINTOFF, Andrew** ('Freddie')

b 6.xii.1977 Preston, Lancashire: ed Ribblesdale Hall HS, Preston: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; slip field: Lancashire 1995, 1997-2003, 2005-2009, career curtailed by knee injury: cr 75 matches; 3,802 runs, av 34.88; 89 wkt, av 29.48; 103 ct: hs 160 v Yorkshire, Manchester, 1999: bb 5-24 v Hampshire, Southampton, 1999: played 78 Tests for England, three more matches than his chsp total: CWC young cricketer 1998; *Wisden* cricketer 2004; BBC sports personality 2005: appointed MBE 2006 for services to cricket (Ashes group), later becoming involved in a wide variety of media events: an ECB contracted player from 2000, his appearances in chsp cricket were thereafter intermittent 'a farmhand delighting in the coconut shy'.



**FLOWERS, Thomas**

b 25.x.1868 Arnold, Nottinghamshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm slow-medium bowler: Nottinghamshire 1894, p: cr 1 match; two innings, 5, 11; none for 10; 0 ct: chsp umpire 1914-1926, 176 matches: d 26.iii.1939 Nottingham. (*Surname registered at birth as Flower.*)

**FLOWERS, Wilfred**

b 7.xii.1856 Calverton, Nottinghamshire: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm off-break bowler; outfield: Nottinghamshire 1890-1896, p: cr 97 matches; 3,306 runs, av 21.89; 235 wkt, av 19.67; 43 ct: hs 119 v Yorkshire, Nottingham, 1895: bb 7-24 v Kent, Maidstone, 1894: played eight Tests for England: chsp umpire 1907-1912, 99 matches, career curtailed by failing eyesight: his benefit match, Middlesex v Somerset, Lord's, 1899, was finished in 350 balls, the shortest-ever completed chsp game, so it was as well 'he bore the ups and downs of life with much philosophy': d 1.xi.1926 Carlton, Nottinghamshire. (*Surname registered at birth as Flower.*)

**FOLEY, Cyril Pelham**

b 1.xi.1868 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-or lower-batsman; occ right-arm slow bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1893, 1894, 1898, 1899, 1901-1906, a: cr 54 matches; 1,229 runs, av 15.55; one for 26; 14 ct: hs 72 v Gloucestershire, Bristol, 1893: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: he 'never seemed to be happy without adventure', taking part in the Jamieson Raid of 1895, where he narrowly avoided serious legal proceedings, and an expedition to Palestine in 1909 to find the Ark of the Covenant: d 9.iii.1936 Wimborne St Giles, Dorset.

**FORD, Francis Gilbertson Justice** ('Stork')

b 14.xii.1866 Paddington, Middlesex: ed Repton S; Cambridge U: left-hand middle-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; slip field: Middlesex 1890, 1892-1899, a: cr 81 matches; 3,993 runs, av 30.48; 44 wkt, av 31.56; 62 ct: hs 160 v Sussex, Lord's, 1899: bb 6-56 v Lancashire, Lord's, 1899: played five Tests for England: younger brother of W.J. (Middlesex 1894): 'elegant in style, standing upright,' he was 'six foot two of don't care': d 7.ii.1940 Burwash, Sussex.

**FORD, Neville Montague** ('Foghorn')

b 18.xi.1906 Repton, Derbyshire: ed Harrow S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Derbyshire 1926-1931, 1934, a: cr 27 matches; 596 runs, av 14.53; one for 53; 5 ct: hs 65 v Middlesex, Lord's, 1930: later, director Wiggins Teape (paper mfg): in 1944, from a captured German officer, 'Excuse me, we have grown very fond of the British officer with the foghorn voice. We haven't heard him lately: is he still alive?': d 15.vi.2000 Bembridge, Isle of Wight.

**FORMAN, Frederick Gerald**

b 30.viii.1884 Chellaston, Derbyshire: unknown-hand lower-order batsman: Derbyshire 1911, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 0, 3; did not bowl; 1 ct: played hockey for Derbyshire: d 8.xii.1960 Penzance, Cornwall.

**FORSTER, Harold Thomas**

b 14.xi.1878 Winchester, Hampshire: left-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm slow medium bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1911, a: cr 4 matches; 25 runs, av 8.33; one for 120; 2 ct: a career soldier, he played briefly for his county while on leave in 1911: awarded MC 1916 and bar 1917, DSO 1917 and bar 1918, valour of an exceptional order: d 29.v.1918 nr Ventelay (Marne), France, believed killed in action.

**FORSTER, Henry William**

b 31.i.1866 Catford, Kent: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; mid-off field: Hampshire 1895, a: cr 2 matches; 39 runs, av 13.00; one for 34; 3 ct: president MCC 1919-1920: Conservative MP for Sevenoaks 1892-1918, for Bromley 1918, 1919; Government Whip 1902-1905, junior minister War Office 1915-1919, Governor-General of Australia 1920-1925; later, director Australian Mutual Provident, English, Scottish and Australian Bank and other companies: appointed Privy Counsellor 1917; created Baron Forster, of Lepe 1919; appointed GCMG 1920: d 15.i.1936 Marylebone, Middlesex.

**FOSH, Matthew Kailey**

b 26.ix.1957 Epping, Essex: ed Harrow S; Cambridge U: left-hand opening batsman; outfield: Essex 1977, 1978: cr 13 matches; 458 runs, av 20.81; did not bowl; 5 ct: hs 66 v Kent, Folkestone, 1977: played rugby union for Harlequins and England Under-23 team: later, chief executive Novae Group (insurance): 'a cricket career was not what he wanted'.

**FOSTER, Arthur Webster**

b 12.viii.1894 Small Heath, Birmingham: ed Repton S; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Warwickshire 1914, a: cr one match; two innings, 0, 1\*; did not bowl; 2 ct: later, director Foster Bros (men's outfitters): younger brother of F.R. (Warwickshire 1908-1914): 'sentenced to military detention under armed guard' on six occasions in the Great War while serving with the Coldstream Guards: d 9.i.1954 Acocks Green, Birmingham.

**FOSTER, Basil Samuel**

b 12.ii.1882 Great Malvern, Worcestershire: ed Malvern C; right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ bowler; slip field: Worcestershire 1902, 1903, 1908, 1909, a; Middlesex 1911, 1912, a: cr 17 matches; 245 runs, av 10.20; none for 29; 15 ct: no fifties: fourth of seven Foster brothers who played for Worcestershire in chsp matches: amateur rackets singles champion 1912, 1913; with various partners, amateur doubles champion 1903, 1907, 1910, 1911, 1913: later, well-known character actor, specialising in urbane gentlemen, and theatre manager: 'his appearances for Worcestershire were often the result of frantic telegrams from his brothers': d 28.ix.1959 Uxbridge, Middlesex.

**FOSTER, Derek George**

b 19.iii.1907 Sutton Coldfield, Warwickshire: ed Shrewsbury S: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; versatile field: Warwickshire 1928-1934, a: cr 49 matches; 695 runs, av 10.22; 138 wkt, av 25.39; 47 ct: hs 70 v Somerset, Taunton, 1931:bb 7-42 v Surrey, Kennington, 1930: played hockey for Warwickshire: reported to have thrown cricket

ball 121.6m (133 yd) 1933, the longest measured throw by a chsp cricketer until surpassed by I.L.Pont in 1981 (see below): d 13.x.1980 Chipping Campden, Gloucestershire.

**FOSTER, Geoffrey Norman**

b 16.x.1884 Great Malvern, Worcestershire: ed Malvern C, Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm bowler; versatile field: Worcestershire 1903-1908, 1910, 1911, 1913, 1914, a; Kent 1921, 1922, a: cr 81 matches; 4,117 runs, av 29.61; two for 43; 96 ct: hs 175 v Leicestershire, Leicester, 1913: fifth of seven Foster brothers who played for Worcestershire in chsp matches: played football for Corinthians and England amateur team: later, director Foster Turner Benson (advertising) and other companies: d 11.vii.1971 Westminster, Middlesex.

**FOSTER, Neville John Acland**

b 28.ix.1890 Great Malvern, Worcestershire: ed Malvern C: right-hand middle-order batsman; versatile field: Worcestershire 1914, 1923, a: cr 8 matches; 219 runs, av 21.90; did not bowl; 5 ct: no fifties: youngest of seven Foster brothers who played for Worcestershire in chsp matches: a rubber planter who spent much of his life in Malaya, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: awarded MC 1917; appointed OBE 1932 for military services in Federated Malay States: d 8.i.1978 Great Malvern, Worcestershire.

**FOSTER, Reginald Erskine** ('Tip')

b 16.iv.1878 Great Malvern, Worcestershire: ed Malvern C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; slip field: Worcestershire 1899-1903, 1905-1907, 1910, a, capt 1901: cr 72 matches; 5,486 runs, av 48.12; 15 wkt, av 53.00; 85 ct: hs 246\* v Kent, Worcester, 1905: no four-wicket returns: played eight Tests for England: *Wisden* cricketer 1901: third of seven Foster brothers who played for Worcestershire in chsp matches: played football for Corinthians and England, and the only man to captain England in both cricket and football: 'he could at any time return to first-class cricket and play as well as if he had been in full practice all season': d 13.v.1914 West Brompton, Middlesex, from diabetes.

**FOSTER, Wilfrid Lionel** ('Bill')

b 2.xii. 1874 Great Malvern, Worcestershire: ed Malvern C; Royal Military A, Woolwich: right-hand opening batsman; cover field: Worcestershire 1899, 1903, 1905-1909, 1911, a: cr 26 matches; 1,477 runs, av 34.34; did not bowl; 15 ct: hs 172\* v Hampshire, Worcester, 1899: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: second of seven Foster brothers who played for Worcestershire in chsp matches: played football for Corinthians; amateur rackets singles finalist and doubles champion, with H.K.Foster, 1898: later, director Chance Bros (glass mfg): awarded DSO 1903; appointed OBE 1919 for services to prisoner-of-war funds: d 22.ii.1958 Ryton (nr Shifnal), Shropshire.

**FOULKE, William Henry** ('Fatty')

b 12.iv.1874 Dawley (now Telford), Shropshire; right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm bowler; slip field: Derbyshire 1900, p: cr 4 matches; 65 runs, av 10.83; two for 92; 2 ct: hs 53 v Essex, Leyton, 1900: played football for Sheffield United and England: a huge man, he was reported as weighing 20 st (about 128 kg) or more during his professional sports career, so

probably the heaviest player in chsp cricket: d 1.v.1916 Sheffield, Yorkshire, of cirrhosis.  
(Surname registered at birth as Foulk.)

### **FOWLER, Archibald John Burgess**

b 1.iv.1891 Marylebone, Middlesex: right-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler: versatile field: Middlesex 1921-1924, 1930, p; cr 20 matches; 109 runs, av 7.78; 27 wkt, av 27.59; 8 ct: bb 5-29 v Lancashire, Manchester, 1924: head coach MCC 1935-1939; chsp umpire 1954-1956, 47 matches: 'for many generations, a familiar part of the Lord's scene': d 7.v.1977 Basingstoke, Hampshire.

### **FOWLER, Robert St Leger**

b 7.iv.1891 Rahinstown (Co Meath), Ireland: ed Eton C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm off-break bowler: Hampshire 1924, a: cr 2 matches; 56 runs, av 14.00; 4 wkt, av 19.00; 0 ct: hs 51 v Middlesex, Lord's, 1924: no four-wicket returns: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: awarded MC 1918: best known as schoolboy hero of 'Fowler's match' at Lord's 1910, when Harrow, having been left 55 to win, were dismissed by Eton for 45, Fowler taking eight for 23: d 13.vi.1925 Rahinstown (Co Meath), Eire, from leukaemia.

### **FOWLER, Theodore Humphrey**

b 25.ix.1879 Cirencester, Gloucestershire: ed Lancing C; St Bartholomews Hospital Medical C, London: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ bowler; versatile field, incl occ wicketkeeper: Gloucestershire 1901-1903, 1905, 1914, a: cr 41 matches; 822 runs, av 12.84; none for 31; 32 ct, 1 st: hs 54\* v Derbyshire, Bristol, 1901 and 54 v Middlesex, Bristol, 1902: d 17.viii.1915 Epsom, Surrey, from wounds and effects of shell shock received while on active service.

### **FOX, Herbert Francis**

b 1.viii.1858 Brislington, Somerset: ed Clifton C, Bristol; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1891, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 4; did not bowl; 0 ct: later, author school textbooks on Greek and Latin: d 20.ii.1926 Camberwell, Surrey.

### **FOY, Philip Arnold**

b 16.x.1891 Axbridge, Somerset: ed Bedford S: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; versatile field: Somerset 1920, 1930, a: cr 18 matches; 352 runs, av 13.53; 32 wkt, av 22.15; 16 ct: hs 72 v Essex, Leyton, 1920: bb 5-57 v Warwickshire, Bath, 1920: a civil engineer, he emigrated to Argentina 1909, but played in UK when on leave: awarded MC 1918: d 12.ii.1957 Adrogué (Buenos Aires province), Argentina.

### **FRANCIS, Howard Henry**

b 26.v.1868 Bristol, Gloucestershire: ed Hallam Hall S, Clevedon: right-hand opening, later middle-order batsman; versatile field, incl occ wicketkeeper; Gloucestershire 1890, 1891, 1894, a: cr 15 matches; 406 runs, av 16.24; did not bowl; 7 ct, 1st: hs 55 v Middlesex, Bristol, 1894: older brother of C.J. (Gloucestershire 1895): emigrated to Cape Colony 1895 where he played two Tests for South Africa: d 7.i.1936 Sea Point (Cape Province), South Africa.

**FRANCIS, Thomas Egerton Francis** ('Tim')

b 21.xi.1902 Uitenhage, Cape Colony: UK resident from 1916: ed Tonbridge S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Somerset 1921-1923, 1925, a: cr 16 matches; 218 runs, av 9.08; none for 19; 8 ct: no fifties: played rugby union for Blackheath, Transvaal, Barbarians and England: returned to South Africa c 1926, later moving to Southern Rhodesia: appointed OBE 1965 for services to sport in Rhodesia: d 24.ii.1969 Bulawayo, Rhodesia.

**FRANKLIN, Henry William Fernehough**

b 30.vi.1901 Ford End, Essex: ed Christ's Hospital, Horsham; Oxford U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break bowler; versatile field: Essex 1921-1924, 1927-1931, a: cr 69 matches; 1,673 runs, av 19.91; 33 wkt, av 44.75; 35 ct: hs 106 v Middlesex, Leyton, 1923: bb 4-40 v Kent, Leyton, 1927: older brother of R.C. (Essex 1925): played rugby union for Leicester, Barbarians and in England trial: later, author school textbooks on Latin; chairman Government committee on punishment in penal institutions 1951: d 25.v.1985 Worthing, Sussex.

**FREDERICK, Edward Boscawen**

b 29.vi.1880 Loppington, Shropshire: ed Eton C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm slow bowler; close field: Hampshire 1903, 1904, a: cr 5 matches; 32 runs, av 6.40; 9 wkt, av 36.77; 10 ct: no four-wicket returns: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: succeeded his brother as ninth Frederick baronet 1938: appointed CVO 1938 for services to the royal household in the Yeomen of the Guard: d 26.x.1956 St John's Wood, Middlesex.

**FREEMAN, Charles Redfern**

b 22.viii.1887 Overseal, Derbyshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Derbyshire 1911; p: cr 1 match; two innings, 3, 4; did not bowl; 1 ct: played football for Chelsea: d 16.iii.1956 Fulham, Middlesex. (Second forename sometimes reported as Redfearn.)

FREEMAN-THOMAS, F., see THOMAS, F., below.

**FREETHY, Albert Edwin**

b 27.iv.1885 Swansea, Glamorgan: ed Cwrt Sart S, Briton Ferry: right-hand opening batsman; outfield: Glamorgan 1921, a: cr 3 matches; 79 runs, av 26.33; did not bowl; 1 ct: no fifties: played rugby union for Neath; rugby union international referee, officiating Olympic Games final 1924: d 17.vii.1966 Neath, Glamorgan.

FRITH, W.G.L., see LOWNDES, W.G.L.F., below.

**FRY, Charles Anthony**

b 14.i.1940 Henley-in-Arden, Warwickshire: ed Repton S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Hampshire 1960, a; Northamptonshire 1962, a: cr 6 matches; 154 runs, av 17.11; none for 4; 1 ct: no fifties:

president MCC 2003-2004: son of S. (Hampshire 1922, 1929-1931), grandson of C.B. (Sussex 1894-1908; Hampshire 1909-1912, 1914, 1920, 1921): later, director LIT Holdings (investment management) and other companies.

**FULCHER, Eric Jesser**

b 12.iii.1890 Bearsted, Kent: ed Radley C: right-hand lower-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Kent 1919, a: cr 4 matches; 61 runs, av 12.20; none for 41; 5 ct: no fifties: awarded MC 1918: d 12.ii.1923 Llandogo, Monmouthshire, from injuries received in gun accident.

**FULTON, Herbert Angus**

b 3.x.1872 Bengaluru (Mysore), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Bedford S: unknown-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Worcestershire 1914, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 2\*; did not bowl; 0 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: awarded DSO 1917: d 23.xii.1951 Minehead, Somerset. (*Before 1914 second forename sometimes reported as Albrecht.*)

**FUSSELL, Philip Hillier**

b 12.ii.1931 Rode, Somerset: ed Monckton Combe S, Bath: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; close field: Somerset 1953, 1956, a; cr 2 matches; 10 runs, av 2.50; one for 71; 1 ct: represented England at clay-pigeon shooting, also Great Britain veterans champion 1992, 1998: later, director A.Fussell and Sons (brewing): listed by *The Field* magazine 2009 as 'among the top 100 shots of all time'.

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**GABE-JONES, Arthur Royston**

b 25.xi.1906 Clydach Vale, Glamorgan: ed Blundell's S, Tiverton: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Glamorgan 1922, a: cr 1 match; 6\* in only innings; did not bowl; 0 ct: aged 15 yr 9 mth in his only match while still at school, the youngest player and the only fifteen-year-old to play chsp cricket: played rugby union for Cardiff: d 26.ii.1965 Cardiff, Glamorgan.

**GALLEY, James Martyn**

b 4.x.1944 Bristol, Gloucestershire: ed Cathedral S, Bristol; St Luke's C, Exeter: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1969: cr 3 matches; 27 runs, av 5.40; did not bowl; 1 ct: played rugby union for Bath: d 4.x.2012 Bath, Somerset.

**GAMBLE, Frederick Charles**

b 29.v.1905 St Pancras, Middlesex: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Surrey 1933-1935, p: cr 17 matches; 108 runs, av 8.30; 36 wkt, av 37.19; 9 ct: bb 4-82 v Hampshire, Bournemouth, 1934: played football for West Ham United: d 15.v.1965 Lambeth, Surrey.

**GAMLIN, Herbert Temlett**

b 12.ii.1878 West Buckland, Somerset: ed Wellington S (Somerset): right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm off-break bowler; outfield: Somerset 1895, 1896, p: cr 3 matches; 7 runs, av

1.16; two for 207; 4 ct: played rugby union for Blackheath and England: as a rugby player, reported as 'probably the most powerful and effective tackler on record': d 12.vii.1937 Cheam, Surrey.

**GARNETT, Thomas Ronald**

b 1.i.1915 Marple, Cheshire: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; close field: Somerset 1939, a: cr 4 matches; 152 runs, av 25.33; did not bowl; 5 ct: hs 75 v Northamptonshire, Taunton, 1939: Eton Fives amateur champion (with A.J.Wreford-Brown) 1949: emigrated to Australia 1961, where secretary Royal Australasian Ornithologists Union 1974-1980: appointed OAM 1996 for services to horticulture: d 22.ix.2006 Castlemaine (Victoria), Australia.

**GARRATT, Humphry Stone**

b 12.i.1898 Kingston upon Thames, Surrey: ed Haileybury C, Hertford Heath; Royal Military A, Woolwich: right-hand lower-order batsman; versatile field: Worcestershire 1928, a: cr 3 matches; 63 runs, av 12.60; did not bowl; 2 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: awarded MC 1919: d 1.ix.1974 Worplesdon, Surrey.

**GARRETT, Hubert Frederic**

b 13.xi.1894 Malvern (Victoria), Australia: ed Melbourne GS; Cambridge U: UK resident from c 1912: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break and googly bowler; outfield: Somerset 1913, a: cr 8 matches; 172 runs, av 14.33; 14 wkt, av 36.28; 3 ct: no four-wicket returns: d 4.vi.1915 Krithia (Çannakale), Turkey, killed in action while serving with British Army and having no known grave.

**GAUNT, Howard Charles Adie** ('Tom')

b 13.xi.1902 Edgbaston, Birmingham: ed Tonbridge S; Cambridge U; Cuddesdon C: right-hand middle-order batsman: Warwickshire 1920-1922, a: 9 matches; 112 runs, av 7.00; did not bowl; 4 ct: no fifties: played hockey for Warwickshire: a career teacher, later an Anglican clergyman and well-known hymnologist, one of only two chsp players to pursue the latter interest: 'appeared on Round Britain Quiz in 1949': d 1.ii.1983 Winchester, Hampshire.

**GAY, David William Maurice**

b 2.iv.1920 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Shrewsbury S: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler: Sussex 1949, a: cr 2 matches; 5 runs, av 2.50; 3 wkt, av 25.33; 1 ct: awarded MC 1945: emigrated to New Zealand 1958: 'during the course of the war he had seventeen near misses': d 10.vii.2010 Hamilton (Waikato), New Zealand.

**GAY, Leslie Hewitt**

b 24.iii.1871 Brighton, Sussex: ed Brighton C; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Somerset 1894, a; Hampshire 1900, a: cr 13 matches; 235 runs, av 10.68; did not bowl; 16 ct, 4 st: played one Test for England: played football for Corinthians and England: although a double international at age 23, played very little high-level sport: d 1.xi.1949 Sidmouth, Devon.

**GENDERS, William Roy**

b 21.i.1913 Dore, Derbyshire: ed King's S, Ely; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Derbyshire 1946, a; Worcestershire 1947, a; Somerset 1949, a: cr 7 matches; 176 runs, av 14.66; 3 wkt, av 23.00; 5 ct: hs 55\* v Derbyshire, Chesterfield, 1947: played football for Sheffield United: later, well known as a 'prolific author' on farming, gardening and sporting subjects: d 28.ix.1985 Worthing, Sussex.

**GENTRY, Jack Sydney Bates**

b 4.x.1899 Wanstead, Essex: ed Christ's Hospital, Horsham: right-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1919, a; Surrey 1922, 1923, a; Essex 1925, a, the first cricketer to play for three counties in the chsp: cr 10 matches; 39 runs, av 7.80; 30 wkt, av 20.43; 3 ct: bb 4-36 v Essex, Leyton, 1922: appointed OBE 1942, CIE 1946 for services to port management, latterly in Calcutta, CBE 1965 for services as managing director Tees Conservancy: d 16.iv.1978 Loxwood, Sussex.

**GEORGE, William**

b 29.vi.1874 Shrewsbury, Shropshire: right-hand middle-order batsman; versatile field: Warwickshire 1901, 1902, 1906, p: cr 10 matches; 268 runs, av 19.14; did not bowl; 5 ct: hs 71 v Hampshire, Basingstoke, 1906: played football for Aston Villa and England: d 4.xii.1933 Selly Oak, Birmingham.

**GERMAN, Arthur Clive Johnson**

b 28.vi.1905 Ashby-de-la-Zouch, Leicestershire: ed Repton S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Leicestershire 1923, 1924, a; cr 3 matches; 73 runs, av 12.16; did not bowl; 2 ct: no fifties: played football for Corinthians: d 2.ii.1968 Aberdeen, Scotland.

**GERRARD, Ronald Anderson**

b 26.i.1912 Hong Kong: UK resident from 1927: ed Taunton S: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1935, a: cr 3 matches; 36 runs, av 7.20; did not bowl, 1 ct: played rugby union for Bath, Barbarians and England: awarded DSO 1942: d 22.i.1943 nr Tripoli (Tripolitania), Libya, killed in action.

**GIBBS, Joseph Arthur**

b 25.xi.1867 Westminster, Middlesex; ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1891, 1893, 1894, a: cr 3 matches; 24 runs, av 5.80; did not bowl; 0 ct: later, author much-reprinted book on village life in the Cotswolds: d 13.v.1899 Marylebone, Middlesex, from heart failure.

**GIBSON, Clement Herbert**

b 23.viii.1900 Entre Rios province, Argentina: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: UK resident 1913-1923: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; versatile field: Sussex 1919, 1921, 1926, a: cr 25 matches; 401 runs, 13.82; 36 wkt, av 44.80; 14 ct; hs 54 v Surrey, Kennington, 1926: bb 4-36 v Somerset, Hastings, 1921: *Wisden* (schoolboy) cricketer 1918: from a British family with agricultural interests in Argentina, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: d 31.xii.1976 Buenos Aires, Argentina.



**GIBSON, Kenneth Lloyd**

b 11.v.1888 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Eton C: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ bowler; wicketkeeper: Essex 1909-1911, a; cr 33 matches; 745 runs, av 16.19; one for 9; 48 ct, 9 st: hs 75 v Surrey, Kennington, 1911: later, well known in racing as an amateur rider, then as handicapper and later as clerk at various racecourses: succeeded his father as second Gibson baronet 1932: d 14.v.1967 Marylebone, Middlesex.

**GILBERT, Humphrey Adam** ('Barmy')

b 2.vi.1886 Malabar Hill, Bombay, India: UK resident from an early age: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace or off-break bowler; versatile field: Worcestershire 1921-1924, 1928, 1929, a: cr 69 matches; 538 runs, av 7.27; 245 wkt, av 27.32; 34 ct: bb 7-60 v Nottinghamshire, Worcester, 1921: a career barrister, his appearances after 1922 were intermittent: later, author various books on angling and natural history; early practitioner of bird-ringing: d 19.vii.1960 Bishopstone, Herefordshire.

**GILL, Fairfax**

b 3.xi.1883 Wakefield, Yorkshire: right-hand middle-order batsman; cover field: Yorkshire 1906, p: cr 2 matches; 18 runs, av 4.50; did not bowl; 0 ct: d 1.xi.1917 Boulogne-sur-Mer (Pas-de-Calais), France, from wounds received in action.

**GILLESPIE, Francis Sydney**

b 26.iii.1889 Norwood, Surrey: ed Dulwich C: left-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Surrey 1913, a: cr 5 matches; 186 runs, av 20.66; did not bowl; 1 ct: hs 72 v Gloucestershire, Kennington, 1913: d 18.vi.1916 nr Ieper (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, from wounds received in action.

**GILLIGAN, Frank William**

b 20.ix.1893 Camberwell, Surrey: ed Dulwich C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Essex 1919-1929, a: cr 75 matches; 1,687 runs, av 21.90; none for 6; 85 ct, 32 st: hs 78\* v Gloucestershire, Leyton, 1926: older brother of A.E.R. (Surrey 1919; Sussex 1920-1929, 1931, 1932) and A.H.H. (Sussex 1919-1930): a career teacher, he played a few matches each season; emigrated to New Zealand 1935: appointed OBE 1955 for services to education in New Zealand: d 4.v.1960 Wanganui (Wellington Province), New Zealand.

**GIMSON, Christopher**

b 24.xi.1886 Leicester: ed Oundle S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Leicestershire 1921, a; cr 8 matches; 166 runs, av 11.85; none for 32; 4 ct: no fifties: played rugby union for Blackheath, Leicester and Barbarians: a civil servant in India for many years, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: appointed CIE 1943 for public services in India: d 8.xi.1975 Leicester.

**GOLD, Cecil Argo**

b 3.vi.1887 St Pancras, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Middlesex 1907, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 0\*, 0; did not bowl; 0 ct: d 3.vi.1916 Owillers-la-Boiselle (Somme), France, killed in action.

**GOLDIE, Kenneth Oswald**

b 19.ix.1882 Taungoo (Bago Province), Burma: UK resident from an early age: ed Wellington C, Crowthorne; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; versatile field incl occ wicketkeeper: Sussex 1900, 1901, 1905, 1907, 1911, a: cr 59 matches; 1,991 runs, av 22.88; 52 wkt, av 34.65; 61 ct, 2 st: hs 140 v Gloucestershire, Hove, 1901: bb 5-49 v Middlesex, Hove, 1900: a career soldier stationed outside UK for many years from 1901, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: appointed OBE 1918 for military services in Mesopotamia, CIE 1922 for military services in Madras, MVO 1922 for services in connection with royal visit to India: 'always welcome in a Sussex eleven which included several Test cricketers': d 14.i.1938 Guindy (Madras State), India.

**GOMM, Bryan Arthur**

b 24.vi.1918 Castle Cary, Somerset: ed Sexey's GS, Bruton; Dudley C; Carnegie C, Leeds: right-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Somerset 1939, a: cr 2 matches; 7 runs, av 2.33; none for 21; 2 ct: later, director Perkins Engines (engine mfg): d 23.iv.1995 Peterborough, Northamptonshire.

**GOODALL, John**

b 19.vi.1863 Westminster, Middlesex: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Derbyshire 1895, 1896, p: cr 2 matches; 38 runs, av 12.66; did not bowl; 2 ct: played football for Preston North End, Derby County, Racing Club de Roubaix and England, and bowls for England: 'a wonderful footballer, brilliant captain and nature's gentleman': d 20.v.1942 Watford, Hertfordshire.

**GOODLAND, Edward Stanley**

b 22.ix.1883 Taunton, Somerset: ed Taunton S: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1908, 1909, a: cr 4 matches; 47 runs, av 9.40; did not bowl; 2 ct: awarded MC 1916: later, managing director Mallett and Son (antiques), director other companies: d 12.i.1974 Bicknoller, Somerset.

**GOODWIN, Frederick**

b 28.vi.1933 Heywood, Lancashire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Lancashire 1955, 1956, p: cr 8 matches; 46 runs, av 9.20; 23 wkt, av 14.30; 3 ct: bb 5-35 v Middlesex, Lord's, 1955: played football for Manchester United, Leeds United and New York Generals: emigrated to United States 1976: d 19.ii.2016 Gig Harbor (Washington), United States.

**GOODWIN, Harold James**

b 31.1.1886 Edgbaston, Birmingham: ed Marlborough C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break bowler; slip field: Warwickshire 1907, 1908, 1910-

1912, a, capt 1910: cr 19 matches; 728 runs, av 20.80; 15 wkt, av 39.00; 17 ct: hs 101 v Sussex, Hove, 1908: bb 4-35 v Worcestershire, Worcester, 1910: played hockey for Warwickshire and England: 'whenever he appeared, the side played up with dash and vigour': d 24.iii.1917 Arras (Pas-de-Calais), France, killed in action.

### **GOONESENA, Gamini**

b 16.ii.1931 Colombo, Ceylon: UK resident from 1950: ed Royal C, Colombo; Royal Air Force C, Cranwell; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm leg-break and googly bowler; outfield: Nottinghamshire 1953-1958, 1964, p in 1953 and 1954, then a: cr 90 matches; 2,422 runs, av 19.53; 280 wkt, av 25.30; 52 ct: hs 107\* v Northamptonshire, Nottingham, 1955: bb 7-63 v Leicestershire, Leicester, 1958: moved to Australia 1960 but spent much time in Sri Lanka and UK: later, radio broadcaster on cricket: 'the teas that please are Ceylonese': d 1.viii.2011 Canberra (A.C.T.), Australia.

### **GORDON-LENNOX, Hon Bernard Charles**

b 1.v.1878 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman: Middlesex 1903, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 0; did not bowl; 1 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: d 10.xi.1914 Klein Zillebeke (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, killed in action. (*Styled Honourable from birth as grandson of sixth Duke of Richmond, and Lord Bernard Gordon-Lennox from September 1903 when his father became seventh Duke of Richmond.*)

GORDON-WHITE, A.K., see WHITE, A.K.G., below.

### **GORNALL, James Parrington** ('Peter')

b 22.ix.1899 Farnborough, Hampshire: ed Christ's Hospital, Horsham; Keyham Royal Navy C, Plymouth: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Hampshire 1923, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 11, 7: did not bowl; 0 ct: a career naval officer, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: awarded DSO 1945: d 13.xi.1983 Lower Froyle, Hampshire.

### **GORRINGE, Hubert Maurice**

b 31.i.1886 Seaford, Sussex: ed Manor House S, Clapham; London U: right-hand middle-order batsman: Sussex 1920, a: cr 2 matches; 49 runs, av 16.33; did not bowl; 1 ct: awarded MC 1919: d 28.viii.1958 Hove, Sussex.

### **GOSLING, Cecil Henry**

b 22.ii.1910 Hatfield Broad Oak, Essex: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Essex 1930, a: cr 2 matches; 61 runs, av 15.25; did not bowl; 2 ct: no fifties: later, partner Mullens and Co (government stockbroker): awarded MC 1945: d 19.v.1974 Hatfield Broad Oak, Essex, by his own hand.

### **GOSLING, Robert Cunliffe**

b 15.vi.1868 Farnham, Essex: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Essex 1895, 1896, a: cr 3 matches; 50 runs, av 8.33; did not bowl; 0 ct: no fifties: played

football for Corinthians and England: 'his carriage and gait would have done credit to a court chamberlain at a levee': d 8.iv.1922 Farnham, Essex.

### **GOTHARD, Edward James**

b 1.x.1904 Burton upon Trent, Staffordshire: ed Burton GS: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; mid-on or mid-off field: Derbyshire 1947, 1948, a, capt both years: cr 43 matches; 498 runs, av 11.31; 15 wkt, av 41.46; 10 ct: hs 50 v Kent, Gillingham, 1948: no four-wicket returns, but took hat-trick v Middlesex, Derby, 1947: played hockey for Derbyshire: appointed MBE 1945 for military services: 'he hustled about with his spectacles fixed to his temples with adhesive plaster': d 17.i.1979 Birmingham, Warwickshire.

### **GRACE, Edward Mills** ('E.M.')

b 28.xi.1841 Mangotsfield, Gloucestershire: ed Long Ashton S; Bristol Medical C: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; right-arm lob bowler; point field: Gloucestershire 1890-1894, 1896, a: cr 78 matches; 1,973 runs, av 13.79; 41 wkt, av 30.29; 57 ct: hs 96 v Kent, Gloucester, 1890: bb 4-45 v Kent, Maidstone, 1890: played one Test for England: older brother of W.G. (Gloucestershire 1890-1899); great-grandfather of J.R.Bernard (Gloucestershire 1959-1961): he was married four times and fathered eighteen children, the latter perhaps a chsp record! : d 20.v.1911 Thornbury, Gloucestershire.

### **GRAHAM, Leonard**

b 20.viii.1901 Leyton, Essex: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Essex 1926, p; cr 2 matches; 14 runs, av 7.00; did not bowl; 0 ct: played football for Football League XI and England full team while with Millwall Athletic (then in Third Division South): subject of a well-known legal test case in 1934 where it was held that, as a professional footballer, he was not engaged in manual labour but in play and hence not liable to make insurance contributions under the then National Insurance Acts: d 21.xii.1962 Kensington, Middlesex.

### **GRAHAM-BROWN, James Martin Hillary**

b 11.vii.1951 Thetford, Norfolk: ed Sevenoaks S; Kent U, Canterbury: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Kent 1974, 1976; Derbyshire 1977, 1978: cr 28 matches; 325 runs, av 13.00; 11 wkt, av 57.45; 8 ct: no fifties: no four-wicket returns: later, a well known playwright, mainly under the *nom-de-plume* Dougie Blaxland, using the surname of his great-uncle, L.B. (see above).

### **GRANT, William St Clair**

b 8.ix.1894 Bhagalpur (Bengal), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Clifton C, Bristol; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; occ medium-pace bowler; outfield: Gloucestershire 1914, a: cr 4 matches; 55 runs, av 7.85; none for 22; 1 ct: awarded MC 1918: d 26.ix.1918 nr Passendale (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, from wounds received in action.

### **GRANVILLE, Richard St Leger**

b 24.iv.1907 Kings Worthy, Hampshire: ed Eton C: right-hand middle-order batsman: Warwickshire 1934, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 2, 7; did not bowl; 0 ct: leading real tennis player

late 1940s: later, director Charter Consolidated (South African mining and engineering) and other companies: d 8.viii.1972 Banbury, Oxfordshire.

### **GRAVENEY, John Kenneth Richard**

b 16.xii.1924 Hexham, Northumberland: ed Bristol GS: left-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; versatile field: Gloucestershire 1947, 1949-1951, 1963, 1964, p, capt 1963, 1964: cr 99 matches; 1,872 runs, av 14.74; 150 wkt, av 28.28; 48 ct: hs 62 v Leicestershire, Leicester, 1949: bb 10-66 v Derbyshire, Chesterfield, 1949: younger brother of T.W. (Gloucestershire 1948-1960; Worcestershire 1962-1970), father of D.A. (Gloucestershire 1972-1990; Somerset 1991; Durham 1992-1994): later, director Sutcliffe Catering: emigrated to United States 1996: 'always the brother of Tom, but he was more than that': d 25.x.2015 Tyler (Texas), United States.

### **GRAY, Cyril Douglas**

b 26.iv.1895 Hampstead, Middlesex: ed Harrow S: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1925-1927, a: cr 14 matches; 485 runs, av 22.04; two for 30; 7 ct: hs 81 v Warwickshire, Lord's 1927: played golf for England amateur team: d 20.ii.1969 Woking, Surrey.

### **GRAY, John Denis**

b 9.x.1948 Meriden, Warwickshire: ed Woodlands S, Coventry; Loughborough C: left-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm medium-fast bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1968, 1969: cr 5 matches; 25 runs, av 12.50; 11 wkt, av 39.63; 1 ct: no four-wicket returns: played rugby union for Coventry and for England seven-a-side team, then rugby league for Wigan, North Sydney, Manly-Warringah, England and Great Britain: emigrated to Australia 1975.

### **GREEN, Michael Arthur**

b 3.x.1891 Bristol, Gloucestershire: ed Wimbledon S: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; versatile field: Gloucestershire 1912-1914, 1920, 1922, 1924-1928, a; Essex 1930, a: cr 90 matches; 1,995 runs, av 14.45; none for 65; 46 ct: hs 64\* v Surrey, Kennington, 1925: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: played rugby union for Harlequins: member Gold Coast Legislative Council 1938, 1939: awarded MC 1918; appointed OBE 1939 for military services in Gold Coast, CBE 1945 for military services in UK: d 28.xii.1971 Kensington, Middlesex.

### **GREENING, Thomas**

b 6.vi.1882 Stockton-on-Tees, Co Durham: emigrated to India c 1886, returning 1897: right-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1912, a: cr 2 matches; two innings 12\*, 14; one for 91; 0 ct: appointed MBE 1919 for military services: as a club cricketer, 'almost a benediction to be diddled out by him': d 25.iii.1956 Leamington Spa, Warwickshire.

### **GREENSTOCK, William**

b 15.i.1865 Keiskammahoek, Cape Colony: UK resident from an early age: ed Fettes C, Edinburgh; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Worcestershire 1899,

1914, a: cr 3 matches; 49 runs, av 9.80; did not bowl; 2 ct: father of J.W. (Worcestershire 1924, 1925, 1927): later, author school textbooks on Latin and Greek: d 13.xi.1944 Dogmersfield, Hampshire.

**GREENWOOD, Frank Edwards**

b 28.ix.1905 Huddersfield, Yorkshire; ed Oundle S: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Yorkshire 1929-1932, a, capt 1931, 1932, but played in only six matches in 1932 after his father died suddenly before the start of the season: cr 47 matches; 1,250 runs, av 26.59; two for 30; 33 ct: hs 104\* v Glamorgan, Kingston-upon-Hull, 1929: later, managing director Cartwright and Edwards Ltd (pottery): participating in the first-ever 'freak' declaration with B.H.Lyon, 'he learned from the experience': d 30.vii.1963 Huddersfield, Yorkshire.

**GREIG, John Glennie** ('Jungly')

b 24.x.1871 Mhow (Central India), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Downside S, Stratton-on-the-Fosse; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; right-arm slow bowler; versatile field: Hampshire 1901, 1905, 1906, 1910, 1914, 1920-1922, a: cr 74 matches; 4,148 runs, av 33.72; 64 wkt, av 30.86; 49 ct: hs 249\* v Lancashire, Liverpool, 1901: bb 6-38 v Derbyshire, Southampton, 1901: a career soldier stationed in India 1893-1921, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent; from 1935, a Catholic priest: appointed CIE 1911 for services as military secretary to Governors of Bombay: 'an appetite for runs that was gargantuan': d 24.v.1958 Milford on Sea, Hampshire.

**GRIFFIN, Arthur Wilfrid Michael Stewart**

b 19.ii.1887 Iquique (Tarapaca), Chile: UK resident from an early age: ed Harrow S; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1910, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 0, 2; none for 56; 0 ct: awarded MC 1919: d 29.vi.1962 East Grinstead, Sussex.

**GRIFFITHS, William Hugh**

b 26.ix.1923 Marylebone, Middlesex: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Glamorgan 1946-1948, a: cr 8 matches; 34 runs, av 3.77; 17 wkt, av 31.64; 0 ct: bb 4-61 v Surrey, Cardiff, 1947: president MCC 1990-1991; later, captain Royal and Ancient Golf Club: appointed High Court judge 1970, Lord of Appeal 1980: awarded MC 1944; knighted 1971 for services to the judiciary, appointed Privy Counsellor 1980, created Baron Griffiths, of Govilon (law lord, life peer) 1985: 'a tearaway ... he ran up and let it go': d 30.v.2015 London.

**GRIMSHAW, James William Travis**

b 17.ii.1912 Darlington, Co Durham: ed King William's C, Castletown; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler: Kent 1934, a: cr 2 matches; 30 runs, av 15.00; 4 wkt, av 20.00; 1 ct: no four-wicket returns: d 26.ix.1944 Nijmegen (Gelderland), Netherlands, killed in action.

**GRIMSTON, George Sylvester**

b 2.iv.1905 Rawalpindi (Punjab), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Winchester C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break or medium-fast bowler; versatile field: Sussex 1924, 1928, 1929, a: cr 14 matches; 362 runs, av 16.45; 6 wkt, av 29.16; 4 ct: hs 61 v Gloucestershire, Hove, 1928: bb 5-40 v Middlesex, Hove, 1929: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: played hockey for Sussex and Combined Services; later, manager Great Britain Olympic team 1948: d 18.ix.1990 Brighton, Sussex.

**GRINTER, Trayton Golding**

b 12.xi.1885 Leytonstone, Essex: ed Newport Free GS (Essex): right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Essex 1909, 1913, 1920, 1921, a: cr 7 matches; 158 runs, av 14.36; did not bowl; 2 ct: no fifties: scored over 200 centuries in club cricket: later, director, then chairman Cockburn and Co (wine merchant): d 21.iv.1966 Frinton-on-Sea, Essex.

**GROVES, George Jasper**

b 19.x.1868 Nottingham: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Nottinghamshire 1899, 1900, a: cr 16 matches; 520 runs, av 21.66; none for 6; 11 ct: hs 56\* v Kent, Nottingham, 1900: played football for Sheffield United: later, well-known sports writer: d 18.ii.1941 Newmarket, Suffolk, killed when his newspaper office was hit in German bombing raid.

**GROVES, Michael Godfrey Melvin**

b 14.i.1943 Taihape (Wellington), New Zealand: moved to South Africa 1948, UK resident from 1961: ed Diocesan C, Rondebosch: Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; close field: Somerset 1965: cr 7 matches; 305 runs, av 23.46; did not bowl; 7 ct: hs 86 v Derbyshire, Glastonbury, 1965: later, managing director Millford Grain; director other companies.

**GUNASEKARA, Churchill Hector** ('C.H.')

b 27.vii.1894 Colombo, Ceylon: ed Royal C, Colombo; Cambridge U: UK resident 1912-1922, while a medical student and junior doctor: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1919, 1920, 1922, a, the first Sri Lankan cricketer in the chsp: cr 38 matches; 614 runs, av 14.61; 72 wkt, av 28.80; 27 ct: hs 88\* v Surrey, Kennington, 1919: bb 5-15 v Lancashire, Manchester, 1919: played lawn tennis for Ceylon, having several times been national men's singles and doubles champion: d 16.v.1969 Nawala (Western Province), Ceylon.

**GUNNER, John Hugh**

b 17.v.1884 Bishop's Waltham, Hampshire: ed Marlborough C; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; versatile field: Hampshire 1906, 1907, a: cr 5 matches; 33 runs, av 4.71; did not bowl; 4 ct: played hockey for Hampshire: d 9.viii.1918 Kemmel (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, from wounds received in action.

**GUTTRIDGE, Frank Herbert**

b 12.iv.1866 Nottingham: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Nottinghamshire 1890 and 1896-1900, p; Sussex 1892-1894, p, the first cricketer to play for two counties in the chsp: cr 93 matches; 1,896 runs, av 14.25; 139 wkt, av 33.48; 40 ct: hs 79 v Surrey, Kennington, 1898: bb 7-35 v Somerset, Hove, 1894: chsp umpire 1910-1912, 22 matches: played football for Notts County: d 13.vi.1918 Nottingham.

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**HADINGHAM, Anthony Wallace Gwynne**

b 1.iii.1913 Menton (Alpes-Maritimes), France: UK resident from 1913: ed St Paul's S, Barnes; Cambridge U: right-hand opening batsman; outfield: Surrey 1932, a: cr 1 (rain- affected) match; did not bat; did not bowl; 0 ct: emigrated to South Africa 1946: later, director Real Estate Corporation of South Africa (property, gold mining): d 14.vii.1986 Southbroom (Natal), South Africa.

**HADOW, Edward Maitland**

b 13.iii.1863 Sudbury, Middlesex: ed Harrow S: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; cover field: Middlesex 1891, 1893, a: cr 17 matches; 274 runs, av 13.04; 5 wkt, av 22.20; 5 ct: hs 52 v Surrey, Lord's, 1891: no four-wicket returns: amateur rackets singles finalist 1888: d 20.ii.1895 Cannes (Alpes-Maritimes), France.

HAIGH-SMITH, H.A., see SMITH, H.A.H., below.

**HAKE, Herbert Denys**

b 8.xi.1894 Christchurch, Hampshire: ed Haileybury C, Hertford Heath; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; versatile field: Hampshire 1920, 1921, 1923, 1925, a: cr 12 matches; 478 runs, av 17.70; none for 24; 5 ct: hs 94 v Leicestershire, Hinckley, 1921: played hockey for Hertfordshire; amateur rackets singles finalist 1929: emigrated to Australia 1938: appointed OBE 1961 for services to education in Australia: 'games should be played for pleasure, not ultra-competitively': d 12.iv.1975 Camperdown (New South Wales), Australia.

**HALE, Walter Henry**

b 10.iii.1870 Bristol, Gloucestershire: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm slow bowler; versatile field: Somerset 1892, p; Gloucestershire 1895, 1897-1907, 1909, a in 1895 then p, playing a few matches each season: cr 67 matches; 2,106 runs, av 19.50; 8 wkt, av 50.00; 40 ct: hs 135 v Nottinghamshire, Bristol, 1902: no four-wicket returns: played rugby union for Bristol: d 12.viii.1956 Bristol, Gloucestershire. (*Surname registered at birth as Heal.*)

**HALL, Louis**

b 1.xi.1852 Batley, Yorkshire: right-hand opening batsman; occ right-arm lob bowler; slip field: Yorkshire 1890-1892, p: cr 36 matches; 1,183 runs, av 19.83; one for 50; 18 ct: hs 67 v Gloucestershire, Bristol, 1891: *Wisden* cricketer 1890; chsp umpire 1894-1899, 1904, 39 matches: a Methodist lay preacher, he was the 'parson' in 'ten drunks and a parson' reputedly



inherited by Lord Hawke when he became Yorkshire captain in 1883; 'while the public do not appreciate the fact, a sticker can be very useful': d 19.xi.1915 Morecambe, Lancashire.

### **HALL, Patrick Martin**

b 14.iii.1894 Portsmouth, Hampshire: ed Winchester C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Hampshire 1919,1920, 1923, 1926, a: cr 10 matches; 163 runs, av 11.64; did not bowl; 1 ct: hs 94\* v Lancashire, Southampton, 1920: awarded MC 1918: d 5.viii.1941 Fareham, Hampshire.

