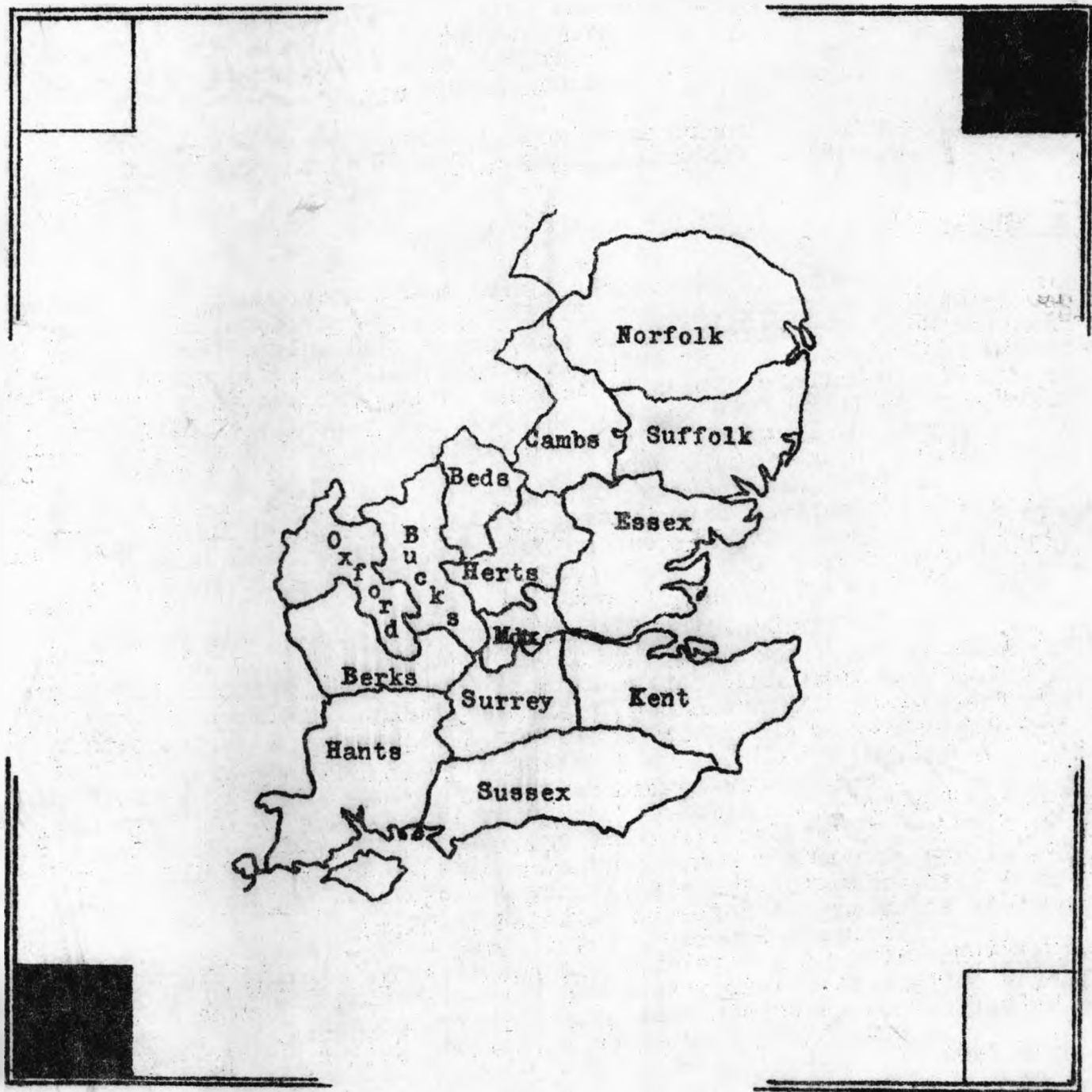


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EDITORIAL

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~~and~~ Although the season for the various inter county competitions drawing to a close, I have NOT YET RECEIVED any detailed scores from the Match Captains of Essex and Surrey, and only a few details from Oxfordshire. May I ask readers belonging to these three counties to urge their match captains to send me the individual scores of all their matches soon after they are played. As a result of this lack of co-operation, I am unable to give any details of the Essex v Surrey match played about a month ago.

I have just received notice of the fact that there will be a Congress at Folkestone this Easter. It will be held at the Town Hall Folkestone and full details can be obtained from Mr. Len Spain, 146 Gladstone Road, Deal Kent. Play from 27th to 30th March - see page 8 for other Easter Congresses .

The Clair Benedict Tournament is being held this year at Paignton, Devon, from the 6th to the 10th April. This is the first time this International Tournament has been held in Britain, and teams from Austria, the Netherlands, Spain, Switzerland and West Germany will also compete. The British team is:- Dr J Penrose, W R Hartston, P N Lee and M J Corden, with H Golombek acting as team captain.

M J Corden certainly deserves his place in the British team. At an "Under 25" International Tournament in December at Bad Pyrmont West Germany, he finished equal first with Velickovic (Yugo Slavia) with eleven points and won the event on tie breaking. He also won a Best Game prize for the win against Valickovic. At the Hastings Congress a few days later he defeated Smyslov!

Miss Dinah Dobson, joint British Lady Champion, recently visited Norwich and gave a simultaneous display, winning eight and losing one game. This was followed by a Lightning Tournament, which Miss Dobson won, scoring seven wins in seven rounds.

I would like some games to include in the UNION CHESS FARE.
Any offers?

25th February 1970

G W Henlen
Hon: Editor

S C C U MATCH RESULTS

First of all corrections in some of the results already published. In the Middlesex v Sussex match, the Sussex player on board 26 was A J Dommett.

In the Sussex v Hampshire match, the game on board 4 was drawn so the results were:-

Championship - Sussex $8\frac{1}{2}$ Hampshire $11\frac{1}{2}$
Amboyna Shield - $23\frac{1}{2}$ $26\frac{1}{2}$

Three Sussex names were given incorrectly. Corrections are:- Board 14 W E McDevitt, Board 21 P R Selby and Board 42 C M Damazer

The final score of the Buckinghamshire v Sussex Amboyna Shield match was $14\frac{1}{2}$ to $35\frac{1}{2}$.

