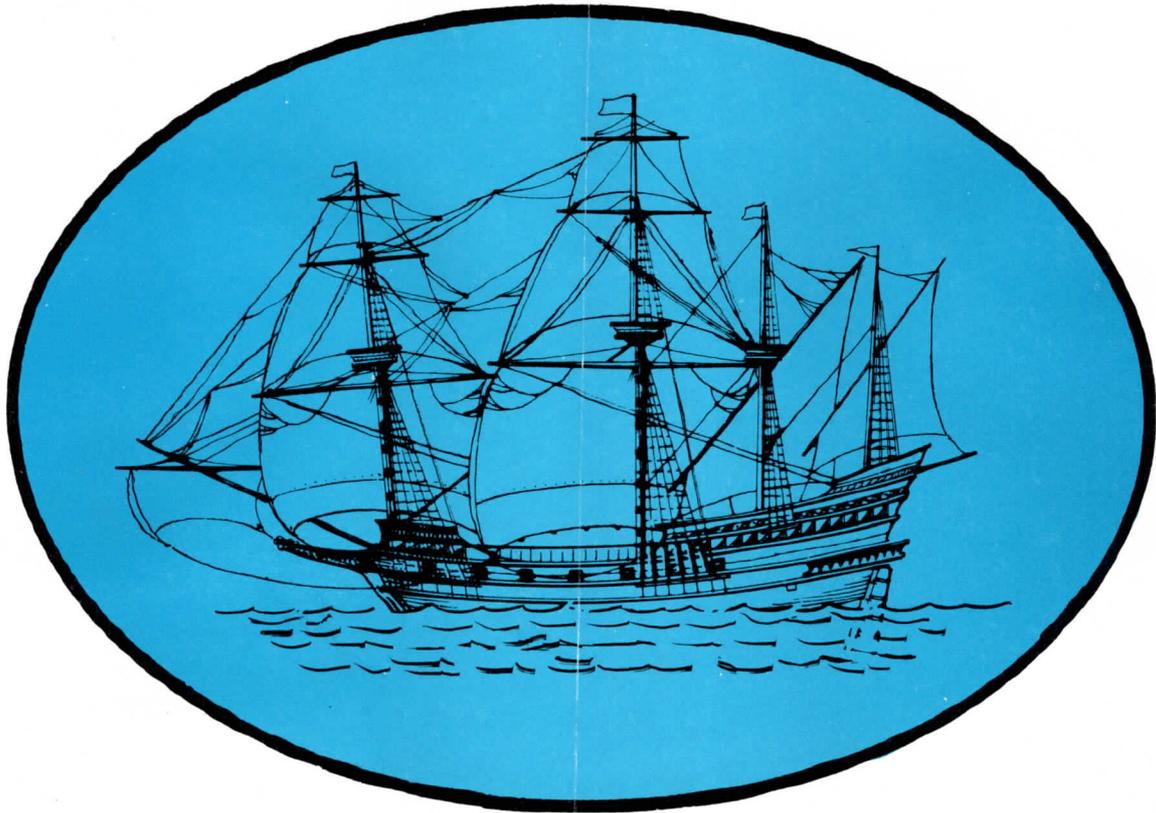
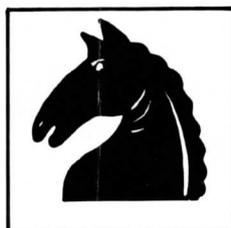


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A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO YOU ALL!

1980 will probably go down in chess history as one of great achievement culminating with the brave decision by a large majority to support the BCF in its acquisition of that famous old chess magazine the BCM. Westward Ho! wishes every success to this venture

As for 1981 - what is there in store for us? Will chess congresses that bring so much pleasure to players of all strengths be allowed to flourish unhampered by bureaucracy and taxation? Will the honour and glory that used to prevail for playing for one's County continue to fade? Will the Unions - the founders of organised chess in this country - lose their voting control at Management Board level? Will a new and simplified system of grading emerge? Only time will answer these and other questions facing Unions, Counties, Leagues, Congresses and Clubs. In the meantime let us all settle down and enjoy our chess!

Ralph Newman

My grateful acknowledgement to News Flash, Batsfords, Southern Counties Bulletin, Bristol Chess Times, North Devon Chess News, Dorset Chess Notes, Hampshire Chess Bulletin, Lloyds Bank Press Releases, B.B.C., Oxford Press and all those other publications who have provided me with useful and helpful information.

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PAIGNTON CONGRESS - SEPTEMBER, 1980.

180 players of all ages and strengths took part in the 1980 Congress at Oldway Mansions, Paignton. A new tournament - the "Morning Open" - received sufficient support for its future continuance and was won by A.K. Swift. The Premier was won outright by Dr. P.W. Hempson of Sheffield with an impressive  $6\frac{1}{2}$  points out of 7. The two equal strength sections of the Challengers were won by J. Horrocks (6/7) from London and D. Costelow ( $5\frac{1}{2}$ /7) from Solihull.