### **HALL, Thomas Auckland**

b 19.viii.1930 Darlington, Co Durham: ed Uppingham S: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Derbyshire 1949-1952, a; Somerset 1953, 1954, a: cr 48 matches; 776 runs, av 10.93; 132 wkt, av 28.21; 20 ct: hs 69\* v Northamptonshire, Taunton, 1953: bb 5-57 v Leicestershire, Leicester, 1951: later, well-known boat designer and builder, incl *Crossbow* and *Crossbow II* which set world speed-sailing records 1972-1980: d 21.iv.1984 Arlesey, Bedfordshire, after falling from a moving train.

### **HALLIWELL, Ernest Austin** ('Barberton')

b 7.ix.1864 West Ealing, Middlesex: emigrated to Gold Coast 1882, later moving to India and then to Transvaal in 1891: right-hand lower-order batsman, wicketkeeper: Middlesex 1901, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 1; did not bowl; 2 ct, 1 st, at the end of a South Africans tour to Great Britain: played eight Tests for South Africa: *Wisden* cricketer 1905: as a wicketkeeper, 'in his prime, he never had a superior' and said to be 'the first wicketkeeper to put raw steak inside his gloves': d 2.x.1919 Hillbrow (Transvaal), South Africa.

### **HAMILTON, Cyril Penn**

b 12.viii.1909 Adelaide (S.A.), Australia: UK resident from 1914: ed Wellington C, Crowthorne; Royal Military A, Woolwich: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; right-arm slow bowler; outfield: Kent 1935, a: cr 2 matches; two innings, 1, 1; none for 13; 0 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: played hockey for Scotland: d 10.ii.1941 Keren, Eritrea, killed in action.

### **HAMILTON, Gavin Mark**

b 16.ix.1974 Broxburn (West Lothian), Scotland: ed Hurstmere S, Sidcup: left-hand lower, -later middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; outfield: Yorkshire 1994-2003; Durham 2004: cr 71 matches; 2,338 runs, av 27.50; 194 wkt, av 26.08; 23 ct: hs 125 v Hampshire, Leeds, 2000: bb 7-50 v Surrey, Leeds, 1998: played one Test for England: 'suffered from the yips' in county cricket, but later made regular appearances for Scotland teams.

### **HANCOCK, Ralph Escott**

b 20.xii.1887 Cardiff, Glamorgan; ed Rugby S; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1908, 1913, 1914, a: cr 8 matches; 185 runs, av 12.33; did not bowl; 0 ct: no fifties: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: awarded DSO 1914: d 29.x.1914 Festubert (Pas-de-Calais), France, killed in action and having no known grave.

**HANDS, William Cecil**

b 20.xii.1886 Edgbaston, Birmingham: ed King Edward VI Camp Hill GS, Birmingham: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; versatile field: Warwickshire 1909-1920, a, playing a few matches each season: cr 55 matches; 803 runs, av 12.95; 126 wkt, av 25.68; 32 ct: hs 63 v Lancashire Manchester, 1919: bb 5-10 v Surrey, Kennington, 1912: later, director Whitworth Lamp Co (light-bulb mfg) and other companies: d 31.viii.1974 Northwood, Middlesex.

**HANNA, Michael**

b 6.vi.1926 Camberwell, Surrey: ed City of Bath S; Bristol U: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Somerset 1951, 1954, a: cr 2 matches; 5 runs, av 2.50; did not bowl; 0 ct: played rugby union for Bath

**HARBORD, William Edward**

b 15.xii.1908 Manton, Rutland: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Yorkshire 1932, 1933, 1935, a: cr 8 matches; 161 runs, av 16.10; did not bowl; 6 ct: no fifties: later, managing director and chairman John Smith's Brewery, director other companies: his selection for the MCC tour to West Indies 1933-34 was 'mysterious': d 28.vii.1992 Harrogate, Yorkshire.

**HARCOMBE, John Dowie**

b 13.iii.1883 Cape Town, Cape Colony: UK resident from an early age; ed Taunton S: right-hand lower-, later middle-order batsman; right-arm slow bowler; outfield: Somerset 1905, 1914, 1919, a: cr 7 matches; 76 runs, av 7.60; 3 wkt, av 44.00; 2 ct: no fifties: emigrated to United States 1907, returning to UK 1914, emigrated to Kenya 1920, returning to UK 1953: awarded MM 1916: d 19.vii.1954 Taunton, Somerset.

**HARDY, Frederick Percy**

b 26.vi.1880 Blandford Forum, Dorset: ed Preceptors' S, Milton Abbas: left-hand opening or middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield; Somerset 1903-1907, 1909-1914, p: cr 91 matches; 2,486 runs, av 16.35; 77 wkt, av 39.35; 77 ct: hs 91 v Kent, Taunton, 1910: bb 6-82 v Middlesex, Bath, 1910: d 9.iii.1916 Islington, Middlesex, by his own hand while on military service, apparently fearing that he would be returned to combat positions.

**HARE, Steriker Norman**

b 31.iii.1900 Tottenham, Middlesex: ed Chigwell S: right-hand middle-or lower-order batsman; outfield: Essex 1921, a: cr 3 matches; 117 runs, av 23.40; did not bowl; 1 ct: hs 98 v Derbyshire, Leyton, 1921, on chsp debut, going in to bat at 145 for eight: played hockey for Essex: appointed CBE 1960 for services to oil industry in Iraq: d 30.ix.1977 Meadle, Buckinghamshire.

**HARE, William Henry (Dusty')**

b 29.xi.1952 Newark-on-Trent, Nottinghamshire: ed Magnus GS, Newark-on-Trent: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Nottinghamshire 1973, 1974, 1977: cr 8 matches; 124 runs, av 9.53; none for 18; 4 ct: no fifties: played rugby union for

Nottingham, Leicester, Barbarians, England and Lions: appointed MBE 1989 for services to rugby union.

### **HARPER, Kenneth Brand**

b 8.viii.1891 South Kensington, Middlesex: ed Uppingham S: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Middlesex 1910, a: cr 3 matches; 31 runs, av 6.20; did not bowl; 1 ct: an oil industry executive, based for many years from 1918 in India; nominated member of India Council of State (upper house of parliament) 1928-1932, knighted 1936 for services to oil industry in Burma; later, managing director and chairman Burmah Oil, director Shell and other companies: d 21.i.1961 Abinger Hammer, Surrey.

### **HARRIS, John Henry**

b 13.ii.1936 Taunton, Somerset: left-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Somerset 1952, 1953, 1957, 1959, p: cr 13 matches; 134 runs, av 10.30; 14 wkt, av 36.28; 4 ct: no four-wicket returns: chsp umpire 1983-2000, 251 matches; 'such a promising sixteen-year-old, playing school and club cricket around his native Taunton': d 28.iii.2019 Sidmouth, Devon.

### **HARRIS, LORD**

b 3.ii.1851 Port of Spain, Trinidad: UK resident from 1864: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; slip field: Kent 1896, 1897, a: cr 4 matches; 153 runs, av 25.50; did not bowl, 3 ct: hs 119 v Somerset, Taunton, 1896: played four Tests for England; chairman County Cricket Council 1887-1889; president MCC 1895-1896, treasurer 1916-1932: formerly Hon George Robert Canning Harris, succeeded his father as fourth Baron Harris of Seringapatam and Mysore, and of Belmont 1872; Conservative junior minister India Office 1885-1886 and War Office 1886-1889; Governor of Bombay 1890-1895; Lord-in-Waiting (Government Whip) 1895-1900; later, chairman South African Consolidated Goldfields, director London, Chatham and Dover Railway and other companies; appointed GCIE 1890, GCSI 1895 for services to the government of India, CB 1918 for services to the Territorial Army in Kent: 'Rules are made to be broken, Laws are made to be kept': d 24.iii.1932 Throwley, Kent.

### **HARRIS, Stanley Shute**

b 19.vii.1881 Bristol, Gloucestershire: ed Westminster S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Gloucestershire 1902, a; Sussex 1919, a: cr 3 matches; 33 runs, av 16.50; did not bowl; 0 ct: played football for Corinthians and England full and amateur teams: d 4.v.1926 Farnham, Surrey, from skin cancer.

### **HARRIS, Wilfred Ernest**

b 24.iv.1919 St Fagans, Glamorgan: ed Canton HS, Cardiff: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Glamorgan 1938, 1939, 1947, a: cr 5 matches; 59 runs, av 7.37; none for 43; 1 ct: no fifties: younger brother of L.J. (Glamorgan 1947): played rugby union for Swansea: later, registrar University College, Cardiff: d 4.xii.1996 Cardiff, Glamorgan.

**HARRISON, Edward Ernest**

b 25.v.1910 Chichester, Sussex: ed Harrow S: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Sussex 1946, a: cr 7 matches; 75 runs, av 12.50; 11 wkt, av 30.72; 2 ct: no four-wicket returns: amateur doubles squash champion 1934, 1935, also played for England: d 12.xii.2002 Earnley, Sussex.

**HARRISON, George Puckrin** ('Shoey')

b 11.ii.1862 Scarborough, Yorkshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; outfield: Yorkshire 1890-1892, p: cr 17 matches; 116 runs, av 6.44; 62 wkt, av 15.38; 12 ct: bb 6-43 v Sussex, Dewsbury, 1891: chsp umpire 1907-1921, 1923, 1924, 246 matches: 'a cheerful and facetious disposition': d 14.ix.1940 Scarborough, Yorkshire.

**HARROLD, James George William**

b 26.iii.1892 Poplar, Middlesex: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm off-break bowler; versatile field: Essex 1923, 1924, 1928, p: cr 11 matches; 88 runs, av 5.50; 3 wkt, av 41.00; 13 ct: played football for England amateur team (while with Leicester Fosse, then in Division Two): d 7.x.1950 Epsom, Surrey.

**HARRY, Frank**

b 22.xii.1876 Newton Abbot, Devon: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; outfield: Lancashire 1903, 1904, 1906-1908, p; Worcestershire 1920, a: cr 64 matches; 1,335 runs, av 15.00; 187 wkt, av 17.81; 32 ct: hs 88 v Worcestershire, Worcester, 1906: bb 9-44 v Warwickshire, Manchester, 1906: chsp umpire 1921, 19 matches: played rugby league for Broughton Rangers: d 27.x.1925 Great Malvern, Worcestershire.

**HARTLEY, John Cabourn** ('Jock')

b 15.xi.1874 Lincoln: ed Tonbridge S; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break bowler; outfield: Sussex 1895-1898, a: cr 28 matches; 334 runs, av 7.76; 86 wkt, av 28.27; 13 ct: bb 6-31 v Surrey, Kennington, 1896: played two Tests for England, seven years after his last chsp match: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: awarded DSO 1919: d 8.iii.1963 Woodhall Spa, Lincolnshire.

**HARVEY, William Henry**

b 22.xii.1896 Netley, Hampshire: ed Central HS, Leeds: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Warwickshire 1927, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 24; did not bowl; 0 ct: played football for Sheffield Wednesday, Birmingham City and England amateur team: d 16.xi.1972 North Shields, Northumberland.

**HARVEY-WALKER, Ashley John**

b 21.vii.1944 East Ham, Essex: ed Strathallan S, Forgandenny (Perthshire): right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace or off-break bowler; outfield: Derbyshire 1971-1978: cr 76 matches; 2,783 runs, av 21.91; 28 wkt, av 37.00; 28 ct: hs 117 v Warwickshire, Birmingham, 1974: bb 7-35 v Surrey, Ilkeston, 1977: emigrated to South Africa c 1980: d 28.iv.1997 Berea (Gauteng), South Africa, murdered in a bar, 'a bizarre end for such an engaging character'.

**HASTILOW, Cyril Alexander Frederick**

b 31.v.1895 Aston, Birmingham: ed Central GS, Birmingham; Birmingham U: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Warwickshire 1919, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 0, 12; did not bowl; 0 ct: later, director Pinchin, Johnson (paint mfg) and other companies; chairman Smith and Nephew (pharmaceutical mfg): appointed OBE 1946 for public services at the Ministry of Supply, CBE 1955 for services to industry: d 30.ix.1975 Moseley, Birmingham.

**HATFEILD, Charles Eric**

b 11.iii.1887 Margate, Kent: ed Eton C; Oxford U; Wye C: left-hand middle-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; cover field: Kent 1910-1914, a: cr 39 matches; 834 runs, av 16.35; 4 wkt, av 54.75; 24 ct: hs 74 v Gloucestershire, Gravesend, 1911: no four-wicket returns: awarded posthumous MC 1919: 'although an enthusiastic cricketer, he was not good enough to secure a regular place in the county team': d 21.ix.1918 Hargicourt (Aisne), France, killed in action.

**HAWKER, Frank Cyril**

b 21.vii.1900 Epping, Essex: ed City of London S: right-hand lower-order batsman: Essex 1937, a: cr 1 match; two innings 16, 10; did not bowl; 0 ct: president MCC 1970-1971; chairman TCCB 1970-1971: later, director Bank of England and other companies, chairman Standard Chartered Bank: knighted 1958 for services to Bank of England: d 22.ii.1991 Hastings, Sussex.

**HAYWOOD, Esmé Thomas Lancelot Reed**

b 23.viii.1900 Worthing, Sussex: ed Cheltenham C; London U; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1925, 1927, a: cr 7 matches; 134 runs, av 9.57; did not bowl; 1 ct: no fifties: played hockey for Dorset and West of England: a career teacher, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: d 8.i.1985 Fownhope, Herefordshire.

**HAYWOOD, Paul Raymond**

b 30.iii.1947 Leicester: ed Wyggeston GS, Leicester: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler cover field: Leicestershire 1970-1973: cr 46 matches; 1,379 runs, av 21.88; 7 wkt, av 37.28; 12 ct: hs 100\* v Middlesex, Lord's, 1972: bb 4-60 v Surrey, Leicester, 1972: played hockey for Leicestershire.

**HAZLERIGG, Arthur Grey**

b 24.ii.1910 South Kensington, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace or off-break bowler; slip field: Leicestershire 1930-1934, a, capt 1934: cr 31 matches; 1,038 runs, av 23.06; 27 wkt, av 37.81; 36 ct: hs 79\* v Warwickshire, Birmingham, 1931: bb 4-64 v Glamorgan, Leicester, 1931: son of Sir A.G. (see below): awarded MC 1945: succeeded his father as second Baron Hazlerigg 1949: d 30.x.2002 Naseby, Leicestershire.

**HAZLERIGG, Sir Arthur Grey**

b 17.xi.1878 Ayr, Scotland: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; occ right-arm underhand bowler; mid-on field: Leicestershire 1907-1910, a, capt 1907-1910: cr 60 matches; 844 runs, av 11.88; none for 44; 35 ct: hs 55\* v Derbyshire, Leicester, 1909: father of A.G. (see above): president Royal Agricultural Society 1931; created first Baron Hazlerigg, of

Noseley, 1945 for public services in Leicestershire: 'the decision to appoint as leader ... a player with no previous experience of county cricket, was at the time unique': d 25.v.1949 Marylebone, Middlesex. (*Birth registered as Arthur Grey Hazlerigg, he succeeded his grandfather as thirteenth Hazlerigg baronet 1890 at age 12.*)

### **HEALING, John Alfred**

b 14.vi.1873 Forthampton, Gloucestershire: ed Clifton C, Bristol; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; close field: Gloucestershire 1899, 1901, 1906, a: cr 8 matches; 111 runs, av 9.25; did not bowl; 5 ct: no fifties: awarded MC 1917: d 4.vii.1933 Caister-on-Sea, Norfolk.

### **HEARNE, George Gibbons** ('G.G.')

b 7.vii.1856 West Ealing, Middlesex: left-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; left-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Kent 1890-1895, p: cr 57 matches; 1,443 runs, av 19.24; 47 wkt, av 23;93; 35 ct: hs 65\* v Yorkshire, Blackheath, 1893: bb 4-34 v Nottinghamshire, Tonbridge, 1891: played one Test for England: older brother of A. (Kent 1890-1906): 'an even-tempered and humorous man', he later 'specialised in laying out cricket grounds': d 13.ii.1932 Camberwell, Surrey.

### **HEDGES, Lionel Paget**

b 13.vii.1900 Streatham, Surrey: ed Tonbridge S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; cover field: Kent 1919-1924, a; Gloucestershire 1926, 1927, 1929, a: cr 76 matches; 2,577 runs, av 22.40; one for 44; 49 ct: hs 130 v Yorkshire, Maidstone, 1920: *Wisden* (schoolboy) cricketer 1918: a career teacher, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent, thus 'not quite realising the potential he had shown as a schoolboy': d 12.i.1933 Cheltenham, Gloucestershire, from septicaemia.

### **HEDLEY, Walter Cootie**

b 12.xii.1865 Heathfield (nr Taunton), Somerset: ed Marlborough C; Royal Military A, Woolwich: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler, sometimes of doubtful action; slip field: Somerset 1892-1899, 1903, 1904, a; Hampshire 1905, a: cr 84 matches; 2,388 runs, av 18.09; 251 wkt, av 20.89; 54 ct: hs 102 v Yorkshire, Taunton, 1892: bb 8-18 v Yorkshire, Leeds, 1895: amateur rackets singles finalist, doubles champion 1890: a career soldier specialising in surveying, mapping and intelligence, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: appointed CB 1915, CMG 1917, KBE (knighted) 1919, for military services: 'he fitted Somerset's blend of university sportsmen, soldiers, professionals and vicars': d 27.xii.1937 Sunningdale, Berkshire.

### **HELLARD, John Alexander**

b 20.iii.1882 Stogumber, Somerset: ed King's S, Canterbury: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1907, 1910, a: cr 2 matches; 18 runs, av 6.00; did not bowl; 0 ct: a solicitor, he emigrated to Ceylon 1906, returning to UK 1915: d 1.vii.1916 Beaumont-Hamel (Somme), France, killed in action.

### **HEMINGWAY, Ralph Eustace**

b 15.xii.1877 Macclesfield, Cheshire: ed Rugby S: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Nottinghamshire 1903-1905, a: cr 27 matches; 743 runs, av 18.57; none for 6; 15 ct: hs 84 v Sussex, Hove, 1905: younger brother of G.E. (Gloucestershire 1898) and W.M. (Gloucestershire 1893, 1895-1900): played rugby union for Nottingham: 'but his batting did not give the same suggestion of class as the young professionals': d 15.x.1915 Auchy-les-Mines (Pas-de-Calais), France', from wounds received in action and having no known grave.

### **HENDERSON, Robert** ('Midget')

b 30.iii.1865 Newport, Monmouthshire: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm leg- and off-break bowler; outfield: Surrey 1890-1896, p, career curtailed by ill-health: cr 58 matches; 1,291 runs, av 17.21; 9 wkt, av 22.22; 33 ct: hs 106 v Somerset, Kennington, 1891: bb 4-14 v Kent, Kennington, 1893: *Wisden* cricketer 1890: 'a capital batsman with a steady and taking style of play': d 28.i.1931 Wallington, Surrey.

### **HENDREN, Denis**

b 25.ix.1882 Chiswick, Middlesex: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm slow bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1905-1907, 1919, p: cr 9 matches; 109 runs, av 7.78; 3 wkt, av 34.66; 5 ct: older brother of E.H. (Middlesex 1907-1937): chsp umpire 1931-1939, 1947-1949, 251 matches: d 29.v.1962 Paddington, Middlesex.

### **HESELTINE, Christopher**

b 26.xi.1869 South Kensington, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-or lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1895, 1897-1899, 1901-1904, a: cr 48 matches; 971 runs, av 13.48; 113 wkt, av 26.80; 25 ct: hs 77 v Somerset, Portsmouth, 1899: bb 7-106 v Derbyshire, Derby, 1899: played two Tests for England: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: appointed OBE 1921 for military services: d 13.vi.1944 Walhampton (nr Lymington), Hampshire.

### **HESKETH-PRICHARD, Hesketh Vernon** ('Hex')

b 17.xi.1876 Jhansi (United Provinces), India: UK resident from 1877: ed Fettes C, Edinburgh: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1900, 1902-1907, 1912, 1913, a: cr 56 matches; 430 runs, av 6.82; 222 wkt, av 23.11: bb 8-32 v Derbyshire, Southampton, 1905: widely known during his lifetime as writer on travel, hunting and nature conservation, and (with his mother) of 'pulp' fiction: awarded MC 1916, DSO 1918: d 14.vi.1922 Gorhambury, Hertfordshire, from heart failure, probably a consequence of being gassed while on active service. (*Changed surname from Prichard 1900.*)

### **HEWETSON, Edward Pearson**

b 27.v.1902 Edgbaston, Birmingham: ed Shrewsbury S; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1922, 1924-1927, a: cr 25 matches; 242 runs, av 10.08; 55 wkt, av 25.98; 12 ct: bb 5-31 v Derbyshire, Birmingham, 1924: played hockey for Oxfordshire, Warwickshire and South of England: d 26.xii.1977 Bampton, Oxfordshire.

**HEWETT, Herbert Tremenheere** ('Colonel')

b 25.v.1864 Norton Fitzwarren, Somerset: ed Harrow S; Oxford U: left-hand opening batsman; point field: Somerset 1891-1893, a, capt 1891-1893: cr 41 matches; 2,104 runs, av 30.94; did not bowl; 22 ct: hs 201 v Yorkshire, Taunton, 1892: *Wisden* cricketer 1893: a barrister, he resigned from the Somerset captaincy believing that his authority as captain had been 'unwarrantably over-ridden' during the 1893 season: 'a deep, difficult nature which, once upset, took long to recover': d 4.iii.1921 Hove, Sussex.

**HICKLEY, Cecil Spencer**

b 22.i.1865 Ashcott, Somerset: ed Britannia Royal Naval C, Dartmouth: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1898, 1899, a: cr 4 matches; 70 runs, av 8.75; did not bowl; 0 ct: no fifties: a career naval officer, he reached the rank of vice-admiral and was appointed MVO 1909, CB 1920 for his services to the Royal Navy: d 1.v.1941 Kensington, Middlesex.

**HIGGINS, Harry Leslie** ('Laddie')

b 24.ii.1894 Bournville, Birmingham: ed King Edward's S, Birmingham: right-hand middle-order batsman; versatile field, incl occ wicketkeeper: Warwickshire 1920-1927, a: cr 95 matches; 3,397 runs, av 20.71; did not bowl; 54 ct: hs 137\* v Lancashire, Worcester, 1922: younger brother of J.B. (Worcestershire 1912, 1920, 1922-1925, 1927-1930): awarded MC 1916: d 19.ix.1979 Great Malvern, Worcestershire.

**HIGSON, Thomas Atkinson sen**

b 19.xi.1873 Stockport, Cheshire: ed Rossall S, Fleetwood; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm off-break bowler: Derbyshire 1899, 1909, 1910, a; Lancashire 1906, 1907, a: cr 22 matches; 488 runs, av 13.94; 31 wkt, av 30.58; 9 ct: no fifties: bb 4-74 v Warwickshire, Birmingham, 1899: father of P. (Lancashire 1928, 1929, 1931) and T.A. jun (Lancashire 1932, 1933, 1936-1946): a solicitor, he was later director Burgons (retailing) and other companies: as Lancashire chairman after the Second World War he did 'much to rebuild the club ... but he was neither a progressive nor a democratic leader': d 3.viii.1949 Grange-over-Sands, Lancashire.

**HILL, Anthony Ewart Ledger**

b 14.vii.1901 Romsey, Hampshire: ed Marlborough C: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; outfield: Hampshire 1920, 1923-1926, 1929, 1930, a: cr 15 matches; 136 runs, av 6.47; did not bowl; 5 ct: no fifties: son of A.J.L. (Hampshire 1895, 1897-1913, 1919-1921): later, chairman Strong and Co (brewing), director Redland (building materials) and other companies: appointed OBE 1953 for services to boys' clubs in Hampshire: 'he never did himself justice and his highest score was 24': d 25.x.1986 Winchester, Hampshire.

**HILL, Denys Vivian** ('Hooky')

b 13.iv.1896 Edmonton, Middlesex: ed Bloxham S: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Worcestershire 1927, 1928, a, capt 1928: cr 27 matches; 380 runs, av 10.00; 80 wkt, av 28.11; 8 ct: bb 6-59 v Northamptonshire, Northampton, 1927: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited; later awarded an honorary degree by Oxford U for services to its officer cadet force: 'there hasn't been a decent claret since 1892': d 15.v.1971 Barton on Sea, Hampshire.



**HILL, Eric**

b 9.vii.1923 Taunton, Somerset: ed Taunton S: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Somerset 1947-1951, a in 1947, then p: cr 66 matches; 1,858 runs, av 15.26; one for 55; 23 ct: hs 85 v Northamptonshire, Kettering, 1948: later, cricket and rugby union writer for *Daily Telegraph* and other newspapers: awarded DFM 1944, DFC 1945: 'undisputed correctness and style ... but he had little luck': d 27.vii.2010 Williton, Somerset.

**HILL, John Ernest**

b 27.ix.1867 Handsworth, Birmingham: ed King Edward's S, Birmingham: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ left-arm medium-pace bowler; mid-off field: Warwickshire 1895-1898, a: cr 16 matches; 415 runs, av 19.78; none for 14; 11 ct: hs 73 v Gloucestershire, Birmingham, 1895: a career solicitor, his appearances in chsp cricket were limited: public prosecutor Birmingham 1895-1921: d 2.xii.1963 Smethwick, Staffordshire.

**HILLS, Joseph John**

b 14.x.1897 Woolwich, Kent: right-hand middle-order batsman; versatile field, incl occ wicketkeeper: Glamorgan 1926-1931, p, career curtailed by arm injury: cr 98 matches; 2,924 runs, av 19.62; did not bowl; 88 ct, 3 st: hs 166 v Hampshire, Southampton, 1929: played football for Cardiff City: chsp umpire 1939-1956, 231 matches: awarded MM 1918: d 21.ix.1969 Bournemouth, Hampshire.

**HILL-WOOD, Denis John Charles Hill**

b 25.vi.1906 Hoxne, Suffolk: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Derbyshire 1928, 1929, a: cr 4 matches; 76 runs, av 12.66; one for 23; 2 ct: no fifties: son of S.H.Wood (see below), younger brother of B.S.H.Hill-Wood (Derbyshire 1919, 1921, 1923, 1925) and W.W.H.Hill-Wood (see below), older brother of C.K.H.Hill-Wood (Derbyshire 1928-1930): later, director River Plate Investment Trust; chairman Arsenal FC 1962-1982: d 4.v.1982 Hartley Wintney, Hampshire. (*Changed surname to Hill-Wood 1912, keeping Hill as a forename.*)

**HILL-WOOD, Wilfred William Hill**

b 8.ix.1901 Chelsea, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: right-hand opening batsman; right-arm leg-break bowler; versatile field: Derbyshire 1919, 1921-1925, 1935, 1936, a: cr 35 matches; 1,519 runs, av 25.74; 49 wkt, av 31.08; 19 ct: hs 107 v Somerset, Bath, 1923: bb 5-62 v Warwickshire, Derby, 1923: son of S.H.Wood (see below): younger brother of B.S.H.Hill-Wood (Derbyshire 1919, 1921, 1923, 1925), older brother of D.J.C.H.Hill-Wood (Derbyshire 1928, 1929) and C.K.H.Hill-Wood (Derbyshire 1928-1930): later, managing director Morgan Grenfell (merchant bank), director British Sugar, HSBC (banking) and other companies; appointed CBE 1946 for services to the Post Office, KCVO (knighted) 1970 for financial services to the monarchy: 'the antithesis of the traditional amateur ... his strength lay in his defence': d 10.x.1980 Kensington, Middlesex. (*Changed surname to Hill-Wood 1912, keeping Hill as a forename.*)

HILL-WOOD, S.H., see WOOD, S.H., below.

**HILLYARD, George Whiteside**

b 6.ii.1864 Hanwell, Middlesex: ed Britannia Royal Naval C, Dartmouth: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; slip field: Leicestershire 1895, 1896, a: cr 20 matches; 351 runs, av 10.32; 51 wkt, av 24.72; 42 ct: bb 6-125 v Surrey, Leicester, 1895: leading lawn tennis player, winning Olympic men's doubles 1908 (with Reginald Doherty) and British covered courts men's doubles 1890, 1891, 1904, 1905; finalist Wimbledon men's doubles 1890, 1891: secretary All-England Lawn Tennis Club 1907-1925; later, director En-Tout-Cas (sports-surface mfg): d 24.iii.1943 Pulborough, Sussex.

**HIND, Alfred Ernest**

b 7.iv.1878 Preston, Lancashire; ed Uppingham S; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Nottinghamshire 1901, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 3, 2; did not bowl; 0 ct: played rugby union for Leicester, Nottingham, England and Lions; a leading British sprinter 1900, 1901, twice setting new UK 100 yd record (9.8 sec), but neither timing ratified: d 21.ii.1947 Oadby, Leicestershire.

**HIPPISLEY, Harold Edwin**

b 3.ix.1890 Wells, Somerset: ed King's S, Bruton; Royal Agricultural C, Cirencester: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1909, 1910, 1913, a: cr 7 matches; 114 runs, av 9.50; did not bowl; 2 ct: no fifties: played hockey for Somerset and in England trials: d 23.x.1914 Langemark (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, killed in the same combat action as W.S.Yalland (see below) and having no known grave.

**HITCHCOCK, Basil Ferguson Burnett**

b 3.iii.1877 Chatham, Kent: ed Harrow S; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Hampshire 1896, a: cr 2 matches; 33 runs, av 11.00; did not bowl; 0 ct: a career soldier stationed for many years outside UK, his appearances in chsp cricket were limited: awarded MC 1914, appointed CB 1918, KCB (knighted) 1932: 'he was responsible for the demobilisation of five million soldiers immediately following the cessation of hostilities' in 1918-1919: d 23.xi.1938 Westminster, Middlesex. (*Changed surname to Burnett-Hitchcock c 1900.*)

**HOARE, Ernest Stanley**

b 21.vi.1903 Upper Clatford (nr Andover), Hampshire: ed Dean Close S, Cheltenham; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Gloucestershire 1929, a: cr 3 matches; 16 runs, av 4.00; did not bowl; 1 ct: played hockey for Gloucestershire and England, manager Great Britain Olympic team 1956: d 25.ii.1994 Cheltenham, Gloucestershire.

**HODGES, Albert Edward**

b 29.i.1905 Newport, Monmouthshire: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Glamorgan 1936, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 3 and 0; did not bowl; 0 ct: played rugby union for Pontypool and Newport: d 23.ix.1986 Newport, Monmouthshire.

**HODGES, Harold Augustus** ('Bill')

b 22.i.1896 Mansfield, Nottinghamshire: ed Sedbergh S; Oxford U; Sorbonne, Paris: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Nottinghamshire 1911, 1912, a: cr 3 matches; 141 runs, av 47.00; did not bowl; 2 ct: hs 62 v Derbyshire, Blackwell, 1911: played rugby union for Nottingham, Blackheath and England: d 24.iii.1918 Ham (Somme), France, killed in action.

**HODGKINSON, Gerard William**

b 19.ii.1883 Bristol, Gloucestershire: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand middle- or lower- order batsman; versatile field: Somerset 1904, 1906, 1907, 1910, 1911, a: cr 15 matches; 399 runs, av 13.30; did not bowl; 6 ct: hs 99\* v Gloucestershire, Taunton, 1910: emigrated to East Africa 1911, returning to UK c 1922, but served in the Great War in Europe: successful plaintiff in a (then) well-known libel case 1932, but was himself 'the archetypal cad': awarded MC 1917, bar 1918 and second bar 1919, a triple unique among chsp cricketers; appointed OBE 1945 for military services: d 6.x.1960 Wookey, Somerset.

**HODGSON, Gordon**

b 16.iv.1904 Johannesburg (Transvaal), South Africa: UK resident from 1925: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; versatile field: Lancashire 1928-1933, p: cr 42 matches; 186 runs, av 6.88; 107 wkt, av 28.98; 35 ct: bb 6-77 v Middlesex, Lord's, 1932: played football for Transvaal and South Africa, then for Liverpool, Aston Villa, Leeds United and England, scoring 288 goals in top-division English football: d 14.vi.1951 Stoke-on-Trent, Staffordshire, from throat cancer.

**HOGAN, Raymond Patrick**

b 8.v.1932 Temora (New South Wales), Australia: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: UK resident 1954-1959: Northamptonshire 1955, p: cr 2 matches; 18 runs, av 4.50; one for 155; 1 ct: played rugby union for Northampton: d 25.xi.1995 Pine Rivers (Queensland), Australia.

**HOLBECH, William Hugh**

b 18.viii.1882 La Malbaie (Quebec), Canada: UK resident from an early age: ed Eton C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman: Warwickshire 1910, a: cr 1 match; no runs in two innings; did not bowl; 0 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: d 1.xi.1914 Woolwich, Kent, from wounds received in action.

**HOLDER, John Wakefield**

b 19.iii.1945 St George, Barbados: ed Combermere S, Bridgetown: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; versatile field: UK resident from 1963: Hampshire 1968-1972: cr 41 matches; 347 runs, av 10.84; 123 wkt, av 25.76; 9 ct: bb 7-79 v Gloucestershire, Gloucester, 1972: chsp umpire 1983-2009, 367 matches, the first African-Caribbean umpire in the chsp: 'no fuss, no flam, just an amused serenity and complete professionalism'.

**HOLDSWORTH, Romilly Lisle** ('Ronny')

b 25.ii.1899 Mysuru, India: UK resident from 1901: ed Repton S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; versatile field: Warwickshire 1919-1921, a; Sussex 1925-1927, 1929, a: cr 62 matches; 2,361 runs, av 23.84; one for 45; 23 ct: hs 159 v Lancashire, Eastbourne, 1927: a career teacher at schools in UK and India, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: also a well-known mountaineer, reaching the summit of Kamet (7,756m) in the Indian Himalayas in 1931, at that time the highest mountain ever climbed; awarded Pery Medal by Ski Club of Great Britain 1931 for 'his outstanding contribution to snowsports': 20.vi.1976 Blagdon Hill (nr Taunton), Somerset.

**HOLLINS, Frank Hubert**

b 31.x.1877 Bowness-on-Windermere, Westmorland: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman: Lancashire 1902-1904, a: cr 9 matches; 245 runs, av 18.84; did not bowl; 5 ct: hs 114 v Worcestershire, Worcester, 1903: older brother of J.C.H.L. (Lancashire 1914, 1919): later, director Horrockses, Crewdson (textile mfg): succeeded his older brother, A.M., as third Hollins baronet 1938: d 31.i.1963 Paddington, Middlesex.

**HOLLIOAKE, Benjamin Caine**

b 11.xi.1977 Melbourne (Victoria), Australia: UK resident from 1983: ed Millfield S, Street; Wesley C, Perth (W.A.): right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; close field: Surrey 1996-2001: cr 65 matches; 2,197 runs, av 23.37; 101 wkt, av 32.96; 56 ct: hs 118 v Yorkshire, Kennington, 2001: bb 5-51 v Glamorgan, 1999: played two Tests for England: CWC young cricketer 1997: younger brother of A.J. (Surrey 1993-2004): 'only his bowling flirted with the ordinary': d 23.iii.2002 South Perth (W.A.), Australia, killed in road accident.

**HOLLOWAY, Bernard Henry** ('Babe')

b 13.i.1888 Wandsworth, Surrey: ed Leys S, Cambridge; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Sussex 1911-1914, a: cr 5 matches; 69 runs, av 8.62; did not bowl; 1 ct: no fifties: older brother of N.J. (Sussex 1911-1919, 1921, 1924, 1925): played lacrosse for England: 'a complexion which would have created the reputation of any face cream on the market': d 27.ix.1915 Loos-en-Gohelle (Pas-de Calais), France, killed in the same combat action as J.H.A.Ryan (see below) and having no known grave.

**HOLT, Ernest Gerald**

b 2.vii.1904 Burnham-on-Sea, Somerset: ed Marlborough C: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1930, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 8, 4; did not bowl; 0 ct: played hockey for Somerset: later, director Starkey, Knight (brewing) and other companies: d 27.viii.1970 Brent Knoll, Somerset.

**HOLT, Richard Anthony Appleby** ('Bimby')

b 11.iii.1920 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Harrow S: Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Sussex 1938, 1939, a: cr 5 matches; 60 runs, av 10.00; did not bowl; 1 ct: no fifties: amateur rackets doubles champion 1947, 1949, also United States champion 1947, 1951: later, chairman Hutchinson publishing group, director Constable (publishing), Geographia (map publishing) and other companies: d 18.v.2001 South Kensington, Middlesex.

**HOOMAN, Charles Victor Lisle** ('Chubby')

b 3.x.1887 Ditton, Kent: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; versatile field: Kent 1910, a: cr 14 matches; 567 runs, av 28.35; did not bowl; 13 ct: hs 73 v Essex, Leyton, 1910: played for England amateur golf team, and for British Isles in Walker Cup competition: later, director Betts and Co Ltd (tin foil and packaging mfg): emigrated to United States 1961: d 20.xi.1969 Palm Beach (Florida), United States.

**HOPE, Philip Palmer**

b 10.ii.1889 Hartlepool, Co Durham: ed Sherborne S: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Somerset 1914, 1919, 1921, 1925, a: cr 37 matches; 902 runs, av 14.54; one for 145; 16 ct: hs 77 v Essex, Bath, 1914: played rugby union for Bath: 'a [batting] average modest enough to be an embarrassment': d 19.v.1962 Bristol, Gloucestershire.

**HORLICK, James Nockells**

b 22.iii.1886 Brooklyn (New York), United States: UK resident from an early age: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman: Gloucestershire 1907, 1910, a: cr 2 matches; 17 runs, av 5.66; did not bowl; 2 ct: Unionist MP for Gloucester 1923-1929; later, chairman Horlicks Ltd (malted drinks mfg); succeeded his nephew, rather unusually, as fourth Horlick baronet 1958: awarded MC 1917, appointed OBE 1919 for military services; awarded Royal Horticultural Society's Victoria Medal 1963: d 31.xii.1972 Isle of Gigha (Argyll), Scotland.

**HORNBY, Albert Neilson** ('Monkey')

b 10.ii.1847 Blackburn, Lancashire: ed Harrow S; Oxford U (briefly): right-hand opening, later middle- or lower-order batsman; occ bowler; versatile field: Lancashire 1890-1899, a, capt 1890-1893, 1897, 1898: cr 68 matches; 1,235 runs, av 14.70; none for 8; 68 ct: hs 57 v Gloucestershire, Manchester, 1891: played three Tests for England: father of A.H. (Lancashire 1899, 1903-1914): played rugby union for Manchester and England: 'he ruled, with a generally benevolent despotism, both on and off the field': d 17.v.1925 Nantwich, Cheshire.

**HORTON, Thomas**

b 16.v.1871 Edgbaston, Birmingham: ed Repton S: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ right-arm fast bowler; mid-off field; Northamptonshire 1905, 1906, a, capt both years: cr 23 matches; 464 runs, av 12.54; none for 4; 15 ct: no fifties: played rugby union for Moseley: later, chairman Atkinson's Brewery, director Horton Estates (property development): 'none of his [captaincy] successors have been looked upon with such uncritical awe': d 18.vi.1932 Rugby, Warwickshire.

**HOSKIN, Worthington Wynn**

b 8.v.1885 Steynsburg, Cape Colony: ed St Andrew's C, Grahamstown (Cape Colony); Oxford U: UK resident from 1902: right-hand middle- or lower order batsman; occ right-arm bowler; outfield: Gloucestershire 1912, a: cr 5 matches; 62 runs, av 6.88; none for 67; 5 ct: no fifties: played rugby union for Blackheath, Bristol, Northampton and Barbarians: returned to South Africa 1913: d 4.iii.1956 East London (Cape Province), South Africa.

**HOTCHKIN, Neil Stafford**

b 4.ii.1914 Woodhall Spa, Lincolnshire: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Middlesex 1939, a: cr 4 matches; 76 runs, av 25.33; did not bowl; 0 ct: no fifties: president English Golf Union 1972, European Golf Association 1989-1991: d 6.ii.2004 Woodhall Spa, Lincolnshire.

**HOTHAM, Alan Geoffrey**

b 3.x.1876 Edinburgh (Midlothian), Scotland: ed Britannia Royal Naval C, Dartmouth: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler: Hampshire 1901, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 5, 11; none for 6; 0 ct: a career naval officer, he reached the rank of rear admiral and was appointed CB 1923, CMG 1919; appointed KCMG (knighted) 1938 for services to that order: d 10.vii.1965 Westminster, Middlesex.

HOTHFIELD, LORD, see TUFTON, Hon J.S.R. below.

**HOUGHTON, William Eric**

b 20.vi.1910 Billingborough, Lincolnshire: ed Donington GS: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Warwickshire 1946, 1947, a: cr 6 matches; 151 runs, av 15.10; did not bowl; 2 ct: no fifties: played football for Aston Villa and England; one of the best-known football managers of his time, he had charge of Notts County and Aston Villa: d 1.v.1996 Sutton Coldfield, Birmingham.

**HOWARD, Joseph**

b 12.i.1871 Epsom, Surrey: ed Haileybury C, Hertford Heath: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; outfield: Worcestershire 1900, 1901, a: cr 2 matches; 3 runs, av 0.75; did not bowl; 0 ct: amateur rackets singles finalist 1901: later, director Stewarts and Lloyds (steel tube mfg): d 25.i.1951 Evenlode, Gloucestershire.

**HOWARD, Barry John**

b 21.v.1926 Hyde, Cheshire: ed Rossall S, Fleetwood; Manchester U: right-hand middle-order batsman; versatile field: Lancashire 1947-1951, a: cr 28 matches; 856 runs, av 23.77; did not bowl; 22 ct: hs 109 v Warwickshire, Blackpool, 1947: son of R. (see below); younger brother of N.D. (Lancashire 1946-1953: played hockey for Cheshire: later, director H.R.Howard and Sons (textile mfg): 'a batsman of style and ability ... who sometimes suffered from nerves'.

**HOWARD, Rupert**

b 7.iv.1889 Ashton-under-Lyne, Lancashire: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler: Lancashire 1922, 1924, a: cr 6 matches; 148 runs, av 24.66; none for 18; 3 ct: hs 88\* v Worcestershire, Worcester, 1922, on chsp debut: father of B.J. (see above) and N.D. (Lancashire 1946-1953): a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent; later, director H.R.Howard and Sons (textile mfg): appointed MBE 1945 for military services, OBE 1947 for services as England cricket manager: d 10.ix.1967 Manchester, Lancashire.

**HOWELL, Miles**

b 9.ix.1893 Thames Ditton, Surrey: ed Repton S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Surrey 1919-1922, 1925, a: cr 33 matches; 1,038 runs, av 24.13; none for 6; 10 ct: hs 99 (run out) v Kent, Kennington, 1921: played football for Corinthians and England amateur team: later, director Stevenson and Howell (essence mfg): 'he played for Surrey whenever they could get him': d 23.ii.1976 Worplesdon, Surrey.

HOWESON, A.C.E., see von ERNSTHAUSEN, A.C.E., below.

**HOWLETT, Bernard** ('Swifty')

b 18.xii.1898 Stoke Newington, Middlesex: ed St Edmund's S, Canterbury: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler: Kent 1922, 1928, a: cr 24 matches; 74 runs, av 4.62; 33 wkt, av 44.55; 8 ct: no four-wicket returns: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: awarded DSO and bar, both 1943: d 29.xi.1943 Santa Maria Imbaro (Abruzzo), Italy, killed in action.

**HUBBACK, Theodore Rathbone**

b 17.xii.1872 Liverpool, Lancashire: ed Cranbrook S; University C, Liverpool: right-hand middle- or lower order batsman; versatile field: Lancashire 1892, a: cr 4 matches; 63 runs, av 12.60; did not bowl; 1 ct: no fifties: emigrated to Straits Settlements 1895, where well-known as civil engineer and later as conservationist: 'the handsomest man who ever came to Malaya ... a viking born out of his time': d c ii.1944 Malaya, murdered after being 'on the run in the jungle ... for two years, pursued by the Japanese army'. The exact circumstances of his death are unknown, but he is believed to 'have died at the hands of natives'.

**HUBBARD, George Cairns** ('Scatter')

b 23.xi.1867 Varanasi (North-Western Provinces), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Tonbridge S: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Kent 1895, a: cr 2 matches; 47 runs, av 15.66; one for 25; 3 ct: played rugby union for Blackheath, Barbarians and England: d 18.xii.1931 Eltham, Kent.

**HUGONIN, Francis Edgar**

b 16.viii.1897 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Eastbourne C, Royal Military A, Woolwich: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Essex 1928, a: cr 4 matches; 25 runs, av 8.33; did not bowl; 3 ct, 1 st: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: appointed OBE 1946 for military services as a prisoner of war: d 5.iii.1967 Stainton (nr Middlesbrough), Yorkshire.

**HUMAN, Roger Henry Charles**

b 11.v.1909 Newcastle upon Tyne, Northumberland: ed Repton S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Worcestershire 1935-1939, a: cr 34 matches; 1,210 runs, av 24.69; 9 wkt, av 61.66; 17 ct: hs 81 v Essex, Worcester, 1938: no four-wicket returns: older brother of J.H. (Middlesex 1935, 1937, 1938): played hockey for Worcestershire: d 21.xi.1942 Bengaluru (Mysore), India, from brain tumour while on military service.

**HUMPHREYS, Walter Alexander sen** ('Cobbler')

b 28.x.1849 Southsea, Hampshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm underhand off- or leg-break bowler; point or cover field: Sussex 1890-1896, p; Hampshire 1900, p: cr 79 matches; 1,135 runs, av 11.82; 313 wkt, the most by an underhand bowler in the chsp, av 20.14; 54 ct: hs 63\* v Kent, Tonbridge, 1892: bb 8-83 v Middlesex, Hove, 1893, the best innings return by an underhand bowler in the chsp: took 122 chsp wkts in 1893, the most in a season by an underhand bowler; chsp umpire 1896, 3 matches: father of W.A. jun (Sussex 1898-1900): 'few attaining his prominence were so generally disliked', according to Sir Home Gordon: d 23.iii.1924 Brighton, Sussex.

**HUMPHRIES, Cedric Alfred**

b 26.xii.1914 Kidderminster, Worcestershire: ed Sebright S, Wolverley; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Worcestershire 1934, 1935, a: cr 12 matches; 271 runs, av 14.26; did not bowl; 3 ct: no fifties: younger brother of G.H. (see below); older brother of N.H. (Worcestershire 1946): d 18.xi.1944 Pannenschoop (Nordrhein-Westfalen), Germany, killed in action.

**HUMPHRIES, Gerald Harvey**

b 8.xii.1908 Kidderminster, Worcestershire: ed Sebright S, Wolverley: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler: Worcestershire 1932, 1934, a: cr 2 matches; 66 runs, av 22.00; none for 13; 0 ct: no fifties: older brother of C.A. (see above) and N.H. (Worcestershire 1946): later, director Tomkinsons (carpet mfg) and other companies: d 3.ii.1983 Rock, Worcestershire.

**HUNT, John Henry Sneyd**

b 24.xi.1874 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Winchester C; Oxford U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Middlesex 1902-1909, a: cr 41 matches; 1,194 runs, av 21.32; 69 wkt, av 25.17; 25 ct: hs 76\* v Somerset, Taunton, 1904: bb 5-60 v Somerset, Taunton, 1903: played hockey for Surrey: Sydney Pardon recalled some fourteen years later 'his undisguised delight ... when he took a wicket with the first ball he bowled' in chsp cricket: 16.ix.1916 Ginchy (Somme), France, killed in action and having no known grave.

**HURST, Christopher Salkeld**

b 20.vii.1886 Beckenham, Kent: ed Uppingham S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; versatile field: Kent 1908, 1912, 1922-1924, 1927, a: cr 17 matches; 692 runs, av 28.83; none for 12; 12 ct: hs 124 v Lancashire, Manchester, 1922: a career civil servant, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: played hockey for South of England: later, secretary Coal Commission: appointed OBE 1920 for public services at Ministry of Munitions, CB 1929 for services at Ministry of Mines: d 18.xii.1963 Dorking, Surrey.

