

CRICKET MEMORABILIA

CRICKET EPHEMERA

- 1 'Kent Club. 1842. Grand Cricket Match. England against Kent on the Beverley Ground, Adjoining the Cavalry Barracks, Canterbury on Monday August 1st 1842 and following days. Players. Kent. W. de C. Baker Esq, F. Fagge Esq, N. Felix Esq, A. Mynn Esq, C.G. Whitaker Esq, Adams, Dorrington, Hillier, Martingale, Pilch, Wenman. England. Hon F. Ponsonby Esq, C. Langdon Esq, C.G. Taylor Esq, Barker, Box, Fenner, Good, Guy, Hawkins, Lillywhite, Redgate, Sewell. Umpires Mills and Bayley. The Military Band will be in attendance'.

Large, original and early handbill/poster for the match played at the Beverley Ground, Canterbury on Monday August 1st to 4th 1842, printed at the Kentish Observer Office, St Georges Street, Canterbury. The handbill measures 9.5"x 14.5". Minor tear to right hand edge repaired with tape to verso, minor spotting and slight creasing otherwise in very good condition for its age. A rare handbill for this major match with the teams reading like a 'who's who' of early cricketers £1000/1500

England won the match by nine wickets. The star of the show was Fred Lillywhite who took eleven wickets in the match, ably assisted by James Dean who took seven wickets. For Kent, Pilch made 98 and Felix 74 in Kent's first innings total of 278. In reply England made 266 with Guy making 80 and Hillyer taking six wickets. Kent were then bowled out for 44 leaving England to win the match finishing on 58-1 for the loss of Good. Joseph Guy scored 7 runs from one ball with no overthrows in the England first innings

- 2 'CRICKET. A Grand Match will be played in Lord's Ground, Marylebone on Monday July 16th 1849 and following days. The North of England against the South. Players. North. Lord Burghley, Lord Guernsey, E. Elmhurst Esq, H. Pickford Esq, Bickley, Chatterton, Clark, Guy, Parr, Samson, Wisden.

South. Hon R. Grimston, R. Kynaston Esq, N. Felix Esq, A. Mynn Esq, W. Nicholson Esq, Box, Chester, Dean, Hillyer, Lillywhite, Pilch.... Cricket bats and stumps to be had of M. Dark at the Manufactory on the Ground. Admittance 6d. Stabling at the Ground. Ordinary at 3 o'clock'.

Original and early handbill for the match played at the Lord's Cricket Ground on the 16th & 17th July 1849, printed by Morgan, 38 Church Street, adjoining the Marylebone Theatre. The handbill measures 5.5"x 8". Some minor wear to corners, 'July 16' handwritten in black ink to verso otherwise in very good condition for its age. A rare handbill for this major match with a galaxy of early cricket stars named

£700/1000

The North won by 243 runs. The North batted first and made 131 with Parr making 47 and Lillywhite taking five and Hillyer four wickets. In reply the South were bowled out for just 48 runs, Wisden and Clark taking seven wickets between them. The North in their second innings made 227 with Armitage and Guy making 48 and 43 respectively. Clark then proceeded to bowl the South out and win the game as they made 67 all out and he took six wickets. Felix was bowled first ball in each innings. Armitage made a hit for 8 (including 4 overthrows)

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'Cricket. A Grand Match will be played on Spark's Ground, Grove Street on Tuesday 4th July between Eleven of the North of England and Grange Clubs; and on Thursday 9th July, between the county of Berwick and Grange Clubs, on the same ground. Edinburgh 29th June 1848'.

Original and early handbill for the matches played at the Sparks Ground, Edinburgh on the 4th & 6th July 1848, printed by James Turner & Co of Lothian Road. The handbill measures 9"x 7.5". Some wrinkling and nicks to page edges, very minor tear/hole through title and some age toning otherwise in very good condition for its age. A rare handbill for these two matches in Scotland

£250/350

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Despite research the scores of these matches has not been found. The Grange Cricket Club was founded in 1832 and played its matches at Grove Street, Edinburgh. In 1833 the club hired John Sparks, a fine English cricketer as its groundsman and professional who was 56 years old. He was so successful that the ground became known as Sparks Ground until his death in the early 1860's. The Grange Club moved to a new Raeburn Place in 1872 due to urban development of the ground in the 1860's. This new ground was to become the home of Scottish cricket thereafter. This poster/handbill was from the mementoes of Thomas Croft, who was a playing member of the club at the time of the fixtures

M.C.C. Tour to Australia, 1932/33 'Bodyline'. Official Canadian Pacific 'R.M.S. Duchess of Atholl' Dinner menu, dated 4th May 1933. The two colour menu cover, in blue and black, with an excellent cartoon drawing by 'Mel' of the England team on the return journey on board the front of the ship with Jardine holding the Ashes urn with the menu printed below. On the reverse is a printed record of the tour and touring party. 12"x8". VG. A rare Bodyline item from the return journey, having played two Tests in New Zealand they returned home via Canada. From the Bill Voce collection £180/250

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M.C.C. Tour to Australia, 1932/33 'Bodyline'. 'Marylebone Cricket Team, Toronto, Canada. April 26th 1933. Original sepia photograph of members of the M.C.C. team standing in front of a large building in the centre of Toronto with crowd to background. Players noted include Jardine (Cpt), Hammond, Paynter, Ames, Sutcliffe, Mitchell, Duckworth, Voce, Bowes, Wyatt, Brown, Warner, Palaret etc. Title to lower border. 10.75x6.75". Tear to left hand border, repaired with tape otherwise in good condition A rare Bodyline item from the return journey, having played two Tests in New Zealand they returned home via Fiji, Vancouver and then across Canada. From the Bill Voce collection £150/250

- 6 Marylebone Cricket Club 'Centenary' 1814-1914. Pair of M.C.C. membership cards for the 1914 season. Maroon covers with 'M.C.C. Lord's 1814-1914' in gilt. Fixtures for the 1914 season to verso. The cards numbered 4931/2. Adhesive marks to the front of one card and the back of the other otherwise in good condition £20/30
- 7 England v Australia 1934. Large rare official 'Complimentary' card match ticket for the 3rd Test match played at Old Trafford, Manchester on Friday 6th July 1934. G/VG £30/40
The match was drawn, McCabe top scored for the Australians with 137, Hendren 132 and Leyland 153 for England. O'Reilly took 7-189 in the England first innings
- 8 Headingley Ashes Test match tickets. 1953-1981. Collection of match and car park tickets for Test matches played at Headingley. Series include 1953, 1956, 1961, 1972 and 1981. Sold with three other Ashes Test tickets, two for The Oval 1953, one for Old Trafford 1972, and Middlesex v Australians, Lord's 1993. Qty 14. Odd faults. G £20/30
- 9 England v South Africa, The Kennington Oval 1924. Pair of rare official 'complimentary' match tickets for the second day and third days play in the Test played on the 18th and 19th August 1924. The second day ticket in green and the third day in red, both with black lettering. R.C.N. Palaret was the Secretary, printed to lower border. Approx 4.25"x2.5". Good/very good condition £25/35
- 10 Wallasey C.C. Fixture cards for the seasons 1893, 1905-07, 1909-11, 1913-15, 1919, 1921, 1923, 1925-34 1936-40, 1942-49, 1951-2004, 2007 plus 5 rule books. Minor duplication. Qty 116. G/VG £20/30
- 11 M.C.C. cricket tour posters. Two tour posters for M.C.C. to Greece 1997(11.5"x16.5") and to Bologna, Italy 1998 (14"x19.5"). Sold with a corrugated plastic warning sign in red and white reading 'Caution: Cricket Match in Progress' in five languages, 24"x12". G £30/50
- 12 E. Lowe, 31, College Green, Bristol. c1850. Unusual promotional envelope with attractive ornate design to the front for the Bristol company specialising in ornamental wood turning and carving, furniture, toys, archery equipment and supplier of 'Cricket Bats & Balls of the best Makers'. Minor ageing, otherwise in good condition £30/50
Trade directories show a Lowe family doing business in most of the trades listed at addresses in College Green between 1841-1851
- 13 'The Laws of the Game of Cricket c1744'. Large silk handkerchief with printed image of Hayman's 'Cricket in Marylebone Fields' to centre. 'Jos. Ware, Cranford Kent' to lower border. Printed by Joseph Ware of Cranford, Kent, the handkerchief measures 27.75" x 26.5". Around the perimeter of this famous illustration are the oldest existing printed Laws of Cricket and date from 1744. The laws are written in cursive script and they describe a game quite different to modern cricket, overs consisted of four balls, there was no 'leg before wicket' rule and there was no restrictions on the size of the bat. Reproduced in the 1960's by Liberty with original Liberty packaging. VG £40/60
There are examples of this handkerchief in both the Lord's and Melbourne museums and they are referred to in 'Treasures of Lord's'. Tim Rice. London 1989 (page 62) and Glorious Innings: Treasures from the Melbourne Cricket Club Collection'. Richard Bouwman. Hawthorn, Victoria 1987 (page 10)
- 14 England v Australia, Headingley 1981. 'The Test Match of the Century'. One silk and one cotton square commemorating England's famous victory in which Botham scored 149no and Willis took 8 for 43 featuring cartoons of Botham and Willis by Roy Ulyett, match scorecard and images of the rest of the team. Sold with a large cotton handkerchief to commemorate Boycott's Century of Centuries. Qty 3. G/VG £30/50
- 15 Lancashire 1931. Linen handkerchief with printed image of the Lancashire team with title to top 'Lancashire County Cricket Club Season 1931' and 'Champion County 1926, 1927, 1928 & 1930'. To the lower border the printed names of the team including Eckersley, E. & R. Tyldesley, Paynter, McDonald, Iddon, Duckworth etc. 17"x17" VG £30/50
- 16 'W.G. Grace. Champion Cricketer of the World'. Large cotton handkerchief commemorating a Century of Centuries by Grace. The handkerchief has a central portrait of Grace three quarter length in cricket attire holding a cricket bat, with biography and record of each individual score and opponents to outer border. Decorated with cricket bats and balls in a floral outer border. Produced in 1895 the handkerchief is printed in the rarer blue print and has some minor rust staining and fading otherwise in good condition. 23"x21" £50/70
- 17 England tour to India 2002. Official television schedule, running order, playing conditions, commentary rosters etc for commentators and summarisers, for the one day international series in India 2002 £30/50
- 18 'Presented to Arthur B. Crosby by the Members of The Norton Cricket Club' 1904. Large black leather book presented to Arthur Crosby, accompanying at the time a silver epergne, on the 7th January 1904 for his services to the club as Captain of the Club 1885-1903 and for his services to Northern County Cricket over 27 years. The book handwritten in a highly decorative illuminated address and signed by the President of the club on the title page and the following pages list the names of subscribers to the fund. Presentation titles in gilt to front board. Minor wear to boards otherwise in good condition. Gilt to all edges £30/40
Norton Cricket Club is based in Stockton-on-Tees, County Durham
- 19 Cricketers' Orders of Service. Orders of service for Cedric Settle Rhoades 1920-1990 (Lancashire Chairman 1960/70's), Thomas Godfrey Evans 1920-1999, Winston Place 1914-2002, Sir Leonard Hutton 1916-1990, John Arlott 1914-1991, Graham Anthony Richard Lock 1929-1995, John Brian Statham 1930-2000, and Lord Cowdrey of Tonbridge 1932-2000. Qty 8. G/VG £50/70

- 20 Frank Edward Woolley. Kent & England 1906-1938. Original 'Order of Service' for Woolley's Service of Thanksgiving held at Canterbury Cathedral, 18th November 1978. G/VG £20/30
- 21 Kent C.C.C. Collection of ephemera including a Kent membership card for 1930 season in very good condition. Hand written letter from W.H.V. 'Hopper' Levett responding to a request for a photograph, dated 30th October 1973 with envelope. Other items include copy photographs, scorecards, benefit brochure etc. G £30/50
- 22 Sussex C.C.C. Selection of items relating to Sussex including 'Hubert Doggart 90 not out', Packham & Sharpe, Hove 2015, limited edition number 80/100, signed to title page by Doggart and John Barclay. Also two orders of service for David Sheppard, scorecards, menu etc. G £25/35
- 23 A.V. Pope. Derbyshire C.C.C. Box of ephemera with good Derbyshire interest, formerly the property of the Pope family. Contents include a 'Pioneers Cricket Club' tour guide to Hawaii, Australia & Fiji 1982/83, with four signatures to the front cover including Alan Davidson, Rodney Marsh, Dennis Lillee etc. Sold with a large carved cudgel presented to the club on the Fiji leg of the tour. Also booklets relating to Saltaire, Spondon, Ockbrook & Borrowash and Duffield Cricket Clubs etc, Trent Bridge lace table mat, official 1977 Australia Tour plate etc. G £30/40
- 24 Kent C.C.C. 1970s. Original ledger book containing the records of players' expenses for the 1972 season, includes the match v Australia. Each match listed to a page with individual travel expenses for each player recorded by hand. Sold with seventeen mono and colour postcards of Kent players, the majority signed, including a rarer Cornhill Insurance 'set B' mono card of Knott, signed by Knott. Other signed cards include Woolmer, Tavare, Denness etc. G £40/60
- In 1972 Kent won the John Player League, were runners up in the County Championship, and semi-*
- finalists in the Gillette Cup*
- 25 John Thomas 'Jack' Brown, Yorkshire & England, 1889-1904. 'The Battle of the Roses. Yorkshire v Lancashire. J.T. Brown's Benefit Match 1901'. Rare advertising card for John Brown's benefit held at the Headingley Grounds on the 5th to 7th August 1901. The card with titles and full length image of Brown in batting pose wearing Yorkshire cap to front and to verso 'Some interesting facts....about J.T. Brown'. Printed biographical details of his career from being engaged with the Perthshire County Club in 1888 to scoring 163 for the players in 1900. Printed by Nutt & Co of Leeds. Some soiling and wear to card otherwise in good condition. A rarely seen card £250/350
- One of the greatest Yorkshire batsman, Brown was the only one to hit two double centuries for the county, in 1897 he made 311 v Sussex and in 1898 he made 300 v Derbyshire at Chesterfield. During the latter innings, he and Tunnicliffe created a new first class record first wicket partnership of 554. He played eight Tests for England and made his only Test century (140) in Australia in 1894/95. His career was marred by illness and dropped out of first class cricket in 1904 due to a heart trouble. He died in November 1904, aged only 35 years*
- AUTOGRAPHED CRICKET EPHEMERA**
- 26 'Dinner to celebrate the 50th Anniversary of the Eton v Harrow match of 1900, held directly after the 1950 match on the 15th July 1950. The four page folding menu with titles to front, copy of the 1900 match scorecard and menu to inner pages. The menu signed to inner pages by ten of the players who took part in the 1900 match. The signatures are H.K. Longman, E.W. Mann, D.J. Cassavetti, H.S. Kaye, E.G. Whatley, C.E. Lambert, A. Buxton, Hon G.W. Lyttelton, J. Wormald, and Lord Dalmeny (now Earl of Rosberry). In addition it is signed by P.F. Warner who did not play in the 1900 match. E.G. Whatley took eight wickets in the 1900 match. A rarely seen menu £80/120
- 27 Nottinghamshire C.C.C. 1929. Rare original menu for the dinner 'to celebrate the winning of the County Cricket Championship', held at the Council House, Nottingham, 25th October 1929. Signed in ink by approximately fifty players and public officers in attendance. Players' signatures include Carr (Captain), Voce, Larwood, Rhodes, Flint, Whysall, N.V.C. Turner, R.H.T. Turner, Sutcliffe, Bland, G. Gunn, J.R. Gunn etc. Also signed by Jack Hobbs and Julian Cahn. The menu has been framed in three window mounts, overall 20"x12.5". The signatures have some fading otherwise in very good condition £250/350
- 28 'B.B.C. Cricket Club. Annual Dinner'. Official menu for the Dinner held at The Empress Club, London on the 26th April 1960. Signed to rear cover and inside pages by six England Test cricketers. Signatures are Neil Adcock, Percy Mansell, Russell Endean, Trevor Goddard, John Waite and Roy McLean. G/VG £25/35
- 29 England tour of Australia 1978/79. Official menu for the Dinner in honour of the England touring team held on 25th January 1979 at the Kooyonga Golf Club, Lockleys, South Australia. Signed to inside pages by twenty two guests including many of the England and Australian test players. Signatures in ink include Don Bradman, Alan Davidson (signed twice), Carlson, Darling, Border, Yallop, Botham, Barrington, Brearley, Lever, Boycott, Willis, Old, Miller, Bob Taylor, Gower etc. Guests include Phil Riddings of the ACB. VG £80/120
- 30 William Martingell. Kent 1841-1852. Very early handwritten memorandum from Martingell, on folded page, acknowledging receipt of payment from the county club. The memorandum reads 'Memorandum. I acknowledge to have received of the treasurer of the Kent Cricket Club twenty pounds for a years salary due to me from the club. Dated 6th October 1849', beautifully signed by Martingell. Also signed in smaller lettering 'Martingell' to verso. Very good condition. A rare and very early letter from a leading Kent cricketer who was an original member of

William Clarke's All-England Eleven
£1000/1500

Martingell played forty nine matches for Kent, also played one match in 1845 and fifty one matches for Surrey 1839 to 1859, and was described as one of great bowlers of his day and his finest hour was probably the 7 for 19 he took in the Gentlemen v Players match of 1853 He died in 1897 in Eton Wick, Buckinghamshire at the age of 78

'In his day he was one of the best bowlers in England. Forming his style under the old law, he delivered the ball a little below the shoulder and depended on his bias from the leg side'

- 31 Willie Bates. Yorkshire & England 1877-1887. Early handwritten two page letter from Bates, on folded page, acknowledging the congratulations sent, talking of his hopes for the rest of the season and discussing obtaining a photograph of himself. The letter, headed 'Fleming House Lane, Dalton [near Huddersfield] and dated August 1st [?] 1885' reads 'I except your congratulations with much pleasure hoping I shall be able to keep it up during the rest of the season. I ham sorry I have not got one of my own photos or I would have sent you one with pleasure but I have never had any taking in England only about five years ago in London at Elliott & Fryers, Baker Street, London and I don't know wear you would get the rest of our team but no doubt you would be able to get mine there and if ever I ham down your way I should be very glad to spend a day or two with you' signed 'I remain, yours truly, W. Bates'. Bates was not the best of spellers.... Adhesive marks to back page otherwise in very good condition. A rare and very early letter from an early Yorkshire and England cricketer who was a pioneering member of many early cricket tours abroad £500/800

An excellent all-rounder, though his fielding tended to let him down, Bates scored over 10,000 first class runs at 21.57 and took 874 wickets at only 17.13. He played fifteen Test matches for England between 1881, '82 and 1886, '87, all of them in Australia and at the Melbourne Cricket Ground in 1882, '83, Bates

excelled by scoring 55 in England's only innings before taking 7 for 28 (including a hat-trick) to force Australia to follow on. He then claimed 7 for 74 in the second innings to help his team to the first-ever innings victory in Test cricket. Bates set several individual records in this game as his hat-trick was the first for England in Test cricket, and his return of 7 for 28, and his match tally of 14 wickets, were then the best-ever by a Test match bowler. In addition, no Test bowler had previously taken 10 or more wickets and scored a half-century in the same match.