Once again, this famous Congress was enjoyed by all and under the overall control of the Devon C.C.A. President, Mrs. Joan Parker, went smoothly and happily. Many of the competitors come year after year and not only does the Congress provide excellent chess in first class playing conditions but becomes a social get-together for chess friends from all over the Country.

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WOOLACOMBE CONGRESSES - OCT., 1980.

Three congresses in 10 days at a luxury hotel on the Golden Coast of North Devon! This year the Hexagon surpassed themselves in organisation and efficiency. In addition to the two week-end congresses, an open 5 round Swiss ran from Monday to Friday, so it was possible to play 15 games over the 10 day period. As value for money these Congresses need a lot of beating. The Woolacombe Bay Hotel is right on the front and provides facilities for indoor or outdoor swimming, a pitch and putt course, squash courts, snooker, badminton and table tennis. In addition, players who lose their queens in moments of mental aberration have the choice of drowning their sorrows in one of two bars. What more can one ask for?

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## 15TH TORBAY CHESS CONGRESS

Held at the Victoria Hotel, Torquay, this Congress is growing in popularity and attracts players from far and wide. Like the Hexagon Congress, the amenities of the hotel are good and the playing conditions excellent. Each year, more and more juniors are attracted to this delightful congress which provides three sections varying in strength from the Open to the Graded Swiss for players of 135 and below.

The organisation and controlling are beyond reproach and every effort is made by the Committee to ensure smooth running and efficiency. A great congress!

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## WEST OF ENGLAND JAMBOREE, 1980

The opening event of the West of England Chess Season and the biggest individual gathering of west of England chess players this year attracted 12 teams of 12 players. The Senior Jamboree was won by a very strong Devon team and the Graded Jamboree by Torbay, who won on board count from Somerset II.

Full results :-

Senior: Devon  $9\frac{1}{2}$ , Gloucester  $7\frac{1}{2}$ , Somerset 6 + 1A, Dorset  $5\frac{1}{2}$ , Hampshire 5, Cornwall  $1\frac{1}{2}$  + 1A.

Graded: Torbay 7, Somerset II 7, Plymouth  $6\frac{1}{2}$ , Exeter 6, N.Devon  $5\frac{1}{2}$ , Dorset II  $5\frac{1}{2}$ , Cornwall II  $4\frac{1}{2}$ .

Perhaps the most outstanding feature of the afternoon was the self-control of the N. Devon League Match Captain John Smith. At tea-time, his team looked to be set fair for winning the cup - however, fate intervened. Four - yes four - players in winning positions gave their Queens away after tea and lost. This surely must be without precedent and the fact that John did not burst into tears or throw a fit gives him great credit.

At a subsequent meeting of the W.E.C.U. Executive Committee, it was unanimously resolved that, owing to the grounds of expense in providing lukewarm tea and uninteresting biscuits at a cost of approx. 50p per head, next year, there would be no tea interval. The fact that this proposal came from the Match Captain of the Union who also happens to be President of the N. Devon Chess League is purely coincidental!

R.N.

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## IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT TO ALL CONGRESS COMMITTEES

In this issue, I have reported on three congresses and have tried to give the players' views on the organisation, facilities etc., rather than a long list of results which are generally faithfully reported and printed in the local press. I think it is more important to the ever-growing congress playing population to know about these matters than to study a long list of names and results that they can get from other sources. I would like to report on other congresses and their facilities but, owing to lack of information, cannot do so. In the case of the three congresses reported on - this was easy, as I was playing there myself. It would be most helpful if some of the other excellent congresses run in the Union were to send me a report giving the type of information I am seeking so that it can be published. There are many of us who, having passed the bloom of youth, are anxious to play in comfortable surroundings - such as an hotel where one can fall out of bed five minutes before the start, totter down, make a move and then think continued ,...

about a small breakfast of lightly boiled aspirin and black coffee as opposed to walking half a mile through a howling gale and rain storm to arrive - late - at a draughty, leaky, unheated Nissen Hut, only to find that one has a bye. You see what I mean?

R.N.

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C H E S S B I T S

Prediction for 1981: Southern Counties Chess Association Bulletin will, through its noble editor, continue to criticise the Western Union.

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Further prediction for 1981: Westward Ho! through its ignoble editor, will continue to criticise the Southern Counties.

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There is no truth in the rumour that, because of the popularity of Congress Chess, all players will have to pay an annual fee of £10 to the B.C.F. for obtaining a license to play at Congresses.

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If chess interferes with work - give up work.

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A tip to players whose opponents are in time trouble - pinch their biros and then claim a win by default - in recording.

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Will County Match Captains PLEASE send results to the Match Captain and PLEASE put in grades where known!

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SUPPORT WESTWARD HO!

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L E T T E R S T O T H E E D I T O R

"Dear Mr. Newman,

I have always paid my B.C.F. Registration Fee, although I personally get nothing out of it, because I think the B.C.F. is worth supporting. I've never worried unduly or taken much interest in my grading. But I have always opposed the W.E.C.U's policy of withholding a person's grading unless registered with the B.C.F. I've opposed the policy simply because I dislike the W.E.C.U's hypocritical attitude on the subject.