These corrections reached me recently from the Sussex Captain F P E Green - who has unfortunately had a heavy bout of 'flu which had prevented his sending in some results. I am very pleased to learn that he is now better. The corrections made necessary by my getting news from only one team does show the need for both match captains to send in results.

Another match captain who has been ill is F B Roberts of Hertfordshire, who has been in hospital - with pneumonia. He is now recovering and we hope he will soon be well.

Oxfordshire v Berkshire Final scores were:-

Championship: Oxfordshire $12\frac{1}{2}$ Berkshire $7\frac{1}{2}$
Amboyna Shield: $30\frac{1}{2}$ $17\frac{1}{2}$

Oxfordshire won on boards 11 and 41
drew on boards 6 and 30
lost on board 15

SUSSEX		v	ESSEX		Played on 1st November:		Amboyna Shield		
1	G J Nicholas	0	D Sherman	0	26	J A Knott	0	E Peacock	1
2	J I P Simpoleon	$\frac{1}{2}$	M W Wills	$\frac{1}{2}$	27	S Graham Kent	0	D Elmes	1
3	G H James	1	K M Oliff	0	28	B J Sherrell	0	M C Bramwell	1
4	K L Gardner	$\frac{1}{2}$	P W Hempson	$\frac{1}{2}$	29	D C Leach	1	R H Langenham	0
5	G A Hollis	0	I A Friedlander	1	30	G M Brace	$\frac{1}{2}$	M T O'Connell	$\frac{1}{2}$
6	B Thomas	0	I B N Smith	1	31	H Sellak	0	I Hunnable	1
7	L J Cannon	0	R F Harman	1	32	default	0	F E Lane	1
8	J D Thornton	$\frac{1}{2}$	Dr K D Sales	$\frac{1}{2}$	33	J Valler	$\frac{1}{2}$	R Hatch	$\frac{1}{2}$
9	A G Stubbs	0	J T Pascoe	1	34	J G Isted	0	L Hargen	1
10	A P R Lewis	1	H I Woolverton	0	35	Miss P Garland	$\frac{1}{2}$	R Asch	$\frac{1}{2}$
11	K F Homeyard	$\frac{1}{2}$	J M Kalinsky	$\frac{1}{2}$	36	L Winter	1	D G Cavian	0
12	A B Bamford	0	C F J Harding	1	37	M Rubin	1	R Griffiths	0
13	A H Palmer	$\frac{1}{2}$	R Watts	$\frac{1}{2}$	38	S Mansfield	1	C Mamage	0
14	W A S Watson	0	J B Hawson	1	39	D E Johnson	0	R Latter	1
15	G A Rain	0	K Escott	1	40	T Towner	1	A J Quare	0
16	P R Selby	$\frac{1}{2}$	J V Ripp	$\frac{1}{2}$	41	F P E Green	1	D H Inrie	0
17	B Beavis	$\frac{1}{2}$	G B Smith	$\frac{1}{2}$	42	P Harvey	1	J Mason	0
18	A J Dommett	0	A J Brooks	1	43	Miss A Gammans	0	M E Grange	1
19	S D East	$\frac{1}{2}$	R Heppinstall	$\frac{1}{2}$	44	J G Shotter	$\frac{1}{2}$	A F Scibor	$\frac{1}{2}$
20	P E Monkhouse	0	J R Priestley	1	45	C H Evill	0	R Franklin	1
21	default	0	T H George	1	46	G Colin-Jones	0	D Dennis	1
22	P I Wyndham	$\frac{1}{2}$	S Wilkinson	$\frac{1}{2}$	47	P Kirtlan	0	C Stearn	1
23	S O Reed	$\frac{1}{2}$	R Julian	$\frac{1}{2}$	48	D Page	0	E R A Cross	1
24	default	0	R W O'Brien	1	49	Miss D Garland	1	D Shor	0
25	J Lambert-Gorwyn	0	F R E Elliott	1	50	E Wilson	$\frac{1}{2}$	W Hawthorn	$\frac{1}{2}$

Final Score :- Essex won $32\frac{1}{2}$ to $17\frac{1}{2}$

HERTFORDSHIRE		v	ESSEX		Played on 13th December at Cheshunt				
1	T B Bennett	0	D Sherman	1	11	G H Davies	0	P Hershman	1
2	T K Hemingway	1	J B Howson	0	12	A Wheatley	1	H I Wolverton	0
3	T Wickens	0	M W Wills	1	13	D J Pearce	$\frac{1}{2}$	R Watts	$\frac{1}{2}$
4	W E B Pryer	$\frac{1}{2}$	R W O'Brien	$\frac{1}{2}$	14	J Cook	1	S M Kalinsky	0
5	P A J Brown	1	I A Friedlander	0	15	P A May	0	J B Hawson	1
6	D G MacDonald	0	P W Hempson	1	16	A Gray	0	J V Ripp	1
7	A P Primett	$\frac{1}{2}$	I B N Smith	$\frac{1}{2}$	17	J A C Borland	$\frac{1}{2}$	K Escott	$\frac{1}{2}$
8	B McCague	0	R F Harman	1	18	C H Watson	$\frac{1}{2}$	J R Priestly	$\frac{1}{2}$
9	A G Burrows	$\frac{1}{2}$	Dr K D Sales	$\frac{1}{2}$	19	J Sharp	0	A J Brooks	1
10	Miss D Dobson	$\frac{1}{2}$	B Halliwell	$\frac{1}{2}$	20	C Cale	1	S Wilkinson	0