The end of Bates' cricketing career came suddenly. On a non-Test tour of Australia with G.F. Vernon's XI in 1887, '88, he was bowling in the nets when he was hit in the eye by a ball struck by a team-mate. His eyesight was sufficiently impaired that he was never able to play first-class cricket again, although he did appear in club cricket in the early 1890s and was still able to coach. His enforced retirement caused him great depression. On the voyage home from Australia, he attempted suicide and, at the end of December 1899, caught a cold whilst attending the funeral of fellow Yorkshire player John Thewlis. His condition quickly deteriorated and he died a few days later in Huddersfield, aged just 44

An interesting feature of Bates' Test career was that all 15 of his matches were played outside England, which is still the Test record for most matches in a complete career without ever playing at home.

His son William Bates had a long first-class career with Yorkshire and Glamorgan

- 32 Robert Peel. Yorkshire & England 1882-1897. Early note on single sheet with short cricket prose handwritten by Peel. The note, headed 'Morley. June 17th 1889' reads 'Cricket, Charming Cricket. Englands Noblest Game' and signed Robert Peel, Yorkshire County C.C.' Light vertical crease to page otherwise in very good condition. An early signed note from one of the finest all round cricketers of any time £400/600

Bobby Peel played 321 matches for Yorkshire scoring over 12,000 first class runs at 19.44, his highest score being 210 no v Warwickshire in 1896 and taking 1776 wickets at only 16.19, his best figures were 9-22 v Somerset in 1895. He played twenty Test matches for England and was a member of four touring sides to Australia between 1884 and 1895.

A match-winning bowler, particularly when conditions favoured his style, Peel generally opened the attack, an orthodox tactic for a spinner at the time, and was highly regarded by critics. As a player, Peel was very popular and admirers often entertained him socially; he became well known for liking alcohol. His county career came to a premature end when Lord Hawke dismissed him because of his inebriate habits. Peel continued to play and coach cricket for most of his life and in later years became associated with Yorkshire once again. Among his other jobs, he became the landlord of a public house and worked in a mill. He died in Morley in 1941 at the age of 84

- 33 Edward Wainwright, Yorkshire & England 1888-1902. Short early letter on single sheet handwritten by Wainwright. The letter, headed 'Tinsley, Sheffield. March 19th 1889' and sent to a Miss Irvine of Bedford reads 'Dear Madam, It gives me very great pleasure to accede to your request as I am always glad to do anything in my power to further the interests of cricket'. Beautifully written and signed by Wainwright 'I am yours sincerely, Edward Wainwright' Light vertical crease to page otherwise in very good condition. An early signed note from one of the finest all round cricketers of any time £400/600

Ted Wainwright, an all-rounder, helped to establish the county at the top under Lord Hawke's captaincy, during the early years of County Championship cricket. He played in 352 first-class matches for Yorkshire County Cricket Club between 1888 and 1902. He also appeared in five Test matches for England, although without any real international success, not taking a single wicket.

- Wainwright will be remembered for gaining the lowest bowling average in the history of the County Championship - 10.17 for 97 wickets in 1894, a summer of many sticky wickets. On these wickets, he would bowl a perfect length and his spin was such that the ball, 'popping' from the crust of the turf, would gain pace so that not even the most technically correct batsman could hope to survive. However, Wainwright never had any sting on hard pitches. He scored over 10,500 first class runs, playing 356 matches for his county with a best of 228 and an average of 21.76 and took over a 1,000 wickets at 18.24 with a best of 9-66. Wainwright died in Sheffield in October 1919, at the age of 54*
- 34 Nicholas Wanostrocht. Large folding manuscript indenture on vellum, dated 23rd November 1829. An agreement between Nicholas Wanostrocht and his Wife, Anne Wanostrocht regarding the transfer of ownership of ground and dwelling in Camberwell. Clearly and beautifully signed in ink 'N. Wanostrocht' with seal. G £200/300
- Nicholas Wanostrocht, 1804-1876 was also known as Felix and was one of the leading cricketers of his time. He played for both Kent and Surrey and wrote the classic cricket book 'Felix on the Bat'. He was also a well known artist.*
- When his father died in 1824 he had inherited the running of his school in Camberwell, aged only nineteen, and he was afraid that the parents of pupils might think that cricket was too frivolous a pastime for a school-master.*
- 35 Pelham Francis 'Plum' Warner. Middlesex & England 1894-1929. A collection of seven handwritten letters written by Warner during World War II to his son Esmund who was serving with the British Army. The letters dating from 1941 to 1945 contain many references to the war, including bomb damage to locations around London including acquaintances' homes. Also news regarding friends and family, engagements, Warner's beloved dog, the political situation etc.
- Cricket references include a match played at Lord's in 1942. 'We got in a lot of cricket & crowds of 7000 first day & 9000 on second...', 'I was giving a jaw on cricket to the RAF at Woking...', 'I went to Wembley for England Wales which E won 5-3. A very fine lot of forwards and Denis Compton in great form'. In 1945 he refers to a match in which 'Hammond's lumbago & Washbrook's very badly bruised thumb knuckle knocked the bottom out of our side at Lord's today but it was a very good match & lasted until 10 to 6. We had 74,000 paying in 3 days... Wonderful crowds indeed. The interest in cricket is greater than ever. Our young men failed - except Dewes who played a good & plucky first innings of 26... I think Carr may eventually be the best bat & he is a useful left hander. Wright bowled splendidly & with cursed luck... Roberts a useful left hand, but too fond of bowling the ball which goes with his arm and not enough spin...' A particularly intimate and personal record of Warner's devotion to and concern for his son's well-being, and a fascinating first hand view of cricketers' potential. Each letter signed 'P.F.W.' G/VG £180/250
- During the Second World War, Warner was Deputy Secretary of M.C.C., which included arranging very well supported matches at Lord's for a cricket-starved public*
- 36 Levi G. Wright. Derbyshire 1883-1909. Four page handwritten letter with envelope, dated 12th June 1912 on Midland Railway headed paper, to C.P. Green, collector. Wright describes the cricket matches he has played. 'I can still wield the willow to some extent for although entirely without practice this season my three Saturday afternoon scores have been 28, 2, & 100 not out'. He also comments on umpiring a colts match and bemoans the lack of club facilities to train young cricketers. Also the disappointing attendances at Derbyshire, poor weather, a poor South African side, the strength of the Australians, and comments on the selection for England of Brearley, J.W. Hearne, Warner etc. Excellent cricket content. VG £100/150
- 37 Wilfred Wooller. Cambridge University & Glamorgan, 1935-1962. Typed single page letter on official Glamorgan C.C.C. headed paper. The letter from Wooller, in his capacity as Secretary, to H.W. Warner, regarding membership of Glamorgan and the production of a tie to commemorate Glamorgan winning the County Championship the previous season in 1969. Nicely signed in ink by Wooller, dated 16th March 1970. G/VG £30/50
- 38 John Victor 'Vic' Wilson. Yorkshire & England, 1946-1962. Handwritten single page letter dated 18th June 1972, thanking the recipient for his help in arranging a photographer. Signed 'Vic'. Sold with a letter written and signed by Kevin Sharp, Yorkshire, agreeing to attend 'an evening at Wombwell', 1978. Qty 2. G/VG £30/40
- 39 Oswald Stephen 'Ossie' Wheatley. Cambridge University, Warwickshire & Glamorgan, 1957-1970. Handwritten single page letter on Warwickshire C.C.C. headed paper, replying to a request for autographs. Nicely signed in ink by Wheatley. Undated. G/VG £20/30
- 40 Bryan Douglas 'Bomber' Wells. Gloucestershire & Nottinghamshire 1951-1965. Single page headed letter signed by Wells in three variants, 'B.D. Wells', 'Bomber Wells' and 'Bryan D. Wells'. Undated. G/VG £20/30
- 41 William Thomas Taylor. Derbyshire 1905-1910. Single page typed letter on Derbyshire C.C.C. headed paper from Taylor in his capacity as Secretary, replying to an enquiry regarding Joe Hulme. Nicely signed in ink by Taylor, dated 18th May 1946. G/VG £30/50
- Taylor played only four matches for Derbyshire, but his tenure of 51 years as Secretary from 1908 to 1959 was the longest served in first class county cricket*
- 42 Arthur Brian Sellers, Yorkshire 1932-1948. Hand written letter turning down a request to be the Chief Guest at a dinner in Birkenhead, Cheshire. Letter dated 18th August 1955. Nicely signed 'A. Brian Sellers'. Sold with a signed photograph cutting of Sellers. G/VG £30/40

- 43 Sydney Santall. Warwickshire 1894-1914. Hand written letter replying to a request for a book on Warwickshire that Santall had compiled. Letter dated 22nd April 1904. Nicely signed 'S. Santall'. G/VG £50/70
- 44 William Harry Patterson. Oxford University & Kent 1878-1900. Hand written single page letter replying to an enquiry about a cap. Nicely signed by Patterson and dated 28th February 1944. G/VG £40/60
- Patterson was joint Captain of Kent 1890 to 1893, later President of Kent C.C.C. and served on the M.C.C. committee*
- 45 Malcolm Robert Jardine. Oxford University & Middlesex 1889-1897. Hand written two page letter. Signed by Jardine and dated 8th August 1942. G/VG £40/60
- Malcolm Jardine was the father of England Captain, Douglas*
- 46 Alfred Powell Rawlins Hawtin. Northamptonshire 1908-1930. Hand written single page letter regarding payment for two editions of the Wisden Cricketers' Almanack, 1918 and 1939. 'I enclose cheque 1/2/- to include postage'. Nicely signed by Hawtin and dated 10th July 1947. G/VG £25/35
- 47 Gerald De Lisle Hough. Kent 1919-1920. Hand written two page letter to H.W. 'Plum' Warner, Kent enthusiast and collector. Written on Kent C.C.C. headed paper, Hough discusses the difficulty of identifying all capped Kent players and a corresponding list he had compiled. He also mentions the availability of back copies of the Kent 'Blue Book', the need to 'scrap qualification rules for the first year' after the second World War, the practical difficulties of travelling during the war, and the idea of recommencing County cricket on a regional basis. Nicely signed by Hough and dated 2nd November 1943. G/VG £80/120
- Hough played fourteen matches for Kent. He was appointed Manager and later Secretary of Kent, resigning through ill health in 1949*
- 48 Arthur George Holt. Hampshire 1935-1948. Single page typed letter on 'Holt & Haskell' headed paper to J. Sokell, Wombwell Cricket Lovers' Society, regarding an impending visit to the East Riding. Signed 'Arthur' and dated 14th June 1966. G/VG £20/30
- After retiring from first class cricket, Holt became coach of Hampshire C.C.C. He also captained Southampton F.C.*
- 49 Martin Crowe. Somerset & New Zealand. Single page typed 'Tribute to Vic Marks' written for Marks' benefit in 1988. Signed by Crowe. G £40/60
- 50 Frederick Gale ('The Old Buffer'). Handwritten four page letter dated December c1890s, to Mr [R.S.] Holmes, author and collector, giving dates of five articles that he has written on cricket in 'World' as well as one on boxing. He refers to a book owned by Lord Harris, 'I don't think it likely that Lord Harris would part with that book and I fancy that he would not like to be asked to do so, as he is quick tempered'. Gale then refers to the eventual disposal of his collection, 'When I "peg out" - which I am in no hurry to do, I expect there will be a lot of scrap books, note books, and odds and ends, for disposal, and if you are still "at the wicket" you may have first choice'. G £100/150
- Fred Gale played in the Winchester Eleven in 1841 against Eton and Harrow at Lord's, but did not go on to play first class cricket. He made his name as a prolific writer of books, newspaper and magazine articles writing under the name 'The Old Buffer'. Some of his library including author's copies had been sold by Sotheby's in 1891 when Gale left England for Canada, a move which turned out not to be permanent*
- 51 J.M. Kilburn, cricket journalist and author. Handwritten two page undated letter from Kilburn to J.M. Coldham, with three pages of handwritten notes by Kilburn, replying to Coldham's request for information for his proposed book on F.S. Jackson, published in 1989. Kilburn, whose sight is now very poor, offers to provide a list of sources, if required, and suggests that Coldham could not have chosen a more worthy subject and extolls the virtues of Jackson. The notes provides a fascinating insight into Jackson, including his immaculate but not ostentatious appearance, his personal interest in players and their families during the Second World War during his presidency of Yorkshire C.C.C., 'unfailingly diplomatic even after long discussions with M.C.C. over wording of Grace memorial, never... resented the captaincy and authority of Lord Hawke' etc. G/VG £70/100
- Kilburn was cricket correspondent of the Yorkshire Post for thirty years and the leading writer on Yorkshire cricket for many years, a founder member of the Cricket Writers Club*
- 52 E.V. Lucas, cricket author, c1950s. Single page handwritten draft with amendments in Lucas's distinctive hand of the suggested wording for a memorial stone to be erected in honour of William Wilfred Whysall 1887-1930 (Nottinghamshire & England). G - £70/100
- Whysall died suddenly of blood-poisoning in November 1930. The memorial was to commemorate the 'Nottinghamshire and All England Cricketer' for 'his sterling work as a man and his many notable achievements in the field'*
- 53 H. Wisden Luff. Three page handwritten letter from Luff to J.M. Coldman dated 22nd November 1955 discussing options for disposing of his cricket books. 'I am very poor, otherwise I should give them to my old school (Malvern)'. He lists some books for Goldman and mentions that he sold his set of Wisdens for £30 in 1921 to a dealer in Brighton. The letter is signed by Luff. Sold with a file copy of Goldman's reply of 24th November giving details of the prices quoted in a recent dealer's catalogue for Luff's items, and those that Goldman would consider buying. G £80/120
- Luff was the son of Henry 'Harry' Luff, the manager of Wisden & Co to whom the ownership passed after the death of John Wisden in 1884*
- 54 Rev Bishop Henry Hutchinson Montgomery. Cambridge University 1867-1869. Two page handwritten letter from Hutchinson, dated 9th

- March 1926 to 'Livesey' stating his unavailability for a meeting due to Church commitments. The letter is laid down to a card with a facing signed printed photograph of Montgomery in Bishop's robes, and signature in ink laid down below. G £80/120
- Bishop Montgomery, father of Field Marshal Montgomery, wrote 'The History of Kennington and its Neighbourhood', with chapters on cricket past and present in 1889. The cricket chapters were published as 'Old Cricket and Cricketers' in 1890*
- 55 E.W. 'Tim' Padwick. Author of 'A Bibliography of Cricket'. Collection of correspondence dated 1978-1982 comprising three handwritten and two typed letters from Padwick to Mr d'Arch Smith (bibliographer, antiquarian book seller and author), and two copies of an eight-page typed list of 'Additions to Padwick' with further notes from d'Arch Smith, whose contributions are acknowledged by Padwick in his Preface to the Second Edition of the Bibliography. The letters relate to d'Arch Smith's collection of public school novels relating to cricket. G/VG £70/100
- The first edition of Padwick's 'A Bibliography of Cricket' was published in London 1977. Only 750 copies were printed and it sold out quickly. The preface to the revised and updated second edition published in 1982 acknowledges d'Arch Smith's invitation 'to check through his collection of public school novels with the result that the section of boys' (and girls') school stories containing great deeds on the cricket field has been much improved'*
- 56 Albert Guy Pawson. Oxford University & Worcestershire 1908-1911. Two page handwritten letter to J.D. Coldham dated 12th August 1972 from his Surrey home, referring to an article which Coldham asked him to write. Pawson describes how at the last minute he turned down a chance to play for his native county Yorkshire as he felt that 'it would be unfair to keep wicket with Hirst, Haigh, Rhodes etc bowling... with a bruised hand'. The article, which subsequently appeared in the Spring 1973 issue of the Cricket Society Journal, explains how his one match for Worcestershire came about as the county arrived to play Oxford University without a keeper and he played well enough to stake his permanent place for the university side. G/VG £50/70
- 57 Sir Spencer Cecil Brabazon Ponsonby, later Ponsonby-Fane. Surrey & Middlesex 1844-1862. Handwritten headed card of the Lord Chamberlain's Office, St James's Palace, dated 26th June 1900, signed 'S Ponsonby Fane', replying to a request to provide I.Z. (I Zingari) scores requested by Arthur Haygarth, who at the time was compiling further details for his Scores and Biographies. 'I shall always be glad to help him in any way'. Some foxing, otherwise in good condition £50/80
- Sir Spencer Cecil Brabazon Ponsonby-Fane was an English cricketer and civil servant. Ponsonby played for Middlesex and Surrey and later administered Somerset and Harrow cricket club. He was one of the founders of I. Zingari in 1845. He was an employee of the British Foreign Office, controller of the Lord Chamberlain's Office, Private Secretary to Lord Palmerston, the Earl of Clarendon and Earl Granville and he transported the peace treaty for the Crimean War to Paris*
- 58 Norman Preston, editor of Wisden 1952-1980. Single page typed letter on 'Wisden Cricketers' Almanack' headed paper, dated 20th January 1956. Preston is replying to the collector H.W. 'Plum' Warner, about the inclusion of the name of a friend of Warner's, Harry N.E. Spencer, in the forthcoming edition. Preston's reply states, 'Apart from one appearance for Worcestershire we have been unsuccessful and as the Obituary Section has gone to the printers it is unlikely that we will be able to insert anything'. Preston also mentions that his father, Hubert, who preceded him as editor is now 87 and 'remarkably well for his age'. Nicely signed in ink by Preston. VG £50/70
- Apart from his one appearance for Worcestershire in 1927, Harry*
- 59 Norman Ernest Spencer, who died in 1954, also played in three matches for Warwickshire in 1930
- Alfred Shaw. Nottinghamshire, Sussex & England 1864-1897. Hand written letter in ink, nicely signed by Shaw on 'Shaw & Shrewsbury' headed paper, undated, c1891. The letter to C.F. Pardon, in Shaw's usual unorthodox grammatical style, reports that 'His Lordship [Lord Sheffield] and W.G. [Grace] was very wild at seeing the paragraph in the Sportsman on Wednesday and asked me to find out how it got in and he wanted it contradicting'. The subject was a leak about the possibility of Sheffield taking a tour to Australia with Grace. Shaw had subsequently received a wire from Sheffield revoking the instruction to contradict the news item, hence Shaw had wired Pardon. Shaw goes on to state that 'We do not know how it got into the Sportsman and there is no truth in it as there is no one engaged yet and his Lordship as not yet decided to take the trip', and that Pardon should publish nothing further until notified by Shaw. A fascinating and important letter regarding the M.C.C. tour to Australia 1891/92. VG - £300/400
- Interest in cricket in Australia had been waning due to the Australians being beaten in two previous tours to England and internal squabbling between the Melbourne and Sydney clubs. The first mention noted in 'Cricket' of the possible tour by Lord Sheffield was in the issue of 23rd April 1891 when an Australian correspondent stated that a delegate from Australia was to travel to England to discuss a programme and the team composition with Sheffield to stimulate the game in Australia. The outcome of the negotiations was Sheffield's English tour to Australia in 1891/92 under W.G. Grace's captaincy and Shaw's managership*
- 60 Early Kent club cricket. Three page hand written letter in ink from a Ellen Sophia Stephens of West Farleigh, Kent, to her sister, Maria, dated 11th June 1828. An interesting letter of the period between two sisters discussing their social activities, in which Ellen refers to a letter from