I notice under the heading 'Publication of Grades' in the W.E.C.U's Grading Issue, the following. "The W.E.C.U. continues its policy of non-publication of unregistered players. The North of England is now doing the same."

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There's a hint of smug self satisfaction here. I was therefore very pleased in reading the B.C.F. 'News Flash' Issue 166 of the 1st September, 1980, to come across the following letter from D.H. Milton, Yorkshire Area Grader, Hull & District League Secretary and N.C.C.U. Delegate. You have probably seen it but I give it just in case.

"After reading the last two issues of Newsflash and in particular a letter from G.A.M. Boswell, Newsflash No. 164, it seems that there are some persons who would have us believe that the BCF has some responsibility for the production of the Union grading lists, which, as we should all be aware, are produced by the Unions, paid for by the Unions and compiled by voluntary workers within the Unions and it is the BCF who choose to recognise them as official grades. I spend a lot of time and money doing voluntary work on behalf of my local association, county and Union in the hope that this will be to the benefit of the chess players in these areas and I object to the BCF or any other body charging for this freely given service. Statements such as 'graders now realize that making results freely available is acting against a Counties best interests' are not substantiated by the graders within the N.C.C.U, only its officials, most of whom contribute very little towards the grading system. It is more truthful to say that 50% of the graders in the N.C.C.U. are against the present policy of the N.C.C.U. and in Yorkshire the graders are 100% against the non-publication of grades. Furthermore, I would like to know how the policy of publishing all grades is against the Counties interests; against the BCF's interests maybe.

The implication that being a BCF member gives the average grass roots player certain benefits is a figment of someone's imagination. Even officials of the BCF admit there is very little they can do for the local Leagues. The BCF supports and encourages chess at the highest levels both in senior and junior events and for the player of a higher than average ability the BCF is an essential organisation. If we want a strong nation team, strong International tournaments and a British World Champion, then we must support the BCF, but please let us drop the pretence that the BCF offers more than these hopes to the player graded below 120, who represents 75% of the chess players of the county; encourage people to join, there are plenty of ways which have not been tried yet, before resorting to blackmail".

I think Mr. Milton hits the nail on the head.

Yours sincerely,

K.C. Cleak,  
Hon. Treasurer,  
Bristol & District  
Chess League. "

(Most of this we have heard before, and, whilst all are aware that any decision regarding publication or non-publication must have dissenters as well as supporters, as long as the W.E.C.U. - at which the Bristol & District Chess League is fully-represented and has voting rights - decides by a large majority vote NOT to publish grades of unregistered players then that situation will continue. One interesting point, however, is in the final paragraph "... players graded below 120 who represent 75% of the chess players of the country ....." Not many people in high places are aware of this. It is a great pity that the W.E.C.U. Graded Jamboree for players graded 125 and below was only supported by 7 teams - 4 of which came from chess leagues in Devon. Come on, Mr. Cleak - how about a team from the Bristol League next year! - ED).

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Extract from letter from Mr. Alex Boswell, Northern Counties, to Mrs. Joan Parker, Secretary W.E.C.U.:-

"..... many thanks for the copy of 'Westward Ho!' a very lively publication ....."

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(The rest of the letter, which to quote the previous correspondent gives me a certain smug satisfaction, I shall reserve for ammunition against my friends in the South. Thanks Mr. Boswell! - ED).

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"Dear Mr. Newman,

In the grading issue of Westward Ho! Mr RC Clark of Fareham expresses the opinion that descriptive notation has no advantages over algebraic. Let me suggest a couple : -

(1) It is in a sense "psychologically" sounder. For example, if a game begins 1 P-K4, P-K4 both sides have made the "same" move - a fact which descriptive reflects and algebraic doesn't.

(2) Descriptive is superior for discussing certain endgame concepts. It is more natural, and simpler, to talk about N pawns than "b" and "g" pawns. You will remember that FIDE promulgated a rule change not so long ago extending the 50-move rule for certain endings with King and two Knights versus King and pawn. In FIDE's version, the pawn had to be safely blocked by a Knight and

"not further advanced than:

for White - a5, b3, c4, d5, e5, f4, g3 or h5

for Black - a4, b6, c5, d4, e4, f5, g6 or h4

In descriptive that translates as:

"not further advanced than R5, N3, B4, Q5 or K5" and I think it gains in the translating!

Of course algebraic has advantages. It's shorter (so long as you don't use the vile "long" form) and a damn sight easier to type. But "more precise"? Come off it, both forms have perfect precision if properly used. It is probably true that descriptive offers more traps for the unwary, but I can't believe Mr. Clark has never seen an ambiguous algebraic notation.

Yours sincerely,

Richard Haddrell,  
Tunbridge Wells, Kent.

PS: I use algebraic.

