

# Shelley Upset On A Good Wicket

CLAYTON WEST beat the holders, Shelley, by five wickets in the Allsop Cup final, played at Skelmanthorpe last Saturday.

Batting first on a lovely wicket, Shelley had the advantage of a sound start from F. Woodhead and H. Metcalfe, who shared in an opening partnership of 20. And when G. Hawthornthwaite (27), looking as solid as a rock, found good partners in first Dennis Bentley (15), and then Don Bentley (22), Shelley looked all set for suspending their innings with a useful score on the board.

## A Landslide

Then calamity hit them in the shape of Edward Hepworth, a twenty-four-year-old all-rounder.

Hepworth caused a landslide by twice taking two wickets in two balls, and Shelley lost their last six wickets for four runs.

After Hepworth had claimed Don Bentley and B. Bedford leg before, skipper Glover dismissed the stubborn Hawthornthwaite, and then back came Hepworth to provide a sensational finish to the innings.

Stephenson swung him round to fine leg for four, but Hepworth got his revenge by having the batsman caught at mid-wicket, and then took a return catch to dismiss Addy with his next delivery. Off the hat trick ball, last-man B. Haigh called for a quick single, only to see his partner run out—and Shelley were all out for 99 after being 95-4. Hepworth took four for 24 and Glover three for 11.

## In Form Right Away

Opening the Clayton West innings with J. Hall, Hepworth looked in form right from the first ball he received—which he hit for a lovely four through the covers.

Although he soon lost Hall, Hepworth stayed until the score was 33, when he was beaten by a splendid ball from Don Bentley that came in to him and took his middle stump after he had made 22.

Bentley hit back for Clayton West to take two more wickets, but H. Bowden (22) and F. Beaumont (24 not out) put Clayton West on the winning path by picking out the right ball to hit.

And it was perhaps fitting that the winning hit should be made by Bryan Glover, whose splendid handling of Clayton West's bowling and inspired leadership went a long way towards winning them the cup.

## SHELLEY

F Woodhead c and b Glover	15
H Metcalfe b Glover	5
G Hawthornthwaite c Holden b Glover	27
Dennis Bentley c S Cooper b Hall	15
R Berry b Cooper	4
Don Bentley lbw b Hepworth	22
H Bedford lbw b Hepworth	0
H Stephenson c Hall b Hepworth	4
H Addy c and b Hepworth	0
D Metcalfe run out	0
B Haigh not out	0
Extras	9
Total	99
F Hepworth 4-24, B Glover 3-11, S Cooper 1-20, J Hall 1-14.	

## CLAYTON WEST

E Hepworth b Don Bentley	22
J Hall b Addy	2
H Bowden c and b Don Bentley	22
F Cooper b Berry	6
F Beaumont not out	24
S Holden b Don Bentley	10
B Glover not out	7
Extras	7
Total (for 5)	100
J Addy 1-32, Don Bentley 3-21, R Berry 1-2	

## Holmbridge Win The Tinker Cup

HOLMBRIDGE won the Tinker Cup at Shelley on Saturday, beating Denby Dale in the final by four wickets. P. Goldthorpe (five for 18) and H. Hoyle (four for 16) had the best bowling returns for the winners, who dismissed Denby Dale for 89.

## DENBY DALE

P Hodgson c Turner b Goldthorpe	8
T Thackra c Haigh b Hoyle	27
E Fisher b Goldthorpe	1
B Roebuck b Goldthorpe	0
E Senior c Hoyle b Goldthorpe	25
T Wood not out	13
K Barradough b Goldthorpe	3
J Taylor b J Kaye	3
E Turner c Turner b Hoyle	6
L Frankland b Hoyle	0
T Auckland b Hoyle	1
Extras	8
Total	89
P Goldthorpe 5-18, H Hoyle 4-16, R Ramsden 3-25, J Kaye 1-12.	

## HOLMBRIDGE

D Haigh c Wood b Fisher	23
G Lee b Auckland	0
N Barker b Auckland	2
J Kaye c Senior b Wood	5
H Hoyle c Fisher b Wood	16
P Goldthorpe c Wood b Turner	21
J Stirk not out	16
T Skill not out	4
Extras	5
Total (for 6)	90
T Auckland 11.2-4-24-2, E Fisher 2-0-15-1, T Wood 8-0-29-2, E Turner 5-0-17-1.	

## Oldham Twice Winners

EVERY year since 1941 veteran bowlers and schoolboy cricketers of Huddersfield and Oldham have played home and away games, and the first meeting of this year took place at Oldham on Wednesday.

The Oldham teams won both games.

The cricket scores were:

## HUDDERSFIELD

Hardy c Jackson b Hall	13
Mercer c Hall b Booth	25
Beaumont b Garnet b Hall	7
Ellis b Hall	1
Mallinson b Booth	6
Sharp b Booth	6
Gledhill c Castleton b Hall	5
Dickinson b Hall	1
Smith c Ogden b Booth	8
Charlesworth b Ogden	30
Kindall c Kemp b Ogden	8
Brown not out	0
Extras	6
Total	123
Hall 5-39, Booth 4-27, Ogden 2-5.	

## OLDHAM

Hall run out	61
Ogden c Hardy b Kindall	1
Booth c Mercer b Kindall	60
Parr c Ellis b Kindall	1
Bates b Hardy	15
Castleton not out	0
Extras	6
Total (for 5)	132
Kindall 3-38, Hardy 1-15.	

The bowling scores were:

Oldham 245 Huddersfield 180.	
P Hilton 21, J Sunderland 16, T Grimes 21, E Ditchfield 5, J Holt 21, J Wadsworth 15, P Sykes 21, J Brook 15, W Dransfield 21, J E Stansfield 19, R Kenworthy 21, H Tongue 5, H Skidmore 21, T Blackburn 8, H Maddison 21, J Balmforth 14, H W Shaw 14, H Littlewood 21, J Hawkes 21, H Mellor 10, G Herod 21, A Kaye 18, F Lang 21, E D North 13.	

## Athletics