- 'Charles', who 'told you in his letter that he was just going to see a grand Cricket match at Yalding, but before starting he learnt that it was all over; it began on Monday at eleven o'clock and was over by four o'clock on the same day'. Folds and some tears, otherwise in good condition
£50/70
- Yalding is less than two miles from West Farleigh. Yalding C.C. is recorded as playing Town Malling in 1798 and the club's opposition by the 1840s included Bearsted, one of the clubs for whom Mynn and Felix played at the heart of early Kent cricket. The match in the letter is not recorded in Haygarth or Buckley*
- 61 Herbert Sutcliffe. Yorkshire & England 1919-1945. Hand written three page of letter written on 'Star Hotel, Worcester' letterhead to 'George', dated 21st July 1927. Sutcliffe is replying to a request for autographs and refers to a social evening on Bank Holiday Monday at which 'there will certainly be at least half a dozen of the Yorkshire players attending'. The letter was written on a rain affected day's play during the Worcestershire v Yorkshire match. Sutcliffe bemoans the volume of correspondence he receives and welcomes the occasional wet day to catch up. Nicely signed 'Herbert'. G/VG £70/100
- 62 Robert Arthur 'Bob' Thoms. Hand written single page note dated January 1901 signed by Thoms on WG Grace. 'No doubt that "WG" has proved, by what he has done on the cricket field, that he is far and away the best "all-round" Cricketer that has ever lived... for over 30 years - season after season - he has kept up his form... Grace as a cricketer may be classed as like unto "Shakespeare as a dramatist" - incomparable. Men will come and go, but the Cricketer, that in future years, may be found to compare or excel him, will indeed be a "phenomenon"'. Small tears to fold, otherwise in good condition
£120/160
- Thoms, a fervent admirer of the Graces, was a first class umpire 1863-1900. He stood in the first two Test matches played in England, in 1890 and 1892*
- 63 John Thomas Tyldesley. Lancashire & England 1895-1923. Hand written two page letter on 'Tyldesley & Holbrook' letterhead dated 12th December 1902. Tyldesley is replying to an enquiry from the collector, Charles Pratt Green, who wishes to acquire for his collection the bat with which Tyldesley scored over 3041 runs at an average of 55.29 in the 1901 season. Tyldesley regrets that he is not willing to part with the bat as 'My [business] partner has expressed the wish that we should keep the bat you want for some little time longer as it was such a good advertisement for us... I think I should almost want that for myself as I don't think I shall ever make 3000 runs again. Certainly not with one bat'. He describes how he feels it unlikely that he would wish to repeat this feat 'as the hard work it entailed along with the Australian trip immediately after & another big season last year, have left its mark'. He goes on to write of the bat with which 'I made 138 last year v Australia', which he gave to the editor of the Athletic News, J.A.H. Catton, 'Tityrus', 'he is a big friend of mine and has done a lot for me at different times'. He describes other bats given to the manufacturers Warsop together with a testimonial, and another given to the Cricketers War Fund which 'fetched 3 or 4 guineas'. Tyldesley offers Green the next available bat which will do justice to Green's collection. Includes the original envelope addressed to Green. An excellent letter from one of the top professional batsmen of the era. Folds, otherwise in good condition
£100/150
- The published catalogue of Green's collection shows that Tyldesley was as good as his word, for Green's collection contained five of Tyldesley's bats*
- 64 Laurence Whistler. 1912-2000. Hand written two page letter on his Lyme Regis letterhead, dated Tuesday (probably early 1950s) to John Arlott. Whistler complains of a 'sinus bug' since returning from Italy and invites Arlott for an evening drink. No cricket content, but an example of Arlott's wide circle of friends in the arts at this stage of his life. Nicely signed 'Laurence'. G/VG
- £60/80
- Whistler, poet and artist, particularly renowned for his glass engraving, made appearances on Arlott's weekly BBC programme 'Book of Verse'*
- 65 Ron Yeomans. Three page typed letter dated 'Feb 14th' to HW. 'Plum' Warner, the first leaf headed with his home address and the second with the pictorial heading of the Northern Cricket Society. An interesting insight into Yeomans's collection, giving details of his gold-signed plates of touring teams and specifically of a rare old cricketer's belt buckle from the Yorkshire Dales. Also the possibility of an appearance on BBC TV, confirmation that 'my front gate is composed of the stumps used in the England v S/Africa Test at Headingley, 1955. Peter May... came out to open it'. Yeomans also mentions his roles as journalist for the Yorkshire Evening Post, umpiring, organising Boxing Day matches, Yorkshire C.C.C. committee member etc. Signed in ink by Yeomans. G £50/80
- Yeomans was also Hon. Sec. of the Northern Cricket Society and an avid collector*
- 66 Bert Oldfield and Herbert Sutcliffe, Yorkshire & England. Aerogramme letter hand written in ink from Bert Oldfield in Australia to Herbert Sutcliffe at his home in Yorkshire, dated 26th March 1971. The letter written at the end of the tour after England had regained the Ashes. Oldfield sends his good wishes to Sutcliffe's wife who has been unwell. Regarding the cricket, Oldfield states 'Had you been in Australia this summer you would have been horrified at the display of Cricket exhibited by the Yorkshire members of M.C.C. Team... still the least said the better'. Nicely signed 'Bert Oldfield'. G £60/90
- 67 W.G. Grace centenary 1948. Two letters written to Charles Townsend regarding preparations for Grace's centenary celebrations. One, a handwritten letter card from C.B. Fry dated 25th January 1948, in which Fry refers to Grace, 'It is very hard to do justice to W.G... He was on such a scale and so large of heart. Such a

- tremendous sportsman, such zest , on top of his towering skill.' The other a typed letter on B.B.C. letterhead from John Arlott, dated 27th May 1948, inviting Townsend 'to write for me 200 or 300 words on your personal impressions of W.G.'. Signed in ink by Arlott. G £50/80
- Grace was a close friend of the Townsend family, and was godfather to Charles, who was his batting partner when Grace made his hundredth hundred*
- 68 Irving Rosenwater. Two page typed letter from Rosenwater to Neville Weston, dated 13th November 1967. Rosenwater writes about Wilfred Rhodes' 90th birthday being 'worthy of a scrapbook', comments on an article on Rhodes written by Michael Parkinson in the Sunday Times, and a radio interview given by Rhodes on BBC radio. Nicely signed in ink 'Irving'. The letter is partly laid down to page. G £25/35
- 69 Samuel Moses James Woods, Somerset, England & Australia 1886-1910. Handwritten note/letter in ink from Woods thanking the correspondent for a photograph following a match against Surrey. 'Yes it was splendid beating Surrey once more and the crowd were delighted'. Signed 'Samuel'. The letter undated, but between a date range of 1891-1904. Adhesive damage to verso, small tape repair, otherwise G. Sold with a postcard and three copy photographs of Woods £50/70
- 70 Charles John Barnett. Gloucestershire & England 1927-1948. Two page handwritten letter to Mr Yeomans regarding arrangements to meet in Manchester. 'It may be as well to know whom I have to contact at Manchester. Please advise that I shall not require a room reserved at the Midland Hotel as I shall probably stay in Rochdale. Not expecting to get to the Manchester Test Match. The letter dated 14th July 1958 and nicely signed by Barnett, plus two original press photograph of Barnett, one signed and a signed printed press picture. Sold with a one page typewritten letter from Beverley Hamilton Lyon. Gloucestershire 1921-1947 dated 1946, and a further letter from Percy Thomas Mills. Gloucestershire & England 1902-1929, undated, the letters regarding the sending of an autograph to a collector, the letters dated. Qty 3 £50/80
- 71 Percival Albert 'Percy' Perrin. Essex & London County 1896-1928. One page handwritten letter replying to a request for autographs and a signed photograph. 'The batsman following me in is W. Reeves. I am afraid I have got out of touch with the different players during the War, & do not know the addresses of the men you mention'. Sold with a Wills cigarette card, 1908 small 's' series, No. 45 of Perrin, an original mono press photograph of Perrin, Sport & General, dated 11th April 1934 etc. G/VG £60/90
- 72 Alfred Powell Rawlins Hawtin. Northamptonshire 1908-1930. Handwritten single page letter from Hawtin, dated 30th November 1961, replying to an enquiry about another former Northants player, L.J. Davies. Sold with a trimmed copy photograph of Hawtin. G/VG £20/30
- 73 William Eric 'Bill' Bowes. Yorkshire & England, 1929-1947. One page typed letter from Bowes to J.D. Coldham on Yorkshire Evening News headed paper, dated 9th July 1960. Bowes praises Coldham's history of Northamptonshire. Bowes, as a great fast bowler, goes on to analyse in detail David Larter's prospects and the best way to coach him (Larter went on to play ten Tests for England). Bowes writes of pre-war pitches at Trent Bridge and whether they helped the two greatest fast bowlers of the time or whether the two had to be great to do anything at Trent Bridge. Signed in ink 'Bill Bowes'. Horizontal and vertical folds, otherwise in good condition £40/60
- 74 Cecil John Burditt Wood. Leicestershire 1896-1923. Handwritten single page letter from Wood, dated 1944, replying to a request for his autograph. 'It is a pleasure to oblige & to know you are so keen on Cricketers Autographs'. Folds and some ageing, otherwise G £40/60
- 75 George Harry Grey, 7th Baron Grey of Groby. Single page hand written letter to William Parsons of Leicester, dated 28th October 1830, sent from Dunham Massey, then Grey's home. The letter folds into a postal format with a date stamp and seal. Grey is replying to an invitation to join a committee 'to carry into effect an Archery & Cricket Club in the County of Leicester. The time of year for such amusements is one when my engagements will not permit me to visit Leicestershire, and however happy I should be to promote such objects as a Resident in the County, I must for the reasons I have stated decline the honour'. Signed by Groby. Minor staining and creasing, otherwise in good condition £50/80
- Grey's grandson, George Harry Booth Grey, played cricket for Cambridge University and M.C.C. and was elected President of Marylebone Cricket Club in 1851*
- 76 Ernest James 'Tiger' Smith. Warwickshire & England 1904-1930. One page handwritten letter replying to an invitation to play in a match at Drayton Manor (Tamworth), August 11th 1915. 'I am unable to get away from business at present so must decide not to play which will enable Mr Curtis to complete his side. I am glad A.T. [Albert Taylor?] is playing and I also hope you all have a pleasant afternoon and a jolly game'. Sold with a Wills cigarette card, 1928 series, No. 40 of Smith and three copy photographs. G/VG £40/60
- 77 5th Earl of Lucan. Single page note hand written by Lucan, dated 27th May 1934. Recipient unknown. Presumably written in response to a request for his autograph. Nicely signed 'Lucan'. The letter is laid down to a page. G/VG £25/35
- Lucan was President of M.C.C. in 1928. His Grandson was the notorious 7th Earl of Lucan who disappeared in strange circumstances in 1974*
- 78 George Finch, 9th Earl of Winchilsea. White Conduit Club, Surrey, Hampshire and M.C.C. 1784-1804. Original signed free-front envelope laid down to page, addressed to a Rev. Wm. Hard (?) of Nayland,

- Colchester, dated and sent from 'London, May Eleventh 1814'. Nicely signed 'Winchilsea' in black ink. A very rare early signature of Winchilsea, a right handed batsman who played 138 first class matches from 1785-1804 whose main contribution to the game of cricket was his patronage and organisation. Sold with two mono copy images of Winchilsea. G £120/160
- George Finch, 9th Earl of Winchilsea, an important figure in the history of cricket, was born in 1752 and educated at Eton. Winchilsea was one of the prime movers in the foundation of the White Conduit Club, a club ostensibly that 'only Gentlemen' might play for, but the club did employ professionals and one of these was Thomas Lord. He, with others, persuaded Thomas Lord (a man recognised for his business acumen as well as his playing ability) to found his cricket ground and thus was amongst the founding members of the M.C.C. He was President of the Hambledon Club in 1787 and 1789 and staged matches at his country seat at Burley, Rutland. He died in 1826*
- 79 William Ward. Surrey, Hampshire & M.C.C. 1810-1845. Signed free-front envelope to a R. Radcliffe of Weymouth, dated and sent from 'London, April thirteen 1829'. Nicely signed 'W. Ward' in black ink. A very rare early signature of Ward, a right handed batsman and occasional lob-bowler who played 130 first class matches and was considered for many years one of the leading batsman in England. G/VG £120/160
- William Ward was born in 1787 and educated at Winchester where he first played cricket. His first recorded match was in 1810 when he played for England against Surrey at Lord's. His greatest achievement was when playing for M.C.C. v Norfolk at Lord's in 1820 he scored 279, a record that remained unbroken until W.G. Grace made 344 in 1876. He made eighteen appearances for the Gentlemen v Players between 1819-1838. In 1825 he bought from Thomas Lord, the lease of Lord's cricket ground for five thousand pounds, when Lord was considering selling the ground for building. In 1836 J.H. Dark purchased the remainder of the lease from Ward. Ward was M.P. for the City of London between 1826-1831. He died in 1849*
- 80 Jim Swanton and Irving Rosenwater 1990s. Collection of eight letters (mainly typed), notes and a postcard from and to Swanton and Rosenwater. The correspondence relates to Swanton's birthday (11th February), matters relating to Swanton's Presidency of The Cricketer magazine etc. In a postcard from Barbados, Swanton refers to Jardine as 'really an impossible chap. GTSS told me though he was 4 years at Oxford he was never considered as captain'. VG £25/35
- 81 Nawab of Pataudi. Sussex, Oxford University, Worcestershire & India 1957-1975. Single page handwritten letter on Sussex C.C.C. headed paper, replying to a request for autographs. Nicely signed 'Pataudi', dated 15th August. G/VG £30/40
- 82 George Herbert Hirst & David Denton. Yorkshire & England. Individual ink signatures on pieces of the two players, each laid down to white cards, and signed in later years. The signature obtained by J.R. Davies, a schoolboy from Ruthin school (Wales) in 1949 schoolboy from Ruthin school (Wales) in 1950. Hirst died in 1954 and Denton in 1950. Sold with two laid down ink signatures on pieces of Jack Hobbs and Arthur Gilligan. Qty 4. G £30/50
- 83 Arthur Lindsay Hassett. Victoria & Australia 1932-1953. Excellent ink signature of Hassett on album page. VG £25/35
- Hassett toured with Australia on the 1938, 1948 and 1953 tours of England, being the Australian Captain in 1953*
- 84 Denys Paul Beck Morkel. Western Province, Transvaal & South Africa 1919-1929 and Henry Promnitz. Border, Griqualand West, Orange Free State & South Africa 1924-1937. Individual ink signatures of Morkel and Promnitz on paper pieces each laid down to larger white card. Sold with a mono photographs of each player. Qty 2. G £30/50
- Promnitz played in two matches for South Africa against England in the 1927/28 series*
- 85 James Manuel Blanckenberg. Western Province, Natal & South Africa, 1912-1924 and Arthur Dudley Nourse. Natal & South Africa, 1931-1953. Individual signatures in ink of both players on small paper pieces laid down to slightly larger white card. Sold with a mono copy photographs of the players. Qty 2. G £25/35
- 86 Eiulf Peter 'Buster' Nupen. Transvaal & South Africa, 1920-1937 and Robert Hector 'Bob' Catterall. Natal, Orange Free State, Transvaal, Rhodesia and South Africa, 1920-1934. Individual signatures in ink of both players on small paper pieces laid down to slightly larger white card. Sold with a mono copy photograph of the players. Qty 2. G £20/30
- 87 Neville Anthony Quinn. Griqualand West, Transvaal & South Africa, 1927-1934. Ink signature of Quinn, on piece laid down to slightly larger white card. Sold with a mono copy photograph of Quinn. Rare. VG £25/35
- Quinn played twelve Tests for South Africa, 1929-1932. He died suddenly of heart failure in 1934 aged only 26*
- 88 Alfred Edward Russell. Essex, 1898-1910. Excellent ink signature of Russell on piece laid down to slightly larger white card and Harding Isaac Young. Essex & England, 1898-1912. Excellent ink signature of Young on piece laid down to slightly larger white card. Sold with a sepia copy photograph of each player. The signature of Young tightly trimmed, otherwise in good condition. Qty 2 £25/35
- 89 Edwin Boaler Alletson. Nottinghamshire 1906-1914. Excellent ink signature of Alletson on paper piece, laid down to white card. G/VG £30/50
- Alletson is remembered for his record breaking innings, scoring 189, for Nottinghamshire v Sussex in the Championship match played at Hove on 20th May 1911. Alletson*