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### ROUND THE COUNTIES

#### Devon;

The Devon Inter-Area Jamboree for teams of 20 with a grading limit of 130 was held on Saturday, 13th December, 1980, at Torquay and organised by the Torbay League.

Torbay were the winners scoring 14/20<sup>f</sup>; 2nd Exeter with 12<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>; Plymouth 7<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> and North Devon 6.

The Devon C.C.A. Council Meeting will be on 28th March, 1981, at Exeter.

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#### Somerset;

Grandmaster John Nunn gave a simultaneous display at King's College, Taunton on 27 September, 1980. His 36 opponents were boys from King's College and from 9

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other schools in the area. After four hours, Dr. Nunn had chalked up 34 wins and had agreed draws with Matthew Rosseinsky and David Sixsmith, both of Exeter School. Reviewing the games afterwards, Dr. Nunn judged the most interesting, from his point of view, to have been the one with Kevin Rozario of King's College.

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Hampshire:

All the leagues are in full swing and in the next edition up-to-date tables will be published.

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GLORNEY CUP.

In the last issue it was promised to publish a full report. At the moment, it is felt unwise to do so owing to the regrettable dispute between the British Boys' Team Manager, Mr. Brian Eley and the Controller, Mr. Terry Hollington. The cup was won by the Dutch and in the final round England was disqualified by the Controller. It is, however, proper to state that this matter was fully discussed at an Executive Meeting of the W.E.C.U. in October and unanimous support was given to Mr. Hollington. Much has been already printed in "Chess" but one clear fact emerges and that is that the English team were consistently late in arriving for the start of each round. As host Country, in my opinion, that is not only discourteous and bad-mannered but completely inexcusable especially in view of the fact that it would appear that, in no way, were the boys involved.

It is only to be hoped that the adverse publicity which has surrounded this event will not cause Mr. Hollington to give up the magnificent work that he, and Mr. McEvoy - the other controller involved - give to Junior Chess.

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NEW BOOKS.

Three excellent books recently released by Oxford Press are worthy to include in your chess budget for 1981.

For the beginners "Play Chess Combinations and Sacrifices" by David Levy and "Test Your Chess" by J.N. Walker are both most helpful and logical in their approach and should prove of great value to the low-graded players.

The third book "Fischer's Chess Games" with an introduction by Raymond Keene is a gem. Cross references to opponents and openings are simple to follow and to the student seeking brilliance in technique and strategy there is material in abundance.

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CHANGE OF ADDRESS

Mr. S. Young of the Portsmouth Chess Club :-

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Cow Place,  
Waterlooville, Nr. Portsmouth.

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BRITISH CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFYING COMPETITION 1980/81.

Zone J - Wiltshire, Gloucestershire, Somerset, Devon and Cornwall.

Winners from the county stage are :- K.D. Richardson (Gloucestershire), G. Anthony (Gloucestershire), I.D. Thompson (Exeter) and Mrs. M.E.E. Clarke (Cornwall). These winners are joined by P.H. Clarke (Cornwall) for the zone final and will compete for one place in the 1981 British Championships.

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V.A.T. AND THE B.C.F.

Readers of the B.C.F. Newsflash will have seen the article entitled "Vatman Robbing" in the December issue, warning chess organisers that they may be liable to pay V.A.T. in 1981. True, from the 1st January competition entry fees are liable to V.A.T. - but only if the turnover of the organisation concerned exceeds £13,500.00 in one year!

It is stated in Newsflash that if income from one quarter exceeds £4,000 it becomes necessary to register for V.A.T. - and then, if the income does not in fact exceed £13,500 for the year one has then to de-register!

My local V.A.T. official disagrees with this. In fact, he says that the last thing Customs and Excise want is for people to be registering and de-registering. I quote from the relevant leaflet :-

"As from 27 March 1980 a person who is not registered for VAT but who makes taxable supplies in the course of furtherance of any business carried on by him will be liable to be registered -

(a) at any time if there are reasonable grounds for believing that the total taxable turnover of all his business activities will be more than £13,500 in the next 12 months: OR

(b) if at the end of any calendar quarter (31 March, 30 June, 30 September 31 December) the total taxable turnover of all his business activities has exceeded either of the following limits:

- £ 4,000 in the last calendar quarter
- £13,500 in the last 4 calendar quarters

BUT HE IS NOT LIABLE IF THE COMMISSIONERS OF CUSTOMS AND EXCISE ARE SATISFIED THAT HIS TAXABLE TURNOVER IN THE PERIOD CONCERNED AND THE REMAINDER OF THE YEAR WILL NOT EXCEED £13,500."

Joan Parker.

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WEST OF ENGLAND JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

All readers are reminded that the West of England Junior Championships for boys and girls will be held at West Buckland School, West Buckland, Nr. Barnstaple, N. Devon, on May 23 - 25th, 1981.

All Junior Secretaries will be circularised in February/March giving full details and particulars. The Congress will be controlled by David Jarrett, the BCF Director for Junior Chess. As this is a complete innovation it is hoped that full support will be given by all Counties.

Ralph Newman,  
Congress Director.

