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HARRY HINCHCLIFFE



Harry Hinchcliffe had a long and successful career at Broad Oak, which resulted in him being viewed as the Huddersfield League's leading all-rounder.

Hinchcliffe's great reputation rested on his successes on the pitch. He was considered one of the best pace bowlers to have played in the League. In 1947 he succeeded in achieving 1,000 wickets for the Club. In total he took 1,151 wickets and scored several thousand runs.

DENNIS SCHOFIELD AND RICHARD HORNER



Dennis Schofield (left) had taken 1,000 wickets for Broad Oak by 1987, while Richard Horner (right) had achieved 10,000 runs by the same year.

JACK WASHINGTON



Holder of league's record score dies

THE holder of the Huddersfield Cricket League's record score has died.

He was former Broad Oak batsman Jack Washington, who died this week aged 84.

Washington created a Sykes Cup record in the days of timeless cricket when he hit 36 fours in his 210 in the 1928 semi-final against Kirkburton. It is a record which is unlikely to be broken because a 45-over per innings rule was introduced into the competition in 1960.

Washington also had a spell as landlord at the Bull's Head Hotel, Blackmoorfoot, but spent the later part of his life living in Blackpool.

● The highest league score under non-time limit rules was made by J Heap, who scored 201 not out for Holmfirth against Kirk-

heaton in July, 1904, and the highest league score under time limit rules was made by Almondbury's Fenton Brook, who scored 200 against Lockwood in June, 1942. The 45 overs rule was introduced into league matches in 1956.

ALEC LOCKWOOD



A. R. LOCKWOOD, Broad Oak
century-maker

Lockwood's batsmanship is of the solid variety, although he always appears eager for runs, and he is an excellent fielder at point. Once he journeyed from the Isle of Man to take part in a Sykes Cup final, only to be bowled first ball of the game. Players of the Lockwood variety add lustre to the game, and to be able to congratulate him on scoring still another century is indeed a pleasure.

Alex Lockwood had a long career at the Club, which included praise for his actions on and off the field.

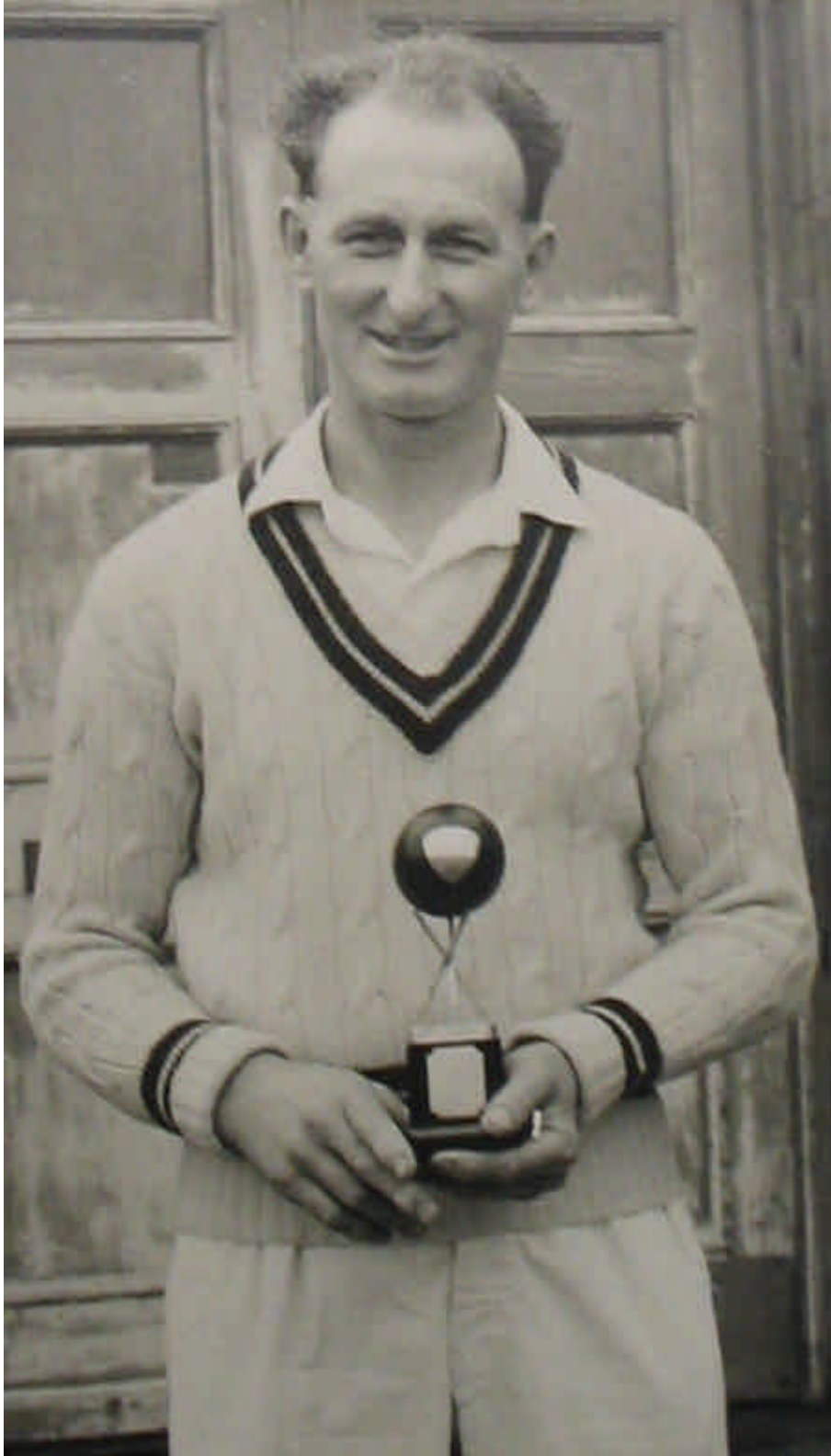
Lockwood's loyalty to the Club never wavered and, according to the *Huddersfield Examiner*, he '**strove might and main to pull the side together**' and did a '**great deal towards maintaining a solid and happy organisation**'.

HILDRED KNIGHT



Winner of the Huddersfield & District League batting prize, 1943. Average: 52.44.

R. DYSON



Took 100 wickets in Season 1966.

MAX DYSON



At an early age Max Dyson was proving his cricketing ability. When he was only 12 he won a Walker Cup winner's medal.

In 1972 he scooped the League's 1st XI batting award.

Dyson was the only player in the Huddersfield League to score two centuries in 1980; a year later he would help the team on their journey to Lords.

CYRIL HIRSTWOOD



***Winner of Huddersfield & District
batting prize 1934. Average: 43.88.***

LADY SYKES WINNERS



This annual prize is awarded in recognition of years of dedication and service to cricket in the local area, and members of Broad Oak Cricket Club have won this prize on numerous occasions:

1961 – B. Brierly

1966 – R. Dyson

1974 – D. Jackson

1976 – K. Hey

1982 – M. Hoyle

1988 – D. Baxter

1991 – M. Field

1995 – C. McCreadie

2002 – R. Horner