- created a new record in first class cricket by hitting 34 runs off an over bowled by E.H. Killick, this record stood until 1968 when broken by Garry Sobers in making 36 runs off an over. Amazingly, Alletson scored his final 142 runs in only 40 minutes.
- 90 Cyril Mowbray Wells. Cambridge University, Surrey & Middlesex 1891-1909. Mono photograph cutting of Wells in batting pose, signed in ink by Wells. The cutting laid to card. G £18/25
- 91 West Indies tour to England 1969. Original typed letter on official West Indies tour headed paper regarding the presentation of a silver tankard to Gary Sobers. Nicely signed by Clyde Walcott, the tour manager. Dated 2nd May 1969. G/VG £40/60
- 92 Norman Vaughan Hurry Riches. Glamorgan 1921-1934. Excellent ink signature of Riches on piece. VG £30/40
- 93 John Alfred 'Jack' Newman. Hampshire & M.C.C. 1906-1930. Excellent ink signature of Newman on piece. VG £30/40
- 94 Peter Randall Johnson. Cambridge University & Somerset 1900-1927. Excellent ink signature of Johnson on piece laid down to album page. G/VG £40/60
- 95 Robert James 'Bob' Gregory. Surrey 1925-1947. Excellent ink signature of Gregory on piece. VG £20/30
- 96 Frank William Gilligan. Oxford University & Essex 1919-1929. Excellent ink signature of Gilligan on piece. VG £25/35
- 97 Henry John Enthoven. Cambridge University & Middlesex 1923-1936. Excellent ink signature of Enthoven on piece. VG £20/30
- 98 Harry Stebbing Bush. Surrey 1901-1912. Excellent ink signature of Bush on piece laid down to album page, and dated 10th June 1903. VG £40/60
- 99 Hon. Clarence Napier Bruce. Oxford University & Middlesex 1905-1929. Excellent ink signature of Bruce on piece. VG £30/50
- Bush was Amateur Champion at racquets in 1922 and 1931, represented Oxford at both racquets and golf and for twenty years was on the International Olympic Executive. He was drowned in 1957 when his car went over a precipice into a river*
- 100 Reginald Herbert Spooner. Lancashire & England 1899-1921. Short note nicely signed by Spooner. G/VG £30/40
- 101 Pelham Francis 'Plum' Warner. Middlesex & England 1894-1929. Short note, dated 25th April 1948, nicely signed by Warner. G/VG £30/40
- 102 Arthur E.R. Gilligan. Surrey, Sussex & England 1920-1932. Short hand written letter from Gilligan replying to a request for his autograph. Nicely signed in ink by Gilligan and dated 22nd December 1947. VG £30/40
- 103 Yorkshire C.C.C. 1935. Plain postcard nicely signed by four Yorkshire players, Verity, Fisher, Barber and Wood. Postmarked 28th June 1935. G £25/35
- 104 J.P. Fellows-Smith. Official pass to the 'Special Gallery, East' at the House of Commons, date stamped 18th July 1960. Issued to and nicely signed in ink by Fellows-Smith of the 'S.A. Cricket Team, Park Lane Hotel, W.1.' Adhesive damage to verso and vertical creasing, otherwise in good condition £30/50
- 105 'Bodyline'. England Test cricketers. Eleven signatures on plain white cards and one post card of members of the Australia 1932/33 touring party. Signatures are Allen, Bowes, Brown, Duckworth, Larwood, Mitchell, Paynter, Sutcliffe, Voce and Wyatt, also Warner (Manager), the Sutcliffe and Warner signatures each on piece laid to card. G/VG £60/90
- 106 England Test captains 1900s-1980s. Fifteen signatures, the majority on piece laid to plain white card, of players who have captained England. Signatures are Allen, Brown, Brearley, Dexter, Douglas, Edrich, Greig, A. Gilligan, Illingworth, Leveson-Gower, Lewis, Walters, Willis, Wyatt and Yardley. G £50/80
- 107 Gilbert Laird Jessop. Gloucestershire, Cambridge University, London County & England 1894-1914. Laid down ink signature of Jessop on piece. Fading to signature, otherwise in good condition £30/50
- 108 Reverend Frank Hay Gillingham. Essex. 1903-1928. Laid down ink signature of Gillingham on piece. G/VG £40/60
- 109 Clemence 'Clem' Hill, South Australia & Australia 1892-1923. Laid down ink signature of Hill on piece. Slight ink smudge to signatures, otherwise in good condition £80/120
- 110 Frank Laver. Victoria & Australia 1891-1912. Excellent ink signature of Laver on piece laid down to card. VG £80/120
- 111 James Joseph Kelly. New South Wales & Australia 1894-1907. Laid down ink signature of Kelly on piece. Sold with a mono postcard of Kelly in wicket keeping pose. 'Wrench Series' no. 1397. G/VG £80/120
- 112 Montague Alfred Noble. New South Wales & Australia 1893-1920. Laid down ink signature of Noble on piece. Sold with a mono postcard of Noble in batting pose. 'Wrench Series' no. 1395. G/VG £80/120
- 113 Joseph Darling. South Australia & Australia. 1893-1907. Laid down ink signature of Darling on piece. Sold with a mono postcard of Darling in batting pose. 'Wrench Series' no. 1393. G/VG £80/120
- 114 Alfred Edward Johns. Victoria & Australia 1894-1899. Excellent laid down ink signature of Johns on piece. VG £100/150
- 115 Charles Edward McLeod. Victoria & Australia 1893-1904. Good ink signature of McLeod on piece laid down to card. G/VG £80/120
- 116 Archibald Palmer Wickham. Somerset 1891-1907. Excellent ink signature of Wickham to paper piece. G £25/35
- 117 George William Beldam. Middlesex & London County, 1900-1907. Rare early pencil signature on piece laid down to another piece. G/VG £40/60
- Beldam became a noted photographer and artist, pioneering action photography specialising in cricket*

and golf

- 118 George Brann, Sussex & M.C.C., 1883-1903. Excellent ink signature of Brann on piece laid down to slightly larger card. Minor foxing to piece. Sold with a sepia copy photograph of Brann. VG £40/60
- 119 Cricket autographs 1950s-1990s. Mixed selection of album pages, cards, postcards, letters etc signed by individuals and teams. Signatures include L. Compton, F. Titmus, J.J. Warr, A. Thompson etc of Middlesex, F. Trueman, D. Padgett (Yorkshire), L. Fishlock (Surrey), Lance Gibbs (West Indies) etc. Teams include Australians v Lancashire 1993, England v Australia, Trent Bridge and The Oval 1993 etc. Approximately eighty signatures in total. G £60/90
- 120 International autographs, 1990-1992. Four folding cards, each signed by members of the featured team. Cards include India in New Zealand 1990, England v West Indies 1991, England A v Sri Lanka 1991, and New Zealand in Zimbabwe & Sri Lanka 1992. G/VG £30/40
- 121 'The Centurions- Scorers of 100 First-Class Centuries'. Headed book insert by Boundary Books containing the ink signatures of nine players who have achieved the feat. Signatures, nicely signed in ink, by Don Bradman, Glenn Turner, Colin Cowdrey, Tom Graveney, Dennis Amiss, Geoff Boycott, John Edrich, Zaheer Abbas and Graham Gooch. 9"x12.5". VG £50/70
- 122 West Indies 'One Test Wonders' 1930-1976. Seven signatures each on piece laid to plain white card of players who have made only one Test match appearance. Signatures are L. Walcott (1930), V. Stollmeyer (1939), A. Ganteaune (1948), L. Pierre (1948), R. Miller (1953), N.E. Marshall (1955), and Imtiaz Ali (1976). VG £25/35
- 123 Pakistan 'One Test Wonders' 1962-1979. Four signatures each on piece laid to plain white card of players who have made only one Test match appearance. Signatures are Shahid Mahmood, Javed Akhtar (1962), Agha Zahid (1975), and Anwar Khan (1979). VG £18/25
- 124 India 'One Test Wonders' 1934-1971. Eight signatures each on piece laid to plain white card of players who have made only one Test match appearance. Signatures are M. J. Gopalan (1934), Kanwar Rai Singh (1948), M.R. Rege (1949), S. Nyalchand (1952), C.T. Patankar (1956), A. Apte, A.K. Sengupta (1959), and K. Jayantilal (1971). VG £25/35
- 125 New Zealand 'One Test Wonders' 1930-1973. Twelve signatures each on piece laid to plain white card of players who have made only one Test match appearance. Signatures include E.G. McLeod (1930), L.A. Butterfield, C. Burke, C.G. Rowe (1946), R.H. Scott, C. Snedden (1947), F.E. Fisher (1953), I. Leggat (1954) etc. VG £25/35
- 126 South Africa 'One Test Wonders' 1931-1971. Eight signatures each on piece laid to plain white card of players who have made only one Test match appearance. Signatures are J. Cochran (1931), D. Tomlinson (1935), J.B. Plimsoll (1947), M. Hanley, L. A. Markham (1949), A.I. Taylor (1956), M. Macaulay (1965), and G. Chevalier (1971). VG £25/35
- 127 West Indies 1950s. 'The 3 W's'. Three signatures each on piece laid to plain white card of Frank Worrell, Everton Weekes, and Clyde Walcott. VG £30/40
- 128 County cricketers 1920s-1960s. Over eighty signatures of county cricketers in ink and pencil, the majority on pieces, some laid down, album pages, cards etc. Some signed in later years. Earlier cricket signatures include Pope (Derbyshire), Eastman (Essex), Wilcox (Gloucestershire), Harrison (Hampshire), Cornwallis (Kent), Greenwood, Roberts (Lancashire), Atkinson, Sime (Nottinghamshire), Foy, Langford (Somerset), Holdsworth (Sussex), Woodroffe (Warwickshire), Wilson, Sellers (Yorkshire) etc. Includes some football and athletics signatures. G £60/90
- 129 Pakistan tour to England 1967. Official tour brochure published by the Pakistan Board of Control. Signed to the front covers by Salim Altaf, also to the pen pictures by nine players including Asif Iqbal, Majid Jahangir, Pervez Sajjad, Mohammad Ilyas, Niaz Ahmed etc. Possibly Salim Altaf's personal copy. Some ageing and wear, rusting to staples, otherwise in good condition £35/50
- 130 West Indies Under 19 tour to England 1993. Official tour brochure signed to pen pictures by all seventeen members of the West Indies touring party, and nine England players. Notable signatures include Shivnarine Chanderpaul, Mervyn Dillon, Dinanath Ramnarine, Glen Chapple, Michael Vaughan etc. G £30/40
- 131 Gentlemen v Players 1962. Original mono press photograph of A.R. Lewis playing a shot to leg for Gentlemen, watched on by K.V. Andrew and P.J. Sharpe of the Players, signed by the three. 8"x6". Good condition. Sold with two Warsop miniature cricket bats, 18", one signed to the face by Gentlemen v Players and to verso by the England v West Indies teams at Lord's 1950, the other signed to the face by Gentlemen v Players and to verso by England v South Africa teams at Lord's 1951. Fading to the majority of signatures. Also a hand written letter signed by Peter May, 27th September 1957. G £40/60
- 132 Australia v South Africa 2002. Large silk flag with embroidered decoration of flags and bats with title 'South Africa 2002 Australia'. Signed below by fourteen Australian players. Signatures include Ponting, McGrath, Gilchrist, Bichel, Hayden, Lehmann, Martyn etc. Mounted, framed and glazed, overall 18.5"x24". Sold with a large colour photograph of the Adelaide Test match in progress, Australia v England, 25th January 1991. Overall 22.5"x16.5". Qty 2. VG £80/120

AUTOGRAPH SHEETS, ALBUM PAGES

- 133 England v Australia 1921. Album page headed 'Australia v England 13th August 1921', the page signed by ten England players including Woolley, Hitch, Tyldesley, Mead, Parker, G. Brown, Hearne, Hallows etc. However the page is lacking

- four players who played in the match being Fender, Sandham, Tennyson and Douglas and includes Parker, Hearne and Hallows who didn't play in the match. Perhaps the other three players were called up for the Test but were not eventually selected. G £50/70
- 134 Australia tour to England 1930. Album page nicely signed in ink by nine members of the Australian touring party. Signatures are Woodfull, Richardson, Ponsford, Oldfield, Walker, a'Beckett, Wall, Jackson and Fairfax. G/VG £60/90
- 135 Australia tour to England 1934. Large album page with fifteen signatures in pencil of the Australian touring party including one in ink of Bushby (manager). Players' signatures include Woodfull (captain), Bradman, Brown, O'Reilly, Ebeling, Oldfield, McCabe, Kippax, etc. 7"x6". G/VG £100/150
- 136 Australia tour to England 1938. Large album page with fifteen signatures in pencil of the Australian touring party, including Jeanes (manager). Players' signatures include Chipperfield, Brown, Fingleton, Barnes, Hassett, McCabe, O'Reilly, Badcock etc. Lacking the signature of Bradman. 7"x6". G/VG £70/100
- 137 Australia tour to England 1948. Official team sheet for the Australian tour, nicely signed in ink by all eighteen members of the touring party. Signatures include Bradman (captain), Harvey, Johnson, McCool, Miller, Saggars, Morris, Lindwall, Toshack, Loxton etc. The signature of Barnes hand stamped as usual. Fading to the signatures of Hassett, Harvey, Johnston and Bradman, also to the stamp of Barnes. Folds and age toning otherwise in good condition £100/150
- 138 Australian tour of England 1948. Album page nicely signed by twelve members of the Australian touring party. Signatures include Bradman (Captain), Johnston, Hamence, Barnes, Harvey, Loxton, Brown, Ring, McCool etc. Minor ink smudging to the signature of McCool, otherwise G/VG £120/160
- 139 Australian tour of England 1953. Large album page nicely signed in ink by seventeen members of the touring party. Signatures include Hassett (Cpt), Miller, Lindwall, Johnston, McDonald, Harvey, Davidson, Archer, Benaud, Morris, Ring etc. 7"x6". G/VG £40/60
- 140 Australian tour of England 1961. Official autograph sheet fully signed in ink by all nineteen members of the touring party including Benaud, Harvey, Booth, Davidson, Gaunt, McDonald, Simpson, McKenzie etc. Some creasing otherwise in good condition. Sold with an England v Pakistan tour tie £30/40
- 141 Australia tour to England 1964. Large album page with eighteen signatures in pencil of the Australian touring party. Signatures include Simpson (captain), Steele (manager), Booth, Lawry, O'Neill, Burge, Veivers, Redpath, Hawke, McKenzie, Connolly etc. 7"x6". G/VG £50/70
- 142 Australian tour to England 1968. Official 'Australian Board of Control' autograph sheet signed by all seventeen players. Signatures include Lawry (Captain), Jarman, I. Chappell, Gleeson, Hawke, Inverarity, Mallett, McKenzie, Redpath, Walters etc. File holes, otherwise in good condition £30/50
- 143 Australia tour to England 1968. Large album page with eighteen signatures in pencil of the Australian touring party. Signatures include Lawry (captain), Parish (manager), I. Chappell, Redpath, Mallett, Walters, Inverarity, McKenzie, Gleeson etc. Sold with another album page with five Australian signatures in pencil, including Harris, Stackpole, O'Keefe etc. 7"x6". Qty 2. Some smudging to signatures, otherwise in good condition £50/70
- 144 Australia tour to England 1972. Large album page with eighteen signatures in pencil of the Australian touring party. Signatures include I. Chappell (captain), Steele (manager), G. Chappell, Stackpole, Walters, Marsh, Inverarity, Taber, Massie, Lillee etc. 7"x6". G £40/60
- 145 Australia tour to England 1975. Large album page with seventeen signatures in pencil of the Australian touring party. Signatures include I. Chappell (captain), Bennett (manager), G. Chappell, McCosker, Gilmore, Marsh, Lillee, Thomson, Walker etc. 7"x6". G/VG £40/60
- 146 Australia tour to England 1977. Large album page with eighteen signatures in pencil of the Australian touring party. Signatures include G. Chappell (captain), Maddocks (manager), McCosker, Walters, Hughes, Marsh, Thomson, Pascoe, Cosier, O'Keefe, Serjeant, Dymock etc. 7"x6". G/VG £40/60
- 147 Australia. Prudential World Cup 1979. Large album page with fourteen signatures in pencil of the Australian touring party. Signatures include Hughes (captain), Hilditch, Border, Yallop, Whatmore, Darling, Hogg, Dymock, Moss, Cosier etc. 7"x6". G/VG £30/50
- 148 Australian tour of England 1980 (Centenary tour). Official autograph sheet fully signed in ink by all fourteen members of the touring party including G. Chappell, Hughes, Border, Lillee, Thomson, Mallett, Yallop, Pascoe etc. G/VG £25/35
- 149 Australian tour to England and Sri Lanka 1981. Official 'Australian Cricket Board' autograph sheet signed by eighteen members of the touring party. Players' signatures include Hughes (Captain), Marsh, Alderman, Border, Hogg, Lawson, Lillee, Wood, Yallop etc. Lacking the signature of Bright. G/VG £25/35
- 150 Australian tour to New Zealand 1982. Official 'Australian Cricket Board' autograph sheet signed by fourteen members of the touring party. Players' signatures include G. Chappell (Captain), Hughes, Alderman, Border, Bright, Lillee, Marsh, Thomson, Wood etc. G/VG £25/35
- 151 Australia tour to Sri Lanka 1983. Official autograph sheet signed by fifteen members of the Australia touring party. Signatures include G. Chappell (Captain), Hokes, Border, Hogg, Wessels, Wood, Yallop, Yardley etc. Lacking the signature of Lillee. G £30/40
- 152 Australia v England 1987. Official Queensland autograph sheet signed by both teams who played in the