**HURST, Geoffrey Charles**

b 8.xii.1941 Ashton-under-Lyne, Lancashire: ed Rainsford HS, Chelmsford: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Essex 1962, p: cr 1 match; two innings 0, 0; did not bowl; 0 ct: played football for West Ham United, Stoke City, Cork Celtic, Seattle Sounders and England, uniquely



scoring three goals in World Cup final 1966; member squad choir who recorded 'Back Home', a 'number one hit' in May 1970, the only chsp cricketer 'to be part of a number one hit single' [sic]: appointed MBE 1975, knighted 1998, both for services to football.

### **HUSKINSON, Geoffrey Neville Bayley**

b 1.ii.1900 Locarno (Ticino), Switzerland: UK resident from an early age: ed Oundle S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; cover field: Nottinghamshire 1922, a: cr 2 matches; 33 runs, av 16.50; did not bowl; 0 ct: played rugby union for Nottingham and Harlequins, croquet for Nottinghamshire: later, director Bestwood Coal and Iron: d 17.vi.1982 Hinton Waldrist, Berkshire.

### **HUTTON, Benjamin Leonard**

b 29.i.1977 Johannesburg (Transvaal), South Africa: UK resident from an early age: ed Radley C; Durham U: left-hand opening or middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; close field: Middlesex 1999-2007, capt 2005, 2006: cr 99 matches; 5,136 runs, av 32.10; 26 wkt, av 70.96; 132 ct: hs 152 v Kent, Lord's, 2005: no four-wicket returns: son of R.A. (Yorkshire 1962-1974); grandson of L. (Yorkshire 1934-1955) and B.G.Brocklehurst (see above): 'good enough to silence comparisons with his father and grandfather and established himself as a solid county batsman ... but the Middlesex captaincy weighed heavily'.

### **HYLAND, Frederick James**

b 16.xii.1893 Sedlescombe, Sussex: right-hand lower-order batsman: Hampshire 1924, p: cr 1 match; did not bat or bowl; 0 ct: rain limited play in this match, v Northamptonshire, Northampton, to two six-ball overs on the first day, the shortest-ever uncompleted chsp match, during which Hyland fielded; this brief appearance is the shortest on-field career of any chsp cricketer: d 27.xii.1964 Hartford, Cheshire.

### **HYLTON STEWART, Bruce de la Cour**

b 27.xi.1891 Wallasey, Cheshire: ed Bath C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Somerset 1912-1914, a: cr 32 matches; 921 runs, av 17.71; 51 wkt, av 28.90; 15 ct: hs 110 v Essex, Leyton, 1914: bb five for 3 v Worcestershire, Stourbridge, 1912: later, a noted concert organist: d 1.x.1972 Marlborough, Wiltshire. (*Surname hyphenated in some sources.*)

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### **ILES, John Henry**

b 17.ix.1891 Bristol, Gloucestershire: ed Ashville C, Harrogate: unknown-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Gloucestershire 1890, 1891, a: cr 3 matches; 13 runs, av 2.60; 3 wkt, av 50.66; 3 ct: later, managing director R.Smith and Co (music publishing) and various amusement-park companies; chairman Thompson Scenic Railways (roller-coaster operator): declared bankrupt 1938; appointed OBE 1944 for services to the brass-band movement: widely regarded as 'the "chief" of the brass-band movement of his day': d 29.v.1951 Birchington, Kent.

**IREMONGER, Albert**

b 15.vi.1884 Wilford, Nottinghamshire: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; close field: Nottinghamshire 1906, 1909, 1910, p: cr 13 matches; 229 runs, av 15.26; 10 wkt, av 29.60; 17 ct: hs 60\* v Sussex, Nottingham, 1909: bb 5-83 v Essex, Leyton, 1909: younger brother of James (Nottinghamshire 1899-1914): played football for Notts County: 'as a goalkeeper he could throw the ball as far as most men could kick it': d 9.iii.1958 Nottingham.

**ISAAC, Arthur Whitmore**

b 4.x.1873 Powick, Worcestershire: ed Harrow S; Oxford U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; outfield: Worcestershire 1900-1904, 1907-1909, a: cr 38 matches; 827 runs, av 14.01; did not bowl; 6 ct: hs 60 v Hampshire, Southampton, 1904: older brother of J.E.V. (see below): later, director Capital and Counties Bank: 'he did not achieve quite the success his friends hoped': d 7.vii.1916 Contalmaison (Somme), France, killed in the same combat action as W.B.Burns (Worcestershire 1904-1913).

**ISAAC, John Edmund Valentine**

b 14.ii.1880 Powick, Worcestershire: ed Harrow S: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Worcestershire 1907, a: cr 3 matches; 19 runs, av 6.33; did not bowl; 0 ct: a career soldier stationed outside UK for several years, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: emigrated to Canada 1911, but returned to UK 1914: younger brother of A.W. (see above): awarded DSO 1915: d 9.v.1915 Fromelles (Nord), France, killed in action, his body not being found until 1921.

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**JACKSON, Anthony Henry Mather**

b 9.xi.1899 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Harrow S: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Derbyshire 1920, 1922-1927, a: cr 61 matches; 14.64; 1,157 runs, av 14.64; 44 wkt, av 28.68; 15 ct: hs 75 v Leicestershire, Leicester, 1922: bb 5-84 v Essex, Derby, 1926: later, managing director Newstead Collieries, director other companies; succeeded his brother as sixth Jackson baronet 1976: d 11.x.1983 Kirklington, Nottinghamshire. (*Changed surname to Mather-Jackson 1977, keeping Mather as a forename.*)

**JACKSON, Geoffrey Laird**

b 10.i.1894 Birkenhead, Cheshire: ed Harrow S; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; cover field; Derbyshire 1912-1914, a: cr 4 matches; 6 runs, av 3.00; 7 wkt, av 18.00; 3 ct: no four-wicket returns: older brother of G.R. (Derbyshire 1919-1935): d 9.iv.1917 Fampoux (Pas-de-Calais), France, from wounds received in action.

**JACKSON, John Alfred Stewart** ('J.A.S.')

b 27.xii.1898 Valparaiso, Chile: UK resident from 1912 to 1922: ed Cheltenham C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst; Cambridge U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ right-arm leg-break bowler; outfield: Somerset, 1920, a: cr 13 matches; 433 runs, av 20.61; none for 18; 1 ct: hs 106 v Essex, Leyton, 1920: appointed OBE 1947 for services to British-Chilean relations, CBE

1954 for services to education: 'left a lasting legacy as the founder' of Grange School, Santiago, 'one of the best UK-curriculum international schools in the world': d 13.iii.1958 Santiago, Chile.

### **JACOB, Norman Ernest**

b 9.vii.1901 Neath, Glamorgan: ed Tonbridge S: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Glamorgan 1922, a: cr 7 matches; 79 runs, av 6.07; none for 42; 2 ct: no fifties: played golf for Wales amateur team: d 12.ii.1970 Grimsby, Lincolnshire.

### **JAMES, Burnet George**

b 26.x.1886 Bristol, Gloucestershire: ed Charterhouse, Godalming: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Gloucestershire 1914, a: cr 3 matches; 27 runs, av 5.40; did not bowl; 0 ct: played hockey for Gloucestershire: d 26.ix.1915 Langemark (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, killed in action when his reconnaissance plane crashed.

### **JAMESON, Thomas Ormsby**

b 4.iv.1892 Clonsilla (Co Dublin), Ireland: ed Harrow S: right-hand middle- or lower order batsman; right-arm leg-break and googly bowler; slip field: Hampshire 1919-1926, 1928-1930, 1932, a: cr 51 matches; 1,909 runs, av 24.47; 76 wkt, av 33.18; 41 ct: hs 105\* v Somerset, Portsmouth, 1926: bb 7-92 v Lancashire, Manchester, 1925: amateur squash champion 1922, 1923; finalist amateur rackets singles championship 1924: d 6.ii.1965 Dún Laoghaire (Co Dublin), Eire.

### **JAQUES, Arthur**

b 7.iii.1888 Shanghai (Jiangsu province), China: UK resident from an early age: ed Aldenham S; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Hampshire 1913, 1914, a: cr 25 matches; 768 runs, av 13.01; 159 wkt, av 21.18; 26 ct: hs 68 v Worcestershire, Southampton, 1914: bb 8-21 v Somerset, Bath, 1914: an early exponent of 'leg-theory' bowling: d 27.ix.1915 Loos-en-Gohelle (Pas-de Calais), France, killed in action and having no known grave.

### **JEEVES, Percy**

b 5.iii.1888 Dewsbury, Yorkshire: ed Alexander Street S, Goole: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; close field: Warwickshire 1913, 1914, p: cr 47 matches; 1,168 runs, av 16.68; 191 wkt, av 20.27; 49 ct: hs 86\* v Yorkshire, Birmingham, 1913: bb 7-34 v Worcestershire, Birmingham, 1913: *Wisden* thought him 'perhaps one of the great bowlers of the future'; P.G.Wodehouse was 'entranced by his immaculate conduct and attire' in the chsp match v Gloucestershire, Cheltenham, 1913 and 'thus Bertie Wooster's manservant was born': d 22.vii.1916 Longueval (Somme), France, killed in action and having no known grave.

### **JEFFERY, Howard William James**

b 5.v.1944 Workington, Cumberland: ed Workington GS; Borough Road C, Isleworth: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler, sometimes of doubtful action; outfield: Leicestershire 1964: cr 1 match, two innings, 0\*, 0; two for 83; 1 ct: played rugby union for Coventry and North of England: d 17.iv.2008 Whitehaven, Cumberland.

**JELF, Wilfrid Wykeham**

b 22.vii.1880 Halifax (Nova Scotia), Canada: UK resident from an early age: ed Eton C: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Leicestershire 1911, a: cr 3 matches; 6 runs, av 1.00; did not bowl; 3 ct: younger brother of H.F.D. (Derbyshire 1910, 1911): a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were limited: awarded DSO 1915, appointed CMG 1919 for military services: 'his first five visits to the wicket for Leicestershire resulted in five ducks': d 17.x.1933 Bawtrip, Somerset.

**JENKINS, Vivian Gordon James**

b 2.xi.1911 Port Talbot, Glamorgan: ed Llandovery C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield, occ wicketkeeper: Glamorgan 1931-1934, 1936, 1937, a: cr 39 matches; 905 runs, av 17.74; two for 49; 7 ct, 7 st: hs 65 v Surrey, Kennington, 1932 and 65 v Warwickshire, Birmingham, 1933: played rugby union for Cardiff, London Welsh, Barbarians, Wales and Lions: later, cricket and rugby union writer for *News of the World*, *Sunday Times*; editor *Rothmans Rugby Yearbook*: d 5.i.2004 Harpenden, Hertfordshire.

**JENNINGS, David William**

b 4.vi.1889 Kentish Town, Middlesex: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; versatile field: Kent 1909-1914, p: cr 33 matches; 1,042 runs, av 24.80; one for 80; 28 ct: hs 106 v Essex, Tunbridge Wells, 1914: older brother of G.A. (see below) and T.S. (Surrey 1921-1925): 'at the time he was playing Kent were so rich in batsmen that he could not secure an assured place in the county eleven': d 6.viii.1918 Tunbridge Wells, Kent, from the effects of shell-shock and gas while on active service.

**JENNINGS, George Adolphus**

b 14.i.1895 Exeter, Devon: right-hand lower-order batsman; left arm slow bowler: xxx field: Warwickshire 1924, 1925, p: cr 18 matches; 153 runs, av 8.05; 16 wkt, av 44.75; 8 ct: no four wicket returns: younger brother of D.W (see above) and older brother of T.S. (Surrey 1921-1925): awarded MC 1918: d 12.vii.1959 Marlborough, Wiltshire.

**JESSON, Robert Wilfred Fairey**

b 17.vi.1886 Southampton, Hampshire: ed Sherborne S; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1907, 1908, 1910, a: cr 14 matches; 191 runs, av 8.68; 21 wkt, av 24.42; 8 ct: bb 5-42 v Warwickshire, Southampton, 1907: played rugby union for Rosslyn Park: d 22.ii.1917 nr Al-Kūt, Mesopotamia, killed in action and having no known grave.

**JEWELL, Guy Alonzo Frederick William**

b 6.x.1916 Axford, Hampshire: ed Reading U: left-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm wrist-spin bowler: Hampshire 1952, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 0, 1; one for 52; 2 ct: awarded MC 1945: d 23.xii.1965 Basingstoke, Hampshire.

**JEWELL, John Mark Herbert**

b 3.v.1917 Bloemfontein (Orange Free State), South Africa: UK resident from 1926: ed Felsted S; Royal Air Force C, Cranwell: right-hand middle-order batsman: Worcestershire 1939, a: cr 1 match, two innings 2, 0: did not bowl; 0 ct: a career airforce man, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: returned to South Africa 1946: appointed MBE 1945 for services to escapers while a prisoner-of-war: d 29.x.1946 Durban (Natal), South Africa.

**JOHNSTON, Arthur Sannox**

b 16.ii.1863 Hornsey, Middlesex; ed Mill Hill S: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Essex 1895, 1896, a: cr 5 matches; 190 runs, av 23.75; did not bowl; 1 ct: hs 63 v Yorkshire, Harrogate, 1895: played rugby union for Blackheath and London representative side: he 'had a collection of a specimen of the eggs of every bird known to Hertfordshire': d 8.viii.1929 Eltham, Kent.

**JOHNSTONE, Conrad Powell**

b 19.viii.1895 Sydenham, Kent: ed Rugby S; Cambridge U: left-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; slip field: Kent 1919, 1920, 1925, 1929, 1933, a: cr 34 matches; 1,029 runs, av 20.17; 8 wkt, av 23.75; 17 ct: hs 102 v Gloucestershire, Maidstone, 1925: emigrated to India 1920, returning to UK 1948, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: appointed CBE c 1937: d 23.vi.1974 Eastry, Kent.

JONES, A.R.G., see GABE-JONES, A.R., above.

**JONES, Hugh**

b 21.xii.1888 Lydney, Gloucestershire: ed Wycliffe C, Stonehouse: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Gloucestershire 1914, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 11, 0; did not bowl; 0 ct: awarded MC 1916: d 10.xi.1918 Chatham, Kent from pneumonia following flu contracted while on active service.

**JONES, Simon Philip**

b 25.xii.1978 (Christmas Day) Morriston, Glamorgan: ed Millfield S, Street: left-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Glamorgan 1998-2002, 2004-2007 and 2012; Worcestershire 2008; Hampshire 2010, 2011, career curtailed by knee injury: cr 61 matches; 574 runs, av 10.25; 166 wkt, av 32.57; 12 ct: bb 6-45 v Derbyshire, Cardiff, 2002: played 18 Tests for England: *Wisden* cricketer 2006: son of I.J. (Glamorgan 1960-1968): appointed MBE 2006 for services to cricket (Ashes group): 'sometimes ... raw pace and reverse swing'.

**JORDEN, Anthony Mervyn**

b 28.i.1947 Radlett, Hertfordshire: ed Monmouth S; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Essex 1966-1968, 1970: cr 58 matches; 698 runs, av 10.90; 116 wkt, av 29.27; 37 ct: hs 59\* v Somerset, Chelmsford, 1968: bb 4-29 v Northamptonshire, Northampton, 1968: played rugby union for Blackheath, Harlequins, Barbarians and England.

**JOY, Ronald Cecil Graham**

b 30.vii.1898 Colchester, Essex: ed Winchester C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order, later lower-order batsman; right-arm fast medium bowler: versatile field: Essex 1922, 1924, 1925, 1928, a: cr 13 matches; 142 runs, av 10.14; 12 wkt, av 33.16; 10 ct: no fifties: no four-wicket returns: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: awarded DSO 1942: d 12.xii.1974 Ditchingham, Norfolk.

**JOYCE, Francis Matthew** ('Tiny')

b 16.xii.1886 Blackfordby, Leicestershire: ed Bedford S: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Leicestershire 1911, 1912, 1914, 1920, a: cr 16 matches; 431 runs, av 16.57; 17 wkt, av 40.23; 7 ct: hs 73 v Sussex, Hove, 1911: bb 5-117 v Northamptonshire, Northampton, 1912: younger brother of R. (Leicestershire 1896-1899, 1901, 1902, 1904-1907): awarded MC 1917: d 23.ix.1958 Earl's Court, Middlesex.

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**KAMM, Antony**

b 2.iii.1931 Hampstead, Middlesex: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Middlesex 1952, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 1, 2; did not bowl; 4 ct, 1 st: later, editor and author of children's (incl 'Asterix') and other books: d 11.ii.2011 Dollar (Clackmannanshire), Scotland.

**KARDAR, Abdul Hafeez**

b 17.i.1925 Lahore (Punjab), India: ed Islamia C, Lahore; Punjab U, Lahore; Oxford U: left-hand middle-order batsman; left-arm slow or medium-pace bowler; close field: UK resident from 1946, returning to Pakistan 1950: Warwickshire 1949, 1950, a: cr 39 matches; 1,198 runs, av 23.03; 103 wkt, av 26.63; 29 ct: hs 112 v Middlesex, Lord's, 1950: bb 5-25 v Leicestershire, Coalville, 1950: played three Tests for India, 23 for Pakistan; president Pakistan Cricket Board 1972-1977: member for Lahore district in Punjab Provincial Assembly 1970-1977 and provincial Minister for Food; later, Pakistan ambassador to Switzerland: 'the father of Pakistan cricket' but 'never one to cloud an issue with goodwill if it could be avoided': d 21.iv.1996 Islamabad (Capital Territory), Pakistan. (*He was usually identified as Abdul Hafeez before 1946.*)

**KAYE, Harold Swift**

b 6.v.1882 Mirfield, Yorkshire: ed Harrow S: right-hand middle-, later lower-order batsman; versatile field: Yorkshire 1907, 1908, a: cr 13 matches; 157 runs, av 9.23; did not bowl; 8 ct: no fifties: later, chairman Marshall, Kaye (woollen mfg): awarded MC and DSO, both 1916: d 6.v.1953 Wakefield, Yorkshire.

**KEIGHLEY, William Geoffrey**

b 10.i.1925 Nice (Alpes-Maritimes), France: UK resident from an early age: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Yorkshire 1947-1951, a: cr 31 matches; 1,051 runs, av 25.63; none for 10; 11 ct: hs 110 v Surrey, Leeds, 1951: emigrated to Australia 1954, but had previously lived there for short periods and served in that country's armed forces: later, chairman Minster Ltd (holding

company), director other companies; Country Party member New South Wales Legislative Council 1965-1978: 'his thoughtfulness led some to regard him as the best kind of Old Etonian': d 14.vi.2005 Sutton Forest (New South Wales), Australia. (*His position as legislator entitled him to use of the prefix Honourable from 1965.*)

### **KEIGWIN, Henry David**

b 14.v.1881 Colchester, Essex: ed St Paul's S, Hammersmith; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; left-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Essex 1906, 1907, a: cr 3 matches; 35 runs, av 8.75; 4 wkt, av 40.00; 1 ct: no fifties; no four-wicket returns: older brother of R.P. (see below): emigrated to Rhodesia 1910 but returned to UK 1916: d 20.ix.1916 nr Thiepval (Somme), France, killed in action.

### **KEIGWIN, Richard Prescott**

b 8.iv.1883 Colchester, Essex: ed Clifton C, Bristol; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm slow bowler: outfield: Essex 1903-1905, 1907, 1919, a; Gloucestershire 1921, 1923, a: cr 28 matches; 613 runs, av 14.25; 19 wkt, av 42.73; 6 ct: hs 75 v Lancashire, Leyton, 1904: bb 4-40 v Lancashire, Cheltenham, 1921: younger brother of H.D. (see above): played hockey for Essex and England: later, an academic authority on Danish literature, well-known as translator of works by Hans-Christian Andersen into English, and published poet: d 26.xi.1972 Polstead, Suffolk.

### **KEMBLE, Arthur Twiss**

b 3.ii.1862 Sebergham, Cumberland: ed Appleby GS: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Lancashire 1890-1894, a: cr 56 matches; 792 runs, av 10.70; did not bowl; 70 ct, 34 st: hs 50 v Surrey, Kennington, 1892: played rugby union for Liverpool and England: d 13.iii.1925 Crawley Down, Sussex.

### **KEMP, George**

b 9.vi.1866 Rochdale, Lancashire: ed Shrewsbury S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; mid-off field: Lancashire 1892, a: cr 4 matches; 34 runs, av 4.85; did not bowl; 1 ct: Liberal MP for Heywood 1895-1906, for Manchester North-West 1910-1912; chairman Kelsall and Kemp (textile mfg): knighted 1909, created first Baron Rochdale, of Rochdale 1913, appointed CB 1937: d 24.iii.1945 Portinscale (nr Keswick), Cumberland.

### **KEMP, Manley Colchester** ('Bishop')

b 7.ix.1861 Forest Hill, Kent: ed Harrow S; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Kent 1890-1895, a: cr 33 matches; 528 runs, av 13.53; did not bowl; 34 ct, 19 st: amateur rackets doubles champion 1892: d 30.vi.1951 Aylesbury, Buckinghamshire.

### **KEMP-WELCH, George Durant**

b 4.viii.1907 Chelsea, Middlesex: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Cambridge U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ right-arm fast-medium bowler; cover field: Warwickshire 1927-1932, 1934, 1935, a: cr 54 matches; 1,377 runs, av 18.86; 5 wkt, av 85.80; 22 ct: hs 123\* v Glamorgan, Swansea, 1934: played football for Corinthians: later, director Schweppes (drink

mfg) d 18.vi.1944 Chelsea, Middlesex, from injuries received in V1 rocket strike while on Army service.

### **KENT, Kenneth Gwynne**

b 10.xii.1901 Sparkbrook, Birmingham: ed King Edward's S, Birmingham: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1927, 1928, 1930, 1931, a: cr 9 matches; 40 runs, av 4.44; 10 wkt, av 63.90; 2 ct: no four-wicket returns: later, director Sentinel Insurance: d 29.xii.1974 St Andrews (Fife), Scotland.

### **KENYON, Myles Noel**

b 25.xii.1886 (Christmas Day) Tottington, Lancashire: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; out field: Lancashire 1919-1922, a, capt 1919-1922: cr 80 matches: 1,241 runs, av 14.77; did not bowl; 20 ct: hs 61\* v Surrey, Kennington, 1921: later, chairman James Kenyon and Son (textile mfg), director Martins Bank and other companies: appointed CBE 1953 for political and public services in Lancashire: 'made of the proper stuff of amateur captains': d 21.xi.1960 Birdham, Sussex.

### **KETTLEBOROUGH, Richard Allan**

b 15.iii.1973 Sheffield, Yorkshire: ed Worksop C: left-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Yorkshire 1994-1997; Middlesex 1998, 1999: cr 26 matches; 1,084 runs, av 25.20; 3 wkt, av 80.33; 16 ct: hs 108 v Essex, Leeds, 1996: chsp umpire 2004-2019, 123 matches.

KHAN, Iftikhar Ali and KHAN, Mansur Ali, see PATAUDI, Nawabs of, below.

### **KHAN, Wasim Gulzar**

b 26.ii.1971 Birmingham, Warwickshire: ed Josiah Mason SFC, Erdington; Warwick U: left-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ right-arm leg-break bowler; versatile field: Warwickshire 1995-1997; Sussex 1998-2000; Derbyshire 2001: cr 52 matches; 2,406 runs, av 27.97; none for 53; 29 ct: hs 181 v Hampshire, Southampton, 1995: appointed MBE 2013 for services to cricket and the community, including director Cricket Foundation: 'from the backstreets of Birmingham ... to become a personable, articulate and effective ambassador for the game'.

### **KILLICK, Edgar Thomas**

b 9.v.1907 Fulham, Middlesex: ed St Paul's S, Hammersmith; Cambridge U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1926-1929, 1931, 1932, 1939, a: cr 39 matches; 1,766 runs, av 33.32; none for 31; 19 ct: hs 206 v Warwickshire, Lord's, 1931: played two Tests for England: an Anglican clergyman, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: d 18.v.1953 Northampton, from heart failure while playing in an inter-diocesan cricket match.

### **KIMBELL, Ralph Raymond**

b 12.vi.1884 Boughton, Northamptonshire: ed Culham C, Abingdon; Oxford U: unknown-hand lower-order batsman; unknown-hand bowler; outfield: Northamptonshire 1908, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 0, 4; two for 45; 0 ct: later, an educationalist, Anglican clergyman and songwriter,



whose *Who's Who* entry notes that he 'published a few songs': d 4.viii.1964 Ledbury, Herefordshire.

**KIMMINS, Simon Edward Anthony**

b 26.v.1930 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Charterhouse, Godalming: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; cover field: Kent 1950, 1951, a: cr 11 matches; 335 runs, av 17.63; 11 wkt, av 50.09; 5 ct: hs 70 v Derbyshire, Derby, 1951: no four-wicket returns: later, director Debenhams (retailing) and other companies, managing director Thomas Cook (travel agency).

**KIMPTON, Roger Charles MacDonald**

b 21.ix.1916 Toorak (Victoria), Australia: ed Melbourne GS; Oxford U: UK resident from 1934: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm bowler; wicketkeeper: Worcestershire 1937, 1949, a: cr 14 matches; 695 runs, av 28.95; two for 71; 21 ct, 6 st: hs 106 v Derbyshire, Chesterfield, 1937: returned to Australia 1938: awarded DFC 1945: later, director Kimpton, Minifie and McLennan (Australian food business): d 30.xi.1999 Melbourne (Victoria), Australia.

**KING, Edwin**

b c 1884 Leicester: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Leicestershire 1925, p: cr 2 matches; 31 runs, av 11.00; did not bowl; 5 ct, 1 st: played football for Leicester Fosse: d 7.vii.1952 Braunstone, Leicestershire.

**KING, Edmund Hugh**

b 26.iii.1906 Edgbaston, Birmingham: ed Ampleforth C: right-hand middle-order batsman, occ right-arm off-break bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1928-1930, 1932, a: cr 6 matches; 81 runs, av 9.00; none for 15; 2 ct: no fifties: played hockey for Warwickshire and in England trials: later, director London and Midland (insurance) and other companies: 'a prominent accountant in Birmingham ... he was a key figure in the establishment of the TCCB': d 25.xi.1981 Cropthorne, Worcestershire, from injuries received in road accident.

**KINGSTON, Hubert Ernest** ('Tim')

b 15.viii.1876 Northampton: ed Blair Lodge A, Polmont (Stirlingshire): right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm slow bowler; outfield: Northamptonshire 1905, 1906, a: cr 12 matches; 327 runs, av 17.21; 5 wkt, av 33.40; 5 ct: hs 68 v Hampshire, Southampton, 1905, in his first chsp match: younger brother of W.H. (see below): played rugby union for Northampton and in England trial: 9.vi.1955 Long Buckby, Northamptonshire. (*He was eighth of eight brothers who played cricket for the county, of whom only two appeared in chsp matches.*)

**KINGSTON, William Harold**

b 12.viii.1874 Northampton: ed Guilsborough GS: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ bowler; slip field: Northamptonshire 1905-1909, a: cr 72 matches; 2,467 runs, av 19.27; two for 25; 43 ct: hs 83 v Leicestershire, Leicester, 1908: older brother of H.E. (see above): played rugby union for Northampton: d 17.ii.1956 Northampton. (*He was the seventh of eight brothers who played cricket for the county, of whom only two appeared in chsp matches.*)

**KING-TURNER, Charles John**

b 13.xii.1904 Cirencester, Gloucestershire: ed Cheltenham C; Oxford U; St George's Hospital Medical C, Westminster: right-hand middle-, later lower-order batsman; cover field: Gloucestershire 1922, a: cr 6 matches; 29 runs, av 3.22; did not bowl; 3 ct: played rugby union for Blackheath: 'too impatient', at age 17, for county cricket: d 4.iv.1972 Cirencester, Gloucestershire.

**KINNERSLEY, Kenneth Charles**

b 13.iii.1914 Apia (Upolu), Samoa: UK resident from 1916: ed Clifton C, Bristol: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm slow bowler; outfield: Somerset 1932, 1937, 1938, a: cr 9 matches; 131 runs, av 10.07; 12 wkt, av 28.58; 6 ct: no fifties; no four-wicket returns: played rugby union for Bristol and in England trial: d 30.vi.1984 Bristol, Gloucestershire.

**KIRK, Lionel**

b 1.xi.1884 Sheffield, Yorkshire: ed Oakham S: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Nottinghamshire 1920, 1925-1929, a: cr 13 matches; 221 runs, av 12.27; none for 1; 6 ct: no fifties: played rugby union for Nottingham and in England trial: awarded DSO 1918: d 27.ii.1953 Nottingham.

**KITCAT, Sidney Austyn Paul**

b 20.vii.1868 Tetbury Upton, Gloucestershire: ed Marlborough C: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Gloucestershire 1892-1897, 1899, 1901, 1903, 1904, a: cr 49 matches; 1,799 runs, av 22.20; 14 wkt, av 34.35; 37 ct: hs 95\* v Middlesex, Lord's, 1897: no four-wicket returns: played hockey for Middlesex, Surrey and England, rugby union for London representative team: 'owing to the claims of business [he was a stockbroker], he was seldom in full practice and [so] played a steady game': d 17.vi.1942 Esher, Surrey. (*He was husband of Mabel Murray Hickson, well-known novelist of 1890s.*)

**KNELLER, Arthur Harry**

b 28.iv.1894 Hannington, Hampshire: ed Ardingly C: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Hampshire 1924-1926, a: cr 8 matches; 76 runs, av 8.44; did not bowl; 1 ct: no fifties: a career civil servant stationed overseas, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: appointed CBE 1953 for public services in Kenya: d 19.vii.1969 Chichester, Sussex.

**KNIGHT, Arthur Egerton**

b 7.ix.1887 Godalming, Surrey: ed Royal GS, Guildford: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Hampshire 1920, 1921, 1923, a: cr 3 matches; 10 runs, av 2.00; 2 ct: played football for Corinthians, England amateur (incl side winning Olympic tournament 1912) and full teams, and Great Britain, in 1920 Olympics: d 10.iii.1956 Southsea, Hampshire.

**KNIGHT, Donald John ('Dolly')**

b 12.v.1894 Sutton, Surrey: ed Malvern C; Oxford U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ bowler; versatile field: Surrey 1911-1925, 1927, 1937, a: cr 98 matches; 4,033 runs, av 29.87; 3 wkt, av 0.66; 50 ct: hs 146 v Lancashire, Manchester, 1919: played two Tests

for England: *Wisden* cricketer 1915: 'an exceptionally graceful and balanced batsman in the classic tradition': d 5.1.1960 Marylebone, Middlesex.

**KNOTT, Frederick Hammett**

b 30.x.1891 Tunbridge Wells, Kent: ed Tonbridge S; Oxford U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; cover field: Kent 1910-1912, 1914, a, career curtailed by failing eyesight: cr 10 matches; 423 runs, av 30.21; did not bowl; 5 ct: hs 114 v Worcestershire, Dover, 1910: older brother of C.H. (Kent 1921-1931, 1933-1936, 1938, 1939): played rugby union for Blackheath and in England trial: declared bankrupt 1932: awarded MC 1918: d 10.ii.1972 Woking, Surrey.

**KNOX, Neville Alexander**

b 10.x.1884 Clapham, Surrey: ed Dulwich C: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Surrey 1904-1908, 1910, a: cr 62 matches; 551 runs, av 8.89; 306 wkt, av 20.80; 20 ct: bb 8-48 v Middlesex, Kennington, 1905: played two Tests for England: *Wisden* cricketer 1907: younger brother of F.P. (Surrey 1899): career curtailed by medial tibial stress syndrome, perhaps caused by his 'long and peculiar run, which starts from somewhere in the neighbourhood of sharp mid-off': d 3.iii.1935 Surbiton, Surrey.

**KNOX, Frank Pery**

b 23.i.1880 Clapham, Surrey: ed Dulwich C; Oxford U: left-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Surrey 1899, a: cr 4 matches; 112 runs, av 18.66; one for 132; 2 ct: no fifties: older brother of N.A. (see above): awarded DSO 1918: d 1.ii.1960 Hove, Sussex.

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**LACEY, Francis Eden**

b 19.x.1859 Wareham, Dorset: ed Sherborne S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm slow bowler; versatile field: Hampshire 1895-1897, a: cr 12 matches; 804 runs, av 44.66; none for 67; 8 ct: hs 121 v Derbyshire, Southampton, 1897: secretary MCC 1898-1926: knighted 1926 for services to cricket, the first instance of an individual being so honoured for services to a sport: at Lord's he changed 'for the good all the easy-going methods obtaining for many years before he accepted the position': d 26.v.1946 Sutton Veny, Wiltshire.

**LAGDEN, Reginald Bousfield**

b 15.iv.1893 Maseru, Basutoland: UK resident from c 1900: ed Marlborough C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; cover field: Surrey 1912, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 3; did not bowl; 0 ct: played hockey for Surrey and England: later, chairman McLeod and Co (Calcutta merchanting house): awarded MC 1917; appointed OBE 1937 for services to commerce in Bengal: d 20.x.1944 Karachi (Sindh), India, in flying accident when returning to India from UK.

**LAKE, Ronald Dewé**

b 9.v.1891 Bury St Edmunds, Suffolk: ed Uppingham S; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman: Northamptonshire 1922, a: cr 2 matches; 48 runs, av 16.00; did not

bowl; 1 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: awarded DSO 1918: d 28.vii.1950 Winkton, Hampshire.

**LAKER, Peter Guy**

b 5.xii.1926 Hurstpierpoint, Sussex: ed Lewes GS: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break bowler; outfield: Sussex 1948, 1949, p: cr 2 matches; 14 runs, av 14.00; none for 70; 1 ct: later, cricket writer for *Daily Mirror* and other newspapers: d 7.ii.2014 Crewkerne, Somerset.

**LANE, Albert Frederick** ('Spinney')

b 29.viii.1885 Rowley Regis, Staffordshire; ed Stourbridge GS: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm off-break bowler; versatile field: Worcestershire 1914, 1927-1929, 1932, a; Warwickshire 1919, 1921, 1925, a: cr 56 matches; 1,388 runs, av 16.52; 43 wkt, av 41.18; 27 ct: hs 76 v Yorkshire, Worcester, 1927: bb 4-56 v Northamptonshire, Northampton, 1919: an engineer, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: appointed OBE 1918 for his part in dealing with a fire at a munitions plant: d 29.i.1948 Fulbrook, Warwickshire, from heart failure after a road accident.

**LANG, Arthur Horace**

b 25.x.1890 Malabar Hill (Bombay), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Harrow S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Sussex 1912, 1913, a: cr 9 matches; 369 runs, av 23.06; did not bowl; 8 ct, 6 st: hs 141 v Somerset, Eastbourne, 1913: d 25.i.1915 Cuinchy (Pas-de-Calais), France, killed in action.

**LANGDALE, George Richmond**

b 11.iii.1916 Thornaby-on-Tees, Yorkshire: ed King Edward VI GS, Norwich; Nottingham U: left-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm off-break bowler; outfield: Derbyshire 1936, 1937, a; Somerset, 1946-1949, a: cr 24 matches; 783 runs, av 21.16: 22 wkt, av 40.77; 6 ct: hs 146 v Yorkshire, Taunton, 1946: bb 5-30 v Warwickshire, Birmingham, 1946: appointed OBE 1981 for services to teaching: published a paper in *Mathematical Gazette* 1954 with the title 'Wisden's Cricketers' Almanack and the teaching of statistics': d 24.vii.2002 Holbeck, Nottinghamshire.

**LAWRENCE, Hervey Major**

b 24.iii.1881 Hadlow, Kent: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; slip field: Kent 1899, a: cr 4 matches; 14 runs, av 2.80; 3 wkt, av 64.66; 0 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: awarded DSO and bar 1918; appointed OBE c 1921 for military services: d 17.ix.1975 Ely, Cambridgeshire.

**LEACH, Clive William**

b 4.xii.1934 Almodabad (Bombay), India: UK resident from 1948: ed Lemn GS, Beccles; Birmingham U: right-hand middle-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; versatile field: Warwickshire 1955-1958, p: cr 27 matches; 646 runs, av 15.75; 15 wkt, av 28.73; 18 ct: hs 67 v Derbyshire, Derby, 1957: no four-wicket returns: later managing director Yorkshire Television Ltd, director Tyne-Tees Television Ltd and other companies; appointed CBE 2000 for services to training and education.

**LEADBEATER, Edric**

b 15.viii.1927 Huddersfield, Yorkshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break and googly bowler; outfield: Yorkshire 1949-1952, 1954-1956, p: Warwickshire 1957, 1958, p: cr 88 matches; 1,079 runs, av 13.83; 201 wkt, av 27.53: hs 116 v Glamorgan, Coventry, 1958: bb 8-83 v Worcestershire, Worcester, 1950: played two Tests for England: despite his Test appearances, was capped by neither of his counties, perhaps uniquely: d 17.iv.2011 Huddersfield, Yorkshire.

**LEAT, Edwin John**

b 24.iv.1885 Wellington, Somerset: ed Wellington S (Somerset); St Luke's C, Exeter: unknown-hand lower-order batsman: Somerset 1908, 1910, a: cr 2 matches; 18 runs, av 6.00; did not bowl; 3 ct: d 8.vi.1918 Beaumont-Hamel (Somme), France, killed in action and having no known grave.

**LEE, Arthur Michael**

b 22.viii.1913 Liphook, Hampshire: ed Winchester C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Hampshire 1933, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 0; did not bowl; 0 ct: son of E.C. (Hampshire 1896-1902): awarded DSC 1941: later, senior judge, and editor standard reference books on insurance and criminal law: d 14.i.1983 Midhurst, Sussex.

**LEE, Frederick Marshall**

b 8.i.1871 Paddington, Middlesex: ed Uppingham S; Royal Agricultural C, Cirencester: right-hand lower-, later middle-order batsman; occ left-arm slow bowler; versatile field: Kent 1895, a; Somerset 1902-1907, a: cr 75 matches; 2,067 runs, av 18.62; 4 wkt, av 42.50; 57 ct: hs 83 v Middlesex, Taunton, 1903: no four-wicket returns: with E.R.Turner, developed and patented a three-colour motion-picture system in 1899, 'the first such system for producing natural colours': d 18.xi.1914 Exeter, Devon.

**LEE, Jack**

b 4.xi.1920 Sileby, Leicestershire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Leicestershire 1947, p: cr 1 match; two innings, 3, 0; one for 13, taking the wicket with his first ball; 2 ct: played football for Leicester City (in FA Cup final 1949), Derby County and England: d 12.i.1995 Rugby, Warwickshire.

**LE FLEMING, John**

b 23.x.1865 Tonbridge, Kent: ed Tonbridge S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ right-arm slow bowler; outfield: Kent 1890, 1892-1895, 1898, 1899, a: cr 35 matches; 1,091 runs, av 19.48; 3 wkt, av 40.00; 22 ct: hs 134 v Sussex, Hove, 1892: older brother of L.J. (see below): AAA 120 yd hurdles champion 1887; played rugby union for Blackheath, Barbarians and England: d 7.x.1942 Montreux (Vaud), Switzerland.

**LE FLEMING, Lawrence Julius**

b 3.vi.1879 Tonbridge, Kent: ed Tonbridge S: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Kent 1897-1899, a: cr 10 matches; 153 runs, av 12.75; did not bowl; 1 ct: no fifties: younger brother of J. (see above): a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: d

21.iii.1918 Maissemy (Aisne), France, killed in action and having no known grave. (*Believed by some to be the model for the Colonel in R.C.Sherriff's 1928 play, Journey's End.*)

**LEGARD, Alfred Digby**

b 18.vi.1878 Scarborough, Yorkshire: ed Eton C: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm slow bowler; outfield: Yorkshire 1910, a: cr 3 matches; 39 runs, av 9.75; none for 26; 1 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: appointed CBE 1919 for military services: d 15.viii.1939 Newquay, Cornwall.

**LEGGATT, William Murray**

b 2.ix.1900 Crail (Fife), Scotland: ed Winchester C; Royal Military A, Woolwich: right-hand middle-order batsman: Kent 1926, a: cr 5 matches; 229 runs, av 28.62; did not bowl; 4 ct: hs 92 v Gloucestershire, Bristol, 1926: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: awarded DSO 1943: d 13.viii.1946 Westminster, Middlesex, from heart failure, probably a consequence of conditions endured while on active service in North Africa.

**LEWIS, Richard Percy**

b 10.ii.1874 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Winchester C; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Middlesex 1898, a: cr 2 matches; 11 runs, av 5.50; did not bowl; 2 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: d 7.ix.1917 Zonnebeke (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, from wounds received in action.

**LINDSAY, William O'Brien** ('Wob')

b 8.x.1909 Canterbury, Kent: ed Harrow S; Oxford U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; versatile field including wicketkeeper: Kent, 1931, a: cr 2 matches; 22 runs, av 11.00; did not bowl; 2 ct: emigrated to Sudan 1932, moving to Kenya 1955: a barrister, he was Chief Justice of Sudan 1950-1955: appointed KBE (knighted) 1955 for services to the judiciary in Sudan: d 20.x.1975 Nairobi, Kenya. (*Later, husband of Michaela Denis, the travel-film maker.*)

**LINNEY, Charles Keith**

b 26.viii.1912 Hobart (Tasmania), Australia: UK resident from an early age: ed Stramongate S, Kendal: left-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm medium-pace bowler; mid-off field: Somerset 1931, 1932, 1934, 1937, p in 1931, 1932, then a: cr 32 matches; 576 runs, av 14.40; two for 119; 9 ct: hs 60 v Surrey, Taunton, 1931: later, director of shipping United Nations refugee agency; director Cunard (shipping): d 12.x.1992 Tunbridge Wells, Kent.

**LINTON, James Edward Fryer** ('Jeff')

b 7.v.1909 Cardiff, Glamorgan: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Royal Military A, Woolwich: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler: Glamorgan 1932, a: cr 2 matches; 3 runs, av 0.75; one for 82; 0 ct: a career soldier, awarded DSO 1944: d 27.xii.1989 Isla Cozumel (Quintana Roo), Mexico.

**LISTER, Joseph**

b 14.v.1930 Thirsk, Yorkshire: ed Cheltenham C: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; versatile field: Yorkshire 1954, a; Worcestershire 1955-1957, a: cr 18 matches; 626 runs, av

20.19; did not bowl; 11 ct: hs 99 v Kent, Worcester, 1955: played hockey for Yorkshire: as Yorkshire secretary 1971-1991, 'he led the county skilfully and without fuss through some extremely testing periods': d 28.i.1991 Harrogate, Yorkshire.

#### **LIVESAY, Robert O'Hara**

b 27.vi.1876 Gillingham, Kent: ed Wellington C, Crowthorne; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Kent 1895-1897, 1899, 1904, a: cr 25 matches; 907 runs, av 22.12; none for 7; 7 ct: hs 76 v Somerset, Blackheath, 1896: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: played rugby union for Blackheath, Barbarians and England: awarded DSO 1902; appointed CMG 1919 for military services: d 23.iii.1946 Magham Down, Sussex.

#### **LIVOCK, Gerald Edward**

b 11.vii.1897 Newmarket, Suffolk: ed Cheltenham C: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Middlesex 1925, 1927, a: cr 4 matches; 106 runs, av 35.33; did not bowl; 8 ct 1 st: no fifties: a career airforceman, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent; later, well-known amateur archaeologist: awarded DFC 1918, AFC 1929: d 27.i.1989 Blandford Forum, Dorset.

#### **LLONG, Nigel James**

b 11.ii.1969 Ashford, Kent: ed North S, Ashford: left-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm off-break bowler; close field: Kent 1991-1998: cr 55 matches; 2,525 runs, av 30.79; 20 wkt, av 41.85; 53 ct: hs 130 v Hampshire, Canterbury, 1996: bb 5-21 v Middlesex, Canterbury, 1996: chsp umpire 2002-2019, 143 matches; 'umpires watch every ball of a game: it's amazing how little their opinions are valued'.

#### **LLOYD, Richard Averill**

b 4.viii.1891 Tamnamore (Co Tyrone), Ireland: ed Portora Royal S, Enniskillen; Trinity C, Dublin: right-hand middle-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Lancashire 1921, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 51, 32; did not bowl; 1 ct: hs 51 v Gloucestershire, Liverpool, 1921: played rugby union for Liverpool, Ulster and Ireland: as a rugby player, 'one of the inventors of modern half-back play': d 23.xii.1950 Belfast (Co Antrim), Northern Ireland.

#### **LOCKER, William**

b 6.ii.1866 Long Eaton, Derbyshire: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; outfield: Derbyshire 1899, 1901, 1902, p: cr 14 matches; 478 runs, av 18.38; did not bowl; 4 ct: hs 76 v Nottinghamshire, Derby, 1901: played football for Stoke and Notts County: d 15.viii.1952 Derby.

#### **LOCKTON, John Henry**

b 22.v.1892 Peckham, Surrey: ed Dulwich C; London U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; versatile field: Surrey 1919-1922, 1925, 1926, a: cr 30 matches; 396 runs, av 15.84; 72 wkt, av 25.76; 25 ct: hs 77\* v Nottinghamshire, Kennington, 1921: bb 5-80 v Middlesex, Lord's, 1925: played football for Nottingham Forest: d 29.vi.1972 Thornton Heath, Surrey.

**LODGE, Joseph Thomas**

b 16.iv.1921 Skelmanthorpe, Yorkshire: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; outfield: Yorkshire 1948, p: cr 2 matches; 48 runs, av 16.00; none for 17; 0 ct: played football for Huddersfield Town: d 9.vii.2002 Skelmanthorpe, Yorkshire.

**LODGE, Lewis Vaughan**

b 21.xii.1872 Newton Aycliffe, Co Durham: ed Durham S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1900, a: cr 3 matches; 6 runs, av 1.50; none for 6; 0 ct: played football for Corinthians, Small Heath and England: d 21.x.1916 Buxton, Derbyshire, drowned in pond.

**LOHMANN, George Alfred**

b 2.vi.1865 Kensington, Middlesex: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; slip field: Surrey 1890-1892, 1895, 1896: cr 73 matches; 1,898 runs, av 20.63; 480 wkt, av 12.94, the lowest average of any regular bowler in this list; 89 ct: hs 86\* v Sussex, Kennington, 1896: bb 8-42 v Sussex, Hove, 1892: played 18 Tests for England: *Wisden* cricketer 1889; inducted ICC Hall of Fame 2016: career curtailed by tuberculosis, emigrated to South Africa 1896: 'a genial and sunny personality and prime favourite of the Oval crowds': d 1.xii.1901 Matjiesfontein, Cape Colony, of tuberculosis and heart failure.

**LONGMAN, Henry Kerr**

b 8.iii.1881 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; versatile field: Surrey 1901, a; Middlesex 1919, 1920, a: cr 11 matches; 329 runs, av 18.27; did not bowl; 11 ct: hs 51 v Hampshire, Southampton, 1920: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent; awarded MC 1916, DSO 1918: d 7.x.1958 Pyrford, Surrey.

**LOVEITT, Frank Russell**

b 24.iv.1871 Easenhall, Warwickshire: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Warwickshire 1898, 1903-1905, a: cr 20 matches; 692 runs, av 25.62; did not bowl; 4 ct: hs 110 v Gloucestershire, Birmingham, 1903: played rugby union for Coventry and Barbarians: d 1.ix.1939 Coventry, Warwickshire.

**LOWE, Richard Geoffrey Harvey**

b 11.vi.1904 Wimbledon, Surrey: ed Westminster S; Cambridge U: left-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Kent 1926, a: cr 2 matches; two innings, 9\*, 8\*; 3 wkt, av 17.66; 1 ct: played football for England amateur team: d 5.vii.1986 Tunbridge Wells, Kent.

**LOWNDES, William Geoffrey Lowndes Frith**

b 24.i.1898 Wandsworth, Surrey: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; close field; Hampshire 1924, 1930, 1934, 1935, a, capt 1934, 1935: cr 37 matches; 1,342 runs, av 20.96; 36 wkt, av 37.80; 13 ct: hs 143 v Surrey, Kennington, 1934: no four-wicket returns: the committee 'were looking for an impressive personality and good



cricketer ... who might attract some young amateurs of promise': d 23.v.1982 Newbury, Berkshire. (*Changed surname from Frith 1906, keeping Frith as fourth forename.*)

### **LOWRY, Thomas Coleman**

b 17.ii.1898 Fernhill (Hawke's Bay), New Zealand: ed Christ's C, Canterbury (N.Z.); Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm slow-medium bowler; versatile field, incl wicketkeeper: UK resident 1918-1925: Somerset 1921-1924, a: cr 43 matches; 1,626 runs, av 23.56; none for 5; 38 ct, 16 st: hs 77 v Essex, Leyton, 1922 and 77 v Sussex, Taunton, 1923: played seven Tests for New Zealand; president New Zealand Cricket Council 1950-1953: leading racehorse owner-breeder in New Zealand: 'his comments on the run of the play, had they reached the spectators, would alone have justified the Entertainment Tax': d 20.vii.1976 Hastings (Hawke's Bay), New Zealand.