CHANGE OF DATE

The North Devon Congress will be held at the Woolacombe Bay Hotel, Woolacombe, on April 24 - 26th, 1981. This year the grades for the two tournaments will be :-

**TAW TOURNAMENT:** For players graded 200 and below (Junior~~s~~ under 18 on 30th Sept., 1980, 190 and below). Prizes £100, £60, £30.

**TORRIDGE TOURNAMENT:** For players graded 135 and below (Juniors 125). Prizes £80, £50, £25.

Full particulars and entry forms enclosed with this edition. Further copies may be obtained from Mr. W.K. Jones, 6 Glebe Meadow, Holsworthy, Devon.

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Extract from the entry from of a well-known National Congress :-

".... All players on arrival must report to the Security Officer who, having satisfied himself that no illegal micro chess aids are being worn, will issue a certificate to that effect. After security clearance the player will check in with the controller and produce the following documents :-

1. License to play chess.
2. Certificate of grade.
3. B.C.F. registration certificate.
4. Chess identity card.
5. Congress license (an endorsement on this will incur the player in paying double entrance fees).

.... During playing sessions all competitors are warned that the slightest infringement of any rule will be an endorsable offence ...."

ANON

(Funny is it? - Just you wait and see - ED).

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W.E.C.U. EASTER CONGRESS 1981.

The 30th Easter Congress will be held this year at Winchester starting on Thursday, April 16th and ending on Monday April 20th.

There will be six sections - 1. Championship. 2. Challengers. 3. Reserves  
4. Open. 5. Ladies. 6. All play all.

Full particulars and entry forms may be obtained from the Congress Secretary :-

Mr. A.C. Brown  
10, Cavendish Road,  
Bristol, BS9 4DZ.

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THE COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIPS

As usual, off to a brisk start and how nice to see Hampshire back again.  
Full results to date are as follows :-

ENGLISH COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP

<u>DORSET 6½</u>		v	<u>SOMERSET 9½</u>	
S.J. Shutler	198	0 - 1	M. Truran	194
G. Windebank	186	0 - 1	J. Whitcutt	191
M. Isaacs	183	1 - 0	M.R. Sellars	179
R.H.K. Mann	180	½ - ½	T. Headlong	174
R. Pegg	175	0 - 1	R.J. Gregory	172
Dr. P. Merrett	173	1 - 0	R.W. Gregory	168
S. Chivers	169	0 - 1	D. Rowe	162
R. Valentine	160	1 - 0	B. Gosling	159
F.C. Kingdon	166	0 - 1	D. Littlejohns	157
J. Valmsley	163	½ - ½	H.G. Thomas	156
T. Shield	164	1 - 0	P. Telfer	156
R. Burton	161	½ - ½	D. Holmes	154
T. Simms	159	0 - 1	T. Mowlem	156
G.B. Henks	157	0 - 1	R. Puchades	
B.T. Morris	149	0 - 1	G. Miller	154
B. Hirsch	147	1 - 0	G.N. Jepps	152

<u>HAMPSHIRE 9</u>		v	<u>SOMERSET 7</u>	
F.K. Wells	196	0 - 1	M. Truran	194
A.F. Brameld	197	1 - 0	T. Headlong	174
D.V. Bell	186	½ - ½	R.W. Gregory	168
A. Reeve	181	1 - 0	J.L.A. Borkowski	158
S.D. Bell	179	1 - 0	C.E. Winch	168
P. Miller	178	1 - 0	D. Rowe	162
J.A. Welch	178	½ - ½	D. Littlejohns	157
M.L. Newbury	172	1 - 0	P. Telfer	156
J. Corfield	175	0 - 1	G. Miller	154
D.E. Bower	176	½ - ½	D. Holmes	154
A.R. Cullinane	175	½ - ½	T. Mowlem	156
M.J. Buckmaster	172	0 - 1	G.N. Jepps	152
P. Hackman	173	0 - 1	D. Stone	151
J.T. Ward	174	1 - 0	A. Hibbitt	151
D. Smith	162	0 - 1	J.E. Fewkes	150
S. Dean	160	1 - 0	D. Woodruff	150

<u>GLOUCESTERSHIRE 13</u>		v	<u>WILTSHIRE 3</u>	
A.B. Ashby	206	1 - 0	J. Tuck	192
G. Anthony	190J	½ - ½	M. Spindler	172
S.P. Finn	193	1 - 0	D. Perrott	118
Dr. J.M. Aitken	189	½ - ½	S. Zeidler	164
M.E. Burn	189	½ - ½	J. Mercy	
M.E. Binks	187	0 - 1	D. Ward	159
J.R. Boyce	186	½ - ½	B. Walker	156
T. Mordue	184	1 - 0	D. Bethell	151
D.O. Collier	181	1 - 0	A. Manning	144J
D.C. Osborne	181	1 - 0	W. Bruges	143
K.W. Derrick	179	1 - 0	P. Hopkins	142
A. Easton	174	1 - 0	M. Zeilder	140J
P. Dodwell	173	1 - 0	D. Heywood	132
M. Levene		1 - 0	R. Allen	126
R. Johnson	160	1 - 0	Mrs. C. Williams	118
S. Maggs		1 - 0	Mrs. E. Hartford	112