21 A Cooper

HERTFORDSHIRE				V	ESSEX (Continued)				
21	A Cooper	1	M Hubbard	0	36	A Simm	0	R L Smith	1
22	W Houpt	1	default	0	37	R Oxborough	0	C Stearn	1
23	K Gregory	0	D Eustace	1	38	H Hurd	0	P Kitson	1
24	S Capsey	0	A Melville	1	39	R Forst	0	R Griffiths	1
25	B A Fewell	1	default	0	40	S Cooley	0	D Smith	1
26	N Lampin	0	R Heppinstall	1	41	E J Leyns	0	R Franklin	1
27	C Lean	1	R Julian	0	42	D Barasi	0	D Dennis	1
28	A Collman	0	J A Spiegel	1	43	D Storey	1	default	0
29	N Willmott	1	J F Lambert	0	44	R Sullivan	1	D H Irvie	1
30	G Ward	1/2	Dr M R Porter	1/2	45	P Board	1	J J Orclay	1
31	A Haberberg	1	P Marx	0	46	G Daniel	1	D G Cavian	1
32	H Palmer	0	R Hatch	1	47	J Stowell	1	B Sannes	0
33	R J Robinson	1	R H Langeham	0	48	B C Hodson	1	D Browning	1
34	G L Houpt	1	M E Grange	0	49	K Sly	0	M Hubbard	1
35	R Hubbard	1/2	H H Calvert	1/2	50	M Roberts	1	S Bush	0

Result:

Championship Essex 11 1/2 Hertfordshire 8 1/2
 Amboyna Shield 27 1/2 22 1/2

KENT		V	HAMPSHIRE		Played at Charlton on 10th January				
1	M MacDonald-Ross	1/2	S Saverymuttu	1/2	11	A K Swift	0	H C R Burdock	1
2	M Fuller	0	J H Jones	1	12	G Pope	0	A C Barton	1
3	M V Lambshire	1/2	D E Lloyd	1/2	13	G P Robinson	0	A Samuels	1
4	N Oliver	0	G H Bennett	1	14	R Bellinger	1/2	P L Marshall	1
5	R R Smith	1/2	M E Ventham	1/2	15	M Pitt	0	B F O'Sullivan	1
6	D J Rogers	0	M W J Thompson	1	16	M J Keesham	1	R M Ellison	0
7	R Johannes	0	P J Patience	1	17	I L Snape	0	A R Cullinane	1
8	S MacDonald-Ross	1/2	M W Johnson	1/2	18	D Radford	1	M W Stone	0
9	M J Reddie	1	D W Lewis	0	19	J G Nicholson	1	B A M Piggott	0
10	P B Cook	1	J Manderson	0	20	J P Somerville	1	I Stenhouse	0

Result: Championship (only) Kent 8 1/2 Hampshire 11 1/2

HERTFORDSHIRE		27	V	SURREY		23			
Amboyna Shield match played in London on 10th January									
1	T K Hemingway	0	R Lancaster	1	26	A Haberberg	0	M H Cath	1
2	J Mitchell	1	D J Masters	0	27	A Collman	1/2	D Luckin	1
3	W E B Pryer	1	D M Andrew	0	28	H Palmer	1/2	D P Willmets	1
4	A G Burrows	1	R C Lynn	0	29	G L Houpt	0	P L Eastwood	1
5	B L McCague	1/2	E L Stuart	1/2	30	R Hubbard	0	N High	1
6	A P Primett	0	R L Stockwell	1	31	A Simm	1/2	R D Barnett	1
7	Miss D Dobson	1/2	T Pelling	1/2	32	J Smailes	1/2	F Winter	1
8	C Squires	0	K F H Inwood	1	33	H Hurd	1	J J Lauder	0
9	A Wheatley	1	W E C Richards	0	34	R Forst	1/2	L Marks	1
10	J Cook	1/2	G C Nurse	1/2	35	W Battell	1/2	L A L Montaut	1
11	D J Pearce	0	J H E Drake	1	36	S Cooley	0	P C Wood	1
12	H Rubin	1/2	J F Wheeler	1/2	37	R Oxborough	1	K Frydman	0
13	P A May	1	P M Shaw	0	38	R Cardoso	0	C E Williams	1
14	J A C Borland	0	H A Marshall	1	39	R J Robinson	1	D W Cay	0
15	C Cale	1/2	A G Cooke	1/2	40	D Storey	1	J D Williams	0
16	A Gray	1/2	H C White	1/2	41	E J Leyns	1	T B West	0
17	C H Watson	1	H G Felce	0	42	R Sullivan	1/2	E A Parker	1
18	A Cooper	0	A C Ashby	1	43	R Talbot	1	M R Harman	0
19	W Houpt	1	M J Lester	0	44	B C Hodson	0	R E James	1
20	B A Fewell	0	M J Taylor	1	45	D Barasi	1	R H Griffiths	0
21	J Sharp	1	P Taylor	0	46	G Daniel	1/2	R Luscombe	1
22	S Capsey	1/2	P Tillson	1/2	47	J Chick	1	R B Price	0
23	N Lampin	1	M Colquhoun	0	48	K Sly	0	G C Lund	1
24	K Gregory	1	R E Mattocks	0	49	G Galfavi	1	G Roberts	0
25	N Willmott	1/2	W Broome	1/2	50	R Rathbone	0	W J Brown	1

Sussex v Berkshire

SUSSEX			V	BERKSHIRE			Played on 17th January at Bognor Regis		
1	G J Nicholas	1	D J Walsh	0	11	A B Bamford	½	D I Stevenson	½
2	J I P Simpole	1	C L Tadiello	0	12	A G Stubbs	1	C R Berry	0
3	Prof D B Scott	1	S A Townsend	0	13	A P R Lewis	0	F L Parker	1
4	G H James	1	F S Woolford	0	14	K F Homeyard	½	G D Pearce	½
5	K L Gardner	1	P A Harris	0	15	Dr A J Leggett	1	M R Thorpe	0
6	J R L Webb	1	E Du Puget	0	16	E Key	0	N H Stewart	1
7	J L Thornton	1	J P Spencer	0	17	C J McArthur	1	K Wyld	0
8	B Thomas	0	J Townsend	1	18	R H Williams	1	J W Rankin	0
9	L J Cannon	½	T J Bean	½	19	A H Palmer	1	P R Taylor	0
10	A Hall	1	J B Parker	0	20	Miss D Garland	0	J A Weeks	1
Championship result: Sussex 14½ Berkshire 5½									
21	W E McDevitt	1	N W Dennis	0	36	F C Cullington	0	M J Corney	1
22	B Beavis	0	T G Pollard	1	37	G A Rain	½	D Tucker	½
23	P N Kingston	1	N A Randall	0	38	J A Knott	0	B Valentine	1
24	J F S Rumble	½	A H Brampton	½	39	B J Sherrell	½	M J Cobb	½
25	P R Selby	1	W H Norris	0	40	C E Southcote	Wantl	D J Finch	0
26	A J Dommett	½	D J Blackman	½	41	P Harvey	½	V J Ballard	½
27	S D East	1	H G Taylor	0	42	Miss P Garland	0	Dr F S Breuer	1
28	C E Cropp	1	K B Hemmings	0	43	J G Isted	1	H F Ryner	0
29	S O Reed	1	M G B Tarrant	0	44	S Mansfield	1	R Green	0
30	P E Monkhouse	0	S R Benedictus	1	45	L T Smale	0	P E Bonner	1
31	B J Knight	1	M Baldwin	0	46	M Rubin	1	G R Waine	0
32	P Watson	1	M Vandera	0	47	L F Grasty	0	J J Looker	1
33	J Scholey	1	A S Willis	0	48	G H Green	1	C E Malden	0
34	D C Leach	½	C Long	½	49	F G Hill	1	W T Borlase	0
35	E J Bowley	1	A Watkin	0	50	L A Palmer	1	default	0
Amboyna Shield result: Sussex 34½ Berkshire 15½									