### **LUARD, Arthur John Hamilton**

b 3.ix.1861 Waltair (now Vizakhapatnam) (Madras State), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Denstone C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman; cover field: Gloucestershire 1892-1896, 1907, a; Hampshire 1897, a: cr 48 matches; 1,173 runs, av 13.96; did not bowl; 25 ct: hs 75\* v Surrey, Kennington, 1892: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: awarded DSO 1901: d 22.v.1944 Guildford, Surrey.

### **LUBBOCK, Christopher William Stuart**

b 4.i.1920 London: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace or leg-break bowler; outfield: Northamptonshire 1938, 1939, a: cr 6 matches; 147 runs, av 16.33; 15 wkt, av 15.93; 0 ct: hs 69 v Warwickshire, Northampton, 1938: bb 4-44 v Somerset, Northampton, 1939: later, a High Court judge of 'eccentric character, humour and mode of dress': d 16.v.2000 Colchester, Essex.

### **LUCAS, Alfred Perry ('Bunny')**

b 20.ii.1857 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Uppingham S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm slow bowler; versatile field, incl occ wicketkeeper: Essex 1895-1904, 1907, a: cr 88 matches; 3,274 runs, av 27.51; one for 75: 44 ct: hs 135 v Somerset, Taunton, 1895: played five Tests for England: 'he represented the strictest orthodoxy' as a batsman; thus E.V.Lucas, the author, once commented, 'one of my greatest griefs ... has been to answer "No" to the question "Are you related to A.P.Lucas?": d 12.x.1923 Great Waltham, Essex.

### **LUCAS, Frederick Charles**

b 29.ix.1933 Erith, Kent: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm off-break bowler; outfield: Kent 1954, p: cr 2 matches; 62 runs, av 15.50; none for 17; 1 ct: no fifties: played football for Charlton Athletic: d 11.ix.2015 Woolwich, Kent.

### **LUCAS, Robert Slade**

b 17.vii.1867 Teddington, Middlesex: ed Merchant Taylors' S, Northwood: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Middlesex 1891-1897, 1899, 1900, a: cr 71 matches; 2,042 runs, av 18.56; one for 127: 33 ct: hs 185 v Sussex, Hove, 1895: setting, with T.C.O'Brien, a then world-record fifth-wicket partnership of 338 runs, which

remained unsurpassed in the chsp until 1899: played hockey for Middlesex and England: d 5.i.1942 Haywards Heath, Sussex.

### **LUCE, Frank Mowbray**

b 26.iv.1878 Gloucester: ed Cheltenham C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ left-arm slow bowler; versatile field: Gloucestershire 1901, 1907, 1911, a: cr 23 matches; 673 runs, av 18.18; none for 20; 19 ct: a career civil servant stationed for many years in India, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: hs 56 v Hampshire, Bristol, 1911: played rugby union for Gloucester, Richmond and Rosslyn Park: d 9.ix.1962 Reading, Berkshire.

### **LUPTON, Arthur William**

b 23.ii.1879 Bradford, Yorkshire: ed Sedbergh S: right-hand lower-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-fast bowler; mid-on field: Yorkshire 1908, 1925-1927, a, capt 1925-1927: cr 93 matches; 604 runs, av 10.78; none for 68; 23 ct: no fifties: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent until 1925: 'he instilled discipline into the [Yorkshire] team', but 'he had little influence over tactics': d 14.iv.1944 Carlton (nr Yeadon), Yorkshire.

### **LUTHER, Alan Charles Grenville**

b 17.ix.1880 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Rugby S; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman; point field: Sussex 1908, a: cr 8 matches; 106 runs, av 10.60; did not bowl; 4 ct: no fifties: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: finalist amateur rackets singles and doubles championships 1907: awarded MC 1920: d 23.vi.1961 Curland, Somerset.

### **LYNES, James**

b 4.vi.1869 Coleshill, Warwickshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1897, 1898, 1904, 1905, p: cr 8 matches; 79 runs, av 9.87; 15 wkt, av 38.40; 6 ct: no four-wicket returns: played football for Leicester Fosse, rugby league for Halifax: 'a sportsman who played as a professional at a high level in three sports': d 9.i.1943 Macclesfield, Cheshire. (*Surname registered at birth and death as Lines. First forename sometimes incorrectly reported as John.*)

### **LYON, Charles Harry**

b 18.iii.1878 Rocester, Staffordshire: ed Newton C, Newton Abbot: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Derbyshire 1902, a: cr 2 matches; 6 runs, av 3.00; none for 6 on debut as the eleventh bowler used in an innings; 0 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: awarded DSO 1916; appointed CMG 1918, CB 1919 for military services: d 3.xii.1959 Ightfield, Shropshire.

### **LYON, George Hamilton D'Oyly**

b 3.x.1883 Bankipur (Bihar), India: UK resident from c 1890: ed King's S, Bruton; Britannia Royal Naval C, Dartmouth: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler: Hampshire 1907, a: cr 2 matches; 41 runs, av 10.25; two for 42: 1 ct: played rugby union for Barbarians and England: a career naval officer, commander Africa station from 1934 and later

Nore station, becoming full admiral 1942, the only chsp cricketer to hold such a position: appointed CB 1936, KCB (knighted) 1940: d 19.viii.1947 Woolbeding, Sussex.

### **LYONS, Kevin James**

b 18.xii.1946 Cardiff, Glamorgan: ed Lady Mary HS, Cardiff: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler: versatile field: Glamorgan 1967, 1968, 1970-1972, 1976, 1977: cr 43 matches; 957 runs, av 15.95; one for 170; 18 ct: hs 89 v Hampshire, Swansea, 1971: chsp umpire 1985-1991, 1994-1996, 1998, 1999, 2002, 160 matches.

### **LYTTELTON, Hon Charles Frederick**

b 26.i.1887 Marylebone, Middlesex; ed Eton C; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Worcestershire 1906, 1908-1910, a: cr 9 matches; 67 runs, av 6.70; 19 wkt, av 26.84; 5 ct: no four-wicket returns: younger brother of Lord Cobham (see above): later, an Anglican clergyman; awarded MC 1919: d 3.x.1931 Paddington, Middlesex. (*Styled Honourable from 1889 as a son of the eighth Viscount Cobham.*)

### **LYTTELTON, Hon Charles John**

b 8.viii.1909 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; close field: Worcestershire 1932, 1934-1939, a, capt 1936-1939: cr 87 matches; 2,465 runs, av 19.40; 27 wkt, av 41.22; 43 ct: hs 162 v Leicestershire, Loughborough, 1938: president MCC 1954-1955, treasurer 1963-1964: succeeded his father as tenth Viscount Cobham 1949: Governor-General of New Zealand 1957-1962; later, director Lloyds Bank, Eagle Star (insurance) and other companies: appointed GCMG 1957 on his New Zealand appointment; KG 1964, the only chsp cricketer thus honoured; Privy Counsellor 1967; GCVO 1972 for services to the royal household: 'he persuaded each individual to give of his best': d 20.iii.1977 Marylebone, Middlesex. (*Styled Honourable from 1922 as a son of the ninth Viscount Cobham.*)

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### **McCANLIS, Maurice Alfred**

b 17.vi.1906 Quetta (Baluchistan), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Cranleigh S; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Surrey 1926, a: cr 1 match, one innings, 14\*; one for 100; 0 ct: played rugby union for Blackheath, Gloucester, Barbarians and England: d 27.ix.1991 Pershore, Worcestershire.

### **McCORQUODALE, Alastair**

b 5.xii.1925 Hillhead, Glasgow, Scotland: ed Harrow S: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1951, a: cr 1 match; did not bat; two for 138; 0 ct: AAA 220 yd champion 1948, Olympic finalist 100 m (10.4 sec) and silver medallist 4x100 m relay 1948: later, chairman McCorquodale and Co (printing), director British Sugar and other companies: 'no athlete has ever appeared out of the blue with such natural power and brilliance': d 27.ii.2009 Little Ponton, Lincolnshire.

**MacDONALD-WATSON, Alastair**

b 29.i.1909 Wallington, Surrey: ed Glasgow U: right-hand lower-order batsman right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Somerset 1932, 1933, a: cr 4 matches; 2 runs, av 0.40; 8 wkt, av 27.37; 1 ct: bb 5-27 v Derbyshire, Ilkeston, 1933: appointed OBE 1958 for services to Royal Navy as consultant dentist: d 19.xi.1987 Gosport, Hampshire.

**McGIBBON, Charles Edward**

b 21.iv.1880 Portsmouth, Hampshire: right-hand middle-order batsman, occ bowler: Hampshire 1919, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 0, 1\*; none for 10; 0 ct: played football for Woolwich Arsenal: a career soldier, his appearances in top-level sport were very occasional: d 2.iv.1954 Hamble-le-Rice, Hampshire.

**McINTYRE, Arthur Seymour**

b 29.v.1889 Odiham, Hampshire: ed Blundell's S, Tiverton: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ bowler; versatile field: Hampshire 1920-1923, a: cr 26 matches; 425 runs, av 10.89; none for 36; 14 ct: hs 55 v Yorkshire, Sheffield, 1921: awarded MC 1916: d 14.iii.1945 Nottingham.

**McIVER, Colin Donald**

b 23.i.1881 Hong Kong: UK resident from an early age: ed Forest S, Walthamstow; Oxford U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ right-arm slow bowler; wicketkeeper: Essex 1902, 1904, 1913-1922, a: cr 56 matches; 2,445 runs, av 26.86; one for 25; 46 ct, 10 st: hs 134 v Hampshire, Leyton, 1913: played football for Corinthians and England amateur team: d 13.v.1954 Oxford.

**MACKAY, Claude Lysaght**

b 29.x.1894 Rajkot (Gujarat), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Clifton C, Bristol; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Gloucestershire 1914, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 13, 15; none for 24; 1 ct: d 7.vi.1915 Boulogne-sur-Mer (Pas-de-Calais), France, from wounds received in action.

**MacKENZIE, Percy Alec**

b 5.x.1918 Canterbury, Kent: ed Choristers' S, Canterbury: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm leg-break and googly bowler; versatile field: Hampshire 1938, 1939, p: cr 22 matches; 652 runs, av 19.75; 17 wkt, av 35.58; 11 ct: hs 76 v Lancashire, Southampton, 1939: bb 4-34 v Warwickshire, Birmingham, 1939: awarded DFC 1942, DSO 1943: d 1.i.1989 Rye, Sussex.

**MacKINNON, Malcolm**

b 11.v.1891 Greenock (Renfrewshire), Scotland: ed West Ham Central SS; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Essex 1927, a: cr 3 matches; 55 runs, av 13.75; did not bowl; 0 ct: no fifties: spent time in India: awarded MC 1916: d 13.ii.1975 Chichester, Sussex.

**MacLEOD, Kenneth Grant** ('Grunt')

b 2.ii.1888 Bearsden (Dunbartonshire), Scotland: ed Fettes C, Edinburgh; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; versatile field: Lancashire 1908,

1909, 1911, 1913, a: cr 72 matches; 2,535 runs, av 23.04; 79 wkt, av 25.20; 85 ct: hs 131 v Leicestershire, Manchester, 1911: bb 6-29 v Sussex, Eastbourne, 1909: played rugby union for London Scottish and Scotland; represented Scotland at athletics as sprinter; played football for Manchester City: emigrated to South Africa 1937: d 7.ii.1967 St James (Cape Province), South Africa.

### **McMILLAN, Stuart Thomas**

b 17.ix.1896 Leicester: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; outfield: Derbyshire 1922-1924, p: cr 4 matches; 30 runs, av 7.50; none for 14; 0 ct: played football for Derby County: later, one of the best-known football managers of his time: d 27.ix.1963 Ashbourne, Derbyshire.

### **McMURRAY, Thomas**

b 24.vii.1911 Belfast (Co Antrim), Ireland: ed Ormeau Park S, Belfast: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ bowler; versatile field, incl occ wicketkeeper: Surrey 1933-1938, p: cr 32 matches; 891 runs, av 18.95; none for 20; 14 ct: hs 62 v Northamptonshire, Northampton, 1933 and 62 v Hampshire, Bournemouth, 1936: played football for Linfield (Irish League): d 24.iii.1964 Belfast (Co Antrim), Northern Ireland.

### **McRAE, Foster Moverley** ('Peter')

b 12.ii.1916 Buenos Aires, Argentina: UK resident from 1919: ed Christ's Hospital, Horsham; St Mary's Hospital Medical C, Paddington: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1936, 1937, 1939, a: cr 24 matches; 938 runs, av 24.05; did not bowl; 9 ct: hs 107 v Hampshire, Taunton, 1939: played rugby union for London Irish, Barbarians and in England trial, squash for England: 'remarking almost casually, "There's not enough room for us all," the doctor slipped over the side into the sea and was never seen again': d 25.ii.1944 off Finnmark, Norway, drowned on active service when his ship was sunk by German torpedoes, and having no known grave.

### **MADDEN-GASKELL, John Charles Pengelley**

b 1.iii.1896 Pontypool, Monmouthshire: ed Haileybury C, Hertford Heath: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Glamorgan 1922, a; Somerset 1928, 1930, a: cr 9 matches; 284 runs, av 15.77; none for 8; 3 ct: hs 63 v Nottinghamshire, Taunton, 1928: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: appointed MBE 1947, OBE 1955 for military services: d 4.ii.1975 Lowertown (nr Helston), Cornwall. (*Changed surname from Madden c 1925, reverting to that name 1965.*)

### **MAGNAY, Christopher Boyd William**

b 27.iii.1884 Marylebone, Middlesex: ed Harrow S; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; occ right-arm bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1906, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 7, 1; none for 2; 0 ct: succeeded his father as third Magnay baronet 1917; awarded MC 1918: d 4.ix.1960 Great Saxham, Suffolk.

### **MAJENDIE, Vivian Henry Bruce**

b 20.iv.1886 Ipplepen, Devon: ed Winchester C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst; right-hand middle-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Somerset 1910, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 1, 13; did not bowl; 0 ct, 2 st: awarded DSO 1917; appointed CB 1941, when commander British army in Northern Ireland: author military histories: d 13.i.1960 Watford, Hertfordshire.

### **MALIK, Hardit Singh**

b 23.xi.1894 Rawalpindi (Punjab), India: UK resident from 1902: ed Eastbourne C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Sussex 1914, 1921, a: cr 8 matches; 319 runs, av 24.53; did not bowl; 3 ct: hs 106 v Leicestershire, Horsham, 1921: returned to India 1922: later, civil servant and diplomat, being chief minister Patiala state 1943-1947, Indian High Commissioner to Canada 1947-1949, ambassador to France 1949-1956: appointed OBE 1938, CIE 1941 for public services: d 31.x.1985 New Delhi (Capital Territory), India.

### **MANN, Eric William**

b 4.iii.1882 Sidcup, Kent: ed Harrow S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ right-arm fast medium bowler; outfield: Kent 1902, 1903, a: cr 6 matches; 73 runs av 7.30; none for 8; 2 ct: no fifties: later, director Southall's (pharmaceutical mfg); chairman British East Africa Corporation (plantations, merchanting); also president Royal Philatelic Society 1946-1949: d 15.ii.1954 Rye, Sussex.

### **MANN, Francis George**

b 6.ix.1917 Weybridge, Surrey: ed Eton C; Cambridge U; Royal Military A, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; out-, later mid-off field: Middlesex 1939-1951, 1954, a, capt 1948, 1949: cr 87 matches; 3,258 runs, av 25.45; two for 33; 38 ct: hs 116 v Nottinghamshire, Nottingham, 1948: played seven Tests for England: chairman TCCB 1978-1983, president MCC 1984-1985: son of F.T. (Middlesex 1909-1931), older brother of J.P. (see below): later, director Watney Mann (brewing), Exchange Telegraph (press agency): awarded MC 1943, DSO 1946; appointed CBE 1983 for services to cricket: as one of the game's leading administrators, he wore several hats, but he 'handled this assorted millinery with ... diplomacy and charm': d 8.viii.2001 Stockcross, Berkshire.

### **MANN, John Pelham**

b 13.vi.1919 West Byfleet, Surrey: ed Eton C; Cambridge U; Royal Military A, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Middlesex 1939-1947, a: cr 14 matches; 357 runs, av 17.00; did not bowl; 13 ct: hs 77 v Warwickshire, Lord's, 1946: son of F.T. (Middlesex 1909-1931), younger brother of F.G. (see above): awarded MC 1945: later managing director United Biscuits, director D. and W.Gibbs (toothpaste mfg) and other companies; emigrated to United States 1985: d 8.ix.2002 New Orleans (Louisiana), United States.

### **MANN, William Horace**

b 28.vii.1878 Trowbridge, Wiltshire: ed Marlborough C: right-hand lower-order batsman: Worcestershire 1924, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 4, 3; did not bowl; 0 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: awarded MC 1919: d 24.ii.1938 Poole, Dorset.

**MANNERS, John Errol**

b 25.ix.1914 Exeter, Devon: ed Britannia Royal Naval C, Dartmouth: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1936, 1947, 1948, a: cr 6 matches; 314 runs, av 34.88; none for 16; 1 ct: hs 121 v Kent, Canterbury, 1947: a career navy officer, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: awarded DSC 1945; later, author various books on rural crafts: as of 31.x.2019, aged 105 yr 1 mth, the longest-lived of any first-class cricketer.

**MANNING, Thomas Edgar** ('Tim')

b 2.ix.1884 Northampton: ed Wellingborough S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; versatile field incl occ wicketkeeper: Northamptonshire 1906-1910, 1919, 1922, a, capt 1908-1910: cr 50 matches; 988 runs, av 13.72; did not bowl; 26 ct, 3 st: hs 57 v Derbyshire, Derby, 1919: later, director H.E.Randell and other footwear companies, Phipps and Co (brewing): d 22.xi.1975 Northampton.

**MANTON, Joseph**

b 4.xii.1871 Handsworth, Birmingham: ed King Edward's S, Birmingham; London U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; slip field: Warwickshire 1898, a: cr one match; two innings 0, 5; one for 51; 0 ct: a career teacher, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited; later, translator of French lyric poetry: d 9.xii.1958 Henham, Essex.

**MARKS, Geoffrey**

b 15.xi.1864 Thornton Heath, Surrey: ed Whitgift S, Croydon: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Middlesex, 1894, 1895, a: cr 2 matches; 31 runs, av 15.50; did not bowl; 3 ct: later, director National Mutual (Insurance) and other companies; president Institute of Actuaries 1918-1920; member Royal Commissions on income tax and decimal coinage: appointed OBE 1917 for services as finance officer to police; CBE 1920 for financial services to military and naval canteens: d 25.viii.1938 Newnham, Hampshire.

**MARSDEN, Arthur**

b 28.x.1880 Buxton, Derbyshire: ed Chetham's S, Manchester: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman: Derbyshire 1910, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 0, 6; did not bowl; 1 ct: d 31.vii.1916 St Pancras, Middlesex, from wounds received in action.

**MARSDEN, Edmund**

b 18.iv.1881 Coorg (Madras State), India: UK resident from c 1889: ed Cheltenham C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; outfield: Gloucestershire 1909, a: cr 2 matches; 79 runs, av 19.75; did not bowl; 0 ct; no fifties: a career soldier often stationed outside UK, his appearances in chsp cricket were limited: d 26.v.1915 Myitkyina (Kachin), Burma, from malaria contracted while on military service.

**MARSH, William Edward**

b 10.ix.1917 Newbridge, Monmouthshire: ed Monmouth S: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Glamorgan 1947, a: cr 4 matches; 39 runs, av 7.80; 8 wkt, av 36.25; 2 ct: no four-wicket returns: played rugby union in Wales: d 6.ii.1978 Newbridge, Monmouthshire.

**MARSHAL, Alan**

b 12.vi.1883 Warwick, Queensland: ed Brisbane GS: UK resident from 1905: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; versatile field: Surrey 1907-1910, p: cr 87 matches; 3,522 runs, av 27.30; 81 wkt, av 22.50; 76 ct: hs 176 v Worcestershire, Worcester, 1908: bb 7-41 v Derbyshire, Kennington, 1908: *Wisden* cricketer 1909: returned to Australia 1910, after apparently being dismissed by Surrey for indiscipline: 'a cricketer of unfulfilled promise ... he had it in him to be great': d 23.vii.1915 Mtarfa, Malta, from typhoid fever contracted while on active service with Australian army.

**MARSHALL, Edwin Alfred**

b 21.viii.1904 Nottingham: ed Nottingham HS: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Nottinghamshire 1937, a: cr 2 matches; 17 runs, av 5.66; two for 100; 0 ct: appointed MBE 1944 for services to the Home Guard: d 28.i.1970 Nottingham, from heart failure, after collapsing at his county's annual general meeting.

**MARSHALL, Leslie Phillips** ('L.P.')

b 25.i.1894 Tiruppur (Madras State), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Taunton S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ bowler: Somerset 1913, 1914, 1919, 1926, 1928, 1931, a: cr 10 matches; 96 runs, av 5.64; one for 16; 6 ct: no fifties: older brother of A.G. (Somerset 1914, 1919, 1922, 1923, 1926-1931): a doctor, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: 'did not give himself much chance of acclimatising to first-class cricket': awarded MC 1918: d 28.ii.1978 Taunton, Somerset.

**MARTIN, Eric**

b 20.v.1894 Barnet, Hertfordshire: ed Christ's C, Finchley: right-hand middle-order batsman; close field; Middlesex 1919, 1921-1923, a: cr 15 matches; 324 runs, av 16.20; did not bowl; 15 ct: hs 64 v Essex, Leyton, 1919: awarded MC 1917: d 2.v.1924 Duxford, Cambridgeshire, killed in flying accident when piloting a fighter aircraft.

**MARTIN, Evelyn George**

b 22.iii.1881 Upton upon Severn, Worcestershire: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Worcestershire 1903, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 0; two for 73; 0 ct: later, a well-known yachtsman, winning Fastnet Race 1925, author several books on sailing, commodore Ocean Racing Club: appointed OBE 1919 for services to Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve: d 27.iv.1945 Hadleigh, Suffolk.

**MARTIN, John Donald**

b 23.xii.1941 Oxford: ed Magdalen College S, Oxford; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Somerset 1964, 1965: cr 2 matches; one innings, 0\*; 3 wkt, av 43.00; 1 ct: played hockey for Oxfordshire, Middlesex and Wales.

**MARTIN, John William**

b 16.ii.1917 Catford, Kent: ed Brockley GS: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Kent 1939-1953, a: cr 32 matches; 509 runs, av 12.41; 121 wkt, av



22.80; 22 ct: no fifties: bb 7-53 v Leicestershire, Folkestone, 1950: played one Test for England: d 4.i.1987 Woolwich, Kent.

**MASON, James Ernest**

b 29.x.1876 Blackheath, Kent: ed Tonbridge S: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Kent 1900, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 1: did not bowl; 0 ct: younger brother of J.R. (Kent 1893-1911, 1913, 1914): appointed OBE 1919 for military services: d 8.ii.1938 Wallington, Surrey.

MATHER-JACKSON, A.H., see JACKSON, A.H.M., below.

**MATHEWS, John Kenneth**

b 6.ii.1884 Harlow, Essex: ed Felsted S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; outfield: Sussex 1909, 1920, 1921, 1923, 1924, 1927, 1928, 1930, a: cr 38 matches; 650 runs, av 11.81; none for 49; 11 ct: hs 58 v Gloucestershire, Hove, 1927: father of K.P.A. (Sussex 1950, 1951): played hockey for East of England and England: d 6.iv.1962 Worthing, Sussex.

**MATHIAS, Frederick William** ('Birdie')

b 7.viii.1898 Abercynon, Glamorgan: ed Clifton C, Bristol; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm off-break bowler; outfield: Glamorgan 1922-1927, 1929, a: cr 27 matches; 450 runs, av 11.53; none for 56; 7 ct: hs 58 v Lancashire, Swansea, 1919: awarded DSO 1918: d 19.iv.1955 Radyr, Glamorgan.

**MAUDSLEY, Ronald Harling**

b 8.iv.1918 Lostock Gralam, Cheshire: ed Malvern C; Birmingham U; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; slip field: Warwickshire 1946-1950, a, capt 1948: cr 36 matches; 1,306 runs, av 22.91; 32 wkt, av 28.68; 32 ct: hs 107 v Hampshire, Bournemouth, 1949: bb 6-54 v Surrey, Kennington, 1946: cricket writer *Sunday Telegraph*: later, law professor London U, author/editor variety of publications on legal subjects: emigrated to United States 1977: 'happiest when continuously occupied with a variety of business': d 29.ix.1981 San Diego (California), United States.

**MAYO, Charles Thomas Worsfold**

b 5.ii.1903 Victoria (British Columbia), Canada: UK resident from an early age: ed Eton C: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1928, a: cr 6 matches; 193 runs, av 21.44; did not bowl; 3 ct: hs 60 v Nottinghamshire, Nottingham, 1928: 'all sorts of curious coves appeared in Somerset colours in 1928': d 10.iv.1943 El Iskanderiya, Egypt, 'from illness contracted while on active service'.

**MEGGITT, Frank Claxton**

b 17.ii.1901 Barry, Glamorgan: ed Mill Hill S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; outfield: Glamorgan 1923, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 0, 4; did not bowl; 0 ct: played hockey for Glamorgan and Wales: d 9.xi.1945 Radyr, Glamorgan.

**MELLUISH, Michael Edward Lovelace**

b 13.vi.1932 Westcliff-on-Sea, Essex: ed Rossall S, Fleetwood: Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Middlesex 1957, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 1, 3; did not bowl; 3 ct: president MCC 1991-1992, treasurer 1992-1998: later, director Friends Provident (insurance) and other companies: appointed OBE 1999 for services to cricket: d 8.ii.2014 Bradford-on-Avon, Wiltshire.

**MELSOME, Robert George William**

b 16.i.1906 Sopley, Hampshire: ed Lancing C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Gloucestershire 1925, 1926, 1933, 1934, a: cr 14 matches; 333 runs, av 16.65; 9 wkt, av 34.11; 8 ct: no fifties: no four-wicket returns: a career soldier stationed for many years outside UK, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: appointed MBE 1946 for services to escape committees in German prison camps 1940-1945: d 3.xi.1991 South Harting, Sussex.

**MELVILLE, Alan**

b 19.v.1910 Carnarvon, Cape Colony: ed Michaelhouse, Balgowan (Natal); Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm leg- or off-break bowler; cover field: UK resident 1929-1936: Sussex 1932-1936, a, capt 1934, 1935: cr 77 matches; 4,257 runs, av 37.67; 33 wkt, av 36.84; 57 ct: hs 125 v Nottinghamshire, Hove, 1936: bb 5-17 v Gloucestershire, Gloucester, 1933: played 11 Tests for South Africa: *Wisden* cricketer 1948: his performances were 'exemplary', but at Sussex he found it difficult 'to apply much incentive other than by example': d 18.iv.1983 Sabie (Transvaal), South Africa.

**MELVILLE, James**

b 15.iii.1909 Barrow-in-Furness, Lancashire; ed Barrow GS: right-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1946, a: cr 2 matches; 14 runs, av 4.66; 5 wkt, av 16.80; 1 ct: no four-wicket returns: played football for Blackburn Rovers: d 2.viii.1961 Coventry, Warwickshire.

**MERRICK, Horace**

b 21.xii.1887 Bristol, Gloucestershire; ed Bristol GS; Oxford U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; outfield: Gloucestershire 1909-1911, a: cr 11 matches; 257 runs, av 16.06; did not bowl; 4 ct: hs 58 v Essex, Leyton, 1909: awarded MC 1917: d 16.viii.1961 Bristol, Gloucestershire.

**MERRITT, William Edward**

b 18.viii.1908 Sumner (Canterbury), New Zealand: ed Christchurch HS: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break and googly bowler: versatile field: UK resident 1932-1966: Northamptonshire 1939, 1946, p: cr 37 matches; 1,183 runs, av 20.05; 133 wkt, av 25.66; 21 ct: hs 87 v Sussex, Kettering, 1939: bb 7-63 v Gloucestershire, Peterborough, 1946: played six Tests for New Zealand: played rugby union for Canterbury (N.Z.), rugby league for Wigan and Halifax: d 9.vi.1977 Christchurch (Canterbury), New Zealand.

**MEUNIER, James Brown**

b 30.x.1885 Deritend, Birmingham: ed Crawford C, Stockport: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1920, p: cr 2 matches; 12 runs, av 4.00; none for 38; 1 ct: played football for Everton and Manchester City: d 30.ix.1957 Loughborough, Leicestershire. (*Surname sometimes reported as 'Mennier'.*)

**MEYER, Rollo John Oliver** ('Boss')

b 15.iii.1905 Clophill, Bedfordshire: ed Haileybury C, Hertford Heath; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace or off-break bowler; versatile field: emigrated to India 1926, returning to UK 1935: Somerset 1936-1948, a, capt 1947: cr 59 matches; 2,763 runs, av 29.08; 147 wkt, av 27.40; 147 ct: hs 202\* v Lancashire, Taunton, 1936: bb 7-74 v Northamptonshire, Weston-super-Mare, 1947: appointed OBE 1967 for services as headteacher Millfield School, Street from 1935: 'a difficult, talented man in very many fields ... but Millfield, and indeed educational thinking more widely, stand as monuments to his ideas, enthusiasm and skill': d 9.iii.1991 Bristol, Gloucestershire.

**MEYRICK-JONES, Frederic Meyrick**

b 14.i.1867 Blackheath, Kent: ed Marlborough C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman, outfield: Kent 1893, 1894, 1896, a: cr 4 matches; 79 runs, av 13.16; did not bowl; 3 ct: hs 62 v Nottinghamshire, Nottingham, 1893: an Anglican clergyman, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent; best known for his restoration of Woodsland Manor, Mere in the 1920s, a pioneering attempt at conserving a medieval manor house: d 25.x.1950 Shaftesbury, Dorset. (*Changed surname from Jones to Meyrick-Jones in September 1893.*)

**MILLER, Hamish David Sneddon**

b 20.v.1943 Blackpool, Lancashire: emigrated to South Africa at an early age, returning to UK 1963: ed Rondebosch HS, Cape Town; Cape Town U; University C, Cardiff; Newcastle U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; versatile field: Glamorgan 1963-1966: cr 23 matches; 417 runs, av 12.63; 45 wkt, av 25.28; 13 ct: hs 81 v Gloucestershire, Cheltenham, 1964: bb 7-48 v Nottinghamshire, Nottingham, 1964; returned to South Africa 1969 but later professor of mining engineering Missouri U: d 24.iv.1997 Salt Lake City (Utah), United States from heart failure while on airplane flight from Albuquerque (New Mexico).

**MILLER, Neville**

b 27.viii.1874 Shanghai (Jiangsu province), China: UK resident from an early age: ed Dulwich C: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Surrey 1899, 1900, 1903, a: cr 8 matches; 332 runs, av 33.20; one for 114; 1 ct: hs 124 v Sussex, Hove, 1899, on chsp debut: awarded MC 1917: 'a notable figure in London club cricket', he scored 36,182 runs for Streatham CC over 42 seasons: d 3.iii.1967 Tooting, Surrey.

**MILLER, Robert Alexander Tamplin**

b 12.v.1895 Rockwood (Travancore), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Uppingham S: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Sussex 1919, a: cr 9 matches; 112 runs, av 7.46:

did not bowl; 7 ct, 7 st: emigrated to Kenya 1922: declared bankrupt 1935: d 10.vii.1941 nr Ma'ala, Aden, reported 'killed in action'.

**MILLIGAN, Frank William**

b 19.ii.1870 Farnborough, Hampshire: ed Eton C: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; versatile field: Yorkshire 1895-1898, a: cr 66 matches; 1,648 runs, av 19.86; 102 wkt, av 21.87; 34 ct: hs 74 v Nottinghamshire, Nottingham, 1898: bb 7-65 v Sussex, Sheffield, 1897: played two Tests for England: d 31.iii.1900 nr Ramatlabama, Transvaal, from wounds received in action.

**MILTON, Harold Aubrey**

b 15.i.1882 Clapton, Middlesex: ed University College S, Hampstead; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; close field: Middlesex 1907, a: cr 3 matches; 52 runs, av 10.40; did not bowl; 4 ct: no fifties: played football for Corinthians: awarded MC 1918: d 14.ii.1970 Islington, Middlesex.

**MITCHELL, Clement**

b 20.ii.1862 Cambridge: ed Felsted S: left-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Kent 1890-1892, a: cr 6 matches; 67 runs, av 6.70; did not bowl; 5 ct: no fifties: played football for England (while with Upton Park, then a leading amateur side): d 6.x.1937 Hove, Sussex.

**MITCHELL, Frank**

b 13.viii.1872 Market Weighton, Yorkshire: ed St Peter's S, York; Cambridge U: resident in South Africa most years 1902-1912: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field; Yorkshire 1894, 1895, 1897, 1899, 1901, 1904, a: cr 71 matches; 3,724 runs, av 36.50; one for 16; 46 ct: hs 194 v Leicestershire, Leicester, 1899: played two Tests for England, three for South Africa: *Wisden* cricketer 1902: father of T.F. (Kent 1928-1934): played rugby union for Blackheath, Barbarians and England: declared bankrupt 1913, but later, director Nigerian Base Metal Corporation and other companies, then cricket writer various newspapers: d 11.x.1935 Blackheath, Kent.

**MITCHELL, Frank Rollason**

b 3.vi.1922 Goulburn (New South Wales), Australia: UK resident from 1927: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace or off-break bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1946, 1948, p: cr 13 matches; 184 runs, av 8.36; 22 wkt, av 38.90; 7 ct: bb 4-69 v Leicestershire, Birmingham, 1946: played football for Birmingham City and Chelsea: d 4.iv.1984 Warwick.

**MITCHELL-INNES, Norman Stewart** ('Mandy')

b 7.ix.1914 Kolkata (Bengal), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Sedbergh S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm fast, later medium-pace bowler; close field: Somerset 1931-1937, 1939-1949, a, capt 1948, a civil servant in Sudan, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: cr 67 matches; 2,800 runs, av 24.77; 31 wkt, av 33.67; 84 ct: hs 182 v Worcestershire, Kidderminster, 1936: bb 4-65 v Sussex, Eastbourne, 1936: played one Test for England: later, director Vaux Breweries: 'lucky he may have been to be chosen (for England) ... but he was unlucky to be discarded': d 28.xii.2006 Monmouth.

**MITTEN, John**

b 30.iii.1941 Urmston, Lancashire: ed Beverley GS: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper; Leicestershire 1962, 1963, p: cr 11 matches; 159 runs, av 9.93; did not bowl; 15 ct: played football for Newcastle United and Leicester City.

**MOLYNEUX, Paul Seymour Morthier**

b 21.i.1906 Wells, Somerset: ed Honiton GS: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1937, a: cr 6 matches; 94 runs, av 9.40; did not bowl; 2 ct: no fifties: a tea planter in India and Ceylon from 1925 to 1956, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: played hockey and rugby union for Ceylon: later, director South India Tea Estates and other companies: d 13.iii.1980 Hove, Sussex.

**MONTGOMERY, Hugh Ferguson**

b 6.v.1880 Umballa (Bengal), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Marlborough C: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Somerset 1901, 1904, 1906, 1908, 1909, a: cr 9 matches; 253 runs, av 14.88; 3 wkt, av 52.66: 5 ct: hs 50 v Sussex, Hove, 1904: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: awarded DSO 1917, appointed CMG 1919 for military services: d 10.xii.1920 Bray (Co Dublin), Ireland, from wounds received when shot by Irish republicans in a Dublin hotel while on British Army service there.

**MONTGOMERY, Stanley William**

b 7.vii.1920 Canning Town, Essex: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Glamorgan 1949-1953, a in 1949, then p: cr 23 matches; 573 runs, av 18.48; 6 wkt, av 16.50; 8 ct: hs 117 v Hampshire, Bournemouth, 1949; no four-wicket returns: played football for Cardiff City: d 5.x.2000 Cardiff, Glamorgan.

**MOON, Leonard James**

b 9.ii.1878 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Westminster S; Cambridge U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ bowler; versatile field, incl occ wicketkeeper: Middlesex 1899-1901, 1903-1905, 1908, 1909, a: cr 60 matches; 2,568 runs, av 27.91; none for 24; 38 ct, 6 st: hs 135 v Somerset, Lord's, 1908: played four Tests for England: younger brother of W.R. (see below): played football for Corinthians: d 23.xi.1916 Karasouli (now Polykastro) (Makedonia), Greece, by his own hand while on military service.

**MOON, William Robert**

b 7.vi.1868 Maida Vale, Middlesex: ed Westminster S: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Middlesex 1891, a: cr 2 matches; one innings, 17\*; did not bowl; 2 ct: older brother of L.J. (see above): played football for Corinthians and England: later, director British Law Insurance Society and other companies: d 9.i.1943 Hendon, Middlesex.

**MORDAUNT, Henry John**

b 12.vii.1867 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm slow bowler; versatile field: Middlesex 1890, 1893, a: cr 6 matches; 56 runs, av 5.09; 4 wkt, av 38.00; 4 ct: no fifties; no four-wicket returns: older brother of E.C.

(Middlesex 1891, 1892, 1894; Kent 1896, 1897) and G.J. (Kent 1895-1897): chief education officer London County Council 1904-1924: succeeded his cousin as twelfth Mordaunt baronet 1934: d 15.i.1939 Westminster, Middlesex.

### **MORDAUNT, Osbert Cautley**

b 26.v.1876 Flax Bourton, Somerset: ed Imperial Service C, Windsor; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm slow bowler; versatile field: Somerset 1905-1907, 1910, a: cr 13 matches; 106 runs, av 5.30; 34 wkt, av 22.85; 10 ct: bb 5-68 v Gloucestershire, Taunton, 1907: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: awarded DSO 1917: 'more noted for his horsemanship' d 20.x.1949 Bells Yew Green (nr Frant), Sussex.

### **MORE, Richard Edwardes**

b 3.i.1879 Bishop's Castle, Shropshire: ed Westminster S; Oxford U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field; Middlesex 1901, 1904, 1909, 1910, a: cr 36 matches; 1,010 runs, av 21.04; 55 wkt, av 31.00; 20 ct: hs 120\* v Yorkshire, Sheffield, 1904: bb 4-53 v Kent, Tonbridge, 1901: a career civil servant stationed for many years outside UK, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: governor Khartoum province 1921-1930: appointed OBE 1919, CMG 1928 for public services in Sudan: d 24.xi.1936 Cairo, Egypt.

### **MORGAN, Aubrey Niel**

b 30.i.1904 Cardiff, Glamorgan: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Glamorgan 1929, a: cr 3 matches; 31 runs, av 5.16; two for 102; 0 ct: older brother of J.T. (see below): emigrated to United States 1932, becoming career diplomat: appointed CMG 1953 for services as counsellor at British Embassy in Washington, D.C.: d 14.ix.1985 Ridgefield (Washington State), United States.

### **MORGAN, Edward Noel**

b 22.xii.1905 Garnant, Carmarthenshire: ed Christ C, Brecon: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Glamorgan 1934, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 1; did not bowl; 0 ct: older brother of W.G. (see below): played rugby union for Cardiff: d 27.viii.1975 Cardiff, Glamorgan.

### **MORGAN, John Trevil**

b 7.v.1907 Cardiff, Glamorgan: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Cambridge U: left-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field, incl occ wicketkeeper: Glamorgan 1925, 1927-1930, 1933, 1934, a: cr 37 matches; 652 runs, av 13.58; 11 wkt, av 41.54; 9 ct, 2 st: hs 69 v Nottinghamshire, Cardiff, 1928: no four-wicket returns: younger brother of A.N. (see below): later, director David Morgan (retailing) and other companies: d 18.xii.1976 Long Ashton, Somerset.

### **MORGAN, William Guy**

b 26.xii.1907 Garnant, Carmarthenshire: ed Christ C, Brecon; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Glamorgan 1925, 1927-1929, 1933-1936, 1938, a: cr 38 matches; 758 runs, av 16.84; 3 wkt, av 67.66; 6 ct: hs 91\* v Sussex, Horsham, 1929: younger brother of E.N. (see above): played rugby union for Cardiff, Swansea,

London Welsh, Barbarians and Wales: d 29.vii.1973 Carmarthen. (*Changed surname to Stewart-Morgan 1941.*)

**MORGAN, William Percival**

b 1.i.1905 Abercraf, Breconshire; ed Christ C, Brecon: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Glamorgan 1925, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 0, 4; none for 0 (one maiden over); 0 ct: played rugby union for Neath: d 3.iii.1983 Neath, Glamorgan.

**MORRIS, Raymond**

b 20.vi.1929 Hartlebury, Worcestershire: ed Queen Elizabeth GS, Hartlebury: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Worcestershire 1958, a: cr 2 matches; 7 runs, av 2.33; did not bowl; 8 ct: played hockey for Worcestershire.

**MORTER, Frank William**

b 14.viii.1897 Bromley, Kent: ed Central GS, Birmingham: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; outfield; Warwickshire 1922, a: cr 3 matches; 13 runs, av 4.33; 3 wkt, av 46.00; 0 ct: awarded AFC 1919: d 20.xii.1958 Edgbaston, Birmingham, following a road accident.

**MORTON, John**

b 17.viii.1895 Coventry, Warwickshire: ed Elstow S, Bedford: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; outfield: Warwickshire 1929, 1930, a: cr 9 matches; 162 runs, av 11.57; did not bowl; 4 ct: no fifties: played rugby union for Coventry and South of England: later, managing director Morton Transport: d 28.v.1966 Leamington Spa, Warwickshire.

**MOSS, Reginald Heber**

b 24.ii.1868 Huyton, Lancashire: ed Radley C; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; slip field: Worcestershire 1925, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 2, 0; one for 5; 2 ct: aged 57 yr 3 mth in his only chsp match, while vicar of Icomb, Gloucestershire (and hence probably unqualified), the oldest player to play chsp cricket: d 19.ii.1956 Symondsburry, Dorset.

**MUGLISTON, Francis Hugh**

b 7.vi.1886 Singapore, Straits Settlements: UK resident from an early age: ed Rossall S, Fleetwood; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; versatile field: Middlesex 1906, 1908, a: cr 7 matches; 117 runs, av 10.63; did not bowl; 10 ct: no fifties: played football for Corinthians: appointed OBE 1920 for services with Home Office: d 3.x.1932 Westminster, Middlesex.

**MURRAY-WOOD, William**

b 30.vi.1917 Dartford, Kent: ed Mill Hill S; Oxford U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break bowler; outfield: Kent 1936, 1947, 1948, 1950-1953, a, capt 1952, 1953: cr 73 matches; 1,533 runs, av 13.25: 42 wkt, av 42.80; 28 ct: hs 107 v Sussex, Tunbridge Wells, 1952: bb 4-118 v Yorkshire, Bradford, 1948: his dismissal from the Kent captaincy in

August 1953 was 'a result of representations by the club's amateur players, who had said that they would not continue under Murray-Wood's leadership': d 21.xii.1968 Southwark, Surrey.

### **MUSSON, Francis William**

b 31.v.1894 Clitheroe, Lancashire: ed Tonbridge S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; versatile field, incl wicketkeeper: Lancashire 1914-1920, a: cr 15 matches; 509 runs, av 21.20; did not bowl; 11 ct, 5 st: hs 75 v Hampshire, Southampton, 1920: awarded AFC 1918; appointed CMG 1945, CB 1958 for defence and Foreign Office services: d 2.i.1962 Chatham, Kent.

### **MYERS, Edwin Bertram**

b 5.vii.1888 Blackheath, Kent: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ left-arm slow bowler; outfield: Surrey 1910, 1912-1914, p: cr 10 matches; 177 runs, av 12.64; 3 wkt, av 65.33; 3 ct: no fifties: d 15.ix.1916 Miraumont (Somme), France, killed in action.

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### **NAPIER, Guy Greville**

b 26.i.1884 City of London: ed Marlborough C; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Middlesex 1904-1907, 1913, a: cr 20 matches; 281 runs, av 10.03; 53 wkt, av 24.64; 19 ct: bb 7-68 v Essex, Leyton, 1906: a career soldier stationed for several years outside UK, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: d 25.ix.1915 Loos-en-Gohelle (Pas-de Calais), France, from wounds received in action.

### **NASH, Albert** ('Jack')

b 18.ix.1873 Blean, Kent: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace or off-break bowler; outfield: Glamorgan 1921, 1922, p: cr 25 matches; 315 runs, av 5.72; 132 wkt, av 21.00; 6 ct: bb 9-93 v Sussex, Swansea, 1922: chsp umpire 1926-1930, 102 matches: of his first chsp season, aged 47, *Wisden* commented, 'one would feel more hopeful if the leading bowlers were not of such advanced years': d 6.xii.1956 Battersea, Surrey.

### **NASON, John William Washington**

b 4.viii.1889 Corse, Gloucestershire: ed University S, Hastings; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm slow bowler; versatile field: Sussex 1906-1908, 1910, a; Gloucestershire 1913, 1914, a: cr 60 matches; 1,150 runs, av 18.25; 5 wkt, av 46.60; 28 ct: hs 139 v Nottinghamshire, Gloucester, 1913: a career teacher, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: d 26.xii.1916 nr Vlamertinge (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, killed in action while flying with Royal Flying Corps.

### **NAUMANN, Frank Charles Gordon**

b 9.iv.1892 Lewisham, Kent: ed Malvern C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-or lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Surrey 1919, 1921, a: cr 6 matches; 138 runs, av 17.25; 13 wkt, av 25.25; 1 ct: hs 52 v Sussex, Kennington, 1921: bb 5-51 v Sussex, Hove, 1919: older brother of J.H. (Sussex 1925): awarded MC 1917: d 30.x.1947 Cranleigh, Surrey.



**NELSON, Guy Montague Blyth**

b 28.viii.1900 Warwick: ed Rugby S; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1921, 1922, a: cr 9 matches; 61 runs, av 6.77; 19 wkt, av 26.52; 2 ct: bb 4-53 v Surrey, Birmingham, 1921: later, director George Nelson, Dale and Co (gelatine mfg) and other companies: appointed OBE 1959 for public services in Warwickshire: d 13.i.1969 Great Bourton, Oxfordshire.

**NELSON, John Asquith Atkinson**

b 28.x.1891 Blackpool, Lancashire: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Lancashire 1913, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 5, 2; did not bowl; 0 ct: d 12.viii.1917 Pilkem (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, killed in action.

**NELSON, Robert Prynne**

b 1.viii.1912 Fulham, Middlesex: ed St George's S, Harpenden; Cambridge U: left-hand middle-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; versatile field: Middlesex 1932, a; Northamptonshire 1938, 1939, a, capt 1938, 1939: cr 51 matches; 2,273 runs, av 28.77; 38 wkt, av 38.07; 27 ct: hs 123\* v Sussex, Hove, 1939: no four-wicket returns: played rugby union for Rosslyn Park: 'under his leadership, the tide began to turn' for Northamptonshire: d 29.x.1940 Deal, Kent, killed when his Marine barracks received direct hit in German bombing raid.

**NESBITT, Arnold Stearns**

b 16.x.1878 Chertsey, Surrey: ed Bradfield C: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Worcestershire 1914, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 2\*, 3: did not bowl; 1 ct: a career soldier stationed for many years outside UK: d 7.xi.1914 Ploegsteert (Hainaut), Belgium, killed in action and having no known grave. (*Surname sometimes spelled 'Nesbit'.*)

**NEVILE, Bernard Philip**

b 1.viii.1888 Wellingore, Lincolnshire: ed Downside S, Stratton-on-the-Fosse; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Worcestershire 1913, a: cr 5 matches; 61 runs, av 8.71; 7 wkt, av 21.14; 1 ct: no fifties: bb 4-53 v Surrey, Kennington, 1913: played hockey for Warwickshire and Midlands: d 11.ii.1916 nr Ieper (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, killed in action and having no known grave.