- World Series Cup One Day International, Brisbane, 18th January 1987. Twenty six signatures including Border, Marsh, S. Waugh, Jones, Matthews, Gatting, Botham, Lamb, Dilley, Foster, Broad etc. G £40/60
- 153 Australia v West Indies 1996. A rarer autograph sheet signed by ten Australian and fourteen West Indian players for the second Test match, Brisbane, 22nd-26th November 1996. Australian signatures include Taylor, Healy, Bevan, Gillespie, Ponting, Warne, M. Waugh, S. Waugh etc. West Indian signatures include Walsh, Lara, Ambrose, Benjamin, Bishop, Campbell, Holder, Hooper, Samuels etc. Lacking three signatures. G/VG £40/60
- There were no official sheets issued for this tour*
- 154 West Indies tour of England 1906. Joined white card with hand printed heading 'West Indians 1906' nicely signed by thirteen members of the touring party in ink. Signatures are H.B.G. Austin (Cpt), Cameron, Challenor, Layne, Constantine, Cumberbatch, Goodman, Harrigin, Learmond, Morrison, Ollivierre, Parker and Smith. Each player has signed and then stated which colony he played for ie 'George Challenor (Barbados)'. Lacking the signatures of Bancroft and Burton from the full touring party, Tommie Burton left the tour early. The joined card measures approx 9.5"x9.5" and the signatures to various areas of the card. A very rare set of signatures from this early tour to England, the second by a West Indies team, the first being in 1900. Odd minor marks to card otherwise in good condition £250/350
- The 1906 West Indian team played nineteen matches, mostly against first class counties, winning seven games, mainly against lesser opposition and the tour programme proved too ambitious. The general public were lukewarm to the visit, which was not a financial success*
- 155 West Indies tour of England 1928. Paper page very nicely signed in ink by the fourth West Indian touring party to England 1928. Seventeen signatures including Nunes (Cpt), Wight, Challenor, St. Hill, Scott, Francis, Constantine, Martin, Griffith, Rae, Fernandes, Hoad, Small, Browne, Roach etc. Good/very good condition £130/160
- 156 West Indies tour of England 1933. Large album page nicely signed in ink by the fifth West Indian touring party to England 1933. Fifteen signatures including Grant (Cpt), Da Costa, Griffith, Martindale, Constantine, Barrow, Hoad, Christiani, Achong, Headley, Merry etc. Lacking the signature of Martin from the full touring party. Good condition £70/100
- 157 West Indies tour to England 1933. Two large album pages with eleven signatures in pencil of ten members of the West Indies touring party. Signatures include Grant (captain), Valentine, Constantine, Sealey (signed twice), Achong, Wiles, Innes etc. 7"x6". G/VG £50/70
- 158 West Indies tour of England 1939. Album page signed in ink by the sixth West Indian touring party to England 1939. Sixteen signatures including Grant (Cpt), Constantine, Gomez, Martindale, Headley, Stollmeyer, Johnson, Barrow, Weekes, Cameron, Bayley, Hylton etc. Centre fold otherwise in good condition £70/100
- 159 West Indies 1939. Large sheet very nicely signed in black ink by thirteen members of the touring party to England 1939. Signatures include Weekes, Sealy, Constantine, Hylton, Johnson, Clarke, Stollmeyer etc. VG £130/160
- 160 West Indies 1950. Autograph album containing two pages signed by twelve members of the touring party to England. Signatures include Ramadhin, Valentine, Walcott, Johnson, Marshall, Christiani, Weekes, Williams, Stollmeyer, Pierre, Gomez etc. Other signatures to the book include eleven signatures of the New Zealand team of 1949 plus some individual New Zealand tourist signatures, Constantine, Washbrook, Young, Bedser, John Arlott, Palmer, Compton, Hutton, Mann, Edrich, Yardley, Ikin etc. G £50/70
- 161 West Indies tours to England 1969 and 1973. Two large album pages with eleven signatures in pencil of the West Indies touring party for 1969 and eight signatures for 1973. 1969 signatures include Shepherd, Holder, Lloyd, Fredericks, Shillingford, Foster etc. 1973 signatures include Shillingford, Murray, Fredericks, Julien, Willett etc. Qty 2. 7"x6". G/VG £50/70
- 162 West Indies tour to England 1976. Large album page with seventeen signatures in pencil of the West Indies touring party. Signatures include Lloyd (captain), Fredericks, Richards, Gomes, Roberts, Greenidge, Kallicharran, Holding, Holder, King etc. 7"x6". G/VG £40/60
- 163 England v West Indies 1987. Official Queensland autograph sheet fully signed by both teams who played in the World Series Cup One Day International, Brisbane, 17th January 1987. Twenty four signatures including Gatting, Botham, Gower, French, Emburey, Richards, Holding, Garner, Walsh, Gomes, Marshall etc. G £40/60
- 164 South Africa tour to England 1924. Seven signatures on small album pages of South African Test players. The signatures in pencil are Hearne, Nupen, Ward, Deane, Susskind, Pegler, Meintjes and Catterall. G £25/35
- 165 M.C.C. Tour to South Africa 1930/31. Two album pages signed in pencil by thirteen members of the M.C.C. touring party. Signatures are Turnbull, Wyatt, Goddard, Allom, Farrimond, Duckworth, Mann, Peebles, Hendren, Chapman, Voce, Leyland and Tate. G £40/60
- The two album pages are titled 'M.C.C. Newlands 13/3/31'. The last match of the tour v Western Province played at Newlands ended on 10th March, so the signatures may have been collected prior to their departure on the Balmoral Castle*
- 166 South Africa 1932/33. Two album pages, one nicely signed in ink by twelve Natal players, the other in ink by eight Transvaal players. The Natal page is signed by the team who played v The Rest, Greenpoint, Cape Town, 24th-26th December 1932. Signatures include Dalton, Siedle,

- Wade, Nourse, Woods, Anderson, Smith, Trotter etc. The Transvaal page is for the team who played v Western Province, Newlands, Cape Town, 24th-26th December 1932. Signatures include Langebrink, Rowan, Gyngell, Coen, Grieseson etc. Sold with an album page nicely signed in ink by A.D. Nourse with his picture laid down below. Qty 3. G £40/60
- 167 South Africa 1933/34. Two album pages, one nicely signed in ink by seven Natal players, the other in pencil by eight Transvaal players. Signatures of notable players include Davies, Siedle, Wade, Cameron, Rowan, Curnow, Langton, Quinn etc. G £40/60
- 168 South Africa tour to England 1935. Large album page signed in pencil by all fifteen players and in ink by Snooke (manager). Players' signatures include Wade (captain), Viljoen, Mitchell, Rowan, Nourse, Balaskas, Langton, Siedle, Crisp etc. 7"x6". G/VG £60/80
- 169 South Africa tour to England 1935. Album page nicely signed in ink by ten members of the South African touring party. Signatures include Wade, Mitchell, Langton, Nourse, Viljoen, Crisp etc. Also a double album page signed in pencil to one page by eleven members of the same touring party, and another for the 1960 tour signed in green ink by eight South African players including McGlew, Griffin, Goddard, Tayfield, Adcock etc. Sold with an official mono photograph of the 'South African Test Team - July 6th 1955' laid to photographer's mount. The mount has been signed by the players, the signatures very faded and have been unevenly trimmed. Overall 10"x8". G £30/50
- 170 South Africa v India 1992/93. Official autograph sheet for the South African team. Fifteen signatures including Wessels, Cook, Cronje, Rhodes, Donald, Shultz, Henry etc. Also a typed letter from Dr Ali Bacher accompanying the sheet. VG £25/35
- 171 'Rest of England v Yorkshire (Champion County) 1932'. Pair of album pages, with title handwritten over the two pages, nicely signed in ink by all twenty two players from the teams who played at The Oval on September 10th-13th 1932. Signatures include Sutcliffe, Sellers (Cpt), Wood, Leyland, Bowes, Verity, Fisher, Wyatt (Capt), Woolley, Larwood, Langridge, Voce, Hendren, Jupp, Paynter, Ames etc. To the verso are the ink signatures of the Lancashire and Nottinghamshire teams of 1932, thirty two nicely signed signatures £70/100
- 172 *The match was drawn, Leyland made 105, Sutcliffe 98 and Bowes took 7-65 in the Rest's first innings*
Bill Woodfull's XI v Vic Richardson's XI 1933/34. Album page nicely signed in ink by twelve members of the Woodfull's XI team who played Richardson's XI at the Melbourne Cricket Ground on the 17th-22nd November 1933. Signatures include Woodfull, Kippax, Oldfield, Wall, Ponsford, McCabe, Fleetwood-Smith, Ironmonger, Oldfield, Nitschke, Darling, Blackie etc. G. Rare £70/100
- This was D.J. Blackie's and H. Ironmonger's Testimonial match. The match was drawn, Woodfull making 118, McCabe 82 and Blackie taking four wickets in the match*
- 173 North v South 'Test Trial' 1936. Two 'Lord's Cricket Ground' headed pages nicely signed by the North and South teams who played at Lord's on the 13th-16th June 1936. Twenty two signatures including Allen (Cpt), Turnbull, Stephenson, Gover, Gimblett, Fishlock, Holmes, Wyatt (Cpt), Bakewell, Leyland, Warburton, Copson, Hardstaff, Keeton, Perks, Duckworth etc. The pages have Gubby Allen's initials 'G.O.A.' to top corner of each page. Minor adhesive marks to verso otherwise in good condition £60/90
- The match was drawn, Turnbull made 106 and Hardstaff 89no, Gover and Robins each taking 5 wickets*
- 174 Cricket signatures c1930s. Brown leather disbound autograph album comprising over sixty signatures in ink and pencil. Signatures include Jupp, Brown (Northamptonshire), Wyatt, Dollery (Warwickshire), Wellard, Mitchell-Innes (Somerset), Sinfield, Barnett, Crapp, Hammond, Graveney (Gloucestershire), Holmes, Fishlock, Brown (Surrey), Wyatt (Warwickshire), Sutcliffe (Yorkshire), Langridge (Sussex), Warner, Sims (Middlesex) etc. Also includes a page comprising six signatures in pencil of Motherwell F.C. 7"x6". Some pages detached, otherwise in good condition, football £50/80
- 175 Cricket signatures c1930s. Brown leather disbound autograph album comprising over eighty signatures in ink and pencil, some on pieces laid down. Notable signatures include O'Connor (Essex), Parker, Hammond (Gloucestershire), Wyatt (Warwickshire), Strudwick, Allom, Hobbs, Parker (Surrey), Verity, Sutcliffe, Macaulay (Yorkshire), Allen (Middlesex), Ames, Chapman (Kent), Tate (Sussex), Paynter (Lancashire), Morkel (South Africa) etc. 7"x6". Some pages detached, otherwise in good condition £50/80
- 176 County and international signatures 1980s/1990s. Brown leather autograph album comprising approximately three hundred signatures in ink and pencil. International signatures include Australia 1980, 1981, 1985, 1989, 1993, and West Indies. Counties featured include Derbyshire, Hampshire, Gloucestershire, Nottinghamshire, Yorkshire, Sussex, Warwickshire etc. 6.5"x5". G/VG £70/100
- 177 Gentlemen v Players, Scarborough, 8th September 1924. Page signed in pencil by the twelve members of the Players team and the umpire, G.H. Hirst. Players' signatures are Rhodes (captain), Hendren, Astill, Tyldesley, Holmes, Dolphin, Kilner, Sutcliffe, Whysall, Macaulay, Hearne and Kennedy. Some folds and creasing, otherwise in good condition £70/100
- 178 New Zealand tour to England 1937. Large album page with fifteen signatures in pencil of the New Zealand touring party. Signatures include Page (captain), Gallichan, W.Hadlee, Wallace, Donnelly, Cowie, Roberts, Dunning etc. Lacking the signature of Lowry (manager) who also played on the tour. 7"x6". G/VG £50/70

- 179 New Zealand v Australia 1946. Official Wellington Cricket Museum '1946 reunion' autograph sheet signed by fourteen players who attended the reunion in 1997. Signatures include K. Miller, W. Brown, R. Hamence, E. Toshack, I. Johnson, A. Davidson, N. Harvey, B. Sutcliffe, W. Hadlee, M. Donnelly, M. Wallace, etc. VG £30/50
- 180 New Zealand tour to England 1949. Page with ten signatures in ink of New Zealand players from the 1949 tour on pieces laid down. Signatures include Hadlee (Captain), Sutcliffe, Donnelly, Reid, Rabone, Wallace, Hayes. Two signatures have been removed. Sold with twenty two further signatures on pieces and cards including Andrews, Butterfield, Sinclair, Watt, Lowe, Weir, Webb, Burke, Westcott, Snedden, Donnelly etc. G £30/40
- 181 New Zealand tour to England 1949. Large album page with twelve signatures in pencil of the New Zealand touring party. Signatures include Cowie, Cresswell, Hayes, Cave, Burt, Mooney, Burke etc. 7"x6". G/VG £40/60
- 182 New Zealand tour to England 1958. Official autograph sheet nicely signed by all eighteen members of the touring party. Signatures include Reid (Captain), Cave, Sutcliffe, Miller, Harford, Hayes, Sparling, MacGibbon, Sparling, Petrie etc. G £30/40
- 183 New Zealand tour to United Kingdom, India and Pakistan 1969. Official 'New Zealand Cricket Council' autograph sheet nicely signed in ink by all seventeen members of the touring party. Signatures include Dowling (captain), Pollard, Congdon, Hadlee, Taylor, Murray, Howarth, Dowling etc. G £25/35
- 184 New Zealand 1973. Official autograph sheet for the New Zealand tour of the United Kingdom 1973. Fully signed in ink by all sixteen members of the party including G. Turner, Congdon, R. Hadlee, D. Hadlee, Parker, Wadsworth, Collinge, Hastings, Pollard etc. Folds otherwise in good condition £20/30
- 185 New Zealand tour to West Indies 1996. Official autograph sheet fully signed by all seventeen members of the New Zealand touring party. Signatures include Germon, Patel, Fleming, Cairns, Parore, Morrison, Astle, Twose, Harris, Nash etc. G/VG £20/30
- 186 Pakistan tour of England 1954. Large page with title 'Pakistan Touring Team 1954' handwritten to top border and nicely signed beneath by all eighteen members of the touring party. Signatures include Abdul Kardar (Cpt), Wazir Mohammad, Khalid Hassan, Shuja-ud-din, Shakoor Ahmed, Zulfiqar Ahmed, Khalid Wazir, Mohammad Aslam, Ikram Elahi, Mahmood Hussain, Waqar Hassan, Alim-ud-din, Hanif Mohammad, Fazal Mahmood, Imtiaz Ahmed, Maqsood Ahmed etc. Minor folds, laid down to slightly larger page otherwise in good+ condition £70/100
- 187 Pakistan tour of England 1962. Rarer official autograph sheet fully signed in ink by twenty members of the team and the Management. Signatures include Burki, Hanif Mohammad, Mushtaq Mohammad, Mahmood, Butt, Alimuddin, Intikhab, Malik, Mathais etc. Folds, good £50/70
- 188 Pakistan 1979. Official autograph sheet for the Pakistan tour of New Zealand, Australia & Sri Lanka 1979. Fully signed by all eighteen members of the touring party. Players' signatures including Bari, Wasim Raja, Imran, Sarfraz, Mustaq, Miandad, Zaheer, Asif etc. G/VG £30/40
- 189 India tour to England 1936. Large album page with twenty four signatures in pencil of the Indian touring party. Signatures include Maharaj of Vizianagram (captain), Brittain Jones (manager), Merchant, Amarnath, C.K. Nayudu, C.S. Nayudu, Amar Singh, Mushtaq Ali, Mahomed Nissar etc. 7"x6". G/VG £70/100
- 190 India tour to England 1959. Official autograph sheet fully signed by all nineteen members of the touring party. Signatures include Apte, Borde, Contractor, Desai, Gaekwad, Manjrekar, Roy, Umrigar, Ghose etc.
- G £60/90
- 191 M.C.C. tour of Australia & New Zealand 1950/1951. Official autograph sheet fully signed in ink by nineteen members of the touring party including the joint Managers, Green and Nash and bagman Ferguson. Signatures include Captain Brown, Compton, Bailey, Hutton, Close, Bedser, Evans, Wright, Hollies, McIntyre, Sheppard etc. Folds and minor adhesive marks to verso otherwise in good condition. Rare £50/70
- 192 M.C.C. tour of Australia 1950/51. Album page signed to face by eight and the verso by five members of the England and Australian teams in ink, one in pencil. Signatures include Lindwall and Johnston of Australia and Compton, Statham, Simpson, Hutton, Close, Tattersall, Hollies, Washbrook, Dewes, Berry and Sheppard. G £20/30
- 193 M.C.C. tour to Australia 1970/71. Large album page with sixteen signatures in pencil of the M.C.C. touring party. Signatures include Illingworth (captain), Boycott, Luckhurst, Snow, Fletcher, D'Oliveira, Knott, Willis, Lever, Underwood etc. Lacking the signature of Ward. Sold with another album page for the 1974/75 M.C.C. tour to Australia signed in pencil by seven members of the touring party including Denness, Greig, Cowdrey, Knott, Luckhurst etc. 7"x6". Qty 2. G/VG £40/60
- 194 England 'Rebel' tour of South Africa 1990/91. Official autograph sheet fully signed by the England team. Sixteen signatures including Gatting, Broad, Dilley, Maynard, Ellison, Cowdrey, Robinson etc. G/VG £30/40
- 195 England tour to Australia & New Zealand 1954/55. Reprinted autograph sheet on headed paper signed in later years by twelve members of the England touring party. Signatures are Hutton, May, Bailey, Simpson, A. Bedser, Graveney, Statham, Evans, Cowdrey, Appleyard, Tyson and Andrew. G £35/50
- 196 M.C.C. tour to Australia & New Zealand 1950/51. Reprinted autograph sheet signed in later years