<u>CORNWALL 5½</u>		v	<u>HAMPSHIRE 10½</u>			
P.H. Clarke	205	1/2	-	1/2	A.F. Brameld	197
D.A. McFarlane	189	0	-	1	D.W. Bell	186
K.W. Lloyds	191	0	-	1	S.D. Bell	179
R.J. Grime	167	0	-	1	P. Miller	178
P.J. Williams	161	1/2	-	1/2	D.E. Bower	176
J.G.S. Menadue	159	1	-	0	A.R. Cullinane	175
B.H. Turner	171	0	-	1	J. Corfield	175
J. Mantle	155	1	-	0	J.T. Ward	174
M.E.E. Clarke	158	0	-	1	P. Hackman	173
A.W. Busby	150	0	-	1	M. Newbury	172
C. Cable	151	1/2	-	1/2	P.L. Marshall	165
C. Stace	146J	1/2	-	1/2	S. Dean	160
M. Taylor	156	1/2	-	1/2	N. Smith	156
R. Saines	150	1/2	-	1/2	L.C. Walters	154
D.J. Barnes	136	1/2	-	1/2	A.D. Crossin	154
A.D. Meakes	141	0	-	1	M.J. Hampton	153

<u>SOMERSET 10</u>		v	<u>WILTSHIRE 6</u>			
M.R. Sellars	179	0	-	1	J. Tuck	192
M. Poolke	177	1/2	-	1/2	R. Webb	168
R. Northage	174	1/2	-	1/2	S. Ziedler	164
R.J. Gregory	172	1/2	-	1/2	J. Mercy	160
C.R. Chambers	171	1/2	-	1/2	D. Ward	159
R.W. Gregory	168	1/2	-	1/2	B. Walker	156
J.R. Borkowski	158	1/2	-	1/2	L. White	154
C.E. Winch	168	1	-	0	D. Bethall	151
D. Rowe	162	1	-	0	M. Morton	144
T. Vallis	160	1	-	0	A. Manning	144
B. Gosling	159	0	-	1	Maj. Bruges	143
D. Littlejohns	158	1	-	0	D. Hopkins	142
D. Holmes	154	0	-	1	D. Verdell	140
G.N. Jepps	152	1	-	0	M. Ziedler	140
A. Hibbitt	151	1	-	0	R. Allen	126
J.E. Fewkes	150	1	-	0	Mrs. Hartford	112

<u>DORSET 4½</u>		v	<u>HAMPSHIRE 11½</u>			
S.J. Shutler	198	1/2	-	1/2	A.F. Brameld	197
G.H. Bennett	211	1	-	0	K.D. Gregory	190
M. Cowling	186	1/2	-	1/2	D.W. Bell	186
G. Windebank	186	1/2	-	1/2	S.D. Bell	179J
M. Isaacs	183J	1/2	-	1/2	P. Miller	178
R.H.K. Mann	180	1/2	-	1/2	D.E. Bower	176
E. Wilson	182	0	-	1	A. Cullinane	175
M. Dann	177	0	-	1	J. Corfield	175
R.M. Pegg	175	0	-	1	P. Hackman	173
S. Chivers	169	0	-	1	M. Newbury	172
D.W. Lock	175	0	-	1	M. Buckmaster	172
F.C. Kingdon	166	0	-	1	I. Stenhouse	165
D. Needham	166	1/2	-	1/2	D. Smith	162
J. Valmsley (Def)		0	-	1	S. Dean	160
T. Sheild	163J	1/2	-	1/2	N. Smith	156
D.P. Lock	169	0	-	1	L.C. Walters	154

<u>DEVON 11½</u>		v	<u>WILTSHIRE 3½</u>	
G.W. Wheeler	184	1 - 0	M. Spindler	172
A.R.B. Thomas	195	0 - 1	R. Tebb	
S. Brown		1 - 0	S. Ziedler	164
I. Thompson	196	0 - 1	J. Mercy	
J. Wheeler		1 - 0	D. Ward	159
B.W.R. Hewson	180	1 - 0	B. Walker	156
T.F. Thynne	172	1 - 0	D. Bethall	151
S. Dilleigh	174	½ - ½	M. Morton	144
R. Lingham	168	1 - 0	D. Heywood	132
R. Pritchard		½ - ½	P. Hopkins	142
A.F. Footner	153	1 - 0	M. Ziedler	140J
R.M. Bruce	164	½ - ½	R. Allen	126
Default			Default	
M. Rossiensky	156J	1 - 0	Mrs. C. Williams	118
B.W. Clapp	155	1 - 0	D. Perrott	118
C. Rigby	170	1 - 0	Default	

