



As you can see, Stainland's three Norcliffe brothers (including the remarkable Len Norcliffe, who still turns out occasionally for their second XI despite being well into his 70s) numbered among Rex's victims that day without troubling the scorers too much. In fact, only celebrated Stainland batsman John Lewthwaite (24) offered much resistance to Rex's bowling brilliance. Most notably though, Hedge Top accounted for the final seven wickets of their innings for the loss of just a solitary run!

There's no doubt that the unmistakable figure of Rex Holt will not soon be forgotten by the Hedge Top faithful; not only due to his unique physical stature, but also due to his undeniable talent with ball in hand. Certainly, that one day in particular will long stand as a reminder to future generations that the man sure knew how to bowl.