OXFORDSHIRE			V	BUCKINGHAMSHIRE			Played on 17th January at Bicester		
1	M Corden	½	H Golombek	½	11	P Gregory	1	R C Hopton	0
2	J L Moles	1	B Atkinson	0	12	J Stoye	1	P Porter	0
3	L Blackstock	0	K G Hyde	1	13	G T Jones	0	I C Parkinson	1
4	J N Walker	½	P Acton	0	14	M Daube	1	W Evans	0
5	R Watson	½	Dr E N Bramley	½	15	A Baker	0	J K Jackson	1
6	G A Jones	0	W F Coles	1	16	D Godfrey	½	J Cheetham	½
7	G Burton	½	J Alster	½	17	J C Waldron	½	E Woolford	½
8	P S Kendall	1	A Niedzwiedzki	0	18	A J Wyeth	½	P Niedzwiedzki	½
9	W Turner	½	G Moore	½	19	G J Elkes	1	J Goulding	0
10	Dr G White	½	H D Needham	½	20	A Cummings	0	G Cabaj	1
Championship Result: Oxfordshire 10½ Buckinghamshire 9½									
21	T Ashplant	1	C N E Harris	0	36	G Rockett	1	L Norris	0
22	D K Jones	0	A Wodzianek	1	37	P Hedges	0	J Bryant	1
23	J O'Loughlan	1	P St Quinton	0	38	T E Williams	½	C S Randall	½
24	R A Watts	1	D Lush	0	39	Rev H Taylor	½	D J Turner	½
25	D N Lawrence	0	M Purser	1	40	H Sloan	0	C Floyd	1
26	H Steen	0	H Cookson	1	41	P Craske	½	P Boughton	½
27	H Booth	1	R E Smith	0	42	A Gillimore	½	T Dyer	½
28	B Newgrosh	½	R Marsh	½	43	D Del Nevo	1	B Selden	0
29	A Gravett	1	A Greenwood	0	44	T R S Pavlovic	½	P A Dunning	½
30	D Blake	1	C L Wareham	0	45	R Cherry	½	L Cheshire	½
31	M Atkinson	0	M Scott	1	46	A Collins	1	R R Stoker	0
32	S Dolan	1	D Webb	0	47	T Lewis	0	F Brown	1
33	P Farelley	½	C J Stapley	½	48	A Brewster	0	H Charlett	1
34	T J King	0	G Hickson	1	49	Miss C State	½	W Chamberlain	½
35	N Sczwarcewski	1	R Cattle	0	50	F Wood	1	C Griffiths	0
Amboyna Shield result: Oxfordshire 28 Buckinghamshire 22									

Middlesex v Essex

MIDDLESEX		V	ESSEX	played on 17th January in London					
1	R G Wade	0	Dr J Penrose	1	11	M Szyszkyn	0	P Hershmann	1
2	D B Pritchard	½	D Sherman	½	12	K Weinhold	½	B Halliwell	½
3	H Israel	0	A J Brooks	1	13	Dr G Katz	0	K D Sales	1
4	M Blaine	0	J B Howson	1	14	T T Godwin	½	J R Cooke	½
5	N A Perkins	½	K M Oliff	½	15	M H Hawley	0	D Mustace	1
6	R Fertoszegi	1	P W Hempson	0	16	F E Tinworth	0	J T Pascoe	1
7	P Timson	½	M W Wills	½	17	J Emsley	½	J B Hawson	½
8	T A Landry	½	I A Friedlander	½	18	P Morrey	1	R Watts	0
9	S O N Hawes	1	R F Harman	0	19	A Mazitis	0	H I Woolverton	1
10	K R Ingram	1	I B N Smith	0	20	G D Lee	½	S M Kalinsky	½
Championship result: Middlesex				8	Essex	12			
21	R HughesHallett	1	D A Floyer	0	36	M S Chmielowiec	1	R W O'Brien	0
22	R M Dunnett	0	J V Ripp	1	37	T Pruchnicki	1	N J W Joyce	0
23	A P Law	1	J A Speigel	0	38	S N Hancock	0	C Hatch	1
24	K Schofield	0	K L Escott	1	39	T I Casswell	0	F E Lane	1
25	H B Angel	½	J R Priestley	½	40	T O'Donohue	0	D Elmes	1
26	A Lukowicz	0	M C Bramwell	1	41	N P Wright	1	R H Langenham	0
27	G V Cadden	½	G B Smith	½	42	M J Stapley	0	M T O'Connell	1
28	J E Redon	0	M Hubbard	1	43	S J Groak	½	R Franklin	½
29	R L Barnett	1	M N Hague	0	44	D J Towers	0	R Hatch	1
30	M E Worsley	0	S Wilkinson	1	45	P J Moore	0	Dr M R Porter	1
31	J Burstow	1	A E Robertson	0	46	A G Togwell	0	P Kitson	1
32	M J Rose	0	K W Spurgeon	1	47	B G Locke	0	I Hunnable	1
33	M D Gyton	1	D Smith	0	48	D Besso	1	G Jacobs	0
34	E Szucs	1	F R E Elliott	0	49	J E Dennis	1	C Stearn	0
35	J Walters	½	R Heppinstall	½	50	E Knobloch	1	A J Quare	0
Amboyna Shield result: Middlesex				22	Essex	28			