**NEWBERY, Arthur Leonard**

b 6.i.1905 Battle, Sussex: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman: Sussex 1925, a: cr 2 matches; 8 runs, av 2.00; did not bowl; 0 ct: later, managing director Gray-Nicholls (sports eqpt mfg); patented a construction toy 1947: d 17.xii.1976 Ightham, Kent.

**NEWCOMBE, Charles Neil**

b 16.iii.1891 Great Yarmouth, Norfolk: ed Chesterfield GS: right-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm slow-medium bowler; outfield: Derbyshire 1910, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 1 (hit wkt), 0\*; none for 32; 0 ct: d 27.xii.1915 Fleurbaix (Pas-de-Calais), France, killed in action.

**NEWMAN, Frederick Charles William ('Lofty')**

b 2.ii.1896 Luton, Bedfordshire: ed Bedford Modern S: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Surrey 1919, 1920, a; cr 2 matches; two innings, 23, 0; did not bowl; 0 ct: played rugby union for Leicester: later, director Leslie's Stores (retailing) and other companies: best-known as private secretary to Sir Julien Cahn between the wars, and hence organiser of his country-house cricket and overseas tours: d 1.i.1966 Malpas, Cornwall.

### **NEWSTEAD, John Thomas**

b 8.ix.1877 Marton-in-Cleveland, Yorkshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace or off-break bowler; close field: Yorkshire 1903, 1907-1913, p: cr 83 matches; 1,530 runs, av 16.27; 252 wkt, av 18.67; 65 ct: hs 100\* v Nottinghamshire, Nottingham, 1908: bb 7-10 v Worcestershire, Bradford, 1908: *Wisden* cricketer 1909: he took 115 chsp wickets at 14.78 in 1908, but 'astonishingly, never played so well again': d 25.iii.1952 Blackburn, Lancashire.

### **NICHOLAS, Frederick William Herbert**

b 25.vii.1893 Kuala Lumpur (Selangor), Federated Malay States: UK resident from an early age: ed Forest S, Walthamstow; Oxford U: right hand lower-, later middle-order batsman; versatile field, incl wicketkeeper: Essex 1912, 1922-1928, a: cr 58 matches; 2,034 runs, av 22.35; did not bowl; 36 ct, 11 st: hs 140 v Surrey, Leyton, 1926: grandfather of M.C.J. (Hampshire 1978-1995): played football for Corinthians, England amateur and Great Britain Olympic teams; represented England at athletics as sprinter: awarded MC 1919: d 20.x.1962 Kensington, Middlesex.

### **NICHOLLS, Richard William**

b 23.vii.1875 Hornsey, Middlesex: ed Rugby S: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Middlesex 1896-1904, a: cr 63 matches; 1,430 runs, av 16.43; did not bowl; 27 ct: hs 154 v Kent, Lord's, 1899, with R.W.Nicholls setting a then world-record tenth-wicket partnership of 230 runs, unsurpassed in the chsp until 1909: d 22.i.1948 Eastbourne, Sussex.

### **NORTH, Ernest Joseph**

b 23.ix.1895 Burton upon Trent, Staffordshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm slow-medium bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1923, 1925-1927, p: cr 22 matches; 134 runs, av 7.05; 39 wkt, av 29.07; 8 ct: bb 4-18 v Worcestershire, Lord's, 1925: played football for Arsenal: awarded MM c1918: d 24.viii.1955 Havant, Hampshire.

### **NORTHWAY, Edward George**

b 30. x.1901 Gampola (Central Province), Ceylon: UK resident from an early age: ed La Sainte Union S, Bath; Royal Air Force C, Andover: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1925, 1926, a: cr 8 matches; 133 runs, av 14.77; did not bowl; 3 ct: hs 55\* v Worcestershire, Worcester, 1955: played rugby union for Bath: a career airforceman, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: appointed MBE 1931, OBE 1941, CBE 1949 for military services: d 4.viii.1965 Marylebone, Middlesex.

### **NORTON, Ernest Willmott**

b 19.vi.1889 Sparkbrook, Birmingham: ed King Edward VI Camp Hill GS, Birmingham: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break and googly bowler: Warwickshire 1920, a;

Worcestershire 1922, 1923, a: cr 8 matches; 108 runs, av 15.42; 7 wkt, av 51.00; 2 ct: no four-wicket returns: awarded DSC 1917: d 14.iii.1972 Ladywood, Birmingham.

**NOTLEY, Bernarr** ('Bill')

b 31.viii.1918 Nottingham: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm off-break bowler: Nottinghamshire 1949, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 0: one for 90; 0 ct: played hockey for Nottinghamshire: d 22.i.2019 Stone, Staffordshire, aged 100 yr, 4 mth.

**NUGENT, Frank Henry**

b 5.ix.1880 Sherborne St John, Hampshire: ed Winchester C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Hampshire 1904, a: cr 1 match, two innings, 0, 0; did not bowl; 0 ct: a career soldier stationed for many years outside UK: awarded DSO 1916; appointed OBE 1919, CB 1933 for military services: d 12.iii.1942 Kingsclere, Hampshire. (*Changed surname to Burnell-Nugent 1905.*)

**NYE, John Kenneth**

b 23.v.1914 Isfield, Sussex: ed Belvedere S, Haywards Heath, Sussex: emigrated to Australia at an early age, returning to UK 1934: right-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Sussex 1934-1947, p: cr 88 matches; 778 runs, av 8.18; 272 runs, av 33.64; 33 ct: hs 55 v Worcestershire, Eastbourne, 1939: bb 6-95 v Gloucestershire, Hove, 1947: emigrated to Kenya 1947 and appointed MBE 1971 for services to road building in Kenya, returning to UK 1978: d 28.i.2002 Chichester, Sussex.

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**O'GORMAN, Joseph George**

b 24.vii.1890 Walworth, Surrey: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm slow-medium bowler; outfield: Surrey 1927, a: cr 3 matches; 106 runs, av 106.00, three not-out innings in four; 4 wkt, av 41.75; 1 ct: no fifties: no four-wicket returns, but took a wicket with his first ball in chsp cricket: grandfather of T.J.G. (Derbyshire 1987-1996): with brother David formed a well-known music-hall and theatre comedy and dance act, popular in Britain and United States, appearing in the Royal Variety Show 1946: d 26.viii.1974 Weybridge, Surrey.

**O'LINN, Sidney**

b 5.v.1927 Oudtshoorn (Cape Province), South Africa: ed Sea Point HS: UK resident 1947-1957: left-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm leg-break bowler; versatile field, incl occ wicketkeeper: Kent 1951, 1952, 1954, p: cr 25 matches; 1,108 runs, av 27.70; none for 12; 22 ct, 2 st: hs 111\* v Surrey, Kennington, 1952: played seven Tests for South Africa: played football for Pretoria, Transvaal, Charlton Athletic and South Africa: d 11.xii.2016 Randburg (Gauteng), South Africa. (*Changed surname from Olinsky 1935.*)

**OLIVIER, Sidney Richard**

b 1.ii.1870 Wilton, Wiltshire: ed Honiton GS; Britannia Royal Naval C, Dartmouth: right-hand lower-order batsman: Hampshire 1895, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 0 (run out); did not bowl; 0

ct: a career naval officer, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: appointed CMG 1919 for naval services: d 21.i.1932 Horton, Dorset.

### **OLLIVIERRE, Charles Augustus**

b 20.vii.1876 Port Elizabeth (Bequia), Windward Islands: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ bowler; close field: UK resident from 1900: Derbyshire 1902-1907, a, his career was curtailed by failing eyesight: cr 91 matches; 3,854 runs, av 24.08; 9 wkt, av 42.22; 92 ct: hs 229 v Essex, Chesterfield, 1904: no four-wicket returns: the first African-Caribbean player in the chsp, but see H.Ross, below: d 25.iii.1949 Pontefract, Yorkshire.

### **OSBORN, Frederick**

b 10.xi.1889 Leicester: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman: Leicestershire 1911, 1913, p: cr 2 matches; 14 runs, av 4.66; did not bowl; 2 ct: played football for Preston North End: d 11.x.1954 Leicester.

### **OSCROFT, Percy William**

b 27.xi.1872 Nottingham: ed Nottingham HS; Cambridge U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ left-arm medium-pace bowler; slip field: Nottinghamshire 1894-1897, 1900, a: cr 18 matches; 409 runs, av 14.10; two for 37; 9 ct: no fifties: father of D.S. (Leicestershire 1928): played rugby union for Rosslyn Park, Richmond, Leicester and Barbarians: later, author chemistry text books: d 8.xii.1933 St John's Wood, Middlesex.

### **OWEN-SMITH, Harold Geoffrey Owen** ('Tuppy')

b 8.ii.1909 Rondebosch, Cape Colony: ed Diocesan C, Rondebosch; Cape Town U; Oxford U; St Mary's Hospital Medical C, Paddington: UK resident 1930-1937, while a medical student and junior doctor: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm leg-break bowler; cover or outfield: Middlesex 1935-1937, a: cr 26 matches; 849 runs, av 23.58; 93 wkt, av 21.51; 26 ct: hs 77 v Yorkshire, Kennington, 1937: bb 6-68 v Warwickshire, Birmingham, 1937: played five Tests for South Africa: *Wisden* cricketer 1930: played rugby union for Barbarians and England: 'what an artist ... he was meant by nature to be remembered, not compared': d 28.ii.1990 Rosedale (Cape Province), South Africa.

### **OWEN-THOMAS, Dudley Richard**

b 20.ix.1948 Mombasa (Coast Province), Kenya: UK resident from 1950: ed King's College S, Wimbledon; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; versatile field: Surrey 1970-1975: cr 67 matches; 2,086 runs, av 21.72; did not bowl; 31 ct: hs 112 v Sussex, Kennington, 1972: CWC young cricketer 1972: struck off Solicitors' Register 2008; declared bankrupt 2009: 'but [after 1972] his form fell away markedly'.

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### **PACKE, Charles William Christopher**

b 2.v.1909 Pietermaritzburg, Natal: UK resident from 1911: ed Eton C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Leicestershire 1929, 1932, 1934, a, capt 1932: cr 21 matches; 602 runs, av 17.70; one for 35; 15

ct: hs 61 v Northamptonshire, Northampton, 1932: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: older brother of R.J. (Leicestershire 1933) and M.S. (Leicestershire 1936, 1937, 1939): North of England squash champion 1932: d 1.vii.1944 Biéville-Beuville (Calvados), France, killed in action.

**PAGE, Charles Carew**

b 25.iv.1884 Barnet, Hertfordshire: ed Malvern C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Middlesex 1905-1909, a: cr 35 matches; 1,392 runs, av 27.27; did not bowl; 15 ct: hs 164\* v Somerset, Lord's, 1908: played football for Corinthians and England amateur team: 'seen all too seldom in first-class cricket': d 10.iv.1921 Woking, Surrey.

**PAGE, Dallas Alexander Chancellor** ('Puggie')

b 11.iv.1911 Cheltenham, Gloucestershire: ed Cheltenham C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ right-arm bowler; cover field: Gloucestershire 1933-1936, a, capt 1935, 1936: cr 99 matches; 2,755 runs, av 18.50; none for 36; 67 ct: hs 116 v Kent, Gloucester, 1936: son of H.V. (see below): d 2.ix.1936 Cirencester, Gloucestershire, from injuries received in road accident when returning home from chsp match v Nottinghamshire, Gloucester.

**PAGE, Herbert Vivian**

b 30.x.1862 Lancaster: ed Cheltenham C; Oxford U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace or off-break bowler; versatile field, incl occ wicketkeeper: Gloucestershire 1890-1895, a, playing a few matches each season: cr 32 matches; 648 runs, av 15.06; one for 92; 19 ct, 2 st: hs 53 v Surrey, Bristol, 1893: father of D.A.C. (see above): played hockey for Gloucestershire, rugby union for Gloucester: as a teacher, 'recalled for his loud singing of "Onward Christian Soldiers" in the classroom': d 1.viii.1927 Cheltenham, Gloucestershire.

**PALMER, Cecil Howard**

b 14.vii.1873 Eastbourne, Sussex: ed Radley C: right-hand middle-order batsman; cover field: Hampshire 1899, 1901, 1904, 1907, a: cr 8 matches; 264 runs, av 17.60; did not bowl; 2 ct: hs 64 v Yorkshire, Bradford, 1899: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: d 26.vii.1915 nr Büyük Anafarta (Çannakale), Turkey, killed in action and having no known grave.

**PALMER, George Arthur**

b 5.vi.1897 Withybrook, Warwickshire: ed Hinckley GS: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; versatile field: Warwickshire 1928, a: cr 9 matches; 87 runs, av 8.70; 8 wkt, av 56.25; 7 ct: no four wicket returns: played rugby union for Leicester: d 1.vi.1962 Higham on the Hill, Leicestershire.

**PALMER, Rodney Howell**

b 24.xi.1907 Sherfield on Loddon, Hampshire: ed Harrow S; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1930, 1933, a: cr 3 matches; two innings, 0, 0; 6 wkt, av 31.16: bb 5-93 v Yorkshire, Sheffield, 1933: a career soldier, his

appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: awarded MC 1943: d 24.iv.1987 Newbury, Berkshire.

**PALMER, Roy**

b 12.vii.1942 Devizes, Wiltshire: ed Southbroom SS, Devizes: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast medium-bowler; outfield: Somerset 1965-1970: cr 68 matches; 981 runs, av 13.25; 160 wkt, av 31.56; 24 ct: hs 84 v Leicestershire, Taunton, 1967: bb 6-45 v Middlesex, Lord's, 1967: younger brother of K.E. (Somerset 1955-1969): chsp umpire 1979-2007, 386 matches.

PARAVICINI, C.J. de, see de PARAVICINI, C.J. above.

**PARIS, Cecil Gerard Alexander**

b 20.viii.1911 Khadki (Bombay), India: UK resident from an early age: ed King's S, Canterbury: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm slow bowler; gully field: Hampshire 1933-1939, 1948, a, capt 1938: cr 94 matches; 3,499 runs, av 22.86; 4 wkt, av 47.75; 73 ct: hs 134\* v Northamptonshire, Bournemouth, 1935: chairman TCCB 1971-1975; president MCC 1975-1976: 'he captained his side with immense concentration and effort': d 4.iv.1998 Sutton Scotney, Hampshire.

**PARKER, Grahame Wilshaw**

b 11.ii.1912 Gloucester: ed Crypt S, Gloucester; Cambridge U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; versatile field: Gloucestershire 1932-1934, 1937, 1938, 1947, 1950, 1951, a: cr 62 matches; 1,816 runs, av 19.52; 31 wkt, av 37.77; 46 ct: hs 210 v Kent, Dover, 1937: bb 5-65 v Warwickshire, Birmingham, 1934: played rugby union for Gloucester, Blackheath, Barbarians and England: appointed MBE 1945 for military services, OBE 1961 for services to Territorial Army: d 11.xi.1995 Sidmouth, Devon.

**PARKES, Howard Roderick**

b 31.v.1877 Erdington, Birmingham: ed Uppingham S; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; cover field: Warwickshire 1898, a: cr one match; one innings, 1: did not bowl; 0 ct: AAA 120yd hurdles champion 1898; played hockey for Surrey: d 28.v.1920 Studland, Dorset, from tuberculosis contracted while on military service.

**PARR, Frank David**

b 1.vii.1928 Wallasey, Cheshire: ed Wallasey GS: left-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Lancashire 1951-1954, p: cr 43 matches; 475 runs, av 12.83; did not bowl; 66 ct, 19 st; no fifties: later, well-known jazz trombonist with Mick Mulligan, George Melly and other bands: even Melly thought him 'an extreme social risk, a complicated rebel whose world swarmed with demons and Jack O'Lanterns': d 8.v.2012 Hampstead, Middlesex.

**PARRINGTON, William Ferguson**

b 1.xi.1889 Sunderland, Co Durham: ed Rossall S, Fleetwood; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Derbyshire 1926, a: cr 6 matches; 148 runs, av 14.80; did not bowl; 1 ct: no fifties: awarded MC 1918: d 7.v.1980 Northallerton, Yorkshire.

**PARRY, Matthew Croose**

b 11.xii.1885 Birley, Herefordshire: ed King Edward's S, Birmingham; Birmingham U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1908, 1910, a: cr 2 matches; 26 runs, av 8.66; none for 16; 1 ct: moved to Ireland c 1911: later, director Beamish and Crawford (brewing): awarded MC 1917: d 5.ii.1931 Carrigrohane (Co Cork), Eire.

**PARTRIDGE, Norman Ernest**

b 10.viii.1900 Great Barr, Staffordshire: ed Malvern C; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; versatile field: Warwickshire 1922-1932, 1934, 1936, 1937, a: cr 90 matches: 2,117 runs, av 18.57; 322 wkt, av 21.83: 83 ct: hs 102 v Somerset, Birmingham, 1925: bb 7-66 v Derbyshire, Birmingham, 1923: *Wisden* [school] cricketer 1919: later, managing director Steel Nut and Joseph Hampton Ltd (engineering), director other companies: 'he moved about the crease as a man about business': d 10.iii.1982 Aberystwyth, Cardiganshire.

**PATAUDI sen, Nawab of ('Pat')**

b 16.ii.1910 Pataudi (Punjab), India: ed Aitchison C, Lahore; Oxford U: UK resident most years from 1926-1938: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm bowler; versatile field: Worcestershire 1932-1934, 1937, 1938, a: cr 33 matches; 2,380 runs, av 47.60; two for 239; 20 ct: hs 231\* v Essex, Worcester, 1933: played three Tests for England, three for India: *Wisden* cricketer 1932: father of ninth Nawab (see below): played hockey for Oxfordshire and India: formerly Mohammad Iftikhar Ali Khan, succeeded his father as eighth Nawab of Pataudi 1917: 'he always seemed a great batsman not quite on terms with himself': d 5.i.1952 New Delhi (Capital Territory), India, from heart failure.

**PATAUDI jun, Nawab of ('Tiger')**

b 5.i.1941 Bhopal (Bhopal State), India: UK resident 1954-1960: ed Winchester C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler: versatile field; Sussex 1957-1960, 1963, 1965, 1966, 1970, a, capt 1965, 1966: cr 82 matches; 2,874 runs, av 22.27; none for 43; 60 ct: hs 101 v Hampshire, Portsmouth, 1965: played 46 Tests for India: *Wisden* cricketer 1968: son of eighth Nawab of Pataudi (see above): formerly Mohammad Mansur Ali Khan, succeeded his father as ninth Nawab of Pataudi 1952: 'a very social man, not suited to the demands of county cricket ... he'd ring up on the first day of a Championship match and say he was in Paris': d 22.ix.2011 New Delhi (Capital Territory), India. (*Reverted to his earlier names after the use of princely titles ceased in India in 1971. He was husband of Sharmila Tagore, a leading Indian film actor.*)

**PATERSON, Arthur William Sibbald**

b 28.ii.1878 Weston-super-Mare, Somerset: ed Malvern C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1903, a: cr 2 matches; 38 runs, av 12.66; did not bowl; 1 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: played hockey for Somerset: awarded DSO 1917: d 13.xi.1937 Burnham-on-Sea, Somerset.

**PATTINSON, Darren John**

b 2.viii.1979 Grimsby, Lincolnshire: emigrated to Australia 1985, but retained UK citizenship: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Nottinghamshire 2008-2011: cr 38 matches; 449 runs, av 12.82; 107 wkt, av 34.21; 3 ct: hs 59 v Durham, Chester-le-Street, 2009: bb 6-30 v Lancashire, Nottingham, 2008: played one Test for England, 'when he had been planning to take his kids to Alton Towers'.

**PAUL, Arthur George**

b 24.vii.1864 Belfast (Co Antrim), Ireland: ed Victoria C, Douglas (Isle of Man): right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm slow bowler; point field, occ wicketkeeper: Lancashire 1890, 1891, 1894-1900, p, his career being interrupted by poor health: cr 77 matches; 2,510 runs, av 22.61; two for 146; 64 ct, 1 st: hs 177 v Somerset, Taunton, 1895: played football for Blackburn Rovers, rugby union for Swinton and unofficial 'Lions' team: 'the apostle of professional cricket': d 14.i.1947 Didsbury, Manchester.

**PAVRI, Mehallasha Edulji**

b 10.x.1866 Navsari (Bombay), India: ed Seth R.J.J. HS, Navsari; Trinity C, Dublin: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; close field: Middlesex 1895, a, the first Parsi cricketer in the chsp: cr 1 match; one innings, 19; one for 79; 2 ct: one of the leading Indian players of his time, 'the W.G. of India', he was a medical student and junior doctor resident in UK in the 1890s: d 19.iv.1946 Bombay, India.

**PAWLE, John Hanbury**

b 18.v.1915 Widford, Hertfordshire: ed Harrow S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Essex 1937, a: cr 3 matches; 51 runs, av 8.50; did not bowl; 3 ct: no fifties: amateur rackets singles champion 1946, 1947, 1948, 1949; amateur rackets doubles champion 1939, 1946; finalist world rackets singles championships 1948, 1951: later, well-known amateur artist: d 20.i.2010 Much Hadham, Hertfordshire.

**PAWLING, Sydney Southgate**

b 6.ii.1862 Wallingford, Berkshire: ed Mill Hill S: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1894, a: cr 3 matches; 5 runs, av 1.66; 9 wkt, av 24.30; 1 ct: bb 5-60 v Sussex, Hove, 1894: later, managing director Heinemann (publishing): 'not quite class enough for county cricket': d 23.xii.1922 Eastbourne, Sussex.

**PAWSON, Henry Anthony**

b 22.viii.1921 Chertsey, Surrey: ed Winchester C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm off-break bowler; outfield: Kent 1946-1951, 1953, a: cr 40 matches; 1,986 runs, av 33.66; 4 wkt, av 32.75; 16 ct: hs 137 v Essex, Maidstone, 1950: played football for Charlton Athletic, Pegasus and England amateur team; world individual fly-fishing champion 1982: cricket and football writer for The Observer; chairman CWC 1980, 1981: director Reed International (publishing, paper mfg): appointed OBE 1988 for services to angling: 'whatever your attitude to a game, if you play at any level, you should play to win, with every fibre of your being devoted to doing well': d 11.x.2012 Chilcomb, Hampshire.



**PAYNE, Cecil Arthur Lynch**

b 30.viii.1885 Dhaka (Bengal), India: UK resident from 1896: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Middlesex 1905, 1906, 1908, 1909, a: cr 12 matches; 432 runs, av 24.00; did not bowl; 6 ct: hs 81 v Kent, Tonbridge, 1906: emigrated to Canada 1910: amateur billiards champion Canada 1927, 1928: d 21.iii.1976 Vancouver (British Columbia), Canada. (*First forename sometimes incorrectly reported as Charles.*)

**PAYTON, Wilfred Ernest Granville**

b 27.xii.1913 Beeston, Nottinghamshire: ed Nottingham HS; Cambridge U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; outfield: Derbyshire 1949, a: cr 2 matches; 93 runs, av 31.00; did not bowl; 1 ct: no fifties: son of W.R.D. (Nottinghamshire 1905-1931); younger brother of A.I. (Nottinghamshire 1922): played hockey for Nottinghamshire: chaplain-in-chief Royal Air Force 1965-1969: appointed CB 1965: d 4.ix.1989 Nailsworth, Gloucestershire.

**PEACEY, John Raphael**

b 16.vii.1896 Hove, Sussex: ed St Edmund's S, Canterbury; Cambridge U: unknown-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Sussex 1921, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 26; did not bowl; 0 ct: later, an Anglican clergyman, working in India 1927-1945, and hymnologist, one of only two chsp players to pursue the latter interest: awarded MC 1919: d 31.x.1971 Hurstpierpoint, Sussex.

**PEARSON-GREGORY, Philip John Sherwin**

b 26.iii.1888 Harlaxton, Lincolnshire: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; slip field: Nottinghamshire 1910, 1914, a: cr 3 matches; 119 runs, av 59.50; did not bowl; 3 ct: hs 71 v Yorkshire, Nottingham, 1914: awarded MC 1918: d 12.vi.1955 St Pancras, Middlesex. (*Changed surname from Pearson to Pearson-Gregory 1892.*)

**PEAT, Charles Urie**

b 28.ii.1892 Edmonton, Middlesex: ed Sedbergh S; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1914, a: cr 4 matches; 13 runs, av 6.50; 7 wkt, av 34.71; 1 ct: Unionist MP for Darlington 1931-1945, junior minister Ministry of Supply 1942-1945 and Ministry of National Insurance 1945; later, director Royal Insurance and other companies; president Institute of Chartered Accountants 1959-1960: awarded MC 1918: d 27.x.1979 Wycliffe, Co Durham.

**PECK, Ian George**

b 18.x.1957 Great Staughton, Huntingdonshire: ed Bedford S; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Northamptonshire 1980, 1981: cr 2 matches; 19 runs, av 9.50; did not bowl; 1 ct, 1 st: played rugby union for Bedford and Barbarians.

**PEMBER, John Devereaux Dubricious**

b 8.vi.1940 Creaton, Northamptonshire; ed Wellingborough S: left-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Leicestershire 1968-1971: cr 22 matches; 238 runs, av 15.86; 37 wkt, av 32.91; 11 ct: hs 53 v Northamptonshire, Leicester, 1970: bb 5-45 v Somerset, Taunton, 1968: played rugby union for Northampton: d 25.i.2007 Northampton.

**PENN, Frank, jun**

b 18.viii.1884 Ousden, Suffolk: right-hand middle-order batsman: Kent 1904, 1905, a: cr 3 matches; 65 runs, av 13.00; did not bowl; 2 ct: no fifties: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: awarded MC 1917: d 23.iv.1961 Bawdsey, Suffolk. (*Often identified as 'junior' to distinguish him from his Test-cricketer father, also Frank, who played 51 inter-county matches for Kent 1875-1880.*)

**PEPPER, Charles**

b 6.vi.1875 Youghal, Co Cork, Ireland: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Nottinghamshire 1900, 1901, p: cr 7 matches; 162 runs, av 18.00; 3 wkt, av 24.00; 2 ct: no fifties: 'if he wasn't playing cricket, he was talking about it': d 13.ix.1917 Klijte (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, killed in action.

**PEREIRA, Edward Thomas**

b 26.ix.1866 Colwich, Staffordshire: ed Oratory S, Edgbaston: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm fast bowler; versatile field: Warwickshire 1895, 1896, a: cr 4 matches; 90 runs, av 15.00; none for 13; 1 ct: no fifties: a teacher and Catholic priest, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited; president Catholic Headteachers' Conference 1913: d 25.ii.1939 Edgbaston, Birmingham.

**PERKINS, Arthur Lionel Bertie**

b 19.x.1905 Swansea, Glamorgan: ed Bromsgrove S: right-hand middle-order batsman; versatile field: Glamorgan 1925, 1933, a: cr 5 matches; 68 runs, av 9.71; did not bowl; 4 ct: no fifties: played rugby union for Swansea: emigrated to Malaya 1929, later moving to Kenya and then to South Africa: appointed MBE 1963 for services to Kenya road authority: d 6.v.1992 Durban (Natal), South Africa.

**PERKINS, Thomas Tosswill Norwood**

b 19.xii.1870 Rochester, Kent: ed St John's S, Leatherhead; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Kent 1893, 1894, 1899, 1900, a: cr 23 matches; 701 runs, av 21.90; none for 43; 14 ct: hs 109 v Nottinghamshire, Nottingham, 1893: played football for Corinthians: d 26.vii.1946 Tonbridge, Kent.

**PERSSE, Henry Wilfred**

b 19.ix.1885 Southampton: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-hand fast bowler; versatile field: Hampshire 1905, 1907-1909, a: cr 50 matches; 842 runs, av 11.37; 123 wkt, av 29.58; 40 ct: hs 71 v Derbyshire, Derby, 1907: bb 6-64 v Leicestershire, Southampton, 1907: awarded MC 1916 and bar 1917: d 28.vi.1918 St Omer (Pas-de-Calais), France, from wounds received in action.

**PEWTRESS, Alfred William ('Fred')**

b 27.viii.1891 Rawtenstall, Lancashire: ed Christ's Hospital, Horsham; Manchester GS; Manchester U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; versatile field, incl occ wicketkeeper: Lancashire 1919, 1920, 1923-1925, a: cr 46 matches; 1,288 runs, av 21.46; one

for 10; 15 ct: hs 89 v Nottinghamshire, Manchester, 1925: awarded MC 1919: d 21.ix.1960 Brighton, Sussex.

**PHILLIPS, Francis Ashley**

b 11.iv.1873 Crumlin, Monmouthshire: ed Rossall S, Fleetwood; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield, occ wicketkeeper: Somerset 1897-1899, 1901-1904, 1906, 1909, 1911, a: cr 65 matches; 2,767 runs, av 24.27; two for 270; 44 ct, 2 st: hs 163 v Sussex, Taunton, 1899: awarded DSO 1918: later, director Wolseley (engineering): appointed OBE 1953 for services to Wye Conservancy: 'a forthright batsman whose defence was brittle': d 5.ii.1955 Kingsland, Herefordshire.

**PHILLIPS, John Burton**

b 19.xi.1933 Canterbury, Kent: ed King's S, Canterbury: Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Kent 1955, a: cr 4 matches; 4 runs, av 0.66; 5 wkt, av 53.42; 2 ct: no four-wicket returns: later, director Alcan (aluminium mfg): d 18.x.2017 Banbury, Oxfordshire.

**PHILLIPS, William**

b 15.x.1876 Salford, Lancashire: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Lancashire 1904, 1907, 1908, p: cr 10 matches; 109 runs, av 7.26; did not bowl; 17 ct, 2 st: chsp umpire 1913-1926, 1928-1930, 250 matches: date and place of death not known.

**PHILLIPSON, Hylton** ('Punch')

b 8.vi.1866 Tynemouth, Northumberland: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Middlesex 1895, 1897, 1898, a: cr 9 matches; 98 runs, av 8.16; did not bowl; 10 ct, 3 st: played five Tests for England: amateur rackets singles champion 1891: later chairman Manvers Main Collieries, Burnett Shipping, director other companies; laid out important Japanese-style garden at Stobo (Peeblesshire), Scotland: d 4.xii.1935 Paddington, Middlesex. (*Forename registered at birth as Hilton.*)

**PICKERING, Peter Barlow**

b 24.iii.1926 New Earswick (nr York), Yorkshire: ed Archbishop Holgate's S, York: right-hand lower-order batsman; close field: Northamptonshire 1953, p: cr 1 match; two innings, 22, 37; did not bowl; 0 ct: played football for Chelsea: emigrated to South Africa 1976: d 21.xi.2006 Cape Town (Western Cape), South Africa.

**PICKETT, Henry**

b 26.iii.1862 Stratford, Essex: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Essex 1895-1897, p: cr 40 matches; 269 runs, av 7.47; 83 wkt, av 26.02; 14 ct: bb 10-32 v Leicestershire, Leyton, 1895, the first 'all-ten' in the chsp: chsp umpire 1899, 1900, 26 matches: 'a professional who has to bowl day after day in the nets, as well as in matches, is likely to wear himself out if he takes a long run': d 3.x.1907 Port Talbot, Glamorgan, by his own hand.

**PIETERSEN, Kevin Peter**

b 27.vi.1980 Pietermaritzburg (Natal), South Africa: ed Maritzburg C: UK resident from 2000: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm off-break bowler; versatile field: Nottinghamshire 2001-2004; Hampshire 2005-2008; Surrey 2010-2013, 2015: cr 73 matches; 6,306 runs, av 58.38; 27 wkt, av 65.25; 64 ct: hs 355\* v Leicestershire, Kennington, 2015, the sixth-highest individual chsp score: no four-wicket returns: played 104 Tests for England: *Wisden* cricketer 2006; appointed MBE 2006 for services to cricket (Ashes group): an ECB contracted player from 2006, his appearances in chsp cricket were thereafter intermittent: 'he entertained, amazed, infuriated and divided'.

**PIGGOTT, Julian Ito**

b 25.iii.1888 Tokyo, Japan: UK resident from 1891: ed Cheltenham C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; close field: Surrey 1913, a: cr 1 match, two innings, 2, 4; did not bowl; 1 ct: awarded MC 1917; appointed OBE 1925 for services to Rhineland High Commission, CBE 1933 for services to steel industry: d 23.i.1965 Coldharbour (nr Dorking), Surrey.

**PILKINGTON, Charles Carlisle**

b 13.xii.1876 Liverpool, Lancashire: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Lancashire 1895, a; Middlesex 1903, a; cr 4 matches; 41 runs, av 8.20; 3 wkt, av 35.66; 3 ct: older brother of H.C. (Middlesex, 1903, 1904): later, chairman River Plate Trust and London Trust (investment trusts): d 8.i.1950 South Warnborough, Hampshire.

**PINK, Hubert Selwyn**

b 12.xi.1878 Chapel-en-le-Frith, Derbyshire: ed St Edmund's S, Canterbury; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Derbyshire 1900, a: cr 3 matches; 24 runs, av 4.80; none for 33; 0 ct: awarded MC 1919: d 25.xi.1946 Chapel-en-le-Frith, Derbyshire.

**POIDEVIN, Leslie Oswald Sheridan**

b 5.xi.1876 Merrila (nr Goulburn), New South Wales: ed Fort Street HS, Sydney; Sydney U; Manchester U: UK resident 1902-1911, while a medical student and junior doctor: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm leg-break and googly bowler; slip field: Lancashire 1904-1908, a: cr 96 matches; 4,218 runs, av 31.37; 45 wkt, av 38.20; 120 ct: hs 168\* v Worcestershire, Worcester, 1905: bb 8-66 in same match: played lawn tennis for Australia in Olympics 1908, for Australasia in Davis Cup; British covered courts men's doubles champion 1910: 'a good orthodox batsman, patient and watchful': d 18.xi.1931 Bondi (New South Wales), Australia.

**PONT, Ian Leslie**

b 28.viii.1961 Brentwood, Essex: ed Brentwood S: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Nottinghamshire 1982; Essex 1985-1988: cr 24 matches; 266 runs, av 14.00; 60 wkt, av 36.31; 3 ct: bb 5-73 v Lancashire, Chelmsford, 1987: younger brother of K.R. (Essex 1971-1986): played hockey for Essex: threw cricket ball 126.2m (138 yd) at Belville (Cape Province), South Africa, 1981, the longest measured throw by a chsp cricketer: 'the most natural throwing arm this side of the Iron Curtain'.

**POORE, Robert Montagu**

b 20.iii.1866 Blackrock (Co Dublin), Ireland: ed Cheam S: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm slow bowler; mid-off field: Hampshire 1898, 1899, 1902, 1904, 1906, a: cr 33 matches; 2,639 runs, av 48.87; 3 wkt, av 33.33; 21 ct: hs 304 v Somerset, Taunton, 1899: played three Tests for South Africa: *Wisden* cricketer 1900: a career soldier stationed for many years outside UK, his appearances in chsp cricket, sometimes remarkable, were intermittent: awarded DSO 1900; appointed CIE 1918: 'the most impressive example in imperial history of the English sporting gentleman-adventurer': d 14.vii.1938 Bournemouth, Hampshire.

**POUGHER, Arthur Dick**

b 19.iv.1865 Leicester: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; versatile field: Leicestershire 1895-1901, p: cr 68 matches; 2,647 runs, av 22.43; 168 wkt, av 25.47; 33 ct: hs 114 v Derbyshire, Derby 1896: bb 8-85 v Yorkshire, Leicester, 1895: played one Test for England: chsp umpire 1904, 1905, 28 matches: 'somewhat unfortunate in the matter of accidents and illness': d 20.v.1926 Leicester.

**POWELL, Louis St Vincent**

b 13.xi.1902 Kingstown (St Vincent), Windward Islands: UK resident from 1911: ed Huish's GS, Taunton: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Somerset 1927, 1928, 1934, 1936-1938, a: cr 10 matches; 153 runs, av 10.92; 5 wkt, av 75.20: hs 52 v Hampshire, Bath, 1934: no four-wicket returns: played rugby union for Bath: d 9.vi.1995 Bath, Somerset.

**POYNTON, Frederic John**

b 26.vi.1869 Kelston, Somerset: ed Marlborough C; University C, Bristol; London U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; cover field: Somerset 1891, 1893-1896, a: cr 22 matches; 532 runs, av 14.00; two for 38; 7 ct: hs 57 v Sussex, Hove, 1895: played hockey for Middlesex: later, well-known paediatrician, author various publications on rheumatism in children, president British Paediatric Association 1934-1935: d 20.x.1943 Bath, Somerset.

**POYNTZ, Hugh Stainton**

b 17.ix.1877 Nottingham: ed Eastbourne C: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm leg-break bowler: Somerset 1904-1910, 1914, a: cr 35 matches; 1,127 runs, av 19.73; none for 15; 23 ct: hs 85 v Kent, Beckenham, 1904: older brother of E.S.M. (Somerset 1905-1919): a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: awarded DSO 1917; appointed OBE 1936 for military services as commandant Duke of York's S, Dover: d 22.vi.1955 Winchester, Hampshire.

**PRENTICE, Leslie Roff Vincent**

b 1887 Fitzroy, Victoria: UK resident from c 1914: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm slow-medium bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1920, 1921, a: cr 9 matches; 18 runs, av 1.80; 17 wickets, av 26.47; 4 ct: bb 6-95 v Warwickshire, Lord's, 1920: awarded MC 1918: d 13.viii.1928 Harrold, Bedfordshire, killed in road accident.

**PRESLAND, Edward Robert**

b 27.iii.1943 High Beach, Essex: ed Lethaby SMS, East Ham: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace or off-break bowler; versatile field: Essex 1962, 1963, 1965-1967, 1970, a: cr 27 matches; 526 runs, av 15.93; 10 wkt, ac 61.80; 22 ct: hs 51 v Northamptonshire, Northampton, 1967: no four-wicket returns: played football for West Ham United: 'around this time ... it would have been possible for [Essex] to have turned out a better football team than a cricket team'.

**PRETLOVE, John Frederick**

b 23.xi.1932 Camberwell, Surrey: ed Alleyn's S, Dulwich; Cambridge U: left-hand middle-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; close field: Kent 1955-1959, a: cr 79 matches; 2,882 runs, av 23.05; 14 wkt, av 20.07; 50 ct: hs 112 v Sussex, Hastings, 1958: bb 4-59 v Gloucestershire, Tunbridge Wells, 1958: played football for Pegasus; Rugby Fives amateur singles champion 1953, 1955, 1956, 1958 and doubles champion (with various partners) 1952, 1954-1959, 1961: later, director Costain (building contractor) and other companies: d 1.iv.2018.

**PRICHARD, Hubert Cecil**

b 6.ii.1865 Bristol, Gloucestershire: ed Clifton C, Bristol; Cambridge U; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Gloucestershire 1896, a: cr 2 matches; 46 runs, av 11.50; did not bowl; 1 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: appointed CBE 1919 for services as governor prisoner-of-war camps: d 12.xi.1942 Colwinston, Glamorgan. (*Sometimes identified as 'Hubert Cecil Collins Prichard' or 'H.C.Collins-Prichard'.*)

PRICHARD, H.V., see HESKETH-PRICHARD, H.V., above.

**PRIDMORE, Reginald George**

b 29.iii.1886 Edgbaston, Birmingham: ed Elstow S, Bedford: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Warwickshire 1909, 1910, 1912, a: cr 13 matches, 279 runs, av 12.13; did not bowl; 6 ct: no fifties: played hockey for Hertfordshire and England, incl team which won Olympic tournament 1908, when he scored four goals in the final: awarded MC 1916: d 13.iii.1918 Arcade (Treviso), Italy, killed in action.

**PRIESTLEY, Donald Lacey**

b 28.vii.1887 Tewkesbury, Gloucestershire: ed Tewkesbury GS: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; outfield: Gloucestershire 1909, 1910, a: cr 7 matches; 154 runs, av 12.83; did not bowl; 2 ct: hs 51 v Hampshire, Southampton, 1910, 'a hurricane innings': d 30.x.1917 nr Passendale (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, killed in action and having no known grave.

PRIMROSE, A.E.H.M.A., see DALMENY, LORD, above.

**PROFFITT, Stanley**

b 8.x.1910 Oldham, Lancashire: left-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ left-arm slow bowler; outfield: Essex 1937, p: cr 7 matches; 170 runs, av 12.14; none for 32; 1 ct: no fifties:

finalist English table tennis open men's doubles chsp 1930, also played for England, incl winning silver medal World Championship team competition 1931: d 3.i.1999 Middleton, Lancashire.

**PUDDEFOOT, Sydney Charles**

b 17.x.1894 Stepney, Middlesex: right-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Essex 1922, 1923, p: cr 8 matches; 101 runs, av 16.83; one for 105; 2 ct: played football for Blackburn Rovers, Falkirk, West Ham United and England; later, manager Fenerbahce, Galatasaray (Turkey): d 2.x.1972 Rochford, Essex.

**PUGH, Charles Thomas Michael**

b 13.iii.1937 Marylebone, Middlesex: ed Eton C: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ right-arm off-break bowler; versatile field: Gloucestershire 1959-1962, a, capt 1961, 1962: cr 68 matches; 2,073 runs, av 18.02; one for 30; 37 ct: hs 137 v Derbyshire, Chesterfield, 1960: amateur rackets singles finalist 1967, 1970; amateur rackets doubles champion 1975, 1976, 1977: 'short-listed to become the first James Bond when his [sports] career was coming to an end': d 1.ii.2016 Putney, Surrey.

**PUGH, John Geoffrey**

b 22.i.1904 Coventry, Warwickshire: ed Rugby S: right-hand middle-, later lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1922, 1927, a: cr 9 matches; 82 runs, av 9.11; 6 wkt, av 34.33; 3 ct: no fifties: bb 4-100 v Worcestershire, Worcester, 1927: author volume of poetry: later, managing director Qualcast, chairman Atco (both mower mfg): d 12.ii.1964 Christ Church, Barbados, while on holiday.

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**QUICK, Arnold Bertram**

b 10.ii.1915 Clacton-on-Sea, Essex: ed Bungay HS: right-hand middle-, later lower-order batsman; occ right-arm off-break bowler; cover field: Essex 1936-1938, 1952, a: cr 19 matches; 433 runs, av 13.96; none for 10; 12 ct: hs 57 v Yorkshire, Clacton-on-Sea, 1952: later, director IPC (newspaper and magazine publisher): 'a big hitter with a hard and erratic throw-in': d 23.vii.1990 Colchester, Essex.

**QUINTON, Francis William Drummond**

b 27.xii.1865 Faizabad (United Provinces), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Marlborough C; Royal Military A, Woolwich: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm underhand slow bowler; versatile field: Hampshire 1895-1900, a: cr 42 matches; 2,074 runs, av 29.21; 30 wkt, av 26.60; 42 ct: hs 178 v Leicestershire, Leicester, 1895: bb 5-93 v Derbyshire, Derby, 1898: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were limited: older brother of J.M. (Hampshire 1895, 1896, 1899): appointed CIE 1919 for military services in India: d 5.xi.1926 Marylebone, Middlesex.

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### **RADCLIFFE, Everard Joseph Reginald Henry**

b 27.i.1884 Tiverton, Devon: ed Downside S, Stratton-on-the-Fosse; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; occ bowler; mid-on field: Yorkshire 1909-1911, a, deputy-capt 1909, 1910, capt 1911: cr 57 matches; 692 runs, av 10.64; two for 105; 17 ct: hs 54 v Warwickshire, Birmingham, 1909: succeeded his father as fifth Radcliffe baronet 1949: director Bradstreets (credit information) and other companies: he 'would not have claimed for himself first-class standards of cricket' but 'came forward in response to a need of the time', or a failure of succession planning: d 23.xi.1969 Easby, Yorkshire.

### **RAIKES, George Barkley**

b 14.iii.1873 Carleton Forehoe, Norfolk: ed Shrewsbury S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; versatile field: Hampshire 1900-1902, a: cr 9 matches; 409 runs, av 27.26; 25 wkt, av 30.24; 10 ct: hs 77 v Yorkshire, Portsmouth, 1900: bb 4-30 v Derbyshire, Derby, 1901: played football for Corinthians and England: d 18.xii.1966 Lamyatt, Somerset.

### **RAISON, Maxwell**

b 7.v.1901 Wanstead, Essex: ed Forest S, Walthamstow: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Essex 1928-1930, a: cr 16 matches; 450 runs, av 18.75; 14 wkt, av 41.07; 5 ct: hs 57 v Hampshire, Leyton, 1928: bb 5-104 v Gloucestershire, Chelmsford, 1928: later, managing director Hulton Press; 'in the magazine world, recognised as a man of unusual insight', closely associated with *Picture Post*, *Farmer's Weekly*, *Eagle*, *New Scientist*, *New Society*, among others: d 26.vii.1988 Theberton, Suffolk.

### **RAMADHIN, Sonny**

b 1.v.1929 St Charles (Victoria), Trinidad: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm leg- or off-break bowler; outfield: UK resident from 1954: Lancashire 1964, 1965: cr 29 matches; 137 runs, av 7.21; 83 wkt, av 24.68; 4 ct: no fifties: bb 8-121 v Yorkshire, Leeds, 1964: played 43 Tests for West Indies: *Wisden* cricketer 1951: grandfather of K.W.Hogg (Lancashire 2002-2014; also Worcestershire and Nottinghamshire 2007): 'he confronted England's batsmen with the cricket equivalent of the Rubik cube'. (*Until c 1964 sometimes incorrectly identified in UK press by the initials K.T.*)

### **RAMAGE, Alan**

b 19.xi.1957 Guisborough, Yorkshire: ed Warsett S, Brotton: left-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; outfield: Yorkshire 1979-1983: cr 20 matches; 186 runs, av 16.90; 38 wkt, av 38.84; 1 ct: hs 52 v Gloucestershire, Bristol, 1981: bb 5-65 v Surrey, Harrogate, 1981: played football for Middlesbrough and Derby County: 'his main problem was his skill ... at the winter game'.

### **RAMSBOTHAM, Wilfrid Hubert**

b 20.xii.1888 Ipsden, Oxfordshire: ed Uppingham S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Sussex 1908, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 9, 3; did not bowl; 0 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: later, director Imperial Cold Storage and other companies: awarded MC 1918: d 7.xi.1978 Kensington, Middlesex.



**RAPER, James Rhodes Stanley**

b 9.viii.1909 Bradford, Yorkshire: ed Leys S, Cambridge: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Yorkshire 1936, 1947, a: cr 3 matches; 24 runs, av 6.00; did not bowl; 0 ct: later, managing director and chairman Isaac Holden and Sons (textile mfg): d 9.iii.1997 Ribble Valley, Lancashire.

**RAPHAEL, John Edward**

b 30.iv.1882 Brussels, Belgium: UK resident from an early age: ed Merchant Taylors' S, Northwood; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm slow-medium bowler; outfield: Surrey 1904-1906, a: cr 34 matches; 1,291 runs, av 26.34; none for 49; 14 ct: hs 111 v Worcestershire, Worcester, 1904: played rugby union for England and Lions: d 11.vii.1917 Lijssenthoek (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, from wounds received in action.

**RAVEN, Reginald Owen ('Punch')**

b 26.xi.1884 Baldock, Hertfordshire: ed Wellingborough S: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Northamptonshire 1905, 1906, 1920, 1921, a, capt 1920, 1921: cr 30 matches; 754 runs, av 13.96; one for 59; 10 ct: hs 59 v Sussex, Hastings, 1920: played hockey for Northamptonshire: 'as captain ... he had a thankless task': d 4.iv.1936 Eastbourne, Sussex.

**RAWLENCE, John Rooke**

b 23.ix.1915 Brockenhurst, Hampshire: ed Wellington C, Crowthorne; Royal Military A, Woolwich; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; close field: Hampshire 1934, a: cr 2 matches; 42 runs, av 21.00; did not bowl; 2 ct: played rugby union for Harlequins: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: appointed MBE 1945, OBE 1957 for military services: d 17.i.1983 Ascot, Berkshire.

**RAWSTORNE, George Streynsham**

b 22.i.1895 Croston, Lancashire: ed Eton C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman: Lancashire 1919, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 2; did not bowl; 0 ct: a career soldier stationed for many years outside UK, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: awarded MC 1915; appointed CBE 1944 for military services: d 15.vii.1962 Rogart (Sutherland), Scotland.