- by fourteen members of the touring party. Signatures include Brown (Captain), Hutton, Sheppard, Warr, Dewes, Wright, Close, A. Bedser, Evans, Simpson etc. G/VG - £40/60
- 197 'M.C.C. Bicentenary 1787-1987'. M.C.C. v Rest of the World. Lord's 20th-25th August 1987. Official autograph sheet signed by the eleven players who represented the M.C.C. team. Signatures are Gatting (captain), Broad, Emburey, French, Gooch, Gower, Greenidge, Hadlee, Marshall, Rice and Shastri. VG £25/35
- The match was drawn. Gooch, Gatting and Greenidge scored centuries for M.C.C., also Gavaskar for the Rest of the World*
- 198 M.C.C. tour of South Africa 1956-57. Official autograph sheet for the tour. Sixteen signatures in ink including May, Compton, Cowdrey, Laker, Lock, Richardson, Wardle etc. Lacking the signature of Parks. Light creases, otherwise G/VG £30/50
- 199 England autographs 1920s. Album page signed in pencil by seven players who represented England or M.C.C. Signatures are Jupp (Northamptonshire), Chapman, Wood (Kent), White (Somerset), Gibson (Sussex), Douglas (Essex) and Knight (Surrey). G £30/40
- 200 England Test match autographs 1988-1992. Five official autograph sheets for England Tests. Sheets are v West Indies, The Oval 1988, v West Indies, Lord's 1991, v Pakistan, Lord's 1992, v Australia, The Oval 1997, and v South Africa, Trent Bridge 1998. Three sheets lacking one signature each, the others complete. G/VG £30/40
- 201 'England Captains' 1930s-1990s. Unofficial page on T.C.C.B. headed paper with typed title and players' names of England Captains. Twenty six signatures including Walters, Wyatt, Cranston, Mann, Sheppard, Close, Colin Cowdrey, May, Graveney, Lewis, Boycott, Fletcher, Brearley, Gooch, Chris Cowdrey, Gatting, Gooch, Denness, Dexter etc. Lacking the signatures of Botham and Greig. G £40/60
- 202 '19 Great England Wk/Keepers' 1931-1988. Unofficial page with typed title and players' names of England wicket keepers. Signed in ink by eighteen players. Signatures include Ames, Evans, McIntyre, Binks, Murray, Parks, Knott, Taylor, Bairstow, Downton, Russell etc. Lacking the signature of Roy Swetman. Horizontal fold, otherwise G £25/35
- 203 Sri Lanka. Prudential World Cup 1975. Large album page with fifteen signatures in pencil of the Sri Lanka touring party. Signatures include Pieris, Heyn, Tissera, Fernando, De Silva, Wettimuny, Warnapura etc. 7"x6". G/VG £30/40
- 204 Rest of the World tour to England 1970. Large album page with eight signatures in pencil of the Rest of the World team. Signatures include D. Murray, P. Pollock, G. Pollock, Mushtaq Mohammad, G. McKenzie, E. Barlow etc. 7"x6". G/VG £30/40
- 205 Jamaica tour to England 1970. Large album page with fourteen signatures in pencil of the Jamaican touring party. Signatures include Rowe, Campbell, Haye, Pinnock, Foster, Morgan, Barrett etc. 7"x6". G/VG £30/50
- 206 Umpires 1960s-1980s. Large album page with two signatures in ink and five in pencil of Test match umpires. Signatures include Shakoora Rana, Douglas Sang Hue, Fred Goodall, David Archer etc. 7"x6". G/VG £20/30
- 207 'International Team in Ceylon - 1992'. Typed autograph sheet signed by eleven members of the International team. Signatures include Gavaskar (Captain), Azharuddin, Kirsten, Lara, Prabhakar, Abdul Qadir, Rice, Vengsarkar, S. Waugh etc. Lacking the signature of Kapil Dev. G £20/30
- 208 Sri Lanka 1984/85. Official autograph sheet for the tour to Australia, Singapore and Bangladesh signed by seventeen members of the touring party. Signatures include Mendis, Dias, Aravinda de Silva, Madugalle, Wettimuny, de Mel, Ranatunga, Ratnayake etc. Lacking the signature of Vinodhan John. G £25/35
- 209 Sri Lanka 1991. Official 'Auckland Cricket Association' autograph sheet signed by all sixteen members of the touring party. Signatures include Ranatunga, A. de Silva, Gurusinha, Jayasuriya, Ramananyake, Tilkekeratne, Wickraemasinghe etc. VG £20/30
- 210 Zimbabwe. Official autograph sheet for the Inaugural Test match, Zimbabwe v India 1992. Fully signed by the Zimbabwe team and coaching staff. Fifteen signatures including Houghton, A. Flower, Brandes, Campbell, G. Flower, Pycroft, Ali Shah, Traicos etc. G £20/30
- 211 Sri Lanka 1987/88. Official autograph sheet for the Sri Lankan tour of Australia & Bangladesh (Asia Cup) 1987/88. Fully signed, eighteen signatures in ink including Madugalle, Ranatunga, de Silva, Gurusinha, Labrooy, Ratnyeke etc. G £15/25
- 212 Gloucestershire C.C.C. circa 1909/11. Album page containing eleven signatures of the Gloucestershire team. Signatures in pencil include Holloway, Huggins, Langdon, Dennett, Dipper, Merrick etc. Good/very good condition. Sold with other related ephemera £140/180
- 213 Gloucestershire C.C.C. 1924. Album page very nicely signed in ink by twelve members of the team, one in pencil. Signatures include D.C. Robinson (Cpt), Lyon, Dipper, Hammond, Bloodworth, Bessant, Waters, Mills etc. Page a little age toned and browned to edges, minor adhesive marks to verso otherwise in good condition £30/40
- 214 Gloucestershire C.C.C. 1928. Album page very nicely signed in ink by twelve members of the team. Signatures include W.H. Rowlands (Cpt), Stephens, Parker, Mills, Hammond, Seabrook, Dipper, Lyon, Barnett etc. Also signed by Buswell of Northants. Sold with various sized mono press photographs of four of the team, Parker, Mills, Barnett and Dipper. Qty 5. G £40/60
- 215 Glamorgan C.C.C. c1930/40's. Large album page nicely signed in pencil by eleven Glamorgan players. Signatures include Turnbull, Wooller,

- Duckfield, D. Davies, Brierley, Dyson, Mercer, Howard, Lavis etc. 7"x6". G/VG £30/50
- 216 Sussex C.C.C. c1930/40's. Large album page nicely signed in pencil by sixteen Sussex players. Signatures include Melville, Cook, Tate, J.H.Cornford, W.L. Cornford, Hammond, Doggart, Holmes, Bartlett, Wensley etc. 7"x6". The page probably started in the 1930's may well have been added to over the years and the players finished signing around 1948. G/VG £30/50
- 217 Middlesex C.C.C. c1939. Album page very nicely signed in ink by twelve members of the team. Signatures include Peebles (Cpt), Allen, Robertson, Gray, Compton, Edrich, Brown, Mann, Sims, Price etc. VG. To verso are ten pencil signatures of the Nottinghamshire C.C.C. 1937 team. Signatures include Heane (Cpt), Walker, Staples, Harris, Keeton, Knowles, Gunn etc. G £30/50
- 218 Somerset C.C.C. 1939. Album page nicely signed in pencil by eleven members of the team. Signatures include Longrigg (Cpt), Wellard, Barnwell, A.J.P. Ling, Base, Luckes, Andrews, Gimblett, Bennett etc. G £25/35
Tony Ling played five matches for Somerset, all in 1939
- 219 Derbyshire 1930's. Autograph album containing two pages of signatures of Derbyshire and, what appears to be other county players, all signed in pencil. Signatures include Townsend, Copson, G. Pope, A.V. Pope, Gladwin, Spencer, Beet, Houndsfield, Lee, J.S.Buller etc. Some staining to pages. G £25/35
- 220 Kent C.C.C. c1933. Large album page signed in pencil by eleven members of the team. Signatures include Ames, Valentine, Dinwiddy (signed in ink), Todd, Chalk, Woolley, Wright etc. 7"x6". G/VG £40/60
- 221 Nottinghamshire C.C.C. c1936. Large album page signed in pencil by fifteen Nottinghamshire players. Signatures include Hearne, Keeton, Voce, Larwood, Gunn, Maxwell, Lilley, Wheat, Hardstaff etc. Also includes the later signature of Reg Simpson. 7"x6". G £40/60
- 222 Derbyshire C.C.C. c1935. Large album page signed in pencil by thirteen Derbyshire players. Signatures include Richardson, Alderman, Skinner, Mitchell, Townsend, Copson, Pope etc. 7"x6". G £40/60
- 223 Lancashire C.C.C. 1935. Large album page signed in pencil by twelve Lancashire players. Signatures include Eckersley (captain), Lister, Hopwood, Paynter, Duckworth, Iddon, Oldfield etc. 7"x6". G/VG £40/60
- 224 Yorkshire C.C.C. c1971. Large album page signed in pencil by eighteen Yorkshire players. Signatures include Boycott, Leadbeater, Padgett, Bairstow, Woodford, Sidebottom, Old, R. Hutton, Johnson, Sharpe etc. 7"x6". G/VG £30/50
- 225 Middlesex C.C.C. c1932. Large album page with ten signatures in pencil of Middlesex players. Signatures include Haig (captain), Hendren, Sims, Nelson, Dunston, Peebles, Hearne etc. Sold with another Middlesex album page c1974 with twelve signatures in pencil, including Brearley (captain), Butcher, Titmus, Murray, Lamb, Selvey, Gomes etc. 7"x6". Qty 2. G/VG £30/50
- 226 Lancashire, Northamptonshire and Nottinghamshire. 1930s. Selection of small album pages, one containing eight Northamptonshire signatures, the other seven of Lancashire in ink and pencil. Northamptonshire signatures include Cullen, Matthews, Partridge, Cox, Brookes etc. Lancashire signatures include Tyldesley, Iddon, Hopwood, Parkinson, Watson etc. Sold with ten signatures, mainly Nottinghamshire, individually signed pages, the majority back to back. Signatures include Knowles, Voce, Butler, C.B. Harris, Staples, Lilley, Wheat etc. G/VG £30/40
- 227 Leicestershire, Warwickshire and Worcestershire, late 1930s. Three small album pages, each signed in pencil by the players. Eleven Leicestershire signatures include Geary, Astill, Armstrong, Shipman, Prentice, Coleman, Marlow etc. Seven Worcestershire signatures include Bull, Howorth, Jackson, Warne, Perks etc. Nine Warwickshire signatures include Cranmer, Croom, Grove, Dollery, Santall, Buckingham etc. G £30/50
- 228 Derbyshire C.C.C. c1937. Two small album pages, one nicely signed in ink by seven Derbyshire players. Signatures are Rhodes, Alderman, Elliott, Smith, Pope, Townsend and Copson. Also an individually signed page by Pope in pencil. Sold with two further album pages nicely signed in ink by four Derbyshire and five Middlesex players. Derbyshire signatures are Mitchell, Townsend, Copson and Elliott. Middlesex signatures are Peebles, Smith, Edrich, Robertson and Hart. G/VG £30/40
- 229 Lancashire C.C.C. 1954. Official autograph card, with 'Lancashire C.C.C. Autographs 1954' printed to corner, nicely signed in ink by twelve Lancashire players. Signatures include Ikin, Washbrook, Wharton, Statham, Tattersall, Hilton, Grieves etc. G/VG £30/50
- 230 Worcestershire C.C.C. 1953. Official autograph sheet nicely signed in ink by twenty one Worcestershire players, and the Secretary Bayly. Players' signatures include Bird (Captain), Perks, Richardson, Jenkins, Kenyon, Yarnold, Outschoorn, Dews, Broadbent etc. Lacking the signature of McWhirter. The sheet laid down to card. G £30/40
- 231 Worcestershire C.C.C. 1972. Official autograph sheet signed in ink by eighteen Worcestershire players. Signatures include Brain, Carter, Fearnley, Gifford, Headley, Holder, Lanchbury, Ormrod, Pridgeon, Turner, Yardley etc. Horizontal folds. G £30/40
- 232 Worcestershire C.C.C. 1977 and 1979. Two official autograph sheets, the 1977 signed by thirteen, the 1979 signed by eighteen Worcestershire players. Signatures include Gifford, D'Oliveira, Holder, Ormrod, Pridgeon, Turner, Neale, Patel, Boyns, Brown, Inchmore, Watson, Younis Ahmed etc. Light folds. Sold with two official Surrey autograph sheets for 1988 and 2005. Also four laid down cuttings each signed by the featured player

- of G. Pollock, Greenidge, Dexter and Barber. G £30/40
- 233 Worcestershire C.C.C. 1953. Album page nicely signed in ink by twelve Worcestershire players. Signatures include Bird (Captain), Richardson, Flavell, Kenyon, Broadbent, Devereaux, Perks, Ashman etc. Also the signatures of Styler and Whiting on pieces laid down. Sold with an album page signed in ink to both sides by seventeen members of the South African touring party 1955 etc, and two signed benefit brochures for Bob Taylor and Allan Lamb. G £30/40
- 234 Surrey C.C.C. c1930. Five album pages with signatures in ink laid down of Surrey players. Signatures include Fender, Barling, Ducat, Brooks, Sandham, Hobbs, Sheffield, Owen, Shepherd, Peach etc. Sold with five further album pages with signatures in pencil, mainly Essex. G £70/90
- 235 England counties 1970s-1990s. Ten official autograph sheets, the majority fully signed. Sheets include Gloucestershire (1973), Somerset (1992), Surrey, Nottinghamshire, Middlesex, Lancashire, Worcestershire (1993), Kent, Sussex, Worcestershire (1995) etc. G/VG £30/40
- 236 Glamorgan C.C.C. 1929. Album page nicely signed in ink by eleven Glamorgan players for the match v Leicestershire, Loughborough, 6th-8th July 1929. Signatures are Arnott (Captain), Morgan, Bates, Smart, Bell, Creber, Dyson, Mercer, Davies, Howard, Every and Ryan. Includes the rarer signature of A.B. Creber, who played only one match for Glamorgan. G/VG £40/60
Leicestershire beat Glamorgan by an innings and 9 runs
- 237 Somerset C.C.C. c1948/1949. Album page nicely signed in ink by eleven Somerset players. Signatures are Woodhouse (Captain), Rogers, Walford, Wellard, Watts, Hazell, Buse, Stephenson, Tremlett, Redman and Lawrence. G/VG £30/40
- 238 Essex C.C.C. 1949. Album page nicely signed in ink by eleven Essex players. Signatures include Pearce (Captain), Price, Eve, Cray, Wade,
- Vigar, P. Smith, R. Smith etc. G/VG £30/40
- 239 Warwickshire C.C.C. c1950. Album page nicely signed in ink by twelve Warwickshire players. Signatures include Dollery (Captain), Cranmer, Ord, Gardner, Pritchard, Townsend, Grove, Hollies, Spooner etc. G/VG £30/40
- 240 Hampshire C.C.C. 1950. Album page nicely signed in ink by twelve Hampshire players. Signatures include Eagar (Captain), Knott, Corby, Rayment, Blake, Dare etc. G/VG £30/40
- 241 Middlesex C.C.C. 1933. Album page nicely signed in ink by ten players. Signatures include Haig (captain), Hendren, Hulme, Watkins, Lee, Durston, Young etc. Includes the rarer signature of Edwards. The page is loose mounted to larger page with printed label with players' names laid down below. VG £25/35
Philip Edwards played only four first class matches, all for Middlesex, 1930-1933
- 242 Warwickshire 1956. Album page/card signed by sixteen members of the team. Signatures include Hollies, Ord, Horner, C.G. Hawkins, Roly Thompson, C.W. Leach, Gardener, Weekes, Carter, K. Dollery etc. Plus a similar size card signed by Fred Gardener with printed picture attached. The two cards neatly loose mounted to black card page. G £20/30
- 243 Surrey 'County Champions 1952-1958'. Official Surrey C.C.C. scorecard signed by sixteen members of the Surrey team of 1958. Signatures include May, Barrington, A. Bedser, E. Bedser, Storey, Parsons, Tindall etc. VG £25/35
- 244 Worcestershire 1951. Small sheet laid down to paper signed in ink by eleven members of the team. Signatures include Wyatt (Captain), Bird, Jenkins, Perks, Outschoorn, Yarnold etc. Light horizontal folds and slight adhesive wrinkling otherwise G £20/30
- 245 Warwickshire 1939. Small album page signed in black ink by eleven members of the Warwickshire team. Signatures include Cranmer, Wyatt,
- Ord, Dollery, Santall, Grove etc. Ink smudges to signatures of Ord and Santall. On the reverse are eleven signatures of Glamorgan players from 1939, four signed in ink, the rest in pencil. Signatures include Turnbull, Dyson, Matthews, Brierley, Judge, Clift etc. G/VG £25/35
- 246 Somerset 1933. Album page nicely signed in black ink by twelve members of the team. Signatures include Ingle (Captain), Case, Burrough, Seamer, Hazell, Wellard etc. Also includes the rarer signatures of Macdonald-Watson (four matches), Priddy (seven matches) and Watson (nineteen matches). G/VG £60/80
- 247 Northamptonshire 1912. Large album page nicely signed in ink by eleven members of the team. Signatures include Vials (Captain), Woolley, Haywood, W.H. Denton, J.S. Denton, Buswell, Seymour etc. G/VG £100/150
- 248 Northamptonshire C.C.C. c1948. Lined page with plain page laid down containing twelve ink and pencil signatures of the team. Signatures include Childs-Clarke, Partridge, Fiddling, Oldfield, Davis, R.W. Clarke, Broderick etc. To verso is the ink signature of H. Halliday of Yorkshire on piece. G £15/25
- 248a Leicestershire 1926. Large album page nicely signed in ink by the eleven members of the team that played against the Australian tourists 1st, 3rd & 4th May 1926. Signatures include Fowke (Captain), Taylor, Lord, Sidwell, Bale, Shipman etc. Very minor staining to lower corner affecting two signatures, otherwise G £60/80
The match was drawn, there being no play on the first day

**THE CRICKET COLLECTION OF
MICHAEL SMITH, CRICKET
LOVER OF KENT. Part One**

Michael Smith was an avid and passionate cricket collector from Kent. He has been ranked as 'having one of the finest - possibly the finest collections of caps, blazers and items worn by top Test cricketers'. Michael held a formidable treasure-trove of all things cricket particularly favoring items of a remarkable and of a personal nature. Explaining his passion Michael once said that the majority of his items '...either help revive wonderful memories or make me feel somehow in touch with the greats I have never seen'. The family hope that these items will be enjoyed by collectors with equal passion

- 249 'Hampstead Cricket Club 1903'. Early and impressive official menu to the Annual Dinner held at the Hotel Cecil on the 24th February 1903. The menu with elaborate cover design by G. Hillyard Swinstead depicting a fantasy scene of F.R. Spofforth depicted as a cricketing demon with spiked wing and ears sprouting out of his cap bowling to foreground, with a hoard of batsman, including W.G. Grace, walking off to the 'Victims' tent in the background with wording 'F.R. Spofforth, Vice President' and 'Demon'. Title to top border 'Hampstead Cricket Club Annual Dinner' and to lower border in printed box 'Chairman. Sir Spencer P. Marton-Wilson BT' with details of the Dinner Committee. Printed signature of Swinstead to bottom right hand corner. Inscription to lower border 'To F.S. Ashley-Cooper from G. Hillyard Swinstead' handwritten in ink. Excellent image. The menu mounted framed and glazed measures 12.5"x14.5" overall. Good/very good condition. Another good example of Hillyard Swinstead's artwork and vision. Ex H.A. Wolfe collection £250/350

A similar Hampstead Cricket Club menu for 1904 inscribed by Hillyard Swinstead to Ashley-Cooper was for sale from the Burlington Gallery for £225 in 1987

- 250 M.C.C. Tour of Australia 1903-1904. Early and impressive official menu to

the victorious M.C.C. team who returned home with the 'Ashes' having won the series by three Tests to two. The Dinner was held at The Trocadero, London on 22nd April 1904. The large menu with elaborate cover design by G. Hillyard Swinstead depicts Warner and his team wearing tour blazers and caps and carrying cricket bags, two players are holding aloft a large banner with image of an English lion with cricket bat sitting on an Australian kangaroo. The players are all named, with scenes of the team setting sail and Australia depicted. The Southern Cross is depicted with a starlit sky containing Australian cricketers names, Trumper, Duff, Noble etc. Elaborate border with names of various England Captains, flags etc and the title to the top border is 'Dinner to the M.C.C. Australian Team, April 22nd 1904. Lord Alverstone, President of the M.C.C. in the chair. Printed signature of Swinstead and date '1904' to bottom left hand corner. Excellent image. To inside page the Toasts and programme for the evening and to the back cover the menu and wines. Approximately 12"x9.5". The menu with excellent image and in very good condition for its age. A rare and highly desirable item from this early tour £300/500

Previously sold at the M.C.C. Bicentenary auction of April 1987

- 251 M.C.C. Tour of Australia 1911-1912. Early and impressive official menu cover to the victorious M.C.C. team who returned home with the 'Ashes' having won the series by four Tests to one. The Dinner was held at The Trocadero, London on 1st May 1912. The large menu with elaborate cover design by G. Hillyard Swinstead depicts Warner and his team wearing tour blazers and caps and carrying cricket bags in 'The Court of King Cricket', Warner is holding aloft a notice staked to a stump declaring 'One lost, four won' to . Some of the players are holding up cricket bats with their names on. The Southern Cross is depicted with a starlit sky containing stars with the initials of the M.C.C. cricketers. Elaborate border with names of various England Captains, flags etc and the title to the top border is