51	J R Cotterell	½	D G Cannan	½	64	F J Batchelor	½	L Green	½
52	F T Comber	½	R Asch	½	65	J P Foley	1	D H Inrie	0
53	P D Fox	1	B Myers	0	66	J S Speelman	½	D Browning	½
54	R L Fisher	½	A F Scibor	½	67	R Zybert	0	E R A Goss	1
55	G C H King	1	J T Luck	0	68	D Castello	½	A J Eley	½
56	W Eife	1	R Julian	0	69	R Lee	1	D Shor	0
57	A Paul	½	D Newhouse	½	70	D N Foley-Comer	1	S Bush	0
58	R C O'Neale	1	default	0	71	B W Silver	1	J J Oxley	0
59	Miss O Richards	½	J T Lewis	½	72	D G Wayte	½	H J Waterman	½
60	F Trethewey	1	A Fowlie	0	73	H Finlay	1	Dr B Guyster	0
61	H Fraser	1	default	0	74	J W Smith	0	H Hubbard	1
62	J A Buttery	1	B Bullwinkle	0	75	A H Eames	1	W F Hotten	0
63	F G Doyle	1	C F J Green						
Ebony Shield result: Middlesex				40½	Essex	34½			

HAMPSHIRE		V	OXFORDSHIRE	played on 31st January at Reading.					
1	S Saverymuttu	1	G Botterill	0	11	M W Johnson	0	P G N Kendall	1
2	J H Jones	0	A J Whiteley	1	12	T I Cowling	½	J Stone	½
3	D E Lloyd	½	A Hollis	½	13	H C Burdock	1	H Daube	0
4	D K Bevis	0	J Moles	1	14	A C Barton	½	W Turner	½
5	P M Collins	1	L Blackstock	0	15	D H Smith	½	Dr G White	½
6	P J Patience	½	W Linton	½	16	A J Stebbings	1	M N Crombie	0
7	H M Ewans	½	R Watson	½	17	D J McCue	1	R Ermerson	0
8	R W L Moberly	½	A Jones	½	18	D W Lewis	½	D Godfrey	½
9	C R Orchard	1	H Morphy	0	19	A Samuels	1	D T Jones	0
10	D K Browning	1	C Burton	0	20	J Manderson	1	A Cummis	0
Championship result: Hampshire				13	Oxfordshire	7			
21	J E Crewe	1	default	0	36	T H Campbell	1	default	0
22	L C Walters	1	A Baker	0	37	L E Vine	1	R Cherry	0
23	R M Ellison	0	G T Jones	1	38	Capt G P Britton	1	A Collins	½
24	A R Cullinane	1	T Ashplant	0	39	N Graham	½	F Wood	½
25	P L Marshall	1	G Elkes	0	40	J A Bassett	1	Rev H Taylor	0
26	E W Chandler	½	J Waldron	½	41	S L Russell	0	H Sloan	1
27	M E Ventham	1	default	0	42	J Calleja	1	P Craske	0
28	R N K Olding	0	K Gravett	1	43	R C Clark	½	A Gillmore	½
29	M L Newbury	1	R Watts	0	44	S Sriharan	1	default	0
30	M W Stone	0	T Williams	1	45	L F Cotter	½	G Dawson	½

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HAMPSHIRE			V	OXFORDSHIRE (Continued)					
31	A J Sobey	0	G Rockett	1	46	J A Hunt	1	D A del Nevo	0
32	J Morris	1	default	0	47	Mrs S Roper	1	default	0
33	D E Bower	0	S Dolah	1	48	W J Eaton	1	default	0
34	B A M Piggott	1	Dr N Lawrence	0	49	K W Engert	1	default	0
35	Cdr A J Peters	1	H Booth	0	50	M J Eaton	1	default	0

Amboyna Shield result: Hampshire 34½ Oxfordshire 15½

A friendly match between Buckinghamshire and Middlesex was played at Gerrards Cross on 31st January. No player was above 5A Grade and the match was played over 26 boards. Present score Buckinghamshire 14½ Middlesex 9½. ~~I hope to give the full score in this edition.~~

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S C C U RESULTS Championship North

	Game Scores							Handicap result						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Bedfordshire	X		5½	8				X		1	1			
Cambridgeshire		X			(12)	16	19		X			1	1	1
Essex	14½		X	11½	12	12½		0		X	0	1	½	
Hertfordshire	12		8½	X		14		0		1	X		1	
Middlesex		(7)	8		X		20D		0	0		X		1D
Norfolk		4	7½	6		X	15		0	½	0		X	½
Suffolk		1				OD	4	X		0		0	½	X

Championship South

	Game Scores							Handicap result						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Berkshire	X			5½	7½	10½	5½	X				1	1	0
Buckinghamshire		X	6½	6½	8½		8		X	0	1	1		1
Hampshire		13½	X	11½	13	11	11½		1	X	1	1	1	1
Kent	14½	13½	8½	X	9½				0	0	X	0		
Oxfordshire	12½	10½	7	10½	X	11½	7	0	0	0	1	X	1	
Surrey	9½		9		8½	X		0		0		0	X	
Sussex	14½	12	8½		13		X	1	0	0				X

Classifications (for handicap)

North: A Cambridge, Essex and Middlesex

B Herts and Norfolk

C Bedford and Suffolk

South

A Kent, Oxford and Surrey

B Hants and Sussex

C Berks and Bucks

AMBOYNA SHIELD

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Berkshire	X		X		X	(12½)29	17½	24	15½	
Buckinghamshire		X	X	19½	33½	15	X	22	14½	
Essex	X	X	X		27½	19	28	50D(26)	32½	
Hampshire		30½		X	26	X	X	34½	27	26½
Hertfordshire	X	16½	22½	24	X	X		X	27	X
Kent	(35½)	35	31	X	X	X		34		
Middlesex	21	X	22	X			X	25	27½	27
Oxfordshire	30½	28½	OD	15½	X	16	25	X	32½	11½
Surrey	26		(22)	23	23		22½	17½	X	
Sussex	34½	35½	17½	23½	X		23	38½		X

EBONY SHIELD

	1	2	3	4
Essex	X	32	34½	(35½)
Kent	43	X		
Middlesex	40½		X	43
Surrey	(38½)		32	X

These results have been sent to me by Mr R Wilcocks; D means default; scores in brackets are awaiting further adjudications.