**RAYNOR, Kenneth**

b 23.v.1886 Crowthorne, Berkshire: ed Ipswich S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm leg-break and googly bowler; outfield: Leicestershire 1923, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 0, 0; one for 12; 1 ct: played hockey for South of England and in England trials: emigrated to Southern Rhodesia c 1927: d 15.iv.1973 Greendale (Mashonaland), Rhodesia.

**READ, Holcombe Douglas ('Hopper')**

b 28.i.1910 Woodford Green, Essex: ed Winchester C: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Essex 1933-1935, a: cr 31 matches; 95 runs, av 3.80; 129 wkt, av 20.68; 14 ct: bb 7-35 v Surrey, Brentwood, 1935: played one Test for England: son of A.H. (Essex 1904, 1905, 1908-1910): later, director Blandy's (wine merchant) and other companies: 'Well

done, Mr Read, now you've got to make up your mind whether to be a professional cricketer or a professional accountant': d 5.i.2000 Truro, Cornwall.

### **READ, John Maurice**

b 9.ii.1859 Thames Ditton, Surrey: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Surrey 1890-1895, p: cr 83 matches; 3,140 runs, av 27.06; 5 wkt, av 21.80; 49 ct: hs 135 v Gloucestershire, Kennington, 1890 and 135 v Yorkshire, Sheffield, 1891: no four-wicket returns: played 17 Tests for England: *Wisden* cricketer 1890: 'one of the "new school" of professionals - well-groomed, well-mannered, articulate, sober and thrifty': d 17.ii.1929 Winchester, Hampshire.

### **READER-BLACKTON, Walter**

b 4.vii.1895 Shirland, Derbyshire: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Derbyshire 1914, 1920, 1921, p in 1914, then a: cr 8 matches; 107 runs, av 7.64; 5 wkt, av 16.20; 6 ct: no fifties: no four-wicket returns: declared bankrupt 1928: awarded MC 1919: d 1.i.1976 Derby. (*He was usually identified by the surname Blackton, but appeared as Reader-Blackton when playing cricket from 1920.*)

### **REESE, Daniel**

b 28.i.1979 Christchurch (Canterbury), New Zealand: ed West Christchurch HS; Canterbury U, Christchurch: left-hand middle- or lower order batsman; left-arm slow-medium bowler; outfield: UK resident 1903-1907: Essex 1906, a: cr 7 matches; 108 runs, av 9.81; 6 wkt, av 27.50; 0 ct: no fifties: bb 4-55 v Leicestershire, Leicester, 1906: president New Zealand Cricket Council 1929-1931, 1935, 1936: played rugby union for Canterbury (N.Z.): later, member New Zealand Railways Board, director Norwich Union (insurance): d 12.vi.1953 Christchurch (Canterbury), New Zealand.

### **RELF, Ernest Herbert**

b 19.xi.1888 Finchampstead, Berkshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Sussex 1912-1914, p: cr 10 matches; 212 runs, av 11.77; 6 wkt, av 31.33; 4 ct: no four-wicket returns: younger brother of A.E. (Sussex 1900-1921) and R.R. (Sussex 1906-1921, 1924): d 27.vii.1918 Leicester, from wounds received in action.

### **RHYS, Hubert Ralph John**

b 31.viii.1897 Aberdare, Glamorgan: ed Shrewsbury S: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Glamorgan 1929, 1930, a: cr 7 matches; 147 runs, av 12.25; did not bowl; 5 ct: no fifties: later, director S.A.Brain and Co (brewing): d 18.iii.1970 Cardiff, Glamorgan.

### **RICE, William Ignatius**

b 15.iii.1883 Aston, Birmingham: ed Douai S, Woolhampton; Oxford U; St Anselmo's C, Rome: right-hand middle-order batsman: Warwickshire 1920, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 1, 5; did not bowl; 0 ct: 'the only monk to play Championship cricket': d 22.iv.1955 Woolhampton, Berkshire. (*Outside cricket he was usually known by his monastic title Dom Ignatius.*)

**RICHARDS, Walter**

b 28.ix.1865 Balsall Heath, Birmingham: right-hand middle-order batsman; versatile field: Warwickshire 1895, 1896, p: cr 7 matches; 112 runs, av 11.20; did not bowl; 4 ct: hs 61\* v Lancashire, Birmingham, 1895: chsp umpire 1897-1914, 270 matches: d 14.x.1917 Balsall Heath, Birmingham.

**RICHARDSON, James Vere**

b 16.xii.1903 Birkenhead, Cheshire: Uppingham S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Essex 1924-1926, a: cr 13 matches; 276 runs, av 19.71; 4 wkt, av 40.50; 7 ct: hs 82 v Hampshire, Leyton, 1924: no four-wicket returns: played rugby union for Richmond, Barbarians and England: d 1.v.1995 Surrey.

**RICHARDSON, William Ethelbert**

b 23.xii.1894 St Helens, Lancashire: ed Campden GS, Chipping Campden: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Worcestershire 1920-1922, 1926-1928, a: cr 30 matches; 269 runs, av 6.56; 44 wkt, av 42.38; 9 ct: bb 6-48 v Gloucestershire, Gloucester, 1920: played rugby union for Moseley: awarded MC 1919: d 5.xi.1971 Hartlebury, Worcestershire.

**RICHES, Norman Vaughan Hurry**

b 9.vi.1883 Cardiff, Glamorgan: ed Abingdon S; University C, Cardiff; Guy's Hospital Medical C, Southwark: right-hand opening, later middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field, incl occ wicketkeeper: Glamorgan 1921-1930, 1932, 1934, a, capt 1921, 1929: cr 72 matches; 3,855 runs, av 32.66; none for 73; 35 ct, 6 st: hs 177\* v Leicestershire, Leicester, 1921: father of J.D.H. (Glamorgan 1947): a career dentist, he was 'very seldom in full practice [but] usually the only batsman of real class in a weak side': d 6.xi.1975 Cardiff, Glamorgan.

**RIGHTON, Edward Grantham jun**

b 24.ix.1912 Evesham, Worcestershire: ed Dean Close S, Cheltenham: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; outfield: Worcestershire 1934, 1936, a: cr 4 matches; 27 runs, av 3.85; did not bowl; 1 ct: son of E.G. sen (Worcestershire 1911-1913): awarded MC 1944: d 2.v.1986 Evesham, Worcestershire.

**RILEY, William**

b 11.viii.1888 Newstead Colliery, Nottinghamshire: left-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm slow-medium bowler; close field: Nottinghamshire 1909-1914, p: cr 75 matches; 706 runs, av 8.82; 212 wkt, av 24.00; 66 ct: bb 7-80 v Leicestershire, Nottingham, 1911: d 9.viii.1917 Koksijde (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, killed in action.

**RIMELL, Anthony Geoffrey Jordan**

b 29.viii.1928 Kasauli (Punjab), India: UK resident from 1935: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Cambridge U; Harvard U, Cambridge (Massachusetts): left-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm off-break bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1950, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 8, 5; one for 65; 1 ct: later, director Cleveland Firth (steel mfg): d 18.x.2007 Sonning, Berkshire.

**RIST, Frank Henry**

b 30.iii.1914 Wandsworth, Surrey: right-hand middle-, later lower-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field, incl wicketkeeper: Essex 1934-1948, 1952, 1953, p: cr 60 matches; 1,431 runs, av 15.72; one for 8; 30 ct, 4 st: hs 62 v Kent, Blackheath, 1953: played football for Charlton Athletic: 'few outside Essex could recognise his worth to cricket in the county': d 8.ix.2001 Leytonstone, Essex.

**RITCHIE, David Mawdsley**

b 12.viii.1892 Liverpool, Lancashire: ed Loretto S, Edinburgh: right-hand middle-order batsman: Lancashire 1924, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 3; did not bowl; 2 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: awarded MC 1916; appointed MBE 1942 for military services: d 10.ix.1974 Stevenage, Hertfordshire.

**ROBERTS, Francis Bernard**

b 20.v.1882 Nashik (Bombay), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Rossall S, Fleetwood; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-, later middle-order batsman; right-hand fast bowler; versatile field: Gloucestershire 1906-1914, a: cr 62 matches; 2,010 runs, av 22.57; 48 wkt, av 36.31; 56 ct: hs 157 v Worcestershire, Cheltenham, 1910: bb 5-69 v Essex, Bristol, 1906: a career teacher, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: younger brother of A.W. (Gloucestershire 1908-1913): d 8.ii.1916 St Juliaan (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, killed in action.

**ROBERTS, Harley James**

b 24.v.1912 Harborne, Birmingham: ed Bourne C, Halesowen: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Warwickshire 1932-1935, 1937, p to 1934, then a: cr 17 matches; 348 runs, av 15.13; 9 wkt, av 45.22; 11 ct: hs 61 v Essex, Chelmsford, 1932: no four-wicket returns: played hockey for Worcestershire; runner-up English amateur golf championship 1948: d 17.ii.1989 Romsley, Worcestershire.

**ROBERTS, John Frederick**

b 24.ii.1913 Pontardawe, Glamorgan: ed Pontardawe GS; Royal Air Force Staff C, Bracknell: left-hand middle-order batsman; close field: Glamorgan 1934-1936, a: cr 5 matches; 86 runs, av 17.20; did not bowl; 3 ct: no fifties: a career airforceman, he reached the rank of air vice-marshal: appointed OBE 1954, CBE 1960 for military services, CB 1967: d 20.iv.1996 Swansea, Glamorgan.

**ROBERTSON-GLASGOW, Raymond Charles** ('Crusoe')

b 15.vii.1901 Edinburgh (Midlothian), Scotland: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; versatile field: Somerset 1920-1928, 1930-1935, a: cr 73 matches; 1,250 runs, av 14.36; 221 wkt, av 26.32; 46 ct: hs 80 v Hampshire, Taunton, 1930: bb 9-38 v Middlesex, Lord's, 1924: cricket writer for *Morning Post*, *The Observer* and other newspapers; author variety of cricket and other books; chairman CWC 1959: 'stupid figures ... how I loathed them, and loathe them still. What a mess mathematics make of man, damming his generous currents, frowning on joyous fallibility, pursing the dry lip at admirable error': d 4.iii.1965 Reading, Berkshire, by his own hand.

### **ROBINS, Derrick Harold**

b 27.vi.1914 Bexleyheath, Kent; ed Champion Hill S, Dulwich: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Warwickshire 1947, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 29\*, 10; did not bowl; 0 ct, 0 st: later, chairman and managing director Banbury Buildings (prefabricated building mfg); well-known as organiser private cricket tours overseas including apartheid South Africa: emigrated to South Africa 1975: d 3.v.2004 Bishops court (Western Cape), South Africa.

### **ROBINSON, Foster Gotch**

b 19.ix.1880 Bristol, Gloucestershire: ed Clifton C, Bristol, Oxford U: right-hand lower-, later middle-order batsman; versatile field, incl wicketkeeper: Gloucestershire 1903, 1907, 1912, 1919-1922, a, capt 1919-1922: cr 62 matches; 1,883 runs, av 17.59; did not bowl; 43 ct, 27 st: hs 144 v Essex, Colchester, 1920: older brother of P.G. (see below): later, managing director and chairman E.S. and A. Robinson (stationery mfg), director National Provincial Bank and other companies: knighted 1936 for public services in Bristol: d 31.x.1967 East Harptree, Somerset.

### **ROBINSON, Percy Gotch**

b 2.xi.1882 Bristol, Gloucestershire: ed Clifton C, Bristol; right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; close field: Gloucestershire 1904, 1912, 1919-1921, a: cr 24 matches; 786 runs, av 18.27; 10 wkt, av 54.90; 21 ct: hs 66 v Sussex, Hastings, 1919: bb 5-60 v Somerset, Bristol, 1919: younger brother of F.G. (see above): a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent; later, managing director E.S. and A. Robinson (stationery mfg) and director other companies: awarded DSO 1918: d 29.i.1951 Queen Charlton (nr Keynsham), Somerset.

### **ROBINSON, Ralf Hubert**

b 28.vi.1885 Stratford, Essex: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Essex 1912, a: cr 4 matches; 25 runs, av 5.00; did not bowl; 9 ct, 4 st: awarded MM 1917: d 23.viii.1917 Westhoek (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, from wounds received in action.

### **ROBINSON, Raymond Thomas**

b 15.ix.1940 Charmouth, Dorset: ed Priory S, Taunton: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1964; cr 1 match; two innings, 0, 0; did not bowl; 0 ct: later diagnosed with multiple sclerosis, he was appointed MBE 1984 for services to disabled people in Somerset: d 13.xi.2001 Taunton, Somerset.

### **ROBINSON, Theodore**

b 16.ii.1866 Beaminster, Dorset: right-hand middle-, later lower-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1892-1894, a: cr 8 matches; 86 runs, av 6.14; did not bowl; 3 ct: no fifties: younger brother of C.J. (Somerset 1891, 1892, 1896): represented Great Britain at archery (men's double York Round) 1908 Olympics: later, director BOCM (foodstuffs mfg) and other companies: d 4.x.1959 Backwell, Somerset.

### **ROBINSON, Thomas Lloyd**

b 21.xii.1912 Swansea, Glamorgan: ed Wycliffe C, Stonehouse; Army Staff C, Camberley: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1946, a: cr 3

matches; 14 runs, av 2.33; 4 wkt, av 57.25; 0 ct: no four-wicket returns: played rugby union for Moseley: later, managing director, then chairman Dickinson Robinson group (stationery mfg), director Legal and General (insurance) and other companies: d 2.viii.1996 Westminster, Middlesex.

**ROCHE, William** ('Mickey')

b 20.vii.1891 Brunswick, Victoria: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm off-break bowler; versatile field: UK resident 1897-1900: Middlesex 1899, 1900, p: cr 27 matches; 361 runs, av 13.84; 49 wkt, av 27.51; 15 ct: hs 74\* v Kent, Lord's, 1899, with R.W.Nicholls setting a then world-record tenth-wicket partnership of 230 runs, unsurpassed in the chsp until 1909: bb 6-28 v Gloucestershire, Lord's 1899: played Australian Rules football for Melbourne: d 2.i.1950 Brunswick East (Victoria), Australia.

ROCHDALE, LORD, see Kemp, G., above.

**ROGERS, Francis Galpine**

b 7.iv.1897 Bristol, Gloucestershire: ed Bristol GS; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman; versatile field: Gloucestershire 1924, 1928, a: cr 23 matches; 695 runs, av 18.78; did not bowl; 16 ct: hs 79 v Lancashire, Gloucester, 1924: played hockey for West of England and England: a career soldier often stationed overseas, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: d 28.vii.1967 Dorchester.

**ROGERS, Herbert James**

b 6.iii.1893 Frimley, Surrey: ed Bedford House S, Oxford: left-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm off-break bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1912-1914, p: cr 7 matches; 69 runs, av 5.75; one for 62; 0 ct: d 12.x.1916 nr Le Transloy (Pas-de Calais), France, killed in action and having no known grave.

**ROMANS, George**

b 30.xi.1876 Gloucester: ed Crypt S, Gloucester : right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; outfield: Gloucestershire 1899-1903, a: cr 10 matches; 156 runs, av 11.14; did not bowl; 4 ct: no fifties: played rugby union for Gloucester and in England trials: d 2.i.1946 Bristol, Gloucestershire.

ROSEBERY, LORD, see DALMENY, LORD, above.

**ROSS, Hamilton**

b 26.viii.1860 St John's (Grenada), Windward Islands: UK resident from an early age: ed Hermitage S, Bath: right-hand lower-order batsman: Somerset 1891, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 0, 0; did not bowl; 0 ct: a barrister, apparently of mixed race, who was a successful club cricketer, thought by some to be 'the first man of Afro-Caribbean descent' to play chsp cricket: d 29.iii.1938 St George's (Grenada), Windward Islands, while on a visit. (*See also Ollivierre, C., above.*)

**ROTHERHAM, Gerard Alexander**

b 28.v.1899 Coventry, Warwickshire; ed Rugby S; Cambridge U: right hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium pace bowler; versatile field: Warwickshire 1919-1921, a: cr 40 matches; 983 runs, av 15.35; 122 wkt, av 26.90; 35 ct: hs 62 v Leicestershire, Hinckley, 1920: bb 7-69 v Gloucestershire, Bristol, 1921: *Wisden* (school) cricketer 1919: emigrated to New Zealand 1924, returning to UK 1945: d 31.i.1985 Bakewell, Derbyshire.

**ROTHSCHILD, Hon Nathaniel Mayer Victor**

b 31.x.1910 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Harrow S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm leg-break bowler; slip field: Northamptonshire 1929-1931, a: cr 10 matches; 275 runs, av 17.18; none for 53; 7 ct: hs 63 v Kent, Peterborough, 1930: succeeded his father as third Baron Rothschild of Tring 1937; later, chairman Shell Research (petrochemicals), chairman Agricultural Research Council, director-general Central Policy Review Staff (the Government 'think-tank'), chairman N.M.Rothschild and Son (merchant bank): awarded GM 1944 'for dangerous work in hazardous circumstances'; appointed FRS 1953, the only chsp cricketer thus honoured, for his work as chairman Agricultural Research Council; GBE 1975 for services to the Cabinet Office: d 20.iii.1990 Westminster, Middlesex. (*Styled Honourable from 1915 as a son of the second Baron Rothschild.*)

**ROWLEY, Ernest Butler**

b 15.i.1870 Salford, Lancashire: ed Clifton C, Bristol; Oxford U: right-hand opening batsman; outfield: Lancashire 1896, 1898, a: cr 13 matches; 497 runs, av 27.61; did not bowl; 4 ct: hs 65 v Warwickshire, Birmingham, 1896: later, director Whittakers (textile mfg) and other companies: d 4.x.1962 Withington, Manchester. (*Son of Edmund Butler Rowley who played 76 inter-county matches for Lancashire 1865-1880.*)

**RUBIE, Claude Blake**

b 25.iii.188 Lewes, Sussex: ed Lancing C: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Sussex 1930, a: cr 2 matches; 24 runs, av 24.00; did not bowl; 4 ct, 1 st: a career soldier often stationed overseas, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: appointed CBE 1935 for services to commerce in India: d 3.xi.1939 Hove, Sussex.

**RUSSELL, Stephen George**

b 13.iii.1945 Sutton, Surrey: ed Tiffin S, Kingston upon Thames; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler: Surrey 1967: cr 1 match; did not bat; two for 63; 2 ct: later, managing director Boots Co (mfg and retailing chemist), director Woolwich PLC (banking) and other companies.

**RYAN, James Henry Aloysius**

b 15.ix.1892 Roade, Northamptonshire: ed Downside S, Stratton-on-the Fosse; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Northamptonshire 1911, 1913, 1914, a: cr 8 matches; 114 runs, av 9.50; 4 wkt, av 33.00; 2 ct; no fifties: no four-wicket returns: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: awarded MC 1915: d 25.ix.1915 Loos-en-Gohelle (Pas-de Calais), France, killed in the same combat action as B.H.Holloway (see above).

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**SAMSON, Oswald Massey**

b 8.viii.1881 Taunton, Somerset: ed Cheltenham C; Oxford U: left-hand middle-order batsman; occ left-arm slow bowler; outfield: Somerset 1901-1903, 1908-1913, a: cr 42 matches; 1,226 runs, av 17.51; 5 wkt, av 17.60; 30 ct: hs 105 v Gloucestershire, Gloucester, 1903: no four-wicket returns: 'he deserved a VC for the way he behaved': d 7.ix.1918 Péronne (Somme), France, from wounds received in action.

**SANDEMAN, George Amelius Crawshay**

b 18.iv.1883 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Oxford U: left-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1913, a: cr 3 matches; 9 runs, av 3.00; 3 wkt, av 41.33; 1 ct: later, director David Sandeman and Co (wine merchants), author military histories: d 26.iv.1915 Zonnebeke (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, killed in action and having no known grave.

**SAUNDERS, Alan Arthur**

b 15.xii.1892 Brighton, Sussex: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ bowler; slip field: Sussex 1922, 1923, a: cr 10 matches; 151 runs, av 11.61; one for 103; 8 ct: no fifties: played hockey for Sussex: later, chairman British Sugar and National Research Development Corporation: appointed OBE 1918 for military services, knighted 1949 for public services at Ministry of Health: d 26.ii.1957 Hove, Sussex.

**SAVILLE, Clifford Allen**

b 15.ii.1892 Tottenham, Middlesex: ed Marlborough C: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1914, a: cr 3 matches; 57 runs, av 11.40; did not bowl; 0 ct: no fifties: younger brother of S.H. (Middlesex 1910-1919, 1921, 1928): 'a gift for apologetic satire when times were bad': d 8.xi.1917 Fresnoy-le-Grand (Aisne), France, killed in action and having no known grave.

**SCHOFIELD, Christopher Paul**

b 6.x.1978 Wardle, Lancashire: ed Wardle HS: left-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break and googly bowler; versatile field: Lancashire 1998-2004; Surrey 2006-2011: cr 82 matches; 3,097 runs, av 29.77; 166 wkt, av 40.38; 47 ct: hs 144 v Essex, Colchester, 2009: bb 5-40 v Northamptonshire, Northampton, 2009: played two Tests for England: 'has not realised his potential with the ball, (but) he deserves credit for extracting every ounce of talent he has with the bat.'

**SCHWARZ, Reginald Oscar**

b 4.v.1875 Lee, Kent: ed St Paul's S, Hammersmith; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm googly bowler; outfield: Middlesex 1901, 1902, 1905, a: cr 13 matches; 343 runs, av 17.15; 7 wkt, av 25.42; 9 ct: hs 74 v Somerset, Lord's, 1901: bb 4-39 v Gloucestershire, Cheltenham, 1905: emigrated to South Africa 1902, returning to UK 1911; played 20 Tests for South Africa: *Wisden* cricketer 1908: played rugby union for Richmond, Barbarians and England: awarded MC 1917: 'credited with passing on the googly method from



B.J.T.Bosanquet to G.A.Faulkner and other South Africans': d 18.xi.1918 Étapes-sur-Mer (Pas-de-Calais), France from Spanish flu, a virus infection, seven days after the Armistice.

**SCORER, Reginald Ivor** ('Rusty')

b 6.i.1892 Middlesbrough, Yorkshire: ed King Edward VI Five Ways GS, Birmingham: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1921, 1922, 1926, a: cr 27 matches; 675 runs, av 16.46; 18 wkt, av 34.33; 9 ct: hs 113 vHampshire, Birmingham, 1921: no four-wicket returns: played rugby union for Moseley: awarded MC 1917: 'the first person to use public-address systems at cricket matches': d 19.iii.1976 Moseley, Birmingham.

**SCOTT, Edward Keith**

b 14.vi.1918 Truro, Cornwall: ed Clifton C, Bristol; Oxford U; St Mary's Hospital Medical C, Paddington: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm leg-break bowler; outfield: Gloucestershire 1937, a: cr 2 matches; two innings, 0, 0: one for 101; 0 ct: played rugby union for Harlequins and England: a 'successful schoolboy leg-spinner' who 'could not later show the same form': 3.vi.1995 Truro, Cornwall.

**SCOTT, John Gordon Cameron**

b 14.iii.1888 Eastbourne, Sussex: ed Marlborough C; Cambridge U: right-hand opening batsman; outfield: Sussex 1907, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 0, 6; did not bowl; 0 ct: emigrated to India 1913, returning to UK 1933: appointed CIE 1933 for services as principal Prince of Wales Military C, Dehradun (United Provinces): d 21.iii.1946 Warsash, Hampshire.

**SCOTT, Kenneth Bertram**

b 17.viii.1915 Crowborough, Sussex: ed Winchester C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Sussex 1937, a: cr 5 matches; 88 runs, av 12.57; 5 wkt, av 50.80; 1 ct: no fifties: no four-wicket returns: son of Hon O. (see below), younger brother of H.E. (Sussex 1937): awarded MC 1943: d 9.viii.1943 Bronte (Sicily), Italy, killed in action.

**SCOTT, Hon Osmund**

b 24.iii.1876 Encombe (nr Corfe Castle), Dorset: ed Winchester C: right-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler: Gloucestershire 1905, a: cr 2 matches; 29 runs, av 9.66; none for 11; 0 ct: father of H.E. (Sussex 1937) and K.B. (see above): played golf for England amateur team, runner-up British amateur golf championship 1905, reported to be earliest user of gloves in top-level golf: d 9.ix.1949 Marylebone, Middlesex. (*Styled Honourable from birth as a son of the third Earl of Eldon.*)

**SCOTT, Robert Strickland Gilbert**

b 26.iv.1909 Paddington, Middlesex: ed Winchester C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; versatile field: Sussex 1931-1934, a, capt 1933: cr 58 matches; 1,214 runs, av 17.59; 79 wkt, 23.31; 37 ct: hs 116 v Northamptonshire, Northampton, 1932: bb 5-27 v Glamorgan, Hove, 1932: later, chairman Siamese Tin, director other companies:

in 1932, 'gaining experience day after day, he became, long before the end of the summer, a most capable leader': d 26.viii.1957 Paddington, Middlesex, following an operation.

### **SCOTT, Stanley Winckworth**

b 24.ii.1854 Bombay, India: UK resident from c 1860: ed Epsom C: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm fast bowler; close field: Middlesex 1890-1893, a: cr 45 matches; 1,895 runs, av 25.26; none for 16; 41 ct: hs 224 v Gloucestershire, Lord's, 1892: *Wisden* cricketer 1893: played football for Clapham Rovers in 1879 FA Cup final: later, director Silati Gold Mining: d 8.xii.1933 Beckenham, Kent.

### **SCOTTON, William Henry**

b 15.i.1856 Nottingham: ed People's C, Nottingham: left-hand middle-order batsman; occ left-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Nottinghamshire 1890, p: cr 12 matches; 269 runs, av 16.81; none for 12; 8 ct: hs 50\* v Sussex, Hove, 1890: played 15 Tests for England: 'he carried caution to such extremes that it was often impossible to take any pleasure in seeing him play': d 9.vii.1893 St John's Wood, Middlesex, by his own hand.

### **SEELEY, Gerald Henry**

b 9.v.1903 Port Blair (Andaman and Nicobar Islands), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Marlborough C: right-hand middle-order batsman; cover field: Worcestershire 1921, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 7; did not bowl, 0 ct: d 23.vii.1941 off Oostende (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, killed in action when his plane was shot down.

### **SELLAR, Kenneth Anderson** ('Monkey')

b 11.viii.1906 Lewisham, Kent: ed Royal Naval C, Osborne; Britannia Royal Naval C, Dartmouth: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Sussex 1928, a: cr 6 matches; 236 runs, av 23.60; did not bowl; 6 ct: hs 119 v Somerset, Hove, 1928: played rugby union for Blackheath, Barbarians and England: awarded DSC and DSO both 1944: emigrated to South Africa 1982: d 15.v.1989 Cape Town (Cape Province), South Africa.

### **SEWELL, Edward Humphrey Dalrymple**

b 30.ix.1872 Lingsugur (Bombay), India: UK resident from an early age, later returning to India as a civil servant: ed Bedford S: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Essex 1902-1904, p: cr 53 matches; 1,810 runs, av 21.54; 7 wkt, av 55.42; 44 ct: hs 107 v Warwickshire, Birmingham, 1904: no four-wicket returns: played rugby union for Blackheath and Harlequins: later, cricket and rugby union writer for various national newspapers; author various sports books in oddly forthright style, thus, 'soccer is ... for those with varicose veins, weak knees, cod-eyed toes, fowl's livers and a general dislike for a man's duty': d 20.ix.1947 Paddington, Middlesex.

### **SHACKLOCK, Francis Joseph**

b 22.ix.1861 Crich, Derbyshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; close field: Nottinghamshire 1890-1893, p: cr 56 matches; 1,044 runs, av 15.38; 221 wkt, av 19.69; 51 ct: hs bb 8-46 v Somerset, Nottingham, 1893, including four wickets in successive balls, the first of sixteen such instances in the chsp: 'later [in 1893] was suspended for indiscipline and not

selected again': emigrated to New Zealand c 1902: d 1.v.1937 Christchurch (Canterbury), New Zealand.

### **SHAFAYAT, Bilal Mustafa**

b 10.vi.1984 Nottingham: ed Nottingham Bluecoat SFC: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-fast bowler; versatile field, incl occ wicketkeeper: Nottinghamshire 2001-2004, 2007-2010; Northamptonshire 2005, 2006; Hampshire 2012: cr 99 matches; 4,694 runs, av 29.33; one for 349; 86 ct, 3 st: hs 161 v Derbyshire, Derby, 2005: scored 72 v Middlesex, Nottingham, 2001, aged 16 yr 11 mth, the youngest player to score fifty in a chsp innings.

### **SHAHZAD, Ajmal**

b 27.vii.1985 Huddersfield, Yorkshire: ed Woodhouse Grove S, Bradford; Bradford U; Leeds Metropolitan U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Yorkshire 2006-2012; Lancashire 2012; Nottinghamshire 2013, 2014; Sussex 2015-2017; Leicestershire 2017: cr 85 matches; 2,123 runs, av 23.32; 223 wkt, av 35.61; 12 ct: hs 88 v Sussex, Hove, 2009: bb 5-46 v Worcestershire, Hove, 2015: played one Test for England: head coach MCC from 2019.

### **SHAKESPEARE, William Harold Nelson**

b 24.viii.1893 Worcester: ed Royal GS, Worcester: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Worcestershire 1920, 1924-1928, 1931, a: cr 23 matches; 650 runs, av 18.05; none for 8; 10 ct: hs 62\* v Glamorgan, Swansea, 1924: awarded MC and AFC 1918; appointed OBE 1968 for services to air-force charities: 'one of the pioneers of civil transport aviation' in UK: d 10.vii.1976 Whittington, Worcestershire.

### **SHARP, John Aubrey Taylor**

b 6.ix.1917 Blaby, Leicestershire: ed Repton S; Cambridge U; Army Staff C, Quetta: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm bowler: Leicestershire 1939, 1946, a: cr 2 matches; 6 runs, av 1.50; two for 45; 0 ct: son of A.T. (Leicestershire 1909-1924, 1926-1935): a career soldier, later military secretary Ministry of Defence, then commander-in-chief Allied Forces Northern Europe, as full General: awarded MC 1942 and bar 1944; appointed CB 1969, KCB (knighted) 1970: d 15.i.1977 Oslo, Norway, while on NATO business.

### **SHARP, Norman**

b 15.iv.1901 Derby: ed Bishop Vesey's GS, Sutton Coldfield: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Warwickshire 1923, a: cr one match; one innings, 3: did not bowl; 1 ct: played hockey for Warwickshire: d 14.vii.1977 Sutton Coldfield, Warwickshire.

### **SHARP, Robert Henry**

b 11.vi.1893 Conisbrough, Yorkshire: ed Ilkley C: right-hand lower-order batsman; right arm fast-medium bowler; versatile field: Essex 1925, 1926, 1928, a: cr 15 matches; 152 runs, av 8.44; 14 wkt, av 47.35; 13 ct: bb 5-66 v Somerset, Taunton, 1925: a career soldier/airforceman, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: awarded DFC 1919: d 15.ii.1961 Bradford-on-Avon, Wiltshire.

**SHARPE, John William**

b 9.xii.1866 Ruddington, Nottinghamshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; mid-off field: Surrey 1890-1893, p; Nottinghamshire 1894, p: cr 43 matches; 319 runs, av 8.86; 213 wkt, av 14.47; 28 ct: bb 9-47 v Middlesex, Kennington, 1891: played three Tests for England: *Wisden* cricketer 1892: played football for Notts County: 'handicapped by the loss of an eye' in childhood, 'he performed very successfully in the best matches of the day for several seasons': d 19.vi.1936 Ruddington, Nottinghamshire.

**SHAW, Alfred**

b 29.viii.1842 Burton Joyce, Nottinghamshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; slip field: Sussex 1894, 1895, p: cr 10 matches; 70 runs, av 8.75; 56 wkt, av 16.33; 4 ct: bb 7-34 v Nottinghamshire, Nottingham, 1894: played seven Tests for England; chsp umpire 1898-1905, 100 matches: partner Shaw and Shrewsbury, cricket outfitters and tour promoters: played 169 inter-county matches for Nottinghamshire 1864-1887, it being said by contemporaries that 'no more accurate bowler ever lived': d 16.i.1907 Gedling, Nottinghamshire.

**SHEARWOOD, Kenneth Arthur**

b 5.ix.1921 Derby: ed Shrewsbury S; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Derbyshire 1949, a: cr 1 match; 6 runs, av 3.00; did not bowl; 1 st: played football for Pegasus: awarded MC 1945: author several books on football and other subjects.

**SHELMERDINE, George Owen** ('Jo')

b 7.ix.1899 Salford, Lancashire: ed Cheltenham C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-fast bowler; outfield: Lancashire 1919-1922, a: cr 27 matches; 810 runs, av 23.14; none for 97; 10 ct: hs 105 v Kent, Maidstone, 1921: later, director James Kenyon and Son (textile mfg): d 31.vii.1967 Brighton, Sussex.

**SHERWELL, Noel Benjamin**

b 16.iii.1904 Hendon, Middlesex: ed Tonbridge S; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Middlesex 1925, 1926, a: cr 3 matches; 37 runs, av 18.50; did not bowl; 1 ct, 3 st: appointed OBE 1946 for military services: d 29.xii.1960 Flims (Graubünden), Switzerland, killed in skiing accident while on holiday.

**SHERWIN, Mordecai**

b 26.ii.1851 Greasley, Nottinghamshire: right-hand lower order batsman; occ right-arm fast bowler; wicketkeeper: Nottinghamshire 1890-1893, p: cr 55 matches; 390 runs, av 8.47: 3 wkt, av 11.66; 119 ct, 17 st: played three Tests for England: chsp umpire 1896-1901, 77 matches: *Wisden* cricketer 1891: played football for Notts County: 'the last professional to be formally appointed as a county captain [in 1888] until Leicestershire chose Ewart Astill in 1935': d 3.vii.1910 Nottingham.

**SHILTON, John Edward**

b 2.x.1861 Horbury, Yorkshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1895, p: cr 3 matches; 20 runs, av 6.66; 4 wkt, av 45.00; 2 ct: no four-wicket returns: played rugby union for Moseley: declared bankrupt 1887, he was released from prison to play in his last chsp match, his benefit, whose funds were used to clear his debts, a unique achievement; jailed for theft in South Africa 1896: d 27.ix.1899 Sedbergh, Yorkshire, from kidney failure. (*Surname registered at birth as Shelton.*)

**SHINE, Eustace Beverley**

b 7.ix.1873 Port of Spain, Trinidad: UK resident from c 1880: ed King Edward VI GS, Saffron Walden; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; versatile field: Kent 1896, 1897, 1899, a: cr 20 matches; 216 runs, av 8.30; 72 wkt, av 27.01; 23 ct: bb 7-45 v Warwickshire, Maidstone, 1896: appointed CB 1927 for public services at the Ministry of Agriculture: d 11.xi.1952 New Milton, Hampshire.

**SHIRREFF, Alexander Campbell** ('Alan')

b 12.ii.1919 Ealing, Middlesex: ed Dulwich C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Hampshire 1946, 1947, a: Kent 1950-1956, a; Somerset 1958, a: cr 56 matches; 1,867 runs, av 21.96; 131 wkt, av 31.70; 40 ct: hs 87\* v Middlesex, Dover, 1952: bb 8-111 v Leicestershire, Leicester, 1956: a career airforceman, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: later, director Schweppes (drink mfg): d 16.xii.2006 West Wickham, Kent.

**SHORROCKS, Ernest**

b 12.iii.1875 Rhodes (nr Middleton), Lancashire: ed Wm Hulme's GS, Manchester; Manchester U; London U: unknown-hand lower-order batsman; unknown-arm medium-pace bowler; slip field: Somerset 1905, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 0, 16\*; two for 60; 0 ct: d 20.vii.1916 Thiepval (Somme), France, killed in action.

**SHORTLAND, Norman Arthur**

b 6.vii.1916 Coventry, Warwickshire: ed Stoke Park S, Coventry: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1938-1946, 1949, 1950, p in 1938, 1939, then a: cr 22 matches; 481 runs, av 14.14; none for 50; 4 ct: hs 70 v Sussex, Birmingham, 1946: played rugby union for Coventry: later, director Morton Transport: d 14.iii.1973 Coventry, Warwickshire.

**SHOUBRIDGE, Thomas Edward**

b 8.ix.1868 Horsham, Sussex: right-hand lower-order batsman, right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Sussex 1890, p: cr 2 matches; 10 runs, av 2.50; none for 32; 0 ct: chsp umpire 1893, one match, Lancashire v Somerset, Liverpool, 1893 at age 24 yr 10 mth, the youngest to stand in chsp cricket: d 22.x.1937 Prescott, Lancashire.

**SHUCKBURGH, Charles Gerald Stewkley**

b 28.ii.1911 Shuckburgh (nr Daventry), Warwickshire: ed Harrow S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman: Warwickshire 1930, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 0; did not bowl; 1 ct:

succeeded his father as twelfth Shuckburgh baronet 1939; later, director Metal Castings Ltd (iron mfg): d 4.v.1988 White Colne, Essex.

### **SHUTER, John**

b 9.ii.1855 Thornton Heath, Surrey: ed Winchester C: right-hand opening, later middle-order batsman; cover field: Surrey 1890-1893, a, capt 1890-1893, his sides winning the chsp in its first three 'official' seasons: cr 51 matches; 1,376 runs, av 16.00; did not bowl; 20 ct: hs 56 v Lancashire, Kennington, 1892: played one Test for England: later, director Elswick Cycles: 'great personal influence and character and an unfailing example of enthusiasm': d 5.vii.1920 Blackheath, Kent.

### **SILK, Dennis Raoul Whitehall**

b 8.x.1931 Eureka (California), United States: UK resident from 1936: ed Christ's Hospital, Horsham; Cambridge U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ right-arm leg-break bowler; close field: Somerset 1956-1958, 1960, a: cr 31 matches; 1,426 runs, av 33.95; none for 24; 17 ct: hs 106\* v Glamorgan, Cardiff, 1956: president MCC 1992-1994; chairman TCCB 1994-1996: played rugby union for Bath; Rugby Fives amateur doubles champion (with various partners) 1956-1959: later, director Ecclesiastical Insurance: appointed CBE 1995 for services to cricket and to education: 'achieved the right mix of authority and conviviality'.

### **SIME, William Aröd**

b 8.ii.1909 Wepener, Orange Free State: UK resident from 1920: ed Bedford S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; versatile field: Nottinghamshire 1939, 1947-1950, a, capt 1947-1950: cr 86 matches; 2,238 runs, av 20.16; 44 wkt, av 46.11; 52 ct: hs 176\* v Sussex, Hove, 1948: bb 4-51 v Middlesex, Lord's, 1949: played rugby union for Nottingham and in England trial: appointed MBE 1946 for military services, CMG 1982 for services to the judiciary: d 5.v.1983 Wymeswold, Leicestershire.

### **SIMPSON, Ernest Herbert**

b 17.xii.1875 Clapton, Middlesex: ed Malvern C: right-hand middle-order batsman; cover field: Kent 1896, a: cr 6 matches; 204 runs, av 17.00; did not bowl; 1 ct: hs 94 v Lancashire, Manchester, 1896: d 2.x.1917 St Omer (Pas-de-Calais), France, from wounds received in German air-raid on Vlamertinge, Belgium.

### **SINGLETON, George Michael ('Boss')**

b 12.v.1913 Repton, Derbyshire: ed Uppingham S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; outfield: Worcestershire 1946, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 4, 1; two for 13; 0 ct: older brother of A.P. (Worcestershire 1934-1936, 1938-1946): awarded MC 1946, appointed CBE 1975 for services to Territorial Army: 'as he would sometimes tell animal-rights fainthearts, he knew precisely what it was like to be shot at – and hit': d 11.xii.2002 Great Malvern, Worcestershire.

### **SINGH, Kanwar Shumshere**

b 21.vii.1879 Bahraich (Oudh), India: UK resident from 1892 to 1906: ed Rugby S; Cambridge U; St Bartholomew's Hospital Medical C, London: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Kent

1901, 1902, a: cr 4 matches; 140 runs, av 20.00; did not bowl; 3 ct: no fifties: thought to be the first Sikh cricketer in the chsp: a career medical officer in the Indian Army, his appearances in chsp cricket were limited: d 12.v.1975 New Delhi (Capital Territory), India.

### **SKINNER, Alan Frank**

b 22.iv.1913 Brighton, Sussex; ed Leys S, Cambridge; Cambridge U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ bowler; slip field: Derbyshire 1931-1938, a, deputy-capt 1933, 1934: cr 80 matches; 3,383 runs, av 27.50; 6 wkt, av 41.66; 53 ct: hs 102 v Gloucestershire, Gloucester, 1934: no four-wicket returns: older brother of D.A. (see below): played hockey for Derbyshire, Nottinghamshire and Midlands: appointed OBE 1946 for services to air-raid precautions organisations: later, county clerk West Suffolk County Council: d 28.ii.1982 Bury St Edmunds, Suffolk.

### **SKINNER, David Anthony**

b 22.ii.1920 Duffield, Derbyshire; ed Leys S, Cambridge: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm leg- or off-break bowler; cover field: Derbyshire 1947, 1949, a, capt 1949: cr 22 matches; 442 runs, av 13.39; two for 182; 11 ct: hs 63 v Sussex, Worthing, 1949: younger brother of A.F. (see above): played hockey for Nottinghamshire: 'a modest performer, though in this he was no different from the other amateurs who had captained the county': d 17.i.1998 Southend-on-Sea, Essex.

### **SMITH, Charles Aubrey**

b 21.vii.1863 City of London: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; slip field: Sussex 1890-1894, 1896, a, capt 1890: cr 43 matches; 1,184 runs, av 16.67; 64 wkt, av 26.87; 23 ct: hs 70 v Gloucestershire, Hove 1893: bb 5-25 v Middlesex, Hove, 1891: played one Test for England: later, well-known as a character actor in West End and on Broadway and, after taking up permanent residence in the United States 1931, for his appearances in more than 100 films: appointed CBE 1938, knighted 1944 for services to British-American friendship: 'good player, that Smith ... pity he became a mummer': d 20.xii.1948 Beverly Hills (California), United States.

### **SMITH, Colin Stansfield**

b 1.x.1932 Didsbury, Manchester: ed Wm Hulme's GS, Manchester; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Lancashire 1951-1957, a: cr 40 matches; 697 runs, av 15.48; 87 wkt, av 21.51; 16 ct: hs 67 v Middlesex, Manchester, 1951: bb 5-69 v Kent, Gravesend, 1953: younger brother of D.J. (Lancashire 1951): played lacrosse for South of England: later, well-known architect, awarded RIBA Gold Medal 1991: appointed CBE 1988, knighted 1993 for services to architecture: d 18.vi.2013 Winchester, Hampshire.  
(*Changed surname to Stansfield Smith 1961, ceasing use of Stansfield as a forename.*)

### **SMITH, Gilbert Oswald ('G.O.')**

b 25.xi.1872 Croydon, Surrey: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; cover field: Surrey 1896, a: cr 2 matches; 17 runs, av 5.66; did not bowl; 1 ct: played football for Corinthians and England, being described by contemporaries and some later

commentators as 'the best centre-forward in the annals of the game': d 6.xii.1943 Lymington, Hampshire.

### **SMITH, Hamilton Augustus Haigh**

b 21.x.1884 Sandown, Isle of Wight: ed Marlborough C: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break and googly bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1909-1914, a: cr 24 matches; 270 runs, av 10.38; 10 wkt, av 46.40; 8 ct: no fifties: no four-wicket returns: played hockey for Hampshire and Worcestershire, rugby union for Blackheath and Barbarians: d 28.x.1955 Paddington, Middlesex. (*From 1919 surname often reported as Haigh-Smith or Haigh Smith.*)

### **SMITH, Harry Watson**

b 30.ix.1886 Glapwell, Derbyshire: ed Worksop C; Sheffield U: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Warwickshire 1912, a; Derbyshire 1920, a: cr 2 matches; 49 runs, av 24.50; did not bowl; 0 ct: a geologist and mining engineer, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: later, director various coal-mining companies: appointed CBE 1946 for services to coal mining: d 24.vi.1955 Ruthin, Denbighshire. (*From c 1919, surname often reported as Watson Smith.*)

### **SNELL, Edward**

b 22.iv.1906 Hove, Sussex: ed Winchester C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Sussex 1927, 1928, a: cr 3 matches; 13 runs, av 4.33; did not bowl; 1 ct: amateur squash champion 1932, 1935, 1936; author coaching manuals on squash: d 6.ix.1973 Hove, Sussex.

### **SNELL, Harold Saxon**

b 16.xii.1876 Highworth, Wiltshire: ed Dean Close S, Cheltenham; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Northamptonshire 1911, a: cr 1 match; 58 runs, av 29.00; did not bowl; 1 ct: hs 52 v Yorkshire, Northampton, 1911; played football for Corinthians: d 7.vii.1942 Daventry, Northamptonshire.

### **SOLBÉ, Frank de Lisle**

b 1.vi.1871 Chefoo (now Yantai) (Shandong province), China: UK resident from 1874: ed Dulwich C; Blair Lodge A, Polmont (Stirlingshire): right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Kent 1891-1892, a: cr 4 matches; 14 runs, av 2.80; did not bowl; 0 ct: played hockey for Kent and England: d 12.i.1933 Bromley, Kent.

### **SOMERS, LORD**

b 20.iii.1887 Freshwater, Isle of Wight: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Oxford U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ right-hand bowler; close field: Worcestershire 1923-1925, a: cr 16 matches; 377 runs, av 13.96; none for 4; 10 ct: hs 52 v Essex, Leyton, 1925: president MCC 1936-1937: formerly Arthur Herbert Tennyson Somers-Cocks, succeeded his great uncle as sixth Baron Somers 1899, at age 12: Governor of Victoria 1926-1931; Chief Scout of British Empire 1941-1944; later, director Great Western Railway, National Mutual Assurance



(Australian insurance): awarded MC 1918, DSO 1919; appointed KCMG (knighted) 1926 on taking up the Victorian post : d 14.vii.1944 Eastnor, Herefordshire.

### **SOMERSET, Arthur William FitzRoy**

b 20.ix.1855 Chatham, Kent: ed Wellington C, Crowthorne: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm fast bowler; close field: Sussex 1892, 1898, 1899, 1905, a: cr 5 matches; 69 runs, av 7.66; two for 37; 2 ct: no fifties: father of A.P.F.C. (Sussex 1911, 1912, 1919): played rugby union for Richmond and in England trials; leading amateur heavyweight boxer early 1880s, winning Queensbury Cup at that weight 1882: d 8.i.1937 Castle Goring (nr Worthing), Sussex.

### **SOUTHCOMBE, Richard**

b 22.xi.1909 Taunton, Somerset: right-hand middle or lower-order batsman; slip field: Somerset 1936, 1937, a: cr 2 matches; 20 runs, av 5.00; did not bowl; 0 ct: played rugby union for Sale: d 3.viii.1995 Yeovil, Somerset.

### **SPENCER, Thomas William**

b 22.iii.1914 Deptford, Kent: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; cover or outfield: Kent 1935-1946, p: cr 74 matches; 2,112 runs, av 20.11; one for 19; 36 ct: hs 96 v Sussex, Tunbridge Wells, 1946: chsp umpire 1950-1980, 570 matches, more than any other umpire: appointed OBE 1976 for services to cricket: 'he travelled to matches by train: it was easier on the eyes and his unwavering concentration stood him in good stead': d 2.xi.1995 Seaton Delaval, Northumberland.

### **SPILLER, William John**

b 8.vi.1886 St Fagans, Glamorgan: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Glamorgan 1921-1923, a: cr 12 matches; 411 runs, av 19.57; none for 31; 7 ct: hs 104 v Northamptonshire, Northampton, 1921: played rugby union for Cardiff, Pontypridd and Wales, bowls for Glamorgan: d 9.vi.1970 St Fagans, Glamorgan.

### **SPOTTISWOODE, William Hugh**

b 12.vii.1864 Westminster, Middlesex; ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman: Kent 1890, a: cr 2 matches; 51 runs, av 17.00; did not bowl; 1 ct: no fifties; he arrived late at his first chsp match and was recorded 'absent' from his first innings: later, managing director Broadwood and Sons (piano mfg), director Eyre and Spottiswoode (publishing) and other companies: d 20.viii.1915 Llandrindod Wells, Radnorshire, from heart failure.