'Dinner to the M.C.C. Australian Team, May 1st 1912. Lord Desborough, President of the M.C.C. in the Chair'. Printed signature of Swinstead and date '1912' to bottom left hand corner. The menu measures approximately 12"x9.5". The menu with excellent image and in very good condition for its age. A rare and highly desirable item from this early tour

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Previously sold at the M.C.C. Bicentenary auction of April 1987

- 252 M.C.C. Tour of Australia 1911-1912. Large and impressive original printed attendees [?] display featuring, to the top third of the image, the front cover illustration of the official menu for the Dinner to the victorious M.C.C. team who returned home with the 'Ashes' in 1912 by G. Hillyard Swinstead. The Dinner was held at The Trocadero, London on 1st May 1912. Printed signature of Swinstead and date '1912' to bottom left hand corner (see previous lot for full description of the illustration. Signed below the illustration by sixteen members of the M.C.C. touring party in black ink including the Manager, T. Pawley. The signatures, signed in list form and headed 'The Team', in black ink are P.F.Warner, J.W.H.T.Douglas, F.R.Foster, F.E.Woolley, J.W.Hltch, J.W.Hearne, W.Rhodes, C.P.Mead, J.B.Hobbs, G.Gunn, S.F.Barnes, H.Strudwick, E.J.Smith, J.Vine and J.Iremonger plus Pawley. Framed and glazed in contemporay frame. Overall 16"x23". A rare and highly desirable item from this early tour of Australia especially in this little seen signed form possibly presented at the Dinner £700/1000

- 253 'Cricket Match between the Australian Eleven and the Earl of Sheffield's Eleven 1896'. A sumptuous silk menu produced for the match played at Sheffield Park, Uckfield on the 11th to 13th May 1896. The exquisite printed silk menu hand coloured and fringed in gold braid shows, to the front cover of the menu, a view of Sheffield Park within a hand coloured gold border entwined with a ribbon in the colours of Lord Sheffield of red, yellow and purple, the title

surmounted by an Earl's coronet with the Earl of Sheffield's coat of arms surmounted with a demi-griffin segreant holding between its claws a ducal coronet with motto 'Quern te Deus esse jussit' (What God has commanded you to be) to banner below. To the back cover of the menu, in similar vein, beautifully decorated with the Australian coat of arms within a highly decorated with flowers and floral designs, within a hand coloured gold border entwined with a ribbon in the colours of Lord Sheffield with two roundels at the foot and the head containing crossed cricket bats, stumps and balls. The whole opening to reveal the menu and details of the members of each team, the umpires and the scorers, printed in red, surrounded by a colourful border containing cricketing motifs of bats, balls, stumps, cricket bags etc. The menu printed by John Beal and Son, Printers of Brighton. The caterers were Booth & Sons. The menu, opened flat and including the fringed golf braid measures 11"x9", and is contained in its original red satin lined box with lid in white showing a printed cricketers belt with Lord Sheffield monogram 'S' to centre as the belt buckle. The menu in wonderful condition, the box a little worn. A truly wonderful item produced for the visit of the Prince of Wales who attended this opening match of the Australian tour on the first day, staying for lunch and watching the game in the afternoon, one of very few menus produced and probably one of few to survive from this prestigious visit.

£4000/6000

This was probably the highlight of all matches played at Sheffield Park from Lord Sheffield's personal perspective in that H.R.H. Prince of Wales attended the game on the first day 11th May 1896. Surviving menus for matches against the touring teams from the Australian's first visit in 1884 to the last in 1896 were beautifully produced and decorated with no expense spared, but this menu produced to honour the visit of the Prince of Wales, surpasses all others. The arrangements for this match and the visit from royalty is beautifully



described in two newspaper article published a few days later in Australia and New Zealand.

The Brisbane Courier states 'To the new members of the Australia

Eleven no better illustration of English hospitality could have been afforded than the match at Sheffield Park, which stands out as the greatest success that has ever taken place there. Upon their arrival at the

station, the Australians were met by Lord Sheffield, Dr W.G. Grace and other prominent local cricketers. Lord Sheffield was introduced to each member, and the team were then driven through the park to the ground. Lord Sheffield remaining at the platform to welcome the Prince of Wales. The drive from the station to the ground was profusely and lavishly decorated with venetian masts, flags, flowers and triumphal arches. By 11.30 many thousands had thronged the ground, arriving from all parts of the country. The Prince of Wales arrived amidst a great display of enthusiasm and was conducted by Lord Sheffield to the pavilion, where W.G. Grace, Harry Trott and Prince Ranjitsinhji were in turn presented to the Prince of Wales.... Grace, Trott and Ranjitsinhji lunched with the Royal party and the rest of the players in another marquee. On resuming at 3 o'clock there was an enormous attendance of spectators from all parts of Sussex, in addition to several train loads from London. From this time to until the Prince of Wales left the ground at 4 o'clock the attendance was the 'greatest, and the record kept at all entrances of the park showed that 24,390 persons entered during the day'.

The 'Oamaru Mail' (Otago, New Zealand) states 'Australian weather welcomed the Australian Eleven to Sheffield Park, a hot sun, a cloudless sky and an almost still atmosphere. The ground, probably the prettiest in England, was surrounded by at least 10,000 people and the oaks in the freshest of spring leaf and the quaint and charming pavilions formed a delightful background. The road from the local station to the ground, a distance of two miles, was decorated with flowers, ever greens and arches from beginning to end, and the Royal Standard.... with countless flags, the Australian predominating, swung idly in every direction.....The reason of all this brilliance was that the Prince of Wales had promised to visit Sheffield Park to see the Australians open their campaign and punctually at half past eleven his Royal Highness arrived. Soon after he reached the ground he walked across to the Players Pavilion and

was introduced to W.G. Grace and Harry Trott, the two captains. After eating an excellent luncheon provided in a special pavilion and to which were invited only his suite, Lord Sheffield's special friends and Messrs Trott and Grace, the Prince watched the match for nearly two hours and did not leave the Park until half past four, having spent more time at a cricket match than he had ever done since he used to play the game himself as a boy. This was looked upon by the English public as a great compliment to Australia, and was no doubt intended as such'.

The public were never charged for entry to matches against the touring teams which were played very seriously, especially no doubt by Lord Sheffield's team which often amounted almost to an England side, though in an atmosphere of 'cordial happiness'. As for the match itself, it was the setting for the memorable encounter between W.G. Grace and Ernest 'Jonah' Jones, a lively Australian opening bowler as told by F.S. Jackson:

Of all the fast bowlers the Australians have sent to this country, I think Jones was the best in my time. I have very good reasons for remembering him, as I took part in the first match he played in this country against Lord Sheffield's XI at

Sheffield Park, Sussex, in 1896. He was one of the most powerful men I ever met. I believe he was a miner, and in his early days of the tour was very wild in his delivery. This was probably because the Australians came practically straight off the ship to the match and were short of practice. Jones gave me the impression that his main effort was to show his immense pace. The wicket was dry and he bowled short, bumpy stuff. One ball from Jones hit W.G. under the arm, and later in the innings another one went head-high past him and over Kelly's head to the boundary. This was the ball about which the Beard Story originated. I can see W.G. now. He threw his head back, which caused his beard to stick out. Down the pitch went W.G., stroking his beard, to Harry Trott and said: 'Here, what is all this?' And Trott said: 'Steady, Jonah.' To which Jones made that famous remark: 'Sorry, Doctor, she slipped.' I do not think the ball actually touched W.G.'s beard. That story was told afterwards, and I believe I was responsible. When I was out and returned to the Pavilion, I said: 'Did you see that one go through W.G.'s beard?' The ball was bouncing, and only Ranji appeared to like it. The pace that Jones was bowling impressed me because in the second innings, when



I had made about 10, I had the misfortune to stop one with my ribs, but with the assistance of W.A.J. West, the umpire, who rubbed me, I was able to continue my innings'

The match was drawn, for Australia, Darling top scored in their first innings of 257 with 67, Mold taking four wickets for sixty one runs, Lord Sheffield's XI replied with a total of 195, Ranjitsinhji making 79 and Grace 49, Ernest Jones taking seven wickets for 84 runs including Grace caught by Kelly. Australian then made 194 in their second innings with Captain Trott making 59no and Pougher and Davidson taking three wickets a piece. Lord Sheffield's XI had scored 180-4 before stumps were drawn, Jackson 95no and Ranji 42, Jones taking two wickets and again including Grace caught by Giffen for 26

Acknowledgement: Roger Packham, author of 'Cricket in the Park, the Life and Times of Lord Sheffield 1832-1909

- 254 Michael Howard Bushby. Cambridge University 1952-154 (blue all three years). Collection of ephemera relating to his playing career including various cards congratulating him on his innings of 48 for the University in June 1952, official scorecard from the University v Australia match in 1953 where he scored 34 and 12, two original letters from M.C.C. regarding playing in the Southern Schools v The Rest at Lord's in 1949, original letter from M.C.C. inviting him to be a member of the M.C.C. team on their tour of Canada and the U.S.A. in 1959, official menu for the Kangaroo Club Annual Dinner in May 1954, profusely signed including many of his Cambridge University team mates including G. Goonesena, official programme for the M.C.C. visit to Brazil in 1958 and the M.C.C. tour of the Argentine in 1959, both tours of which he was a member, newspaper cuttings etc. An interesting selection £50/80

- 255 John Richard Mason. Kent & England 1893-1919. Large white damask tablecloth woven with scrolling floral designs and cartouches, beautifully embroidered with a large white-work Kent C.C.C.

emblem to centre with the club motto 'Invicta' below. To the corners of the tablecloth are embroidered with the years 1906, 1909 and 1910. The years when Kent first won the County Championship and when Mason was a member of the team. Formerly the property of J.R. Mason's of Kent. Previously sold in the Christies's auction of 1988 as lot 70. VG £100/150

'Invicta' means undefeated or unconquered and was originally used in Rome

- 256 Lancashire 1931. Linen handkerchief, with printed image of the Lancashire team with title to top 'Lancashire County Cricket Club Season 1931' and 'Champion County 1926, 1927, 1928 & 1930'. To the lower border the printed names of the team including Eckersley, E. & R. Tyldesley, Paynter, McDonald, Iddon, Duckworth etc. 17"x17". Minor stains, printed name label to edge of top border otherwise in good condition £40/60

- 257 'The Australians 1930'. Linen handkerchief with printed images of the Australian players with title to top 'The Australians 1930'. Each player named beneath their image. The handkerchief printed in a light brown and the images from copyright photographs by A.W. Wilkes of West Bromwich. Players include Woodfull, Bradman, McCabe, Fairfax, Oldfield, Jackson, Grimmett, Ponsford, Richardson, A. Jackson, Wall etc. 16"x16". Folds, rusting and minor fading otherwise in good condition. A difficult to find item £70/100

For some unknown reason there are fourteen of the fifteen tourists pictured on the handkerchief, Kippax is missing from the full touring party

- 258 The South African touring cricket team 1951. Commemorative handkerchief produced to celebrate the South African tour to England. White linen handkerchief with printed tour title to top and Springbok emblem to centre in dark green surrounded by the printed signatures of the touring party. 18"x18". Sixteen signatures including Nourse, Rowan,

Cheetham, McGlew, McLean, Waite etc. Produced by Caressa. 18"x18". Good condition. G £40/60

- 259 New Zealand tour of England 1958. 'New Zealand v England, Cricket Tests 1958'. Commemorative handkerchief produced to celebrate the New Zealand tour to England. White linen handkerchief with printed tour titles, images of the Captains John Reid and Peter May, with printed signatures and Test emblems. Produced by Caressa. Approx 16"x16". G/VG £30/50

- 260 Commonwealth Cricket Team tour of India & Ceylon 1950-51. Decorative and highly colourful silk shawl presented to Fred Ridgway whilst playing for the Commonwealth team against Uttar Pradesh Governor's XI. The mauve shawl exquisitely decorated with floral decoration and with embroidered detail to borders of both ends of the shawl 'Commonwealth XI vs P. Governor's XI. Lucknow 1950', fringed in gold braid. The shawl measures 77"x24". VG £70/100

The match was drawn, Ridgway took three wickets in the match

- 261 Maharajkumar of Vizianagram or 'Vizzy'. India. Black felt clutch bag/document bag presented to M.C.C. by 'Vizzy' presumably as President of the Board of Control for Cricket in India 1954-1957. The black bag with silk lining exquisitely decorated with a beaded and braided peacock fanning its tail, with floral borders either side. To the back is further decoration and the wording 'M.C.C. from Vizzy'. 8.25"x5". Unusual. VG £70/100

Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Vijay Ananda Gajapathi Raju, better known as the Maharajkumar of Vizianagram or Vizzy, was an Indian cricketer, cricket administrator and politician. Vizzy organised his cricket team in 1926 and constructed a ground in his palace compounds. He recruited players from India and abroad. When MCC cancelled the tour of India in 1930, '31 owing to political problems, he organised a team of his own and toured India and Ceylon. He succeeded in drafting Jack Hobbs

- and Herbert Sutcliffe for the team. He then went on to captain the Indian cricket team for the 1936 tour of England and became the President of the Board of Control for Cricket in India from 1954, '1957, previously being the vice-president'
- 262 'Benson & Hedges Bicentennial One Day International. 4th February 1988'. Original decorative table napkin from the official Dinner for the Bicentennial match played at the Melbourne Cricket Ground on the 4th September 1988. The napkin with titles to centre and borders of the Australian kangaroo and English lion in green and blue. Overall 17"x16.5". VG. From the collection of Len Maddocks, Victoria and Australia 1946-1967. Previously sold at the Boxshalls Auction of September 1999, lot 62 £40/60
- Australia won the match by 22 runs*
- 263 Herbert Sutcliffe. Yorkshire & England, 1919-1945. Official M.C.C. Christmas card from the M.C.C. tour of Australia 1928/29. With cover image of St George & the Dragon and M.C.C. colours. To inside a picture of the team and the wording- 'Xmas 1928. Hearty Greetings for Xmas and the New Year from 'A Happy Family' in Australia'. Inscribed to front cover 'From Herbert Sutcliffe'. The card from the John Arlott collection. G £50/80
- 264 Samuel Staples and Harold Larwood. Nottinghamshire & England. Official M.C.C. Christmas card from the M.C.C. tour of Australia 1928/29. With cover image of St George & the Dragon and M.C.C. colours. To inside a picture of the team and the wording- 'Xmas 1928. Hearty Greetings for Xmas and the New Year from 'A Happy Family' in Australia'. Inscribed to greetings page in ink 'To Mrs Dugard, from Sam Staples and Harold Larwood'. The card from the John Arlott collection. G £60/80
- 265 M.C.C. tour of South Africa 1930-31. Official M.C.C. Christmas card from the tour with 'M.C.C. South Africa 1930/31' and M.C.C. colours to cover. To inside a picture of the team and the wording- 'With Best Christmas Wishes from a Happy Family in South Africa'. Nicely signed by thirteen members of the team in ink. Signatures include Chapman (Captain), Allom, Voce, Hendren, Tate, Hammond, Leyland, Wyatt, White, Farrimond, Turnbull etc. Minor adhesive marks to verso otherwise in good condition. The card from the John Arlott collection £100/150
- 266 Hedley Verity and Arthur Mitchell. Yorkshire & England. Official M.C.C. Christmas card from the M.C.C. tour of India 1933. With cover image of St George & the Dragon, '1933-India-1934' and 'India 1933' and ribbon in M.C.C. colours. To inside a photograph of the Taj Mahal and the wording- 'With Best Wishes for Christmas and 1934'. Signed in what appears to be Verity's hand 'from Hedley and Arthur'. Minor adhesive marks to verso otherwise in good condition. The card from the John Arlott collection £80/120
- 267 Mulwantrai Himatlal 'Vinoos' Mankad and Vijay Merchant. India. Two Christmas cards sent to John Arlott from the two Indian Test players, one signed to John from Vinoos and the other 'To Mr & Mrs John Arlott from Vijay Merchant 1956-57'. The Merchant card depicts the Cricket Club of India pavilion. Minor adhesive marks to verso otherwise in good/very good condition. The card from the John Arlott collection £50/70
- 268 Field Marshal Bernard Law Montgomery, 1st Viscount Montgomery of Alamein, KG, GCB, DSO. 'House of Lords Christmas card for 1970 sent by Montgomery to John Arlott and signed 'Montgomery of Alamein'. Minor adhesive marks to verso otherwise in good/very good condition. The card from the John Arlott collection £70/100
- Montgomery was born a few hundred yards from Surrey County Cricket Club and visited cricket and football matches on a regular basis. Montgomery died in 1976 at the age of 88 years*
- 269 John Arlott. Large ledger style album containing over one hundred and thirty five Christmas cards either sent personally to John Arlott or collected by him over the years. The cards range from the 1920's to the 1970's/80's. The collection includes many official M.C.C. and Test nation team touring cards including South Africa, Australia, India etc. They include M.C.C. 1928-29, 1930-31, 1938-39, 1950-51, 1954-55, 1956/57, 1957-58, 1958-59, 1962-63, 1965-66 etc. Senders and signatories include A. Melville, J. Hobbs, L. Duffus, B.H. Lyon, G. Evans, P. May, Canynge Caple, Vijay Merchant, R. Benaud, Royman Browne, C. Cowdrey, J. Goldman, Keith Miller, H. Marshall, J. Crawford, J. McConnon, A. Moir, G. Gomez, H. Sutcliffe, R. Perks, F. Tyson, E. Dexter, B. Bedi, A.H. Kardar, W. Woolmer, H. Altham, G. Goonesena, Athol Rowan, J. Laker, B. Oldfield, A. Gover, Maharaja of Baroda etc. Some cards detached from album. The album with title in gilt to head of spine 'Greetings Cards' and to base 'J.A.'. VG £250/350
- 270 'Hambledon v All England, Broadhalfpenny Down 1908'. Excellent and early mounted display comprising of an original menu, original scorecard, five original sepia photographs and a postcard of the memorial 'to mark the site of the cradle of cricket'. The menu is titled in green printed lettering 'Hambledon v All England Cricket Match. September 11th, 12th & 13th 1908'. 'Chas Salter, caterer, Winchester' to lower left hand corner, again in green print. The menu is signed by twenty one of the players (actually twelve a side) who played in the commemorative match lacking the signatures of E. Whalley-Tooker, A.W. Roberts and W. Langridge but is additionally signed by F.H. Bacon of Hampshire. The signatures in ink include E.M. Spott, G.L. Jessop, G.N. Bignell, E.M.C. Ede, G. Wilder, J. Leach, W.V. Jephson, C.B. Fry, G. Dennett, A.E. Trott, Capt E.G. Wynyard, F.G.J. Ford, A.E. Knight, C. Llewellyn, J. Newman, H. Butt, E.H. Killick, J.T. Hearne, P. Mead etc. The scorecard with fully printed details informs us that 'Luncheons & Teas provided in the Refreshment Tents at popular prices by Mr C. Salter, 135 High Street, Winchester' and 'See other

side of card for match of 1777'. The original photographs show each team, the match in progress with tents and the crowd around the boundary, the opening ceremony with the edge of the Bat & Ball Inn to right hand side, and image of the crowd watching the cricket. The majority of the photographs are 6"x4.25" and the postcard, by S. Cribb, shows a dog sitting on the base of the memorial stone with officials looking on. All window mounted, framed and glazed. Overall the display measures 23.5"x21". Odd minor faults otherwise in good condition. A rare signed piece of Hambledon history
£600/900