JUNIOR CHESS RESULTS

The London Junior Chess Championships (sponsored by the London Chess League) were held at the Islington Green Secondary School, Prebend Street, London, N 1 from 29th December 1969 to 3rd January 1970. There were 412 competitors.

Results:-

- Under 21 Championship: R R Smith 1st; equal 2nd A P Law; P J Stubbs and M J Surtees. (21 competitors)
 Under 18 Championship: 1st J D M Nunn; equal 2nd L Marks; J G Nicholson and J Wright. (61 competitors)
 Under 16 Championship: Equal 1st J P Foley; P Jeffery and S J Thomson (79 competitors)
 Girls' Under 15 Championship: 1st Sarah K Ogden; equal 2nd Elaine Sadler and Julie A Wilson (15 competitors)
 Junior Under 14 Boys Championship: 1st J Kinlay; 2nd J Richards (61 competitors)
 Preliminary Under 12 Boys & Girls Championship: 1st D S C Goodman; equal 2nd J C Benjamin & R C Pearce (119 competitors)
 Minor Under 14 Tournament: 1st S J Whitehouse; equal 2nd: S Clark and P Phillips. (56 competitors)

The Metropolitan Counties Junior Jamboree was held at St Bride Institute on 24th January

Results: Kent 1st with 14 points; 2nd Surrey, 12½ points; 3rd Middlesex 7½ points and 4th Essex with 6 points.

Individual scores were:-

I L Snape(K)	1	B Peacock (E)	0	R N Rose (M)	0	J M D Nunn(S)	1
M P Hubbard(E)	½	E Knobloch(M)	½	J Wright (S)	0	J G Nicholson(K)	1
J P Sommerville(K)	1	R C Dale(M)	0	P Kitson (E)	0	H J Price(S)	1
M E Povah (S)	½	K Spurgeon(E)	½	J E Dennis (M)	½	H Brown(K)	½
M Woloshyn(I)	0	C Hatch (E)	1	J F Segal (K)	1	D J Sewell (S)	0
C Ramage (E)	0	I McAllan (K)	1	L D Marks (S)	1	D Kapur (M)	0
G Botley (K)	1	L Lewis (E)	0	J P Foley (E)	0	K P W Lerner(S)	1
P Harbott (E)	½	J P Hermele (M)	½	D J Robson (S)	1	J S Fry (K)	0
S G Barr (K)	1	P Leung (M)	0	P Marx (E)	1	S A White (S)	0
J M Bennett(S)	0	N Cutler (E)	1	A M Blyth (M)	½	H Dobson (K)	½
J Speelman(M)	½	K Spencer (E)	½	D Gaster (K)	0	P Jeffery (S)	1
J Thorogood (E)	0	S J Thomson (K)	1	D R Sedgwick(S)	1	C Coe (M)	0
J Kinlay (K)	1	P Giller (E)	0	T J Parkes (M)	1	P A Warren (S)	0
R Pooley (E)	½	K R Clark (M)	½	R Doyle (S)	½	D H Powell (K)	½
Z Mehmet (K)	1	I D Watkins (M)	0	R Cliffe (E)	0	R J Allan (S)	1
P M Broad (S)	1	K Pullum (E)	0	R Lee (M)	1	D E Clear (K)	0
I Tye (M)	1	R Linford (E)	0	K J Wicker (K)	1	G Marshall (S)	0
I Patterson (E)	½	P E Humphries (K)	½	R A Black (S)	1	P Gillham (M)	0
A Mozeomdar (K)	1	S Bushill (E)	0	D A Winter (M)	½	D Bhalla (S)	½
K Ramage (E)	0	J Richards (M)	1	R J Stamp (S)	1	D Clarke (K)	0

The Times & Hastings International Congress 1969/70

The Premier Tournament, as usual, had a strong entry of European Grand Masters, and the British representatives were not strong enough to make much of an impression, although M J Corden did well to score a win against the ex-World Champion, V Smyslov. The Challengers' Tournament included quite a number of Southern Counties' players, and right up to the last round it did look as if David Parr of Berkshire, would succeed in winning and thereby getting promotion into the Premier next time. However, in the last round he came up against an old antagonist in M J Franklin (Surrey) who won the game and so allowed the Northern Counties to take the first place in the hands of P R Markland. Franklin is to be congratulated on finishing equal second with O Kinmark of Sweden, whilst D Parr finished equal fourth with H Bohm (Holland) and E Formanek (U S A). Many Southern county players did well in the other tournaments.

For those who wish to participate in Chess Congresses during the coming months, I give on the next page details of several which will take place within the Southern Counties area, and a few which take place elsewhere. The "Congress Secretary" in each case will give you details of the various tournaments which are being arranged, and can also give you details of accommodation available.

CHESS CONGRESSES 1970

I have received details of the following events:

EASTER EVENTS

From 27th March to 30th March

The Southend on Sea Chess Club's 14th Congress will be held at the Civic Centre, Victoria Avenue, Southend. The Congress Secretary is Mr J A Speigel, 28a Boscombe Road, Southend on Sea, Essex. There will be a seven round tournament for the Southend Open Championship with a first prize of £75. Entry Fee £2. Also a Major Tournament (entry fee 25s:0d), a Minor (Entry fee £1) and a Junior Tournament (Entry fee 7s:6d. Play begins at 1.30 pm on Good Friday. In addition the Southern Counties Championship and the Southern Counties Under 18 Championship will be held between selected players. Closing date for entries 14th March.

The Thames Valley Chess League is organising the Hammersmith Chess Congress during the same period. Entry for the seven round Open Swiss is £2:10s. Details and entry forms can be obtained from the Civic Entertainments Officer, Old Town Hall, Fulham Broadway, London S W 6. Closing date 16th March. Mr F A Winter will be the Controller.