### **SPRING, Trevor Coleridge**

b 6.ii.1882 Khidirpur (Bengal), India: UK resident from c 1890: ed Blundell's S, Tiverton: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Somerset 1909, 1910, a: cr 8 matches; 124 runs, av 8.85; 3 wkt, av 23.66; 1 ct: no fifties: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: awarded DSO 1917: d 13.iii.1926 Westminster, Middlesex, from pneumonia following an operation.

**SPRINKS, Henry Robert James**

b 19.viii.1905 El Iskanderiya, Egypt: UK resident from an early age: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler: Hampshire 1925, 1928, 1929, a; cr 21 matches; 167 runs, av 9.27; 29 wkt, av 46.13; 14 ct: bb 4-56 v Warwickshire, Birmingham, 1929: later, director Cambrian Insurance: appointed MBE 1946 for services to the Air Ministry: 'though at times he suggested possibilities ... ': d 23.v.1986 Bramshaw, Hampshire.

**SPRY, Edward James**

b 31.vii.1881 Bristol, Gloucestershire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break bowler; versatile field: Gloucestershire 1899-1909, 1921, p until 1909, a in 1921: cr 82 matches: 1,314 runs, av 11.26; 134 wkt, av 28.48; 41 ct: hs 76 v Nottinghamshire, Nottingham, 1903: bb 8-52 v Warwickshire, Bristol, 1903: played hockey for Gloucestershire: d 18.xi.1958 Bristol, Gloucestershire.

**SPURWAY, Michael Vyvyan ('Slogger')**

b 24.i.1909 Heathfield, Somerset: ed St Edward's S, Oxford; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Somerset 1929, a: cr 3 matches; 22 runs, av 7.33; did not bowl; 4 ct, 1 st: son of E.P. (Somerset 1898), younger brother of F.E. (1920-1924, 1929): a career civil servant stationed for many years outside UK, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: later, managing director Lake and Elliott (engineering), director other companies: appointed OBE 1946 for military services: 'an excellent shot, he once bagged 250 pheasants at one stand with one gun': d 7.vii.2007 Corfe, Somerset.

**SQUIRES, Peter John**

b 4.viii.1951 Ripon, Yorkshire: ed Ripon GS; St John's C, York: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm leg-break bowler; outfield: Yorkshire 1972-1976: cr 46 matches; 1,175 runs, av 16.31; none for 32; 13 ct: hs 70 v Nottinghamshire, Bradford, 1976: played rugby union for England under-23 team, England and Lions.

**STANLEY, Henry Thomas**

b 20.viii.1873 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Somerset 1894-1899, a: cr 43 matches; 1,254 runs, av 15.87; 6 wkt, av 32.66; 14 ct: hs 127 v Gloucestershire, Gloucester, 1899: 'a batsman of the safe and steady school': d 16.ix.1900 Hekpoort, Transvaal, from wounds received in action.

**STANYFORTH, Ronald Thomas**

b 30.v.1892 Chelsea, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Yorkshire 1928, a: cr 3 matches; 26 runs, av 8.66; did not bowl; 2 ct: played four Tests for England, all as captain, before appearing in chsp cricket: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent; later, household comptroller to Duke of Gloucester and appointed MVO 1930, CVO 1937 for his services there: awarded MC 1919: played 61 first-class matches in all, so 'a more significant cricketer than is commonly supposed': d 20.ii.1964 Kirk Hammerton, Yorkshire.

**STANNING, John jun**

b 24.vi.1919 Nairobi, Kenya: UK resident from 1923: ed Winchester C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Worcestershire 1939, 1946, a: cr 9 matches; 127 runs, av 12.70; did not bowl; 2 ct: hs 56\* v Northamptonshire, Rushden, 1939: son of John sen (Lancashire 1900, 1902): later, director Sketchley (dry cleaning) and other companies: d 29.v.2007 Ledbury, Herefordshire.

STANSFIELD SMITH, C., see SMITH, C.S., below.

**STANTON, John Latham**

b 8.iii.1901 Bristol, Gloucestershire: ed Marlborough C: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Gloucestershire 1921, 1922, a: cr 4 matches; 80 runs, av 11.42; did not bowl; 0 ct: no fifties: later, director United Africa Co (plantations, merchanting): appointed MBE 1946 for military services: d 27.vi.1973 Heyshott, Sussex.

**STAUNTON, Harvey**

b 21.xi.1870 Staunton in the Vale, Nottinghamshire: ed Bromsgrove S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Nottinghamshire 1903-1905, a: cr 14 matches; 344 runs, av 17.20; none for 11; 6 ct: hs 78 v Middlesex, Nottingham, 1904: an Anglican clergyman who became an Army chaplain, his appearances in chsp cricket were limited: d 14.i.1918 Arzizieh, Mesopotamia, 'from natural causes' while on military service.

**STEEL, Allan Gibson** ('Nab')

b 24.ix.1858 Liverpool, Lancashire: ed Marlborough C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm slow-medium bowler; point field: Lancashire 1891, 1893, a: cr 3 matches; 57 runs, av 10.40; 4 wkt, av 21.50; 0 ct: no fifties: no four-wicket returns: played 13 Tests for England: older brother of E.E. (Lancashire 1901-1903); father of A.I. (see below): president MCC 1902-1903: 'his reputation rests on his leg-spin – then almost a forgotten phenomenon – which could reduce the best batsmen to harassed impotence': d 15.vi.1914 Paddington, Middlesex. (*First forename registered at birth as Alan.*)

**STEEL, Allan Ivo**

b 27.ix.1892 Liverpool, Lancashire: ed Eton C: right-hand lower-order batsman: Middlesex 1912, a: cr 2 matches, 30 runs, av 15.00; did not bowl; 1 ct: son of A.G. (see above): emigrated to India 1912, returning to UK 1915: 'he would no doubt have developed considerably (as a batsman) if he had gone to Cambridge instead of taking up a business appointment in Calcutta': d 8.x.1917 Langemark (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, killed in action and having no known grave.

**STEELE, John William Jackson**

b 30.vii.1905 Wistaston, Cheshire: ed Ellesmere C; St Aidan's C, Birkenhead: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-hand medium-pace bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1938, 1939, a: cr 16 matches; 382 runs, av 16.60; 57 wkt, av 25.59; 8 ct: no fifties: bb 6-62 v Warwickshire, Portsmouth, 1939: an Army chaplain, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: appointed OBE 1943, CBE 1945 for his work with the Army chaplaincy: 'a Church of England bowler, straight up and down and no funny business': d 29.iii.1990 Powderham, Devon.

**STEPHENS, Frank Garfield**

b 26.iv.1889 Edgbaston, Birmingham: ed Rossall S, Fleetwood: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm leg-break bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1907-1912, a: cr 30 matches; 1,054 runs, av 27.02; 3 wkt, av 64.66; 17 ct: hs 144\* v Lancashire, Birmingham, 1912: twin brother of G.W. (Warwickshire 1907-1921, 1923-1925): played rugby union for Moseley: later, managing director Elliman, Sons and Co (patent medicine mfg), director other companies: d 9.viii.1970 Moseley, Birmingham.

**STEPHENSON, John Stewart**

b 10.xi.1903 Brough, Yorkshire: ed Shrewsbury S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; mid-off field: Yorkshire 1923, 1924, 1926, a: cr 14 matches; 162 runs, av 11.57; none for 23; 6 ct: hs 60 v Hampshire, Harrogate, 1926: later, director James Kenyon and Son (textile mfg): 'all games came naturally to him': d 7.x.1975 Horsham, Sussex.

**STEPHENSON, John William Arthur**

b 1.vii.1907 Hong Kong: UK resident from 1910: ed Clayesmore S, Iwerne Minster; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; versatile field: Essex 1934-1939, a, capt 1939; Worcestershire 1947, a: cr 56 matches; 1,007 runs, av 14.08; 146 wkt, av 26.04: 28 ct: hs 65 v Kent, Southend-on-Sea, 1936: bb 6-41 v Derbyshire, Chesterfield, 1939: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: awarded DSO 1943: 'evidently and unashamedly thought cricket fit to employ all the heart and soul and the senses for ever in joy': d 20.v.1982 Pulborough, Sussex.

**STEVENSON, Michael Hamilton**

b 13.vi.1927 Chinley, Derbyshire: ed Rydal S, Colwyn Bay; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Derbyshire 1950, 1952, a: cr 3 matches; 23 runs, av 5.75; did not bowl; 0 ct: later, cricket and rugby union writer for *Daily Telegraph* and other newspapers: d 19.ix.1994 Colwyn Bay, Denbighshire.

**STEWART, Hon Haldane Campbell** ('H.C.S.')

b 28.ii.1868 Notting Hill, Middlesex: ed Magdalen College S, Oxford; Oxford U: right-hand opening, later middle-order batsman; occ bowler; versatile field: Kent 1892-1902, a: cr 67 matches; 2,340 runs, av 20.89; two for 87; 39 ct: hs 114 v Sussex, Hove, 1897: later, a noted organist and composer of religious and chamber music: 'classics, music, athletics and games of every kind, all came alike to him': d 16.vi.1942 Oxford. (*Styled Honourable from 1882 as a son of the sixth Baron Appin.*)

**STOCKS, Francis Wilfrid**

b 10.xii.1873 Market Harborough, Leicestershire: ed Denstone C; Oxford U: left-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Leicestershire 1895, 1897-1900, 1903, a: cr 36 matches; 583 runs, av 11.89; 105 wkt, av 28.46; 40 ct: hs 58 v Surrey, Kennington, 1898: bb 8-56 v Worcestershire, Leicester, 1899: played hockey for Oxfordshire: d 21.v.1929 Framlingham, Suffolk.

**STODDART, Wilfred Bowring**

b 27.iv.1871 Liverpool, Lancashire: ed Royal Institution S, Liverpool: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break bowler; outfield: Lancashire 1898, 1899, a: cr 15 matches; 294 runs, av 14.00; 37 wkt, av 24.29; 5 ct: no fifties: bb 6-121 v Kent, Canterbury, 1898: played rugby union for Liverpool, Barbarians and England: d 8.i.1935 Liverpool, Lancashire.

**STORER, Harry sen**

b 24.vii.1870 Butterley, Derbyshire: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Derbyshire 1895, p; cr 6 matches; 92 runs, av 10.22; none for 13; 3 ct: no fifties: younger brother of W. (Derbyshire 1895-1905), father of H. jun (Derbyshire 1920-1936): played football for Liverpool and Football League XI: d 25.iv.1908 Holloway, Derbyshire, of tuberculosis.

STRAUBENZEE, H.H. van, see van STRAUBENZEE, H.H., below.

**STREET, Frank**

b 31.v.1870 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Westminster S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Essex 1898, 1899, a: cr 9 matches; 246 runs, av 22.36; none for 14; 4 ct: hs 76 v Leicestershire, Leyton, 1898: played football for Corinthians: d 7.vi.1916 Ovillers-la-Boiselle (Somme), France, killed in action and having no known grave.

**STREET, Norman Kingsley**

b 13.viii.1881 Edgbaston, Birmingham: ed Bromsgrove S; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; outfield: Warwickshire 1908, a: cr 5 matches; 43 runs, av 4.77; did not bowl; 3 ct: a career soldier stationed for many years outside UK, his appearances in English cricket were intermittent: d 10.viii.1915 Suvla Bay (Çannakale), Turkey, killed in action and having no known grave.

**STUDD, Herbert William**

b 26.xii.1870 Tidworth, Wiltshire: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm fast bowler; mid-off or cover field: Hampshire 1898, a: cr 4 matches; 217 runs, av 31.00; none for 26; 3 ct: hs 60 v Sussex, Portsmouth, 1898: older brother of R.A. (Hampshire 1895): a career soldier, he was head of British section Supreme War Council 1917-1919: awarded DSO 1900; appointed CMG 1917, CB 1918 for military services: d 8.vii.1947 Paddington, Middlesex. (*He was fifth of six brothers who played first-class cricket, of whom only two appeared in chsp matches.*)

**STURT, Montague Alfred Sliney**

b 11.xi.1876 Sunderland, Co Durham: ed Taunton S: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Somerset 1896, 1905, 1910, a: cr 8 matches; 159 runs, av 13.25; one for 15; 1 ct: no fifties: awarded DSO 1918: d 16.i.1961 Dover, Kent.

**SUGG, Walter**

b 21.v.1860 Ilkeston, Derbyshire: ed Sheffield Free GS: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; cover field: Derbyshire 1895-1902, p to 1900, then a: cr 91 matches; 2,727 runs, av 19.20; 21 wkt, av 45.09; 48 ct: hs 107 v Worcestershire, Derby, 1899: no four-wicket returns: older brother of F.H. (Lancashire 1890-1899): with brother F.H., jt managing director Frank Sugg Ltd, sports outfitters: d 21.v.1933 Sheffield, Yorkshire.

**SUTCLIFFE, James Frederick**

b 14.xii.1876 Chatham, Kent: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Hampshire 1911, a: cr 1 match; 24 runs, av 12.00; did not bowl; 0 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: d 14.vii.1915 Krithia (Çannakale), Turkey, killed in action.

**SUTTON, Leonard Cecil Leicester**

b 14.iv.1890 Kingston, Jamaica: UK resident from 1904: ed King's S, Bruton: left-hand lower-order batsman; occ left-arm fast bowler; outfield: Somerset 1909, 1910, 1912, a: cr 15 matches; 150 runs, av 7.14; none for 6; 9 ct: no fifties: emigrated to Canada 1912: d 3.vi.1916 Zillebeke (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, when a prisoner-of-war, from wounds received in action and having no known grave.

**SWALLOW, Raymond**

b 15.vi.1935 Southwark, Surrey: right-hand opening batsman; occ bowler; cover field: Derbyshire 1960-1963, p: cr 33 matches; 1,091 runs, av 18.18; none for 8; 11 ct: hs 68 v Hampshire, Southampton, 1960: played football for Arsenal and Derby County.

**SWEET-ESCOTT, Edward Rhys**

b 27.vii.1879 Brompton Ralph, Somerset: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Glamorgan 1921, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 0, 13; did not bowl; 0 ct: played hockey for Glamorgan and Wales: d 1.vii.1956 Penarth, Glamorgan. (*Birth registered under the surname Escott, but was baptised six weeks later as Sweet-Escott.*)

**SYMINGTON, Stuart Johnston**

b 16.ix.1926 Bexhill, Sussex: ed Canford S: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; close field: Leicestershire 1948, 1949, a, capt 1949: cr 20 matches; 697 runs, av 23.33; 29 wkt, av 42.48; 12 ct: hs 65 v Essex, Leicester, 1949: bb 5-45 v Derbyshire, Ashby-de-la-Zouch, 1949: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were limited: later, director R. and W.H.Symington (corset mfg): declared bankrupt 1981: his 1949 season exemplified 'the pitfalls of appointing an inexperienced man [aged 22] as captain': d 11.xii.2009 Hereford.

**SYMONDS, Andrew ('Roy')**

b 9.vi.1975 Birmingham, Warwickshire: emigrated to Australia 1975: ed All Saints S, Merrimac (Queensland), but regarded as English until after the 1995 season 'when he decided that his allegiances lay with Australia': right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace or off-break bowler; versatile field: Gloucestershire 1995, 1996; Kent 1999, 2001-2004; Lancashire 2005: cr 89 matches; 6,333 runs, av 45.89; 93 wkt, av 37.75; 75 ct: hs 254\* v

Glamorgan, Abergavenny, 1995, when he hit 16 sixes, the most in a chsp innings, equalled by G.R.Napier in 2011: bb 6-105 v Sussex, Tunbridge Wells, 2002: CWC young cricketer 1995: played 26 Tests for Australia: 'a long list of cricketing achievements matched by an equally long list of scandals and ill-behaviour'.

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**TAIT, John Robert** ('Jock')

b 20.xi.1886 Lerwick (Shetland), Scotland: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ right-arm off-break bowler: Glamorgan 1921-1926, a: cr 41 matches; 1,410 runs, av 18.31; one for 87; 19 ct: hs 96 v Sussex, Cardiff, 1921, on chsp debut: played football for Ireland and Wales amateur teams (though unqualified for the former), rugby union for Swansea: d 13.iv.1945 Bristol, Gloucestershire.

**TANDY, Ernest Napper**

b 13.v.1879 Axbridge, Somerset: ed Wellington C, Crowthorne; Royal Military A, Woolwich: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1904, 1905, a: cr 2 matches; 25 runs, av 8.33; did not bowl; 0 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: awarded DSO 1917; appointed CMG 1918 for military services: later, chairman Abdulla and Co (cigarette mfg) and British Tobacco Trade Association: d 6.v.1953 St Pancras, Middlesex.

**TATTERSALL, Geoffry**

b 21.iv.1882 Ripon, Yorkshire: ed University C, Nottingham: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Yorkshire 1905, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 26, 0; did not bowl; 0 ct: played rugby union in England trial: d 29.vi.1972 Harrogate, Yorkshire.

**TAYLER, Frederick Ernest**

b 18.vii.1889 Cold Aston, Gloucestershire: ed Wellingborough S: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1910, a; Gloucestershire 1911, a: cr 8 matches; 165 runs, av 10.31; none for 12; 0 ct: no fifties: later, chairman Chartered Auctioneers' and Estate Agents Institute: d 30 iv.1954 Cold Aston, Gloucestershire.

**TAYLER, Herbert William** ('Bert')

b 6.xii.1887 Aldsworth, Gloucestershire: ed Wellingborough S: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Gloucestershire 1914; Glamorgan 1921, 1923, 1924, 1926, 1927, a: cr 12 matches; 344 runs, av 18.10; did not bowl; 3 ct: no fifties: awarded DCM 1918: d 17.iv.1984 Dawlish, Devon.

**TAYLOR, James Alexander Simson** ('Jack')

b 19.vi.1917 Weston-super-Mare, Somerset: ed Oakham S; Cambridge U; Carnegie C, Leeds: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; close field: Leicestershire 1937, a: cr 3 matches; 49 runs, av 12.25; one for 52; 5 ct: played rugby union for Leicester; later, rugby union international referee: d 16.v.1993 Edinburgh (Midlothian), Scotland.

**TAYLOR, Philip Henry**

b 18.ix.1917 Bristol, Gloucestershire: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Gloucestershire 1938, p: cr 1 match; two innings, 2, 12; did not bowl; 0 ct: played football for Liverpool and England, later managing Liverpool: d 1.xii.2012 Cambridgeshire.

**TAYLOR, Stanley Shelbourne**

b 2.iii.1875 Highbury, Middlesex: ed Aldenham S; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; versatile field: Middlesex 1901, a: cr 2 matches; 24 runs, av 8.00; did not bowl; 3 ct: emigrated to South Africa 1902, returning to UK 1919: played football for Corinthians: later, director Anglo-American Corporation, De Beers and other companies: awarded DSO 1917; appointed CMG 1918 for military services: d 22.vii.1965 Oakley, Hampshire.

**TAYLOR, Tom Launcelot**

b 25.v.1878 Leeds, Yorkshire: ed Uppingham S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; versatile field, incl occ wicketkeeper: Yorkshire 1899-1902, 1906, a: cr 69 matches; 3,243 runs, av 36.03; did not bowl; 37 ct, 2 st: hs 156 v Hampshire, Harrogate, 1901: *Wisden* cricketer 1901: played hockey for Yorkshire and England: later, director English Steel Corporation, Metropolitan Carriage and Wagon (engineering) and other companies: once told by the crowd at Sheffield, when he misfielded a ball that went for four, 'tha ugly little black devil, tha'll hev to do better than that': d 16.iii.1960 Leeds, Yorkshire.

**TAYLOR, William Herbert**

b 23.vi.1885 Sale, Cheshire: Manchester U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Worcestershire 1909-1914, 1920-1922, a, capt 1914, 1922: cr 94 matches; 1,498 runs, av 11.26; 125 wkt, av 39.06; 31 ct: hs 59\* v Essex, Worcester, 1914: bb 7-64 v Glamorgan, Kidderminster, 1921: 'on one occasion [in 1922] he had to be introduced to seven of his team by the senior professional': d 27.v.1959 Birlingham, Worcestershire.

**TAYLOR, William Thomas**

b 14.iv.1885 Wirksworth, Derbyshire: ed Wirksworth GS; Leeds U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Derbyshire 1905, 1910, a: cr 3 matches; 40 runs, av 6.66; none for 15; 1 ct: older brother of F.H. (Derbyshire 1908-1910): secretary Derbyshire CCC 1908-1959, a span of 51 yr 5 mth, longer than any other county administrative head: 'few have done so much for cricket': d 17.viii.1976 Breadsall, Derbyshire.

**TEBBITT, Gilbert George**

b 13.ix.1908 Welton, Northamptonshire: ed Wellingborough S: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm off-break bowler; outfield: Northamptonshire 1934, 1935, 1937, 1938, a: cr 11 matches; 248 runs, av 13.77; none for 29; 4 ct: no fifties: played rugby union for Northampton: d 29.xii.1993 Northampton.

**THAIN, Caryl ('Tiny')**

b 11.iv.1895 Catherington (nr Horndean), Hampshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler: Surrey 1923, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 0; none for 47; 0 ct: played



football for Chelsea: later, managing director Robertson Thain (building products mfg), director ABC (bakery): d 24.ix.1969 Lambeth, Surrey.

**THESIGER, Hon Frederic John Napier**

b 12.viii.1868 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Winchester C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman: Middlesex 1890-1892, a: cr 5 matches; 154 runs, av 15.40; did not bowl; 4 ct: hs 60\* v Surrey, Kennington, 1892: president MCC 1922-1923: succeeded his father as third Baron Chelmsford 1905; created first Viscount Chelmsford 1921: Governor of Queensland 1905-1909; Governor of New South Wales 1909-1915; Viceroy of India 1916-1921; First Lord of the Admiralty 1924 (a Cabinet post, one of only two chsp cricketers to hold such a position); warden All Souls College, Oxford from 1932: appointed KCMG 1906, GCMG 1912, GCIE 1916, GCSI 1916, Privy Counsellor 1916; GBE 1918: 'he had gained some reputation as a free-hitting batsman' according to his *Wisden* obituary: d 11.iv.1933 Ardington, Berkshire. (*Styled Honourable from 1878 as a son of the second Baron Chelmsford.*)

**THOMAS, Freeman**

b 12.ix 1866 Eastbourne, Sussex: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; mid-off or cover field: Sussex 1890, a: cr 5 matches; 136 runs, av 13.60; did not bowl; 2 ct: no fifties: Liberal MP for Hastings 1900-1906, for Bodmin 1906-1910; junior minister in the Treasury 1905-1912; Governor of Bombay 1913-1919; Governor of Madras 1919-1924; leader Indian delegation to League of Nations 1924; Governor-General of Canada 1926-1931; Viceroy of India 1931-1936; later chairman Briggs Motors, director London and Liverpool Insurance, Westminster Bank and other companies: created Baron Willingdon of Ratton 1910, Viscount Willingdon 1924, Earl of Willingdon 1931, Marquess of Willingdon 1936; appointed GCIE 1913, GBE 1917, GCSI 1918, GCMG 1926, Privy Counsellor 1931: 'as exotic a flower as any who have played for his county' ... he 'collected more gongs along the way than any other county cricketer': d 12.viii.1941 Westminster, Middlesex. (*Changed surname to Freeman-Thomas 1892, keeping Freeman as a forename.*)

**THOMAS, John Leslie Gwyn**

b 14.iii.1891 Neath, Glamorgan: ed Neath GS; Edinburgh U: right-hand middle-order batsman: Glamorgan 1922, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 21, 6; did not bowl; 0 ct: played rugby union for Neath and Llanelli: awarded MC 1916: d 10.iv.1932 Neath, Glamorgan.

**THOMSON, Alpin Erroll**

b 14.v.1893 Perth, Western Australia: UK resident from an early age: ed Royal Naval C, Osborne; Britannia Royal Naval C, Dartmouth: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1923, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 0\*; did not bowl; 0 ct: a career naval officer, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: played rugby union for United Services and Scotland: awarded DSC 1917: d 6.ii.1960 Hawridge (nr Chesham), Buckinghamshire.

**THOMPSON, John Ross**

b 10.v.1918 Berkhamsted, Hertfordshire: ed Tonbridge S; Cambridge U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ right-arm off-break bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1938-1950, 1952-1954, a: cr 38 matches; 1,574 runs, av 24.59; none for 13; 15 ct: hs 103 v Somerset,

Taunton, 1949: open singles rackets champion 1959; amateur rackets singles champion 1954, 1955, 1957, 1958, 1959; amateur rackets doubles champion, with various partners, eleven times between 1948 and 1966; runner-up amateur squash chsp 1947; played squash for England: 'he had tremendous focus, which was a bit unfashionable at the time': d 15.vi.2010 Marlborough, Wiltshire.

### **THORNTON, George**

b 24.xii.1867 Skipton, Yorkshire: ed Ermysted's GS, Skipton; Edinburgh U: left-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; outfield: Yorkshire 1891, a; Middlesex 1893, 1895-1899, a: cr 36 matches; 1,040 runs, av 21.66; 31 wkt, av 30.64; 9 ct: hs 161 v Gloucestershire, Lord's, 1896: bb 5-20 v Gloucestershire, Lord's, 1895: a doctor, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: emigrated to Transvaal 1899 where he played one Test for South Africa, later returning to UK: d 31.i.1939 Kensington, Middlesex.

### **THURSFIELD, John Hunt**

b 16.vi.1892 King's Norton, Birmingham: ed Shrewsbury S: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Worcestershire 1922, 1925, a: cr 3 matches; 70 runs, av 11.66; did not bowl; 1 ct: no fifties: awarded MC 1916: d 26.iv.1951 Shenstone, Staffordshire.

### **TILLARD, Elliot Dowell**

b 22.vii.1880 Cheltenham, Gloucestershire: ed Malvern C: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Somerset 1912, a: cr 7 matches; 189 runs, av 17.18; none for 26; 1 ct: no fifties: a career soldier stationed for many years outside UK, his appearances in chsp cricket were limited: awarded DSO 1917: d 19.ii.1967 Flexbury (nr Bude), Cornwall.

### **TINDALL, Henry Charles *Lenox*** ('Parson')

b 4.ii.1863 Margate, Kent: ed Dane House S, Margate; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Kent 1893, 1894, a: cr 2 matches; 17 runs, av 8.50; two for 46; 0 ct: older brother of S.M. (see below): AAA 440 yd champion 1888, 1889, and 880 yd champion 1889, setting new UK record (48.5 sec) in the former event 1889; played rugby union for Rosslyn Park: d 10.vi.1940 Peasmarsh, Sussex.

### **TINDALL, Mark**

b 31.iii.1914 Marylebone, Middlesex: ed Harrow S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ left-hand fast-medium bowler; cover field: Middlesex 1933, 1934, 1936, a: cr 15 matches; 439 runs, av 17.56; two for 21; 4 ct: hs 85 v Nottinghamshire, Nottingham, 1933: father of R.M. (Northamptonshire 1980, 1981): appointed MBE 1945 for military services in Italy: 'elegant, ... affecting a languid indifference in all circumstances': d 10.vii.1994 Eastbourne, Sussex.

### **TINDALL, Sidney Maguire**

b 18.ii.1867 Margate, Kent: ed Dane House S, Margate: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Lancashire 1894-1898, a: cr 36 matches; 912 runs, av 17.61; 15 ct; one for 28: hs 86 v Sussex, Hove, 1897: younger brother of H.C.L. (see above): emigrated to Australia 1911 where secretary Melbourne CC: 'at one time he was one of the best hockey players in England': d

19.ix.1922 Sydney (New South Wales), Australia, from injuries received in fall from a moving tram.

**TOLLER, Montague Henry**

b 1.i.1871 Barnstaple, Devon: ed Blundell's S, Tiverton: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1897, a: cr 5 matches; 67 runs, av 7.44; did not bowl; 1 ct: no fifties: played for the Devon and Somerset Wanderers CC team, representing Great Britain, which won the Olympic cricket tournament at Paris 1900: played rugby union for West of England and in England trial match: d 5.viii.1948 Titchfield, Hampshire.

**TOMBLIN, Charles Bryan**

b 29.vi.1891 Walgrave, Northamptonshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; versatile field: Northamptonshire 1914, p: cr 2 matches; 8 runs, av 2.00; did not bowl; 2 ct: d 1.vi.1918 Sissonne (Aisne), France, from wounds received in action.

**TOMKINSON, Francis Martin**

b 21.x.1883 Kidderminster, Worcestershire: ed Eton C: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Worcestershire 1902, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 0; did not bowl; 1 ct: younger brother of G.S. (see below): awarded DSO and bar, both 1917: later, director Tomkinsons (carpet mfg): d 24.xi.1963 Neen Savage, Shropshire.

**TOMKINSON, Geoffrey Stewart**

b 7.xi.1881 Kidderminster, Worcestershire; ed Winchester C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman: Worcestershire 1926, a: cr 1 match (at age 44); two innings, 10, 1; did not bowl, 0 ct: older brother of F.M. (see above): awarded MC 1916; appointed OBE 1919 for military services; later, managing director Tomkinsons (carpet mfg): knighted 1955 for political and public services in Kidderminster d 8.ii.1963 Kidderminster, Worcestershire.

**TOMLINSON, John Derek Williams**

b 26.ii.1926 South Normanton, Derbyshire: ed Cambridge U; St Bartholomews Hospital Medical C, London: right-hand middle-order batsman: Derbyshire 1946, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 2; did not bowl; 1 ct: emigrated to Canada c 1970: later, professor of anatomy Memorial U, Newfoundland: d 1.iv.2010 St John's (Newfoundland and Labrador), Canada.

**TOPPIN, Charles Graham**

b 17.iv.1906 Great Malvern, Worcestershire: ed Malvern C: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Worcestershire 1927, 1928, a: cr 4 matches; 17 runs, av 3.40; did not bowl; 0 ct: younger brother of J.F.T. (see below): awarded MC 1945: 'he lost the sight in one eye when hit by a cricket ball at age 14', but still played chsp cricket and undertook military service: d 20.v.1972 Leamington Spa, Warwickshire.

**TOPPIN, John Fallowfield Townsend**

b 25.ii.1900 Great Malvern, Worcestershire: ed Winchester C: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler; outfield: Worcestershire 1920, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 2, 6;

none for 5; 0 ct: older brother of C.G. (see above): played football for Corinthians: d 22.xi.1965 Ascot, Berkshire.

**TOWNSEND, Frank Norton**

b 16.ix.1875 Bristol, Gloucestershire: ed Blair Lodge A, Polmont (Stirlingshire): right-hand lower-order batsman; versatile field, incl occ wicketkeeper: Gloucestershire 1896, 1897, 1900, a: cr 11 matches; 208 runs, av 14.85; did not bowl; 13 ct, 3 st: hs 56 v Somerset, Taunton, 1897: son of Frank (Gloucestershire 1890, 1891); older brother of C.L. (Gloucestershire 1893-1907, 1909, 1912, 1919-1922) and A.F.M. (Gloucestershire 1903-1906; Essex 1910): d 25.v.1901 Kimberley, Cape Colony, killed in action.

**TOYNBEE, Geoffrey Percy Robert**

b 18.v.1885 Paddington, Middlesex: ed Winchester C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman: Hampshire 1912, a: cr 2 matches; one innings, 14; did not bowl; 1 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: d 15.xi.1914 Ploegsteert (Hainaut), Belgium, killed in action and having no known grave.

**TRAPNELL, Barry Maurice Waller**

b 18.v.1924 Hampstead, Middlesex: ed University College S, Hampstead; Cambridge U; right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Middlesex 1946, a: cr 1 match; two innings 8\*, 3\*; did not bowl; 1 ct: Rugby fives singles champion 1949, doubles champion 1949, 1953: later, chairman Independent Schools Association: appointed CBE 1981 for services to education: d 1.viii.2012 Kingston upon Thames, Surrey.

**TRASK, John Ernest**

b 27.x.1861 Brympton, Somerset: ed Somerset C, Bath; Bristol Medical C: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Somerset 1895, a: cr 6 matches; 184 runs, av 18.40; none for 9; 4 ct: no fifties: a career army surgeon stationed for many years outside UK, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: d 25.vii.1896 Kosha (Northern Province), Sudan, from cholera while serving with the British army in the Mahdist war, the first chsp cricketer to die on active service.

**TREGLOWN, Claude Jesse Helby**

b 13.ii.1893 Herne Bay, Kent: ed King Edward VI GS, Norwich; Cambridge U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; versatile field incl occ wicketkeeper: Essex 1922-1925, 1928, a: cr 31 matches; 688 runs, av 14.33; did not bowl; 10 ct: hs 72\* v Kent, Tunbridge Wells, 1923: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were limited: awarded MC 1918: d 7.v.1980 Worthing, Sussex.

**TRESTRAIL, Alfred Ernest Yates**

b 24.i.1876 Hallatrow, Somerset: ed Amersham Hall S, Reading; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman: Somerset 1905, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 4, 3; did not bowl; 0 ct: played hockey for Somerset: awarded DSO 1919: d 5.ii.1935 New Milton, Hampshire.

**TREVOR, Herbert Edward**

b 16.xii.1871 Paddington, Middlesex: ed Winchester C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman: Sussex 1908, a: cr 2 matches; 39 runs, av 13.00; did not bowl; 0 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: awarded DSO 1915; appointed CMG 1918 for military services: d 23.iii.1939 Brighton, Sussex.

**TROUP, Walter**

b 16.x.1869 Meerut (United Provinces), India: UK resident from c 1876: ed De Winton's S, Bristol: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; cover field: Gloucestershire 1894, 1898, 1899, 1902, 1911, a, capt 1899: cr 64 matches; 2,791 runs, av 29.37; did not bowl; 21 ct: hs 180 v Nottinghamshire, Bristol, 1898: father of F.C. (Gloucestershire 1914, 1921): played hockey for Gloucestershire, rugby union for Gloucester: a career soldier/police officer stationed for many years outside UK, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: 'extremely patient, sometimes avoiding any attempts at scoring': d 14.xii.1940 Isleworth, Middlesex.

**TRUMAN, Thomas Archibald**

b 29.xii.1880 Newton Abbot, Devon: ed Taunton S: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; versatile field: Gloucestershire 1910, 1911, 1913, a: cr 4 matches; 39 runs, av 6.50; one for 11; 5 ct: 'no chance to show his real form': d 13.ix.1918 Etrun (Pas-de-Calais), France, from pneumonia while on active service.

**TUDOR, Claud Lechmere St John**

b 27.xii.1888 Willingdon, Sussex: ed Eastbourne C; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman; close field; Sussex 1910, 1911, a: cr 5 matches; 103 runs, av 11.44; did not bowl; 4 ct: no fifties: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: older brother of R.G. (Sussex 1919): awarded MC 1916; appointed OBE 1919, CBE 1941 for military services: d 3.viii.1977 Holton, Oxfordshire.

**TUDWAY, Hervey Robert Charles**

b 23.ix.1888 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Eton C: lower-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1910, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 6, 6; did not bowl; 0 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were limited: 'he played frequently for the Household Guards': d 18.xi.1914 Boulogne-sur-Mer (Pas-de-Calais), France, from wounds received in action.

**TUFTON, Hon John Sackville Richard**

b 8.xi.1873 Hothfield, Kent: ed Eton C: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; outfield: Kent 1897, 1898, a: cr 6 matches; 113 runs, av 14.12; did not bowl; 3 ct: no fifties: awarded DSO 1916: succeeded his father as second Baron Hothfield 1926; later, chairman South-Eastern Railway: d 21.xii.1952 Paddington, Middlesex. (*Styled Honourable from 1881 as a son of the first Baron Hothfield.*)

**TURNER, Arthur Jervois ('Johnny')**

b 10.vi.1878 Musuri (United Provinces), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Bedford Modern S; Royal Military A, Woolwich: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm underhand medium-pace bowler; outfield, occ wicketkeeper: Essex 1897-1899, 1901, 1903-1906, 1908-

1910, a: cr 66 matches; 3,644 runs, av 36.07; 12 wkt, av 36.50; 25 ct, 2 st: hs 124 v Warwickshire, Birmingham, 1898: no four-wicket returns: older brother of W.M.F. (Essex 1899, 1900, 1906, 1914, 1919, 1923, 1926): played rugby union for Blackheath: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent; awarded DSO 1915; appointed CMG 1918, CB 1920 for military services: 'had he devoted his time to cricket rather than to the Army, he would have been a player of the highest quality': d 8.ix.1952 Graffham, Sussex.

#### **TURNER, Francis Michael**

b 8.viii.1934 Leicester: ed City of Leicester S: right-hand lower-, later middle-order batsman; occ right-arm leg-break and googly bowler; outfield: Leicestershire 1954, 1956, 1959, p: cr 8 matches; 183 runs, av 22.87; none for 102; 2 ct: no fifties: Leicestershire secretary/manager 1959-1993, 'a brilliant administrator who improved every aspect of Leicestershire – cricket, finances, facilities and reputation': appointed MBE 1994 for services to cricket in Leicestershire: d 21.vii.2015 Leicester.

#### **TURNER, James William Cecil**

b 2.x.1886 Orpington, Kent: ed King Edward's S, Birmingham; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Worcestershire 1911, 1912, 1920, 1921, a: cr 36 matches; 962 runs, av 14.57; two for 32; 11 ct: hs 106 v Northamptonshire, Northampton, 1921: awarded MC 1917: later, an academic criminal lawyer 'of world-wide distinction', author/editor variety of publications on legal subjects: d 29.xi.1968 Girton, Cambridgeshire.

#### **TURNER, Noel Vernon Cyril**

b 12.v.1887 Langley Mill, Derbyshire; ed Repton S: right-hand middle-order batsman; versatile field: Nottinghamshire 1906-1909, a: cr 17 matches; 375 runs, av 15.00; did not bowl: 10 ct: hs 73\* v Middlesex, Lord's, 1907: older brother of R.H.T. (see below): played football for Corinthians and England amateur team: d 13.vi.1941 Hungerford, Berkshire.

#### **TURNER, Robert Frewen ('Leggy')**

b 15.vii.1885 Leicester: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Leicestershire 1909-1911, p: cr 20 matches; 525 runs, av 15.90; 9 wkt, av 40.77; 7 ct: no fifties; no four-wicket returns: played football for Leicester Fosse, Everton and Preston North End: after Alf Common, 'the second £1,000 footballer': d 15.ii.1959 Darlington, Co Durham.

#### **TURNER, Robert Harrison Tom**

b 26.x.1888 Langley Mill, Derbyshire; ed Repton S: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Derbyshire 1908, 1922, 1923, 1926, a: cr 18 matches; 483 runs, av 17.88; did not bowl; 3 ct: hs 84 v Glamorgan, Nottingham, 1926: younger brother of N.V.C. (see above): awarded MC 1918: d 13.ix.1947 Shipley, Derbyshire.

#### **TURNER, Ronald**

b 19.vi.1885 Gillingham, Kent: ed Hurstpierpoint C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; outfield: Gloucestershire 1906, a: cr 2 matches; 6 runs, av 1.50; did not bowl; 0 ct: played football for Corinthians: d 15.viii.1915 Suvla Bay (Çannakale), Turkey, killed in action and having no known grave.

**TWINING, Richard Haynes**

b 3.xi.1889 St Pancras, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; versatile field incl occ wicketkeeper: Middlesex 1910, 1911, 1914, 1919, 1921-1924, 1927, 1928, a, playing a few matches each season: 28 matches; 1,031 runs, av 23.97; did not bowl; 6 ct: hs 135 v Surrey, Lord's, 1921: president MCC 1964-1965: deputy-chairman London Stock Exchange: appointed CBE 1959 for services to the Exchange: d 3.i.1979 Kensington, Middlesex.

**TYLDESLEY, William Knowles**

b 12.viii.1887 Aspull, Lancashire: left-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ left-arm medium-fast bowler; versatile field, incl occ wicketkeeper: Lancashire 1908-1914, p: cr 82 matches; 2,894 runs, av 23.72; 6 wkt, av 63.83; 49 ct: hs 152 v Derbyshire, Derby, 1911; no four-wicket returns: older brother of J.D. (Lancashire 1910, 1911, 1913, 1919-1922); H. (Lancashire 1914, 1921, 1922) and R.K. (Lancashire 1919-1931): d 26.iv.1918 Kemmel (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, killed in action.

**TYLER, Cyril**

b 26.i.1911 Ossett, Yorkshire: ed Ossett GS; Leeds U; Royal Agricultural C, Cirencester: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace leg- or off-break bowler; outfield: Gloucestershire 1937, 1938, a: cr 14 matches; 89 runs, av 5.93; 30 wkt, av 34.76; 5 ct: bb 5-116 v Middlesex, Lord's, 1937: author textbooks on agricultural chemistry; vice-chancellor Reading U 1968-1976: 'he attributed his successes on the field to the fact that he was a better soil scientist than other bowlers': d 25.i.1996 Reading, Berkshire.

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**ULYETT, George** ('Happy Jack')

b 21.x.1851 Sheffield, Yorkshire: right-hand opening batsman; right-arm fast bowler; versatile field: Yorkshire 1890-1893, p, deputy-capt 1893: cr 61 matches; 2,049 runs, av 20.69; 16 wkt, av 43.68; 40 ct: hs 118 v Somerset, Taunton, 1891: bb 5-72 v Sussex, Bradford, 1890: played 25 Tests for England; chsp umpire 1894, 1895, 16 matches: 'Yorkshire play me only for my good behaviour and my whistling': d 18.vi.1898 Sheffield, Yorkshire, from pneumonia contracted while watching chsp match Yorkshire v Kent, Sheffield, 1898.

**UNWIN, Ernest James**

b 18.ix.1912 Birdbrook, Essex: ed Haileybury C, Hertford Heath; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Essex 1932, 1934, 1935, 1939, a: cr 7 matches; 152 runs, av 10.85; none for 103; 2 ct: no fifties: younger brother of F.S. (see below): a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: played rugby union for Rosslyn Park, England and Lions: d 23.xi.2003 Perth, Scotland.

**UNWIN, Frederick St George**

b 23.iv.1911 Birdbrook, Essex: ed Haileybury C, Hertford Heath; Wye C: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field: Essex 1932-1935,

1937, 1939-1950, a, capt 1939: cr 45 matches; 1,003 runs, av 14.97; none for 15; 29 ct: hs 60 v Kent, Colchester, 1946: older brother of E.J. (see above): played rugby union for Rosslyn Park: later, director Unwins (seed merchant): d 4.x.1990 Braintree, Essex.

**UTLEY, Richard Peter Hugh**

b 11.ii.1906 Havant, Hampshire: ed St John's C, Portsmouth; Ampleforth C; Royal Air Force C, Cranwell: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Hampshire 1927, 1928, a: cr 26 matches; 164 runs, av 6.83; 79 wkt, av 25.49; 8 ct: bb 6-43 v Warwickshire, Bournemouth, 1928: later, a Benedictine monk: appointed OBE 1951 for services to the Combined Cadet Force: d 28.viii.1968 Ampleforth, Yorkshire.

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**VALIANT, James**

b 17.vii.1884 Liverpool, Lancashire: right-hand lower-order batsman; unknown-style bowler; outfield: Essex 1912, p: cr 1 match; two innings, 0\*, 3; none for 20; 0 ct: d 28.x.1917 Gaza, Palestine, from wounds received in action.

**VANN, Denis William Arthur**

b 21.xi.1916 Northampton: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm slow bowler; outfield: Northamptonshire 1936, 1937, a: cr 3 matches; 28 runs, av 7.00; two for 77; 1 ct: played rugby union for Northampton: d 20.i.1961 Kettering, Northamptonshire.

**van STRAUBENZEE, Henry Hamilton**

b 7.iii.1914 Parktown (Transvaal), South Africa: UK resident from 1921: ed Winchester C; Royal Military A, Sandhurst: right-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler: Essex 1938, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 4\*; none for 12; 0 ct: later, managing director W.H. Smith and Son (bookseller): awarded DSO 1945; appointed OBE 1949 for military services: d 12.iv.2002 Alton, Hampshire.

**VASSALL, Gilbert Claude** ('Cheese')

b 5.iv.1876 Hardington Mandeville, Somerset: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Somerset 1902, 1903, 1905, a: cr 5 matches; 46 runs, av 5.75; one for 72; 3 ct: leading long-jumper 1890s, his best performance being 7.09m (23ft 3in); played football for Corinthians and selected for England but withdrew through injury: 'the right sense of proportion as to the place of athletics in education': d 19.ix.1941 Oxford.

**VAUGHAN-THOMAS, Hugh Wyndham**

b 13.v.1910 Swansea, Glamorgan; ed Bishop Gore GS, Swansea; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Glamorgan 1933, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 3; did not bowl; 0 ct: played hockey for Scotland: d 20.x.1986 Framfield, Sussex.



**VENN, Horace** ('Harry')

b 4.vii.1892 Coventry, Warwickshire: ed Coventry Commercial S: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium pace bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1919-1922, 1925, p: cr 29 matches; 796 runs, av 15.30; none for 17; 13 ct; hs 115 v Kent, Catford, 1920: played rugby union for Coventry: d 23.xi.1953 Coventry, Warwickshire.

**VERNON, George Frederick**

b 20.vi.1856 Marylebone, Middlesex: ed Rugby S: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Middlesex 1890-1892, 1895, a: cr 17 matches; 375 runs, av 15.00; did not bowl; 4 ct: hs 62 v Gloucestershire, Lord's, 1895: played one Test for England: played rugby union for Blackheath and England: 'his quickness of eye made up ... for his defect in never playing with a straight bat': d 10.viii.1902 Elmina, Gold Coast, from malaria.

**VICKERY, Anthony**

b 26.viii.1925 Taunton, Somerset: ed Huish's GS, Taunton; Bristol U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1947, 1948, a: cr 5 matches; 80 runs, av 8.88; did not bowl; 2 ct; no fifties: later, director Joseph Crosfield Ltd (soap mfg): d 27.v.2013 England. (*Some sources report his forename as Alan.*)

**VIDLER, John Lionel Symonds**

b 30.iii.1890 Rye, Sussex: ed Repton S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Sussex 1910, 1911, 1919, a: cr 5 matches; 157 runs, av 15.70; 3 wkt, av 61.66; 2 ct: no fifties: resident in Ceylon most years 1913-1932: appointed OBE 1956 for work with the Prison Service: 'one of the greats among prison governors': d 15.x.1967 Playden, Sussex.

**von ERNSTHAUSEN, Adolph Christian Ernest**

b 17.x.1880 Hampstead, Middlesex: ed Uppingham S; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler: Surrey 1900, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 8, 3; none for 49; 2 ct: well-known racehorse owner: later, director Ernsthausen Bros (jute mfg): d 29.v.1928 Thames Ditton, Surrey. (*Changed surname to Howeson 1916.*)

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**WALDOCK, Frederic Alexander**

b 16.ii.1898 Colombo, Ceylon: UK resident from c 1911: ed Uppingham S; Oxford U: left-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1920, 1924, a: cr 16 matches; 584 runs, av 21.62; did not bowl; 7 ct: hs 78 v Worcestershire, Worcester, 1920: played rugby union for Blackheath, hockey and lawn tennis for Ceylon: a tea and coffee broker, emigrated to Kenya 1920, later moving back to Ceylon, then returning to UK 1955: d 4.vii.1959 Taunton, Somerset.

**WALFORD, Michael Moore**

b 27.xi.1915 Stockton-on-Tees, Co Durham: ed Rugby S; Oxford U: right-hand opening batsman occ left-arm slow bowler; cover field: Somerset 1946-1950, 1952, 1953, a: cr 49 matches; 3,242 runs, av 41.03; one for 71; 29 ct: hs 264 v Hampshire, Weston-super-Mare, 1947: played hockey

for Dorset, England and Great Britain, incl winning silver medal in 1948 Olympics; rugby union for Harlequins, Barbarians and in England trials: 'he would arrive in August ... to play with stylish orthodoxy and grace that brought murmurs of jealousy from established heroes': d 16.i.2002 Sherborne, Dorset.