<u>DEVON 10</u>		v	<u>CORNWALL 6</u>	
G.W. Wheeler	184	0 - 1	P.H. Clarke	205
G. Lane	191J	1 - 0	D.A. McFarlane	189
A.R.B. Thomas	195	0 - 1	K.W. Lloyd	191
S. Brown		1 - 0	R.J. Grime	167
J. Wheeler		0 - 1	P.J. Williams	161
I. Thompson	196	1 - 0	J.F.S. Menadue	159
B.W.R. Hewson	180	½ - ½	J. Mantle	155
A. Swift	179	1 - 0	Mrs. M.E.E. Clarke	158
S. Dilleigh	174	½ - ½	A. Busby	150
R. Lingham	168	1 - 0	D.J. Merry	
P. Pritchard		½ - ½	M. Taylor	156
R.M. Bruce	164	½ - ½	K.G.P. Gunnell	147
C. Rigby	170	1 - 0	R.P. Fry	149
A.F. Footner	153	1 - 0	A.D. Meakes	141
C. Smith	159J	1 - 0	R.M. Saines	150
C. Lowe	156J	0 - 1	D.J. Barnes	136

<u>GLOUCESTERSHIRE 11</u>		v	<u>CORNWALL 4 + 1A</u>	
A.P. Ashby	206	½ - ½	P.H. Clarke	205
S.P. Finn	193	½ - ½	D. McFarlane	189
Dr. J.M. Aitken	189	0 - 1	K. Lloyd	191
J.R. Boyce	186	½ - ½	R.J. Grime	167
T. Mordue	184	1 - 0	P.J. Williams	161
P.J. Meade	183	A - A	J. Menadue	159
C. Jones	183	1 - 0	Mrs. M.E.E. Clarke	158
D.C. Osborne	181	1 - 0	J. Mantle	155
J.M. Will		1 - 0	C. Stace	146
K.W. Derrick	179	1 - 0	M. Taylor	156
M.S. Davies	175	½ - ½	S. Saines	150
P. Dodrell	173	1 - 0	D. Barnes	136
R.O. Powis	168	½ - ½	A. Meakes	141
P.F. Day	165	1 - 0	G. Faulkner	137
S. Rice	165	½ - ½	A. Barkhuysen	124
C. Weeks	154	1 - 0	S. Farning	123

MINOR COUNTIES CHAMPIONSHIP

<u>DORSET 8½</u>		v	<u>HAMPSHIRE 7½</u>	
T. Simms	159	0 - 1	A.D. Crossin	154
R. Burton	161	½ - ½	M. Hampton	153J
R. Valentine	160	1 - 0	M. Fithyan	151
P.N. Wilson	161J	1 - 0	W.H. Silber	146
C.B. Jenks	157J	0 - 1	M. Baker	145
M. Bolton	164	0 - 1	R.C. Clarke	144
D.D. Roberts	157	0 - 1	J. Evans	142
D.K. Bevis	157	0 - 1	J.F. Bell	142
Dr. J. Tilney-				
Bassett	151	½ - ½	Miss G. Moore	140
B. Hirsch	147J	1 - 0	S.P. LeFevre	131
M.J. Roth	148	0 - 1	K. Reed	130
B.T. Morris	149	1 - 0	A. Daley	128
I. Clarke	147	½ - ½	P. George	122
J. Catchpole	148	1 - 0	T. Marsh	120
C. Romero	143	1 - 0	D. Butcher	116
E.W. Chandler	148	1 - 0	R. Prince	115

<u>HAMPSHIRE 10½</u>		v	<u>SOMERSET 5½</u>	
N. Smith	156	1 - 0	Default	
L.C. Walters	154	1 - 0	D.C. Wood	149
A.D. Crossin	154	1 - 0	P. Johnson	145
M. Baker	145	½ - ½	R. Maishman	145
Default		0 - 1	A.P. Mayne	142
W.H. Silber	146	1 - 0	P. Prevatt	144
R.C. Clarke	144	0 - 1	N. Johnson	140
J.J. Evans	142	1 - 0	M. Biggs	106
J.D. King	142	0 - 1	B. Francis	128
Moore Miss G.	140	1 - 0	A. Ruston	126
Quantrell J.	141	1 - 0	A. Hill	114
G.L. Pritchard	142	1 - 0	W. Thorpe	121
J.F. Bell	142	1 - 0	P. Foster	119
K. Reed	130	0 - 1	J. Bull	112
P. George	122	1 - 0	D. Bowen	108
T. Marsh	120	0 - 1	R. Carr	101

<u>CORNWALL 6½</u>		v	<u>HAMPSHIRE 9½</u>	
C. Tylor		0 - 1	M. Fithyan	151
A. Barkhuysen	124	½ - ½	P.G. Stevenson	146
S. Fanning	123	½ - ½	W.H. Silber	146
M. Adams	101J	½ - ½	G.L. Pritchard	142
I. Pilling	122	0 - 1	J.J. Evans	142
A. Pilling	115J	1 - 0	J.F. Bell	142
D. Burleigh	119J	0 - 1	J.D. King	142
A. Hooker	116	0 - 1	J. Quantrell	141
C. Barrell	117	½ - ½	G. Moore Miss	140
G. Wells		½ - ½	S.D. LeFevre	131
J. Tatum	103	0 - 1	K. Reed	130
P. Lucas		1 - 0	G. Garside	124
P. Gill	106	½ - ½	P. George	122
E. Seaby		0 - 1	S. Prince Miss	122
S. Leaver		1 - 0	Butcher D.	116
M. Crouse	68J	½ - ½	R. Prince	115