From 1st to the 8th April

Mr J N Fishlock-Lomax, who has discontinued the Bognor Regis International Chess Congress, has now organised a CHESSFRIENDS ANNUAL REUNION to be held at the Palonia Hotel, St Aubyns, Hove beginning at 9.30 am on Wednesday the 1st April. The Churchill Memorial Tournament and an Open Swiss Tournament (entry fees £3 and £1:10s respectively) will have prizes in cash, but other tournaments are being arranged where the winners will have trophies and not cash. There will be no tournament entry fees for these competitions, but there is a subscription of thirty shillings for entry into the Congress. Full details can be obtained from Mr J N Fishlock-Lomax, Montrose, 138a New Church Road, Hove, BN3 4JD Sussex. Entries are limited to just over 100, so early application is essential.

From 22nd to 25th May.

The Kinson Community Association will be holding a Spring Chess Congress at "Pelhams" Millhams Road, Kinson, Bournemouth. Play will begin at 6.30 pm on Friday the 22nd. An Open Championship (Entry fee 30s.) and a Major Tournament (Entry fee £1) will be played under the control of Mr G W Kilmister, MBE whose address is: 102 Riverway, Christchurch, Hampshire, to whom all entries for these two tournaments (and fees) should be sent. In addition the Southern Counties Chess Union Championships for those under 16; under 14 and under 12 years of age will be held. Entry fees for each of these competitions (10s) and entries should be sent to Mr C Tribe, 3 Vincent Court, Henley Road, London, N4. There may also be a Hampshire Under 18 Championship.

From the 28th to the 31st August.

~~There will be~~ The Marlow Open Congress and the Thames Valley Congress will take place during this period. Full details later.

OUTSIDE THE S C C U Area there will be the following Congresses.

Dorset Spring Congress from 22nd to 25th May at the Winfrith Social Club. Enquiries and entries should be addressed to Dr P Merritt, Nature Conservancy, Furzebrook Research Station, Wareham Dorset.

British Chess Federation Annual Congress will be held at the University of Warwick, Coventry from August 10th to 22nd. Entries close on 30th June. Full details and entry forms from Mr G H Simmons, 75 Ferry Road, Scunthorpe, Lincolnshire.

The Southport Chess Festival from July 13th to 25th. Full details from Chess, Sutton Coldfield, England.

The Whitby Open Congress from 27th July to 8th August. Details from Dr F B Akeroyd, "Streonshalh" Kyber Pass, Whitby.

The Devon Open Congress at Oldway Mansions, Paignton from 6th to 12th September. Full details from Mr R M Bruce, 10 Western Approach, Plymouth, Devon.

YOU CAN TAKE YOUR CHOICE !

MORE RESULTS - JUST RECEIVED

SUSSEX		V	OXFORDSHIRE		Played in London on 14th February				
1	G J Nicholas	1	A Whiteley	0	11	A B Bamford	1	W Turner	0
2	J I P Simpole	$\frac{1}{2}$	J Moles	$\frac{1}{2}$	12	K F Homeyard	1	G Elkes	0
3	G H James	0	L Blackstock	1	13	R R Kay	1	default	0
4	K L Gardner	$\frac{1}{2}$	J Walker	$\frac{1}{2}$	14	A P R Lewis	1	G T Jones	0
5	G A Hollis	1	W Linton	0	15	P M Stimpson	$\frac{1}{2}$	D Godfrey	$\frac{1}{2}$
6	J D Thornton	$\frac{1}{2}$	T Harding	$\frac{1}{2}$	16	Dr A J Leggett	0	A Cummins	1
7	A Hall	$\frac{1}{2}$	H Morphy	$\frac{1}{2}$	17	E Key	$\frac{1}{2}$	J Waldron	$\frac{1}{2}$
8	B Thomas	0	G Burton	1	18	C J McArthur	0	A Gravett	1
9	L J Cannon	1	P S N Kendall	0	19	A H Palmer	1	A Baker	0
10	A G Stubbs	1	D Openshaw	0	20	R J Ilersic	1	R Watts	0
Championship result: Sussex 13 v Oxfordshire 7									
21	P N Kington	1	default	0	36	J A Knott	0	D del Nevo	1
22	C J McSheehy	1	default	0	37	L T Smale	$\frac{1}{2}$	T Williams	$\frac{1}{2}$
23	E Donovan	1	T Pavlovic	0	38	A H Niedra	1	default	0
24	P Watson	$\frac{1}{2}$	H Booth	$\frac{1}{2}$	39	D C Leach	1	default	0
25	R A Oxenham	0	Rev H Taylor	1	40	F C Cullington	1	default	0
26	J Scholey	1	J McCarthy	0	41	P Harvey	1	default	0
27	P E Monkhouse	1	R Cherry	0	42	J G Isted	1	default	0
28	P I Wyndham	1	H Sloan	0	43	C M Damazer	1	default	0
29	B J Knight	0	A Evans	1	44	G M Brace	1	default	0
30	M Ternouth	1	default	0	45	J D Coombes	1	default	0
31	M K Beglin	1	F Wood	0	46	Miss D Garland	1	default	0
32	D Gutteridge	1	M Dear	0	47	Miss P Garland	1	default	0
33	S G Kent	$\frac{1}{2}$	B Carter	$\frac{1}{2}$	48	T Towner	1	default	0
34	S Mansfield	1	A Gilmore	0	49	P Cattermole	1	default	0
35	M Rubin	1	C Barry	0	50	Miss A Gammans	1	default	0
Amboyna Shield Result: Sussex 38 $\frac{1}{2}$ v Oxfordshire 11 $\frac{1}{2}$									