The cricket ground was the home venue for first-class matches organised by the Hambledon Club from 1753 to 1781 which generally involved a Hampshire county team. It was used for other sports including horse racing and hare coursing. Immediately next to the ground is the Bat & Ball Inn, known as the 'cradle of cricket, whose landlord for ten years from 1762 to 1772 was Hambledon captain Richard Nyren. Nyren was succeeded by his Hambledon colleague William Barber, who ran the pub from 1772 to 1784. Broadhalfpenny Down continued in regular use by Hambledon/Hampshire teams until 1781. At the end of that season, the Hambledon Club moved to Windmill Down, which is closer to the village. According to John Nyren, Windmill was 'one of the finest places for playing on I ever saw'. A key difference was that Windmill was under the club's control as they rented it from a farmer at ten guineas a year, whereas Broadhalfpenny was common land in use as sheep pasture, for fairs and other gatherings. It could be said that Broadhalfpenny belonged to the community and Windmill to the club, whose members may not have been happy about the raucous, boisterous crowds that gathered (on the Down)'. The ground fell into disuse through most of the nineteenth century and was converted to agriculture. Attempts

were made to restore the ground with the result that a Hambledon v England XI fixture in 1908 appears in the generally accepted list of first-class fixtures. This was intended as a commemorative match and featured famous players C. B. Fry and Phil Mead. Hampshire cricketer Edward Whalley-Tooker, who played in the 1908 match, was a descendant of a member of the original Hambledon Club. Following the match in 1908 the ground was reclaimed for farming. Whalley-Tooker set about the task of securing its permanent use for cricket and in 1925 it was restored to host cricket matches. The possession of the land was given to Winchester College, with the college and Hambledon playing the first match there since its restoration. Whalley-Tooker led the Hambledon side to victory

- 271 'An English Army XI v An Australian Imperial Force XI 1917'. Excellent and early mounted display comprising of two scorecards from the match with printed complete details and seven original photographs from the match played at Lord's on the 14th July 1917. Each scorecard is signed by the same twelve players and it appears the signatures were obtained by Ernest Tyldesley (Lancashire & England 1909-1936) as his initials are printed to each corner of the scorecards. The twelve signatures consist of ten Australian players being E.P. Barbour, W. Stirling, C.G. Macartney, W.J. Munday, N.G. Dean, G.B. Inkster, T.J. Matthews, C.T. Docker, P.W. Docker and C. Kelleway, lacking the signature of J.W. McAndrew from the full eleven. The two remaining signatures are of P.F. Warner and J.W.H.T. Douglas who both played for the English Army XI. The seven sepia photographs show individual images of both teams in line, probably taken in the Harris Garden at Lords, Knox bowling to Kelleway, A.I.F. going out to field, the English Army XI walking in having bowled the A.I.F. out for 130, McCartney bowling to Fender and Kelleway bowled Knox 53, each with handwritten annotation below to mount. Titles printed to top border and 'English Army won by 4 wickets' to lower border (in fact the official

result states Match drawn, Army won on first innings. For the Australians, Kelleway made 53, Barbour 30 and Lee took 5-23, in the English Army innings, Tyldesley made 38, Warner 34 and Docker and McCartney both took three wickets. The items, window mounted, framed and glazed. Overall the display measures 28.25"x23.25". 'Fender' handwritten boldly to back of frame. Odd minor soiling and tear to edge of one scorecard otherwise in good condition. A rare signed piece of Lord's War-time cricket history
£500/700

Interestingly, the scorecards state in bold type at the top of each card 'Cricket Auction will take place on the Mound on the north side of the pavilion about 5.15. (Auctioneer-Mr G [George] Robey'. This was the auction when Robey 'Prime Minister of Mirth', greatest of front-cloth comics, auctioned bats, including some used by W.G. Grace, Trumper, Lohmann, Hirst, Abel, Rhodes, Spofforth etc, balls, books, photographs and other items of cricketana to the crowds attending the match in aid of St Dunston's Hostel for blind servicemen

- 272 'England v Australia 1902'. 'Jessop's match'. Original and scarce silk scorecard for the fifth Test match played at the Kennington Oval on the 11th to 13th August 1902. Fully printed match details. The scorecard printed by Merritt & Hatcher Ltd, 167 Upper Thames Street. E.C. The silk scorecard with some fraying to edges otherwise in very good condition. A rare and early commemorative silk scorecard
£200/300

England won the Test by one wicket. Australia batting first made 324, with Trumble making 64no, Noble 52, Trumper 42 and Hirst taking 5-77 for England, in reply, England made 183, with Hirst making 43, Tyldesley 33 and Trumble taking 8-65 for Australia. Australia made 121 in their second innings with Clem Hill top scoring with 34, Gregory 21 and Lockwood taking 5-45 for England. This left England requiring 263 to win the match, Jessop batting at number seven made a

- whirlwind 104, his first Test century, from 76 balls in only 75 minutes and Jackson 49. Fifteen runs were still needed when Rhodes, the last man in, joined Hirst. The two Yorkshiremen stood firm and scoring mainly in singles took the scores level with Australia, a single by Rhodes bringing victory, Hirst finishing on 58no. Trumble bowled unchanged, from the pavilion end, right through the entire match*
- Gilbert Jessop was eventually dismissed after 77 minutes for 104, which included 17 fours and an all-run five. Many of the fours had well cleared the boundary, but the laws of cricket in 1902 meant that to obtain six runs the ball had to be hit out of the ground. One of these "fours" was caught on the players' balcony*
- 273 Jack Hobbs 'Record'. Somerset v Surrey 1925. Original and scarce silk scorecard from the match played on the 15th-18th August 1925, where Hobbs made his 126th and 127th centuries equalling and breaking W.G. Grace's record of number of centuries scored. Hobb's made 101 in the first and 101no in the second. Surrey won the match by ten wickets. The silk scorecard, printed by Hammett & Co, Taunton, with some fraying to edges otherwise in good/very good condition £80/120
- 274 Nottinghamshire v Essex 1931. Original silk scorecard for the match played on the 10th-12th June 1931. Nottinghamshire won the match by 102 runs. The silk scorecard laid down to card. Printed on the ground by C.H. Richards. Good/very good condition £50/80
- For Nottinghamshire, Keeton scored 100no in their second innings, Carr making 75 and 67, Voce took 4-64 in the first and Arthur Staples took 5-47 in the second Essex innings. For Essex, Pearce made 78 & 31 and Smith took five wickets in the match*
- 275 Kent v Derbyshire 1935. Original silk scorecard for the match played on the 21st to 23rd August 1935 as part of the Dover Cricket Week to commemorate William Henry Ashdown (Kent 1920-1937) scoring a triple century for Kent. The match was drawn. Printed on the ground by G.W. Grigg & Son of Dover. Very minor fraying to edges otherwise in very good condition £70/100
- For Kent, Ashdown made 305 not out in Kent's first innings, Valentine 62, Chapman 49 and Freeman took 4-104 in Derbyshire's first innings. For Derbyshire, George Pope top scored with 67, Richardson 59, Elliott 31 & 52 and George Pope took 5-126 in Kent's only innings*
- 276 'Baseball. Australian Cricketers versus a Transvaal Team 1936'. Original press photograph of the Australian team for the baseball match played, between the two cricket teams, at The Wanderers Ground, Johannesburg on Sunday 7th March 1936 in support of H.B. (Horace 'Jock') Cameron's Memorial Fund. The Australian cricketers are dressed in baseball shirts and trousers, wearing cricket boots and cricket caps, many baggy green Test caps and are stood on the pitch, in line, some holding baseball bats. The lower border is signed in black ink by all twelve members of the team. The signatures are A. Richardson, S. McCabe, W.J. O'Reilly, E. McCormick, J. Fingleton, B. Brown, L. O'Brien, B. Barnett, L. Darling, C. Grimmett, Bertie Oldfield and tour manager, Harold Rowe. This was Clarrie Grimmett's copy and is signed to verso by him. Photograph by 'The Star, Johannesburg. The photograph measuring 11.5"x7.25" has a nick to the left hand border, odd minor faults otherwise in good condition. Minor fading to odd signature. A rare and unusual cricket photograph, especially in this signed form £300/400
- Jock Cameron was regarded as one of the leading wicket keepers in world cricket in 1935, he died suddenly, after only a few days illness, at the age of 30 in November 1935, having just returned to South Africa following the team's tour of England in the summer of 1935. At the conclusion of the South African tour, the Australians agreed to play a baseball match against the Transvaal team which included several members of the Test team. This was the first baseball match to take place against an Australian team*
- 277 Australian tour of England 1956. Official tour postcard of the team, standing and seated in rows in Australian attire. Mounted to card, the card nicely signed by all twelve players featured on the postcard plus J.W. Wilson. Signatures include Johnson, Mackay, Craig, Harvey, Benaud, Maddocks, Lindwall, McDonald, Davidson etc. Overall 9"x5.5". VG £50/70
- 278 Kent C.C.C. 1946. Excellent mono press photograph of the Kent team, standing and seated in rows, wearing cricket attire. Nicely signed by eleven of the twelve players featured in black ink. Signatures are Valentine (Cpt), Ames, Todd, Levett, Dovey, Phebey, Spencer, Mallett, Harding, Lewis and Davies. Lacking the signature of B. Gunn. The photograph by Albert Wilkes & Son of West Bromwich. 8.5"x6.5". Minor fading to odd signature otherwise in good condition £50/80
- 279 Middlesex C.C.C. 1958. Excellent mono press photograph of the Middlesex team, standing and seated in rows, wearing cricket attire taken at the Oval. Nicely signed by six of the twelve players featured in black ink. Signatures are Robertson, Moss, Gale, Russell, Titmus and Bill Edrich. The photograph by Central Press photos Ltd. 10"x8" £30/50
- 280 Arthur Frederick Augustus Lilley. Warwickshire & England 1894-1911. Excellent sepia cabinet card photograph of Lilley in wicket-keeping attire and sporting an M.C.C. touring cap c1905. The photograph beautifully signed in black ink 'Your affectionate Uncle A.A. Lilley'. The photograph by Sport & General Illustrations Co of the Strand. Overall, with mount, the photograph measures 6.5"x9". Sold with correspondence, dated 1990, from the previous owner, a Mr John Lilley, to the buyer Mike Smith regarding the photograph which had been passed down in the family, 'Dick' Lilley was his great, great Uncle. The correspondence includes talk of his cricket career, life, house and his business premises 'Quaife & Lilley' in Broad Street. Very good condition £200/300
- 281 Samuel Hulme Day. Kent 1897-1919. Striking mono studio

- photograph of Day, full length, in batting pose at the wicket. The photograph, mounted to photographers mount, and signed in black ink by Day. The photograph by Sport & General Press Agency of the Strand. Overall, with mount, the photograph measures 9.5"x11.5". Very good condition £150/250
- 282 Australian tour of England 1938. Large official mono photograph of the Australian touring team to England 1938, standing and seated in rows, wearing tour blazers and cricket attire. The photograph is signed by all seventeen members of the touring party to the lower border including the manager Jeanes. Signatures include Don Bradman, McCabe, Barnes, Brown, O'Reilly, Barnett, Chipperfield, Hassett, Fingleton, Fleetwood-Smith, McCormick, Badcock, Walker, Waite etc. Some fading to the signature of O'Reilly. The photograph, by 'Sport & General Press Agency' measures 12"x10". Minor wear and light creasing to lower border otherwise in good condition. This was Jeanes, the tour manager's, copy and the photograph is signed to verso by him £250/350
- The series was drawn one Test each, with three drawn*
- 283 Sheffield Park v The Parsees (Bombay, India) 1886. Large original sepia photograph of the Sheffield Park team who played the Parsees at Sheffield Park, East Sussex on the 24th & 25th May 1886, standing and seated, in rows wearing blazers, caps and cricket attire. The photograph laid down to official photographers mount with title, dates and players names to lower border. Players include Greenfield (Captain), Shaw, Coventry, Humphreys, Wyatt, Ellis, Payne, Cornish, Huggett etc. The photograph measures approx 11.5"x 9" and overall 13"x11.75". Photograph by E. Hawkins & Co of Brighton. An excellent early image. Minor marks otherwise in good/very good condition overall £250/350
- The first day's play was washed out by rain. In a low scoring game and with the Parsees following on after being bowled out for 46 in their first innings, the match was drawn, for Lord Sheffield's XI, Wyatt top scored with 35, Payne 29 as they made 142, Framjee taking four wickets for the Parsees. The Parsees were then bowled out for 46 with Huggett taking five and Greenfield four wickets. The Parsees batted out the match finishing on 53-4*
- 284 Surrey cricketers circa mid 1950's. Unusual selection of six press photographs taken presumably for publicity purposes for the sale of 'Austin' Cars. Each player is stood by a car with the same salesman and has the garage frontage to the background with their advertising signs to the walls. The players are Peter May, Jim Laker and Alf Gover. There are three photographs of May, Captain of Surrey, one signed in ink to image, two of Gover, in front of his business premises 'Sandham & Gover, both signed in ink and one of Laker signed in ink. The photographs all measuring 8"x10" are by 'Photo Maillard of W1'. All photographs loosely laid down to ledger pages. G/VG £50/80
- 285 Stanley McMurtry 'MAC' 1936 to date. 'Proposed cricket tour of England by South Africa 1970'. Amusing original pen and ink with wash cartoon artwork depicting an older member of the M.C.C. with large moustache talking to a younger cricketer and pointing to a button on a cricket bat, with pavilion corner to back ground with initials 'M.C.C.' with caption in pencil 'and this little button here releases the C.S. Gas'. Signed in black ink by the artist, 'S. McMurtry' to right hand border. Named and dated 'D.S. (Daily Sketch) 23rd May 1970' to verso. 11.75"x9.75". Sold with a Daily Mail compliment slip with note With compliments and apologies for the delay' and signed 'MAC'. Very good image £150/250
- The planned 1970 South Africa tour of England divided the cricketing world, and left many grounds vandalised or surrounded with barbed wire. The artwork is dated 23rd May 1970 which was the exact date that the tour was officially cancelled by the Cricket Council. A hastily arranged five-Test series between England and Rest of the World was held in its place in 1970.*
- Ironically, several of those who would have toured with the South African team played for the World side
- Stanley McMurtry 'Mac' was born in Edinburgh in 1936. At the age of eight he moved with his family to Birmingham and later attended Birmingham College of Art. His first published cartoon appeared in 1961 and he became a freelance cartoonist four years later, working on children's comics as well as contributing to Punch under his own name before taking on the persona of 'Mac' for his cartoons for the Daily Sketch (1969-71). Following the publication's takeover by the Daily Mail, he succeeded Illingworth and worked alternately with Emmwood as Political and Social Cartoonist until his retirement in 1975.
- Over thirty years on, Mac continues to amuse the nation with his cartoons for the Daily Mail. Taking his influence from Giles, he has an approach that is essentially apolitical, a stance proved popular not only with the public but also his peers.
- 286 Stanley McMurtry 'MAC' 1936 to date. 'Proposed cricket tour of England by South Africa 1970'. Amusing original pen and ink with wash cartoon artwork depicting a bearded protestor chained to a cricket sightscreen with message painted to the sightcreen 'Chained up in protest against Springbok tour!', two cricketers are walking past him, one holding a newspaper with headline 'Tour Off'. The caption in pencil reads 'What d'you think Arthur? One month or two before we tell him?'. Signed in black ink by the artist, 'S. McMurtry' to right hand border. Again, named and dated 'D.S. (Daily Sketch) 23rd May 1970' to verso. 11.75"x9.75". Excellent image £150/250
- 287 John Langridge. Sussex & England 1928-1955. 'John Langridge 1928-1953 not out'. Original advertising poster, printed on card, for John Langridge's Testimonial Season in 1953. The poster, with pen and ink artwork originally by A.R. Young, depicts various scenes and players (including Langridge) from the time

- with printed commentary on the player. Players featured are Ted Bowley, Jimmy Parks, Langridge, Harry Parks, David Sheppard, the scoreboard at Hove etc. The artist picks out '1922 when it all started, John aged 12, hit two centuries in schools cricket', '1933 First full season for Sussex. Got his highest score 250 against Glamorgan', '1949. Peak season. 2914 runs, average 60.70. Hit 12 centuries.... twice hit two 100's in a match...'. The poster concludes with the message '1953. His Testimonial- Your opportunity!'. The poster measures 8.75"x12.5". A rare poster. VG £100/150
- 288 Charles Oakes. Sussex 1935-1954. 'In Praise of Charlie Oakes 1935-1954'. Original advertising poster, printed on card, for Charles Oakes Benefit Season in 1954. The poster, with pen and ink artwork originally by A.R. Young, depicts various scenes and images of Oakes and his father with printed commentary on the player. Images include a view of the family home in Horsham, his father playing cricket with Oakes in a pram, Oakes batting and bowling. The artist writes 'Born in the picturesque cottage on the lovely Horsham ground, Charlie had cricket laid on from the start, Charlie was soon demanding and a bat and a ball and father Oakes was kept busy. Charlie's fluent stroke play soon became noticed and he made his debut in 1935. Capped in 1937 he celebrated by scoring a maiden century... most spectacular performance against Yorkshire in 1946 taking 5-10....'. The poster concludes with the message 'Remember! Benefit Match Yorkshire August 4,5 & 6'. The poster measures 9.75"x13.5". A rare poster. VG £100/150
- 289 Kent cricket ties. Good selection of twenty one ties including Benefits for G. Johnson 1983, J. Sheppard, Richard Ellison 1993, M. Benson, B. Woolmer 1984, A. Ealham, D. Underwood, C. Tavare etc. Also Barclays/Kent