### **WALKER, Alan Keith**

b 4.x.1925 Manly (New South Wales), Australia: ed Sydney GS: UK resident 1953-1958: right-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm fast bowler; versatile field: Nottinghamshire 1956-1958, p, career curtailed by injury: cr 45 matches; 1,032 runs, av 18.76; 82 wkt, av 32.21; 23 ct: hs 73 v Glamorgan, Nottingham, 1957: bb 7-56 v Middlesex, Lord's, 1957: in match v Leicestershire, Leicester, took four wickets in successive balls, one of sixteen such instances in the chsp, 'dismissing the last man in the first innings and starting the second with a hat-trick': played rugby union for New South Wales and Australia, rugby league for Leigh (England): d 19.vi.2005 Balgowlah (New South Wales), Australia.

### **WALKER, Donald Frederick** ('Hooky')

b 15.viii.1912 Wandsworth, Surrey: ed King's College S, Wimbledon: left-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; versatile field, incl occ wicketkeeper: Hampshire 1937-1939, p: cr 70 matches; 2,889 runs, av 26.50; none for 22; 72 ct, 1 st: hs 147 v Nottinghamshire, Nottingham, 1939: d 18.vi.1941 nr Best (Noord-Brabant), Netherlands, killed in action when his plane was shot down.

### **WALKER, Frederick Cecil Banes**

b 19.vi.1888 North Petherton, Somerset: ed Tonbridge S: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; outfield: Somerset 1914, a: cr 5 matches; 172 runs, av 19.11; did not bowl; 3 ct: no fifties: played hockey for Gloucestershire: later, managing director Starkey, Knight (brewing): d 9.v.1915 Aubers (Nord), France, killed in action.

### **WALKER, George Arthur**

b 25.i.1919 West Bridgford, Nottinghamshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Nottinghamshire 1937, p: cr 2 matches; 24 runs, av 24.00; one for 176; 0 ct: played football for West Ham United: emigrated to Australia 1976: d 31.viii.1995 Bridlington, Yorkshire, while on return visit.

### **WALKER, James George**

b 9.x.1859 Tradeston, Glasgow, Scotland: ed Loretto S, Edinburgh; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; point field: Middlesex 1890, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 5, 0; did not bowl; 0 ct: played rugby union for West of Scotland club and Scotland: d 24.iii.1923 Nether Auchendrane (Ayrshire), Scotland.

### **WALLACE, Charles William**

b 24.xi.1884 Barrackpur (Bengal), India: UK resident from c 1890: ed Winchester C: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Worcestershire 1921, 1922, a: cr 4 matches; 66 runs, av 11.00; did not bowl; 1 ct: no fifties: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: awarded DSO 1919: d 5.ix.1946 Awbridge, Hampshire.

**WALLER, George**

b 3.x.1864 Sheffield, Yorkshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Yorkshire 1893, p: cr 1 match; one innings, 1; two for 10; 0 ct: played for The Wednesday in 1890 FA Cup final, and later for Sheffield United: one of the leading football coaches of his time: d 11.xii.1937 Ecclesfield, Yorkshire.

**WARD, Humphrey Plowden**

b 10.i.1899 Amotherby, Yorkshire: ed Shrewsbury S; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman: Yorkshire 1920, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 10\*; did not bowl; 1 ct: played football for Great Britain Olympic team 1920: a civil servant stationed for many years in India, he played 36 first-class matches there 1922-1946: d 16.xii.1946 Thornton-le-Dale, Yorkshire.

**WARD, Launcelot Edward Seth**

b 7.vii.1875 Apsley, Hertfordshire: ed Felsted S: left-hand middle-order batsman: Somerset 1913, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 0, 3; did not bowl; 0 ct: a career soldier stationed for many years outside UK, incl command of British forces in East Africa, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: awarded DSO 1916 and bar 1918; appointed CMG 1919 for military services: d 27.viii.1929 Lambeth, Surrey.

**WARD, Leslie Maynard**

b 2.v.1908 Coventry, Warwickshire: ed Bablake S, Coventry: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace or off-break bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1930, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 5; one for 29; 0 ct: played rugby union for Coventry: 'spent much of his life in Australia': d 13.i.1981 Bideford, Devon.

**WATERMAN, Alfred George ('Tiny')**

b 13.v.1911 Walthamstow, Essex: ed Bancroft's S, Woodford Green: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Essex 1937, 1938, a: cr 10 matches; 380 runs, av 27.14; 11 wkt, av 31.63; 7 ct: hs 103 v Somerset, Bath, 1938: bb 4-79 v Yorkshire, Ilford, 1937: later, chairman Jewson and Sons (builders' merchant), director other companies: 'played a major part in the rise of Essex cricket' in the 1970s: d 27.iii.1996 Sudbury, Suffolk.

**WATKIN, Dennis**

b 28.vi.1912 Stapleford, Nottinghamshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break bowler; outfield: Nottinghamshire 1937, 1938, p: cr 7 matches; 33 runs, av 5.50; 12 wkt, av 47.25; 3 ct: bb 6-48 v Leicestershire, Leicester, 1937: played football for Aston Villa: d 23.iii.1983 Nottingham.

**WATKINS, William Martin**

b 18.i.1923 Swansea, Glamorgan: ed Dynevor GS, Swansea: right-hand opening batsman; outfield: Glamorgan 1950, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 3; did not bowl, 0 ct: played rugby union for Swansea: awarded DFC 1944: d 15.iii.2005 Killay, Glamorgan.

**WATSON, Arthur Campbell** ('Jacko')

b 17.iii.1884 Newdigate, Surrey: ed Uppingham S: right-hand middle-or lower-order batsman; occ right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Essex 1913, 1914, a; Sussex 1922-1926, 1928, a: cr 95 matches; 2,467 runs, av 16.89; none for 108, 35 ct: hs 111 v Northamptonshire, Hove, 1922: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent; awarded DSO 1918: batting which said 'the games's going to the dogs; hit' em sir, that's what I say': d 16.i.1952 Shermanbury, Sussex.

WATSON SMITH, H, see Smith, H.W., above

**WATTS, Lawrence Dursley**

b 2.v.1935 Bristol, Gloucestershire: ed Bristol GS; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Gloucestershire 1958, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 0, 46; did not bowl; 0 ct: played rugby union for Bristol: d 26.viii.1997 Crickhowell, Breconshire.

**WEAVER, Samuel**

b 8.xi.1909 Pilsley, Derbyshire: left-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Somerset 1939, p: cr 2 matches; 25 runs, av 12.50; none for 63, 2 ct: played football for Newcastle United, Chelsea and England, best-known as an early exponent of the 'long throw-in': d 15.iv.1985 Nottingham.

**WEBB, Arthur Geoffrey Gascoyne**

b 17.vii.1896 Newington (nr Sittingbourne), Kent: ed Wellington C, Crowthorne; Cambridge U: left-hand middle-or lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Leicestershire 1935, 1938, a, when Leicestershire club secretary: cr 2 matches; 17 runs, av 4.25; did not bowl; 1 ct: appointed OBE 1953 for services to naval charities: d 6.v.1981 Oakham, Rutland.

**WEBSTER, Rudi Valentine**

b 10.vi.1939 St Philip, Barbados: ed Harrison C, Bridgetown; Edinburgh U; McGill U, Montreal (Canada): UK resident 1959-1966, while a medical student and junior doctor: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1963-1966, a: cr 51 matches; 534 runs, av 12.13; 195 wkt, av 19.19; 14 ct: bb 7-6 v Yorkshire, Birmingham, 1964, the best seven-wicket return in the chsp, one of four players with these figures: moved to New Zealand 1966 and then to Australia: later, Barbados ambassador to United States, also well-known sports psychologist.

**WEBSTER, William Hugh** ('Tadge')

b 22.ii.1910 Hackney, Middlesex: ed Highgate S; Cambridge U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ left-arm medium-pace bowler; cover or outfield: Middlesex 1930, 1932, 1934-1938, 1947, a: cr 42 matches; 1,141 runs, av 20.72; 3 wkt, av 13.00; 12 ct: hs 111 v Gloucestershire, Bristol, 1936: president MCC 1976-1977: played football for Corinthians and England amateur team: appointed CBE 1978 for services to sport: d 19.vii.1986 Marylebone, Middlesex.

**WELFORD, James William**

b 27.iii.1869 Barnard Castle, Co Durham: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1896, p: cr 11 matches; 392 runs, av 23.05; one for 167; 1 ct: hs 118 v Leicestershire, Leicester, 1896: played football for Aston Villa, Celtic and Distillery: as a footballer, 'a tendency to quarrel with opponents, referees and even team-mates': d 17.i.1945 Paisley (Renfrewshire), Scotland.

**WELLINGS, Evelyn Maitland** ('Lyn')

b 6.iv.1909 El Iskanderiya, Egypt: UK resident from an early age: ed Cheltenham C; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm off-break bowler; outfield: Surrey 1931, a: cr 4 matches; 33 runs, av 11.00; two for 195; 0 ct: later, cricket writer for *Daily Mirror* and other newspapers: despite his own lack of success in chsp cricket, 'reported cricket with a trenchancy that has never been matched': d 10.ix.1992 Basingstoke, Hampshire.

**WELLS, Thomas Umfrey**

b 6.ii.1927 Panmure (Auckland), New Zealand: ed King's C, Auckland; Auckland U; Cambridge U: UK resident 1949-1960: left-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Worcestershire 1950, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 0, 9; did not bowl; 0 ct: played rugby union for New Zealand Universities, Bristol and in England trials: a career teacher, he was president New Zealand Independent Schools Association, 1972-1975: d 30.vii.2001 Ohaupo (Waikato), New Zealand.

**WENYON, Herbert John**

b 18.iv.1888 Canton (Kwangtung province), China: UK resident from 1893: ed Kingswood S, Bath: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm slow bowler: Middlesex 1921-1924, a: cr 10 matches; 157 runs, av 13.08; two for 54; 5 ct: hs 51\* v Warwickshire, Lord's, 1922: later, managing director Moussec Wine: awarded DSO 1917 and bar 1918: d 19.viii.1944 Northwood, Middlesex.

**WEST, John Edward**

b 11.xi.1861 Stepney, Middlesex: right-hand lower-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; wicketkeeper: Middlesex 1890-1896, p: cr 31 matches; 562 runs, av 12.77; none for 39; 41 ct, 15 st: chsp umpire 1901-1911, 200 matches: d 14.iii.1920 Bow, Middlesex.

**WHATFORD, George Lumley**

b 20.vii.1878 Eastbourne, Sussex: ed Harrow S; Cambridge U: unknown-hand middle-order batsman: Sussex 1904, a: cr 2 matches; 21 runs, av 10.50; did not bowl; 0 ct: a career soldier stationed for many years outside UK, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: d 22.xi.1915 Ctesiphon, Mesopotamia, killed in action and having no known grave.

**WHITCOMBE, Philip Sidney**

b 3.x.1893 Windsor, Berkshire: ed Winchester C; Army Staff C, Camberley: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler: Essex 1922, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 5, 4; none for 22; 0 ct: older brother of H.M. (Essex 1922), father of P.A. (Middlesex 1948): a career soldier who served in both World Wars, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent:

appointed OBE 1941 for military services, CB 1944 for his work as major-general planning the D-Day invasion: d 9.viii.1989 Hindhead, Surrey.

**WHITE, Alison Kingsley Gordon**

b 21.i.1881 Sydney, New South Wales: UK resident from an early age: ed Cheltenham C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; close field: Gloucestershire 1912, 1913, 1919, a: cr 10 matches; 322 runs, av 17.88; did not bowl; 7 ct: hs 54 v Sussex, Gloucester, 1919: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: awarded DSO 1916: d 20.iii.1962 Crowborough, Sussex. (*From 1920, surname sometimes reported as Gordon-White.*)

**WHITE, Sir Archibald Woollaston**

b 14.x.1877 Tickhill, Yorkshire: ed Wellington C, Crowthorne; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; mid-on field: Yorkshire 1911-1914, 1920, a, deputy-capt 1911, capt 1912-1914: cr 81 matches; 1,306 runs, av 15.73; did not bowl; 44 ct: hs 55 v Nottinghamshire, Leeds, 1920, in his last chsp match: succeeded his uncle as fourth White baronet 1907: 'an appointment which rested entirely on the committee's desire to retain an amateur captain': d 16.xii.1945 Torhousemuir (Wigtownshire), Scotland.

**WHITE, Henry Albert**

b 8.viii.1895 Watford, Hertfordshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; occ right-arm off-break bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1923, p: cr 8 matches; 107 runs, av 8.91; none for 33; 2 ct: no fifties: played football for Arsenal: d 27.xi.1972 Barrow Gurney, Somerset.

**WHITE, Hon Luke Robert**

b 15.ii.1927 Marylebone, Middlesex: ed Eton C: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Middlesex 1946, 1947, a: cr 3 matches; 29 runs, av 9.66; did not bowl, 1 ct: succeeded his father as fifth Baron Annaly 1970: 'he had no ambitions to pursue a first-class career': d 30.ix.1990 Alton, Hampshire. (*Styled Honourable from birth as a son of the fourth Baron Annaly.*)

**WHITE, William Michael Eastwood**

b 22.v.1913 Barnes, Surrey: ed Dover GS; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-fast bowler: Northamptonshire 1947-1949, a: cr 5 matches; 91 runs, av 13.00; 13 wkt, av 31.53; 5 ct: no four-wicket returns: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: appointed OBE 1944, CBE 1966 for military services: 'wanted to be remembered as a soldiering cricketer': d 15.ii.2003 St Martin, Guernsey, Channel Islands.

**WHITE, William Nicholas**

b 10.ix.1879 St Pancras, Middlesex: ed Malvern C: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; versatile field: Hampshire 1907-1914, a: cr 57 matches; 2,680 runs, av 27.62; none for 15; 34 ct: hs 160\* v Gloucestershire, Bristol, 1909: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: awarded DSO 1916; appointed CB 1936 for military services: d 27.xii.1951 Poltimore, Devon.

**WHITEHEAD, Alan Geoffrey Thomas**

b 28.x.1940 Butleigh, Somerset: left-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; versatile field: Somerset 1958-1961, p: cr 34 matches; 130 runs, av 6.19; 61 wkt, av 33.77; 18 ct: bb 6-74 v Sussex, Eastbourne, 1959: chsp umpire 1970-2005, 511 matches: as an umpire, 'a bit of a reputation for looking for controversy on the field'.

**WHITEHEAD, George William Edendale**

b 27.viii.1895 Bromley, Kent: ed Clifton C, Bristol; Royal Military A, Woolwich: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; outfield: Kent 1914, a: cr 2 matches; 12 runs, av 3.00; did not bowl; 3 ct: reported as 'a perfect flower of the public schools' but 'he did not realise his own worth': d 17.x.1918 Lauwe (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, when his plane was shot down, the last chsp player killed in action in the Great War.

**WHITEHOUSE, Percy Gilbert**

b 1.viii.1893 Edgbaston, Birmingham: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium pace bowler; close field: Warwickshire 1926, a: cr 3 matches; 41 runs, av 13.66; 8 wkt, av 15.25; 6 ct: bb 4-23 v Glamorgan, Swansea, 1926: played hockey for Staffordshire: awarded MC 1918; appointed MBE 1941 for services to air-raid precautions in Birmingham: d 24.ix.1959 Knowle, Warwickshire.

**WHITEHOUSE, Peter Michael William**

b 27.iv.1917 Birchington, Kent: ed Marlborough C; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Kent 1937, 1038, a: cr 8 matches; 160 runs, av 11.42; 11 wkt, av 30.90; 0 ct: no four-wicket returns: d 19.xi.1943 Archi (Abruzzo), Italy, killed in action.

**WHITFIELD, George Sulivan**

b 20.iii.1878 Hamsey, Sussex: ed Eton C: right-hand middle-order batsman: Sussex 1908, a: cr 3 matches; 191 runs, av 63.66; did not bowl; 0 ct: hs 71\* v Surrey, Hove, 1908: later, director Barclays Bank and other companies: d 29.vii.1945 Earl's Court, Middlesex.

**WHITTINGTON, Thomas Aubrey Leyshon ('Tal')**

b 29.vii.1881 Neath, Glamorgan: ed Merchiston Castle S, Edinburgh; Oxford U: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; occ right-arm bowler; cover field; Glamorgan 1921-1923, a, capt 1922, 1923: cr 45 matches; 1,148 runs, av 14.90; none for 12: 9 ct: hs 60 v Hampshire, Southampton, 1922: declared bankrupt 1925: 'he did more than any other individual to secure Glamorgan's promotion to first-class status': d 19.vii.1944 St Pancras, Middlesex.

**WHITWELL, William Fry**

b 12.xii.1867 Stockton-on-Tees, Co Durham: ed Uppingham S: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Yorkshire 1890, a: cr 8 matches; 41 runs, av 4.10; 23 wkt, av 20.00; 2 ct: bb 5-56 v Middlesex, Lord's 1890: older brother of J.F. (Yorkshire 1890): later, managing director Horden Collieries, director Head Wrightson (iron, steel mfg) and other companies: d 12.iv.1942 Newcastle upon Tyne, Northumberland.

**WICKHAM, Archdale Palmer** ('Bishop')

b 9.xi.1855 Holmwood, Surrey: ed Marlborough C; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; occ bowler; wicketkeeper: Somerset 1891-1903, 1907, a: cr 69 matches; 567 runs, av 9.45; none for 3; 71 ct, 47 st: an Anglican clergyman, he played a few matches each season, a distinctive player with 'light-brown wicketkeeping gloves, faded Harlequin cap' and a 'legs-apart stance close to the stumps': in match v Hampshire, Taunton, 1899, conceded no byes in an innings total of 672, a chsp record until surpassed in 2002: 'likely to unnerve batsmen by proclaiming Greek and Latin verse very loudly': d 13.x.1935 East Brent, Somerset.

**WILKINS, Alan Haydn**

b 22.viii.1953 Cardiff, Glamorgan: Whitchurch HS, Cardiff; Loughborough U: right-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Glamorgan 1976-1979, 1983; Gloucestershire 1981, 1982, career curtailed by shoulder injury: cr 93 matches; 779 runs, av 8.95; 203 wkt, av 32.39; 31 ct: hs 70 v Nottinghamshire, Worksop, 1977: bb 8-57 v Lancashire, Manchester, 1981: played rugby union for Cardiff and Bristol: emigrated to South Africa 1984, returned to UK 1989, moving to Singapore 2000: later, radio and television commentator on cricket and rugby union and presenter of sports programmes.

**WILKINSON, Cyril Theodore Anstruther**

b 4.x.1884 Durham: ed Blundell's S, Tiverton: right-hand middle-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; outfield: Surrey 1909-1911, 1913-1920, a, capt 1914, 1919: cr 44 matches; 1,331 runs, av 23.25; 15 wkt, av 33.73; 18 ct: hs 135 v Middlesex, Kennington, 1914: no four-wicket returns: played hockey for Surrey, England and Great Britain, incl winning gold medal in 1920 Olympics; hockey international umpire: later, registrar Probate, Admiralty and Divorce Division, High Court; editor standard reference books on divorce and probate law: appointed CBE 1954 for services to the judiciary: d 16.x.1970 Honiton, Devon.

**WILKINSON, Leonard Litton**

b 5.xi.1916 Northwich, Cheshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break and googly bowler; close field: Lancashire 1937-1939, 1947, p: cr 59 matches; 279 runs, av 8.45; 219 wkt, av 25.78; 44 ct: bb 8-53 v Hampshire, Manchester, 1939: played three Tests for England: 'for one brief year Wilkinson looked like a leg-spinner out of the top drawer': d 3.ix.2002 Barrow-in-Furness, Lancashire.

**WILKINSON, William**

b 5.vii.1859 Kimberley, Nottinghamshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast-medium bowler: Nottinghamshire 1892, 1893, p: cr 4 matches; 24 runs, av 4.80; two for 68; 4 ct: started playing chsp cricket at age 32, having apparently satisfied his employers that he was ten years younger, the competition record for such a deception: d 6.x.1940 Nottingham.

**WILLIAMS, Ambrose Causer** ('Billy')

b 1.iii.1887 Darfield, Yorkshire: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; versatile field: Yorkshire 1911, 1914, 1919, p: cr 12 matches; 95 runs, av 23.75; 30 wkt, av 22.60; 6 ct: bb 9-29 v Hampshire, Dewsbury, 1919: in addition to the six catches above, took four in an innings v Leicestershire, Huddersfield, 1919, off his own side while fielding as a



substitute when Yorkshire's twelfth man, the most such catches in the chsp: d 1.vi.1966 Morecambe, Lancashire.

### **WILLIAMS, Charles Cuthbert Powell**

b 9.ii.1933 Oxford: ed Westminster S; Oxford U; London U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; versatile field: Essex 1954-1956, 1958, 1959, a: cr 37 matches; 1,385 runs, av 22.70; none for 5; 23 ct: hs 119 v Leicestershire, Leicester, 1955: later, director British Petroleum, chairman Price Commission 1977-1979, then managing director Baring Bros and Co, Henry Ansbacher and Co (merchant banking); author various biographies: appointed CBE 1980 for services to Price Commission; created life peer Baron Williams of Elvel 1985; appointed Privy Counsellor 2013: 'had he been able to play more regularly, he would have been a batsman of real quality'.

### **WILLIAMS, Dyson Brock-**

b 13.x.1877 Swansea, Glamorgan: ed Malvern C: right-hand middle-order batsman: Glamorgan 1921, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 5, 9; did not bowl; 0 ct: awarded MC 1916, DSO 1918: declared bankrupt 1921: d 18.iv.1922 Westminster, Middlesex, by his own hand, probably because of the effects of his wartime experiences. (*Changed second forename from Brandsby to Brock c 1914.*)

### **WILLIAMS, Herbert Reginald Hewett**

b 7.vi.1900 Willesden, Middlesex: ed Charterhouse, Godalming: right-hand lower-order batsman; wicketkeeper: Essex 1919, 1920, a: cr 10 matches; 67 runs, av 6.70; did not bowl; 18 ct, 7 st: awarded DSO 1942: d 19.vii.1974 Camberwell, Surrey. (*Birth registered as Herbert Reginald Williams.*)

### **WILLIAMS, John Nathaniel**

b 24.i.1878 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Gloucestershire 1908, a: cr 3 matches; 31 runs, av 6.20; did not bowl; 1 ct: older brother of P.F.C. (Gloucestershire 1919-1923, 1925): declared bankrupt 1909, emigrated to New Zealand 1910, having previously lived there 1902-1904: d 25.iv.1915 nr Serafim (Çannakale), Turkey, killed in action while serving with New Zealand army and having no known grave.

### **WILLIAMS, Leoline**

b 15.v.1900 Wotton-under-Edge, Gloucestershire: ed Winchester C: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; versatile field, incl wicketkeeper: Sussex 1919, 1926, 1930, a; Gloucestershire 1922, a: cr 33 matches; 970 runs, av 21.55; none for 5; 16 ct, 2 st: hs 106\* v Essex, Southend-on-Sea, 1926: younger brother of P.V. (Sussex 1919): a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent; awarded DSO 1945, appointed OBE 1946 for military services: d 29.ii.1984 (a leap-year day) Sticker, Cornwall.

### **WILLIAMS, William**

b 12.iv.1861 Notting Hill, Middlesex: ed Buxton C, Forest Gate: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm leg-break bowler; slip field: Middlesex 1900-1902, a: cr 17 matches; 247 runs, av 10.29; 17 wkt, av 32.35; 10 ct: no four-wicket returns: played rugby union for Harlequins; rugby

union international referee: 'popularly credited with finding the site on which Twickenham Stadium was built': d 14.iv.1951 Hampton, Middlesex.

WILLINGDON, LORD, see THOMAS, F., above.

### **WILLSON, Ronald Henry**

b 14.vii.1933 Newhaven, Sussex: ed Burgess Hill SS: right-hand middle-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; outfield: Sussex 1956, 1957, p: cr 14 matches; 251 runs, av 13.94; none for 65; 5 ct: no fifties: emigrated to Rhodesia 1960: thought to be the first Romany cricketer in the chsp: d 3.i.2017 Harare, Zimbabwe.

### **WILSON, Cecil**

b 9.ix.1860 Islington, Middlesex: ed Tonbridge S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; versatile field: Kent 1890, a: cr 2 matches; 46 runs, av 15.33; did not bowl; 1 ct: younger brother of L. (Kent 1890-1895): Anglican Bishop of Melanesia 1894-1911, 'where some of the islanders were still cannibals and headhunters', then Bishop of Bunbury (Western Australia) 1917-1937, being one of only two chsp cricketers to become a full bishop: d 20.i.1941 Perth (W.A.), Australia.

### **WILSON, Clement Eustace Macro**

b 15.v.1875 Bolsterstone, Yorkshire: ed Uppingham S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; left-arm slow or right-arm fast-medium bowler, an 'exceptional craft'; outfield: Yorkshire 1896-1899, a: cr 8 matches; 225 runs, av 25.00; 11 wkt, av 19.09; 3 ct: hs 91\* v Kent, Canterbury, 1897: no four-wicket returns: played two Tests for England: older brother of E.R. (see below): retired from county cricket on becoming an Anglican clergyman: d 8.ii.1944 Calverhall, Shropshire.

### **WILSON, Evelyn Rockley**

b 25.iii.1879 Bolsterstone, Yorkshire: ed Rugby S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-, later lower-order batsman; right-arm leg- and off-break bowler; versatile field: Yorkshire 1899-1902, 1913-1923, a, playing a few matches each season, deputy-capt 1922: cr 56 matches; 822 runs, av 17.48; 154 wkt, av 16.54; 23 ct; hs 104\* v Essex, Bradford, 1913: bb 7-32 v Middlesex, Sheffield, 1921: played one Test for England: younger brother of C.E.M. (see above): 'coach, journalist, historian, legal draftsman, cricketana collector, anthologised wit ... few players of any era have matched the diversity of his contribution to the game': d 21.vii.1957 Winchester, Hampshire.

### **WILSON, Geoffrey**

b 21.viii.1895 Leeds, Yorkshire: ed Harrow S; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; cover field: Yorkshire 1919, 1921-1924, a, capt 1922-1924, his side winning the chsp in all three seasons: cr 83 matches; 907 runs, av 12.59; none for 11; 27 ct: hs 70 v Leicestershire, Huddersfield, 1919: his 'tactical functions in the field could be carefully protected by the experienced players': d 29.xi.1960 Southsea, Hampshire.

**WILSON, John Philip**

b 3.iv.1889 Gilling East, Yorkshire: ed Harrow S; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; occ right-arm slow bowler; outfield: Yorkshire 1911, 1912, a: cr 7 matches; 58 runs, av 5.27; one for 24; 2 ct: well-known amateur National Hunt rider 1920s, winning Grand National 1925: awarded DSC 1915, AFC 1919: d 3.x.1959 Tickton, Yorkshire.

**WINDRIDGE, James Edwin**

b 21.x.1882 Sparkbrook, Birmingham: right-arm middle- or lower-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; outfield: Warwickshire 1909, 1912, 1913, p: cr 7 matches; 161 runs, av 14.63; one for 13; 2 ct: no fifties: played football for Small Heath, Chelsea, Middlesbrough and England: d 23.ix.1939 Hall Green, Birmingham.

**WINLAW, Roger de Winton Kelsall**

b 28.ii.1912 Morden, Surrey: ed Winchester C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; mid-off field: Surrey 1933, 1934, a: cr 16 matches; 598 runs, av 29.90; did not bowl; 8 ct: hs 91 v Sussex, Kennington, 1934: d 31.x.1942 Caernarvon, in flying accident while training with Royal Air Force; C.T.Ashton (see above), died in the same accident.

**WINN, Christopher Elliott**

b 13.xi.1926 Beckenham, Kent: ed King's College S, Wimbledon; Oxford U: left-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; outfield: Sussex 1948-1950, 1952, a: cr 13 matches; 293 runs, av 14.65; none for 9; 6 ct: hs 71 v Leicestershire, Ashby-de-la-Zouch, 1949: played rugby union for Rosslyn Park, Barbarians and England: 27.viii.2017 Richmond, Surrey.

**WINTERBOTHAM, James Percival**

b 21.vi.1883 Cheltenham, Gloucestershire: ed Cheltenham C; Oxford U: left-hand lower-order batsman; left-arm slow bowler; outfield: Gloucestershire 1902, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 2, 0; one for 78; 1 ct: played hockey for Gloucestershire and West of England: awarded MC 1918: d 2.xii.1925 Cheltenham, Gloucestershire.

**WOOD, George Edward Charles**

b 22.vii.1893 Blackheath, Kent: Cheltenham C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; wicketkeeper: Kent 1919-1924, a: cr 39 matches; 822 runs, av 16.11; none for 9; 41 ct, 27 st: hs 63\* v Middlesex, Canterbury, 1921: played three Tests for England: awarded MC 1919: played rugby union for Blackheath, London Scottish, Barbarians and in Scotland trials, hockey for East of England: 'a wicketkeeper of the old school who stood up to the stumps regardless of the bowler's pace': d 18.iii.1971 Christchurch, Hampshire.

**WOOD, Maxmillian David Francis**

b 22.ii.1873 Kamthi (Central Provinces), India: UK resident from an early age: ed Wellington C, Crowthorne; Royal Military C, Sandhurst: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Hampshire 1907, a: cr 1 match, two innings, 5, 4; did not bowl; 0 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were intermittent: awarded DSO 1916: d 22.viii.1915 Suvla Bay (Çannakale), Turkey, killed in action and having no known grave.

### **WOOD, Samuel Hill**

b 21.iii.1872 Glossop, Derbyshire: ed Eton C: right-hand middle- or lower-order batsman; occ right-arm bowler: Derbyshire 1895, 1898-1902, a, capt 1899-1901: cr 30 matches; 683 runs, av 17.97; none for 50; 12 ct: hs 81\* v Surrey, Kennington, 1900: father of B.S.H.Hill-Wood (Derbyshire 1919, 1921, 1923, 1925); W.W.H.Hill-Wood (see above); D.J.C.H.Hill-Wood (Derbyshire 1928, 1929); C.K.H.Hill-Wood (Derbyshire 1928-1930): leading coursing owner, his dogs winning Waterloo Cup 1910, 1913; chairman Arsenal FC 1927-1949: Conservative MP for High Peak 1910-1929; created first Hill-Wood baronet 1921 for public services in Derbyshire: d 4.i.1949 Westminster, Middlesex. (*Changed surname to Hill-Wood 1912, keeping Hill as a forename.*)

WOOD, W.W.H., see HILL-WOOD, W.W.H., above.

### **WOODHOUSE, George Edward Sealy**

b 15.ii.1924 Blandford Forum, Dorset: ed Marlborough C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ right-arm medium-pace bowler; versatile field, incl occ wicketkeeper: Somerset 1946-1950, 1953, a, capt 1948, 1949: cr 53 matches; 1,816 runs, av 21.11; one for 8; 15 ct, 1 st: hs 109 v Leicestershire, Leicester, 1947: played rugby union for Bath: later, chairman Hall and Woodhouse (brewing), director other companies: 'a brief, happy spell with Somerset' but 'he had other priorities, outside the game': d 19.i.1988 Fontmell Magna, Dorset.

### **WOODROFFE, Kenneth Herbert Clayton**

b 9.xii.1892 Lewes, Sussex: ed Marlborough C; Cambridge U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm fast bowler; outfield: Sussex 1914, a: cr 2 matches; 3 runs, av 1.00; 6 wkt, av 24.33; 1 ct: bb 6-43 v Surrey, Kennington, 1914: d 9.v.1915 Neuve Chapelle (Pas-de-Calais), France, killed in action and having no known grave.

### **WORMALD, John**

b 23.ii.1882 Westminster, Middlesex; ed Eton C: right-hand middle-or lower-order batsman; outfield: Middlesex 1910, 1911, a: cr 20 matches; 507 runs, av 17.48; did not bowl; 5 ct: hs 61 v Yorkshire, Lord's, 1910 and 61 v Sussex, Lord's, 1911: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: awarded MC 1916: d 13.xi.1957 Dereham, Norfolk.

### **WORSLEY, Francis Frederick**

b 2.vi.1902 Kensington, Middlesex: ed Brighton C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Glamorgan 1922, 1923, a: cr 2 matches; 34 runs, av 11.33; did not bowl, 1 ct: later, well-known as radio producer of 'outside broadcasts' and comedy programmes, including the wartime and post-war show 'ITMA': d 15.ix.1949 Stepney, Middlesex.

### **WORSLEY, William Arthington**

b 5.iv.1890 Hovingham, Yorkshire: ed Eton C: right-hand lower-order batsman; mid-on field: Yorkshire 1928, 1929, a, capt both years: cr 50 matches; 591 runs, av 15.55; did not bowl; 29 ct: hs 60 v Hampshire, Southampton, 1928: president MCC 1961-1962: succeeded his father as fourth Worsley baronet 1936: 'he enjoyed the experience, the players enjoyed his company': d 4.xii.1973 Hovingham, Yorkshire.

**WREFORD-BROWN, Charles**

b 9.x.1866 Bristol, Gloucestershire: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Oxford U: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm slow bowler; outfield: Gloucestershire 1898, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 0: two for 26; 1 ct: older brother of O.E. (see below): played football for Corinthians and England: later, director various rubber plantation companies: d 26.xi.1951 Paddington, Middlesex.

**WREFORD-BROWN, Oswald Eric**

b 21.vii.1877 Bristol, Gloucestershire: ed Charterhouse, Godalming: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Gloucestershire 1900, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 5; did not bowl; 0 ct: younger brother of C. (see above): played football for an England FA XI v Germany 1899: a career stockbroker, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: d 7.vii.1916 Corbie (Somme), France, from wounds received in action.

**WRIGHT, Bertie**

b 7.ii.1897 Kettering, Northamptonshire: ed Wellingborough S: right-hand middle-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler: Northamptonshire 1919, 1922, a: cr 5 matches; 28 runs, av 3.50; 6 wkt, av 42.33; 3 ct: no four-wicket returns: older brother of N.E. (Northamptonshire 1921, 1922) and P.A. (Northamptonshire 1921-1929): awarded MC 1916: d 2.iv.1955 Kettering, Northamptonshire.

**WRIGHT, Charles William** ('Chawles')

b 17.v.1863 Harewood, Yorkshire: ed Charterhouse, Godalming; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; versatile field, incl wicketkeeper: Nottinghamshire 1890-1898, a: cr 76 matches; 1,763 runs, av 13.88; did not bowl; 42 ct, 6 st: hs 77 v Middlesex, Nottingham, 1894: played three Tests for England: 10.i.1936 Saxelbye, Leicestershire.

**WRIGHT, Egerton Lowndes** ('Toddy')

b 15.xi.1885 Adlington, Lancashire: ed Winchester C; Oxford U: right-hand middle-order batsman; slip field: Lancashire 1905, 1907, 1910: cr 4 matches; 53 runs, av 6.62; did not bowl; 3 ct: no fifties: awarded MC 1918: at school and university regarded 'as a quite brilliant cricketer': d 11.v.1918 Barly (Somme), France, killed in action.

**WRIGHT, Ernest Vincent**

b 24.x.1894 Kettering, Northamptonshire: ed Wellingborough S: right-hand middle-order batsman; outfield: Northamptonshire 1919, a: cr 2 matches; two innings, 0, 2; did not bowl; 0 ct: older brother of A. (Northamptonshire 1919, 1920), R. (Northamptonshire 1923-1926), and S. (Northamptonshire 1922, 1923): awarded MC 1918: d 16.xii.1977 Kettering, Northamptonshire.

**WRIGHT, Harold**

b 19.ii.1884 Woodthorpe (nr Loughborough), Leicestershire: ed Mill Hill S, Leicester: left-hand middle-order batsman; occ left-arm slow bowler; slip field: Leicestershire 1912, 1914, a: cr 10 matches; 218 runs, av 14.53; none for 20; 9 ct: no fifties: d 14.ix.1915 Marylebone, Middlesex, from wounds received in action in Turkey.

**WRIGHT, Henry Fitzherbert**

b 8.x.1870 Swanwick, Derbyshire: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman: Derbyshire 1904, 1905, a: cr 7 matches; 222 runs, av 20.00; did not bowl; 3 ct: hs 55 v Lancashire, Derby, 1905: Unionist MP for Leominster 1912-1918; later, chairman Butterley Co (iron and steel mfg): d 23.ii.1947 Yeldersley, Derbyshire.

WRIXON-BECHER, Sir W.F., see BECHER, Sir W.F.W-, above.

**WYATT, Francis Joseph Caldwell**

b 10.vii.1882 Tiruchchirappalli (Madras State), India; UK resident from an early age: ed Trinity C, Glenalmond; Royal Military A, Woolwich: right-hand lower-order batsman; right-arm medium-pace bowler: versatile field: Hampshire 1906, 1908, 1919, a: cr 9 matches; 58 runs, av 6.44; 41 wkt, av 21.07; 10 ct: bb 6-31 v Somerset, Bath, 1908: a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: awarded MC 1916; appointed OBE c 1930 for military services: d 5.v.1971 Chichester, Sussex.

**WYKES, Geoffrey Noel**

b 22.xi.1890 Leicester: ed Charterhouse, Godalming: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Leicestershire 1923, a: cr 2 matches; 2 runs, av 0.50; did not bowl; 0 ct: awarded MC 1919: d 1.v.1926 Kingston-upon-Hull, Yorkshire.

**WYNYARD, Edward George**

b 1.iv.1861 Saharanpur (North-Western Provinces), India: UK resident from c 1870: ed St Edward's S, Oxford; Oxford Military C: right-hand opening or middle-order batsman; right arm lob bowler; cover, later close field, occ wicketkeeper: Hampshire 1895-1901, 1903-1906, 1908, a, capt 1896-1899, a career soldier, his appearances in chsp cricket were intermittent: cr 59 matches; 3,736 runs, av 35.88; 46 wkt, av 30.13; 78 ct, 4 st: hs 268 v Yorkshire, Southampton, 1896: bb 6-63 v Leicestershire, Leicester, 1899: played football for Old Carthusians in 1881 FA Cup final, hockey for Hampshire; European toboggan champion 1894: awarded DSO 1887, appointed OBE 1919 for military services: 'the word martinet is too weak to express his dominant personality': d 30.x.1936 Beaconsfield, Buckinghamshire.

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**YALLAND, William Stanley**

b 27.vi.1889 Bristol, Gloucestershire: ed Clifton C, Bristol: right-hand lower-order batsman; outfield: Gloucestershire 1910, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 1: did not bowl; 0 ct: a career soldier, his appearances in first-class cricket were limited: 23.x.1914 Langemark (West-Vlaanderen), Belgium, killed in the same combat action as H.E.Hippisley (see above) and having no known grave.

**YEATMAN, Rex Herbert**

b 4.x.1919 Richmond, Surrey: ed St Paul's S, Hammersmith: right-hand middle-order batsman: Surrey 1946, a: cr 1 match; two innings, 19, 0; did not bowl; 0 ct: later, chairman Rugby Portland Cement: d 5.i.1995 Chichester, Sussex.

**YORKE, Vincent Wodehouse**

b 21.v.1869 Westminster, Middlesex: ed Eton C; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman: Gloucestershire 1898, a: cr 1 match; one innings, 10; did not bowl; 0 ct: father of G.J. (Gloucestershire 1925): later, chairman National Provident Institution (insurance), director Westminster Bank and other companies: 'nor did he neglect the customary duties of a country gentleman': d 27.v.1957 Paddington, Middlesex.

**YOUNG, Richard Alfred**

b 16.iii.1885 Dharwad (Mysore), India; UK resident from c 1895: ed Repton S; Cambridge U: right-hand middle-order batsman; occ bowler; versatile field, incl wicketkeeper: Sussex 1905, 1907-1909, 1911, 1919-1925, a, playing a few matches each season: cr 82 matches; 3,684 runs, av 27.90; two for 62: 71 ct, 16 st: hs 220 v Essex, Leyton, 1905, aged 19 yr 10 mth, the youngest player to score 200 in a chsp innings until surpassed in 1963: played two Tests for England: younger brother of J.V. (Sussex 1908): played football for Corinthians and England amateur team: an enthusiastic cricket theorist, he once proposed that a captain 'should be allowed to pour a hundred gallons of water on any part of the pitch': d 1.vii.1968 Hastings, Sussex.

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ZOETE, H.W. de, see de ZOETE, H.W., above.

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## NOTES ON ENTRIES

(1) **Names** These comprise names in use, or formally available for use, by the player concerned during his Championship career. Details of relevant name changes are reported at the end of some entries. Nicknames are those which were apparently in regular use: traditional shortenings, such as 'Bill' for William, are omitted.

(2) and (16) **Dates and places of birth and death** Dates report month numbers in Roman numerals to aid readability. Placenames of births or deaths in the British Isles comprise the name of a separate settlement (whether village, town or city) and its traditional or cricketing county name plus, outside England and Wales, the country concerned. In the four largest cities in the UK (Birmingham, Glasgow, London and Manchester) the names of individual suburbs, based on postcodes, are given. Placenames outside the British Isles comprise a village, town or city name, plus the appropriate territorial name (department, province or state) and country of the time. Outside England, modern (often de-Anglicised) placenames are used.

(3) **Education** School names, sometimes shortened, are those attended by the subject in his sixteenth year and onwards, whether or not they were well-known 'cricketing' schools. Where a school's 'title' omits a placename, a placename is also given. There is some under-recording of state and smaller private schools attended by players before 1970. Higher education institutions are noted whether or not the player represented the establishment at cricket. Further education institutions are omitted.

(4) **UK residency** To keep the compilation to a manageable length, it has not been possible to cover overseas players, *i.e.* those who never took up UK residency, or those who played cricket to a high level before taking up permanent residence in the UK. Where players were born outside the British Isles, or later left the UK to live elsewhere, the year of their entry to or exit from the country is given, where this can be established.

(5) **Playing methods** Batting positions and bowling methods are those generally occupied or employed by the player during his Championship career, rather than in his first-class career as a whole. Some batting positions are derived from sampling of Championship matches. The term 'middle-order' covers positions 3 to 7, 'lower-order' from 8 to 11. Fielding positions are necessarily generalised, and in any event are often unrecorded. In some cases, fielding positions have been found in histories, biographies and other publications. In the cases of a small number of young players who made very few catches, it has been deduced that as keen young men, just out of school and college, they were put into the outfield.

(6) **Counties represented, seasons played and playing status** To deal with players who made intermittent appearances, the entries report, in full, seasons when players made Championship appearances rather than simply first and last seasons as in many sources. For the purposes of the compilation, 1919 is the season immediately following 1914, and 1946 runs on from 1939. The status, amateur or professional, of players who appeared in Championship matches before the end of the 1962 season is reported as 'a' or 'p'. Players who captained their



county for a significant number of matches during a season, without being formally appointed to the position, are noted as 'deputy-capt'.

(7) **Playing statistics** The figures given are for County Championship matches only, from the start of the official Championship in 1890 and onwards. Many derive from the CricketArchive website.

(8) **Highest scores** These are reported where they are for 50 runs or more.

(9) **Best bowling returns** These comprise the most wickets for the fewest runs and are reported where these involve taking four or more wickets in an innings.

(10) **Other cricket achievements** These include appearances in Test matches for England, and umpiring in 100 or more Championship matches. In a small number of cases, outstanding achievements in Championship cricket are reported. It is likely that future versions of the compilation will include coverage of limited-overs cricket. Many of the players in this list took part in county cricket before large numbers of limited-overs fixtures were played.

(11) **Major cricket or sports awards** These include players identified as cricketer of the year by *Wisden* from 1889 onwards, or as a young cricketer of the season by the Cricket Writers' Club from 1950. It also includes players winning the sports personality award run by BBC television from 1954, and players 'inducted' into the ICC Hall of Fame started in 2009.

(12) **Close relatives** These comprise only brothers and those in direct lineage, *i.e.* great-grandfather, grandfather, father, son, who have played Championship cricket.

(13) **Achievements in other sports** Many Championship cricketers have played another sport to a good standard, though not necessarily to a national level. In individual sports, the entries report appearances in finals of national or international competitions and championships, or setting national records. In team sports, entries include in football and rugby league, playing for clubs in the top division of a national league or in the final of a national knock-out competition; in the case of amateurs, playing in 20 or more matches for Corinthians, or in amateur internationals. In hockey, entries include appearances in county matches, national trials or in international matches. In lacrosse, entries cover playing in regional teams or internationals. In rugby union, entries cover appearances for the leading 25 or so clubs of the time in UK, or elsewhere in territorial or international teams.

(14) **Other achievements in the public eye** These include players (a) who became holders of important positions in public services, including legislatures, judiciaries, executive bodies and the armed forces; (b) who became directors of companies listed on the London Stock-Exchange or having brandnames otherwise well-known by the public; (c) with recognisable achievements in art, broadcasting, design, music, the professions and writing to their names. In addition, entries report awards and appointments under the British honours system comprising (a) honours recognising merit in term of achievement and service; (b) decorations for specific deeds; (c) medals recognising bravery and long or valuable service and conduct. Some players

have received honours from other countries, but these require more research and are omitted. The author is particularly grateful for help from various ACS members in developing this part of each entry.

(15) **Quotations** These are drawn from a very wide range of sources, from Arthur Haygarth through to modern times. Where possible they are from sources contemporary with the subject's playing career, or from playing or spectating contemporaries. As can be seen, some quotations are anecdotal in character.

(16) **Deaths** Where players died before reaching fifty, the cause of death is reported where possible, but this is missing in some cases. Brief details are given where players lost their lives on active service.

## ABBREVIATIONS

A	Academy
AAA	Amateur Athletics Association
a	amateur
AFC	Air Force Cross
Ald	Alderman
av	average
b	born on
bb	best bowling
Bros	Brothers
c	circa/about
C	College
C of Ed	College of Education
capt	captain
CB	Companion of the Order of the Bath
CBE	Commander of the Order of the British Empire
CC	Cricket club
CCPR	Central Council for Physical Recreation
CE	Church of England
chsp	Championship
CIE	Commander of the Order of the Indian Empire
CMG	Companion of the Order of St Michael and St George
Co	County/Company
cr	career record
CSI	Commander of the Order of the Star of India
ct	catches
CWC	Cricket Writers' Club
d	died on
DCM	Distinguished Conduct Medal
DSC	Distinguished Service Cross
DSO	Companion of the Distinguished Service Order
ECB	England and Wales Cricket Board
ed	educated at
eqpt	equipment
FA	Football Association
FC	Football Club
FRS	Fellow of the Royal Society
ft	feet
GBE	Knight Grand Cross of the Order of the British Empire
GCB	Knight Grand Cross of the Order of the Bath
GCSI	Knight Grand Commander of the Order of the Star of India
GCIE	Knight Grand Commander of the Order of the Indian Empire
GCMG	Knight Grand Cross of the Order of St Michael and St George

GCVO	Knight Grand Cross of the Royal Victorian Order
GM	George Medal
GPO	General Post Office
GS	Grammar School
Hon	Honourable
HS	High School
HSBC	Hongkong and Shanghai Bank
hs	highest score
ht	height
I	Institute
ICC	Imperial/International Cricket Conference/Council
IHE	Institute of Higher Education
in	inches
incl	including
ITMA	It's That Man Again
jt	joint
ju	junior
KBE	Knight Commander of the Order of the British Empire
KCB	Knight Commander of the Order of the Bath
KCMG	Knight Commander of the Order of St Michael and St George
KG	Knight of the Order of the Garter
KT	Knight of the Order of the Thistle
Ltd	Limited Company
m	metres
MBE	Member of the Order of the British Empire
MC	Military Cross
MCC	Marylebone Cricket Club
mfg	manufacturing
MM	Military Medal
Mon	Monmouthshire
MP	Member of Parliament
MVO	Member of the Royal Victorian Order
NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organization
NCA	National Cricket Association
nr	near
OBE	Officer of the Order of the British Empire
occ	occasional
p	professional
PCA	Professional Cricketers' Association
PLC	Public Limited Company
Poly	Polytechnic
RAF	Royal Air Force
RIBA	Royal Institute of British Architecture
RTS	Royal Television Society
S	School

S.A.	South Australia
sec	seconds
sen	senior
SFC	Sixth Form College
SMS	Secondary Modern School
SS	Secondary School
St	Saint
st	stumpings
TCCB	Test and County Cricket Board
THS	Technical High School
TI	Technical Institute
TS	Technical School or Training Ship
U	University
UK	United Kingdom
v	versus/against
wkt	wickets
W.A.	Western Australia
Wm	William
yd	yards.

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