KENT		V	BERKSHIRE		played on 14th February				
1	M MacdonaldRoss	$\frac{1}{2}$	P V Byway	$\frac{1}{2}$	11	S MacdonaldRoss	1	default	0
2	M Fuller	0	J M Craddock	1	12	P B Cook	$\frac{1}{2}$	J P Spencer	$\frac{1}{2}$
3	M V Lambshire	$\frac{1}{2}$	D J Walsh	$\frac{1}{2}$	13	R Johannes	1	M Young	0
4	P S MilnerBarryl	1	K O Ballard	0	14	J Sellens	0	J B Parker	1
5	A Trangmar	$\frac{1}{2}$	L W Prescott	$\frac{1}{2}$	15	R Bellinger	$\frac{1}{2}$	D I Stevenson	$\frac{1}{2}$
6	R R Smith	1	C L Tadiello	0	16	G P Robinson	1	F L Parker	0
7	M J Bulford	1	S A Townsend	0	17	Canon A E Smith	1	D H Butler	0
8	N Oliver	1	J Townsend	0	18	D Rodford	1	H H Stewart	0
9	M J Reddie	$\frac{1}{2}$	T J Bean	$\frac{1}{2}$	19	J G Nicholson	1	J A Weeks	0
10	D J Rogers	1	P A Harris	0	20	G Pope	$\frac{1}{2}$	A H Brampton	$\frac{1}{2}$
Championship result: Kent 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ Berkshire 5 $\frac{1}{2}$									
21	R G Ewell	1	J W Rankin	0	36	J A Dodgson	1	H G Taylor	0
22	K F Champion	1	P R Taylor	0	37	K Staines	$\frac{1}{2}$	A S Willis	$\frac{1}{2}$
23	M Singleton	1	S R Benedictus	0	38	A Torn	1	H L Brown	0
24	J P Somerville	1	P B Sarson	0	39	P Hannan	0	Dr S J Green	1
25	I L Snape	1	N A Randall	0	40	A J Sheriff	1	M Pike	0
26	J Allan	1	M J Corney	0	41	M Brown	1	V J Ballard	0
27	M Pitt	1	K Wyld	0	42	E G Creek	$\frac{1}{2}$	R Glinn	$\frac{1}{2}$
28	H Bitton	1	default	0	43	J Segal	1	J J Looker	0
29	A Harris	1	P E Bonner	0	44	L A Trangmar	0	H Hault	1
30	C Chapman	0	C R Berry	1	45	D C Oram	1	J L Ralston	0
31	R G Ambler	$\frac{1}{2}$	M J Duck	$\frac{1}{2}$	46	H D Hancock	1	H F Rymer	0
32	A D Burgess	$\frac{1}{2}$	C Long	$\frac{1}{2}$	47	J H McKenzie Finch	$\frac{1}{2}$	C E Malden	$\frac{1}{2}$
33	G F Steele	1	K B Hemmings	0	48	H T Jones	1	P Mackie	0
34	D J Brown	$\frac{1}{2}$	R A Brown	$\frac{1}{2}$	49	F S Pett	1	Cunningham	0
35	M S Hickox	0	W H Norris	1	50	S Thomson	1	default	0
Amboyna Shield result: Kent 35 $\frac{1}{2}$ Berkshire 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ with two for adjudication									

Buckinghamshire

<u>BUCKINGHAMSHIRE</u>		V	<u>BEDFORDSHIRE</u>			
Played at Aylesbury 14th February for the FLEMING TROPHY						
1	W G L Adaway	1	D A Curtis	0	11 P Porter	1 J C Jones
2	B Atkinson	1	R S Jones	0	12 J K Jackson	1 I Cordon
3	K G Hyde	1	W A Cordon	0	13 W Evans	1 P Read
4	W F Coles		C W Johns		14 U O Avelaid	1 T Sweby
5	J Alster	1	default	0	15 J D Cheetham	1 default
6	A Niedzwiedzki	$\frac{1}{2}$	R Parry	$\frac{1}{2}$	16 K Keen	0 N Staddon
7	G Moore	1	A D Perkins	0	17 E W Woolford	1 W O Stowe
8	H D Needham	0	S J Taylor	1	18 G Cabaj	1 J Gammans
9	E B Sandercock	$\frac{1}{2}$	A Walley	$\frac{1}{2}$	19 R E Smith	1 A Gregory
10	R C Hopton	$\frac{1}{2}$	F Eaton	$\frac{1}{2}$	20 H Cookson	$\frac{1}{2}$ T Fuller
Trophy result: Buckinghamshire 15) with one game						
Bedfordshire 4) being adjudicated						

<u>BUCKINGHAMSHIRE</u>		V	<u>MIDDLESEX</u>		(Friendly match played at Gerrards Cross on 31st January (No player above 5A grade))	
1	W F Coles	1	G V Cadden	0	14 D C Stevenson	1 S F Hancock
2	A Niedzwiedzki	$\frac{1}{2}$	M J Rose	$\frac{1}{2}$	15 G Cabaj	1 T V Parrott
3	G Moore	0	E Szucs	1	16 C N E Harris	1 D N Foley Comer
4	H D Needham	1	T J O'Donohue	0	17 J Goulding	0 R Swami
5	E B Sandercock	1	H B Angel	0	18 D Lush	$\frac{1}{2}$ D G Wayte
6	R C Hopton	0	J Walters	1	19 M Purser	1 J J Glover
7	P Porter	$\frac{1}{2}$	J Dennis	$\frac{1}{2}$	20 R E Smith	1 W W Winsch
8	I C Parkinson	0	J E Redon	1	21 R Gilbert	1 A J McNaughton
9	J K Jackson	$\frac{1}{2}$	A R Paul	$\frac{1}{2}$	22 R Marsh	$\frac{1}{2}$ G Dellor
10	J D Cheetham	0	G A G Speechly	1	23 M Scott	1 J H Bush
11	P Niedzwiedzki	0	D J Towers	1	24 N Clark	$\frac{1}{2}$ A J Wicken
12	K Keen	1	J Foley	0	25 J C Saunders	0 F J Batchelor
13	E Woolford	1	J R Cotterell	0	26 A G Togwell	$\frac{1}{2}$ W Walsingham
Result: Buckinghamshire 15 $\frac{1}{2}$ Middlesex 10 $\frac{1}{2}$						

Latest score in Kent v Berkshire match (Amboyna Shield section) board 27 drawn - present score Kent 36 Berkshire 13

Reading through the pages I have already rolled off, I find there are quite a number of mistakes in spelling and grammar! Sorry about these; I typed the stencils straight without notes - except of course for names of players in the matches. I hope next time I will be able to write my notes out first!

Thanks to Mr G W Kilmister for the stencil for the cover. I am sure readers will be as pleased as I am with the result.

G W H