<u>DEVON 12</u>		v	<u>CORNWALL 4</u>	
R. Cotton	152J	1 - 0	Default	
D. McCarthy	155J	1 - 0	D. Gunn	143
C. Archer-Lock	158	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	V. Van Der Velde	
M. Rosseinsky	156J	1 - 0	J. Hampton	128
K.S. Schofield	147	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	C. Tylor	
Mrs. R.M. Bruce	149	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	A. Barkhuysen	124
J. Parker	148	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	M. Adams	101J
E.G. Sparke	150	1 - 0	T. Jones	
S. Landon	147	0 - 1	S. Fanning	123
R. Luffman	139	1 - 0	P. Burleigh	
L. Guard	136	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	I. Pilling	122
N. Crickmore	133J	1 - 0	D. Pilling	115J
C. Hawthorne	139J	1 - 0	A. Hooker	116
M. Hughes	140J	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	G. Wells	
J. Ridolfu	134	1 - 0	S. Leaver	
A. Page	113	1 - 0	Default	

<u>GLOUCESTERSHIRE 12</u>		v	<u>CORNWALL 4</u>	
R.J. Johnson	160	1 - 0	M. Adams	101
S. Maggs		1 - 0	C. Lydgate	108
J.C. Barron		$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	G. Wells	
R.J. Dixon	167	1 - 0	J. Carlyon	105
A.H. Williams	156	1 - 0	P. Gill	106
K. Richardson	152	1 - 0	D. Lucas	
A.R. Bentley	151	1 - 0	J. Tatum	103
E.W. Joce	150	1 - 0	A. Hooker	116
D.H.T. Spencer	148	1 - 0	I. Pilling	122
J. Gorgol	142	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	S. Leaven	
J.R. Farr	153	1 - 0	S. Robins	
A. Richards	140	1 - 0	D. Burleigh	119
J.C.B. Date	135	0 - 1	S. Clarke	97
J. Knight	136	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	A. Jordan	92
C.D. New	130	0 - 1	M. Crouse	68
K.D. Markey	128	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	C. Sellwood	63

<u>DORSET 5</u>		v	<u>SOMERSET 10 + 1A</u>	
Dr. J. Tilney-Bassett	151	0 - 1	D. Stone	151
J. Catchpole	148	0 - 1	A. Hibbitt	151
A. Baxter	148	0 - 1	J.E. Fewkes	150
I. Clark	147	1 - 0	D. Woodruff	150
P. Dearlove	148	1 - 0	J.E.R. Kilby	150
C. Romero	143	0 - 1	M. Barber	150
M. Edwards		1 - 0	D.C. Wood	149
P. Edgington		$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	B.T. King	149
P. Colmer		$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	P. Helbig	148
W. Shutler	122	$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	R. Maishman	145
J. Harris	124	A - A	A.P. Mayne	142
Ms. M. goodwin	113	0 - 1	P. Prevatt	144
P. Edgar		0 - 1	A. Exton	134
S. Willey		$\frac{1}{2}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$	N. Johnson	140
S. Turner		0 - 1	R.G. Gray	139
B.D.A. Parker		0 - 1	A. Hill	114

GRADING LIST 1980 ADDITIONS

<u>1980</u> <u>Grade</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Club</u>
134	Hellyar, S.J.	Southampton
66 J	Pearson, J.	Thornbury
90 J	Thomas, D.	Thornbury
99	Heeler, G.L.	Keynsham
136	Collier, M.J.	Bristol Cabot
123	House, M.J.	Bristol Phoenix
81	Chapman, R.	" "
138	C.M.B. Tylor	Poltair
115 J	Vane, P.	"
113 J	Wells, G.	"
111 J	Leaver, S.	"
98 J	Osborne, S.	"
81 J	Williams, A.	"
80 J	Odgers, D.	"
82 J	Hawthorne, P.	Palace

CORRECTIONS

115	Dennis, J.F.	Swindon Libraries
105+	Hocking, D.	Bristol Thornbury
136+	PEarce, H.R.	Plymouth

Mr. J. Dennis of Swindon Libraries is now deleted from the list.

"J" should be appended to the names of the following :-

P. Ashton, S. Brich, D. Bolton (not Boulton), N. Harvey and S. Wright of Thornbury.

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	<u>Formerly</u>	<u>Now</u>
Cornwall :	2	3
Devon :	6	5
Dorset:	4	3
Gloucestershire :	5	6
Hampshire :	5	4
Somerset :	4	5
Wiltshire :	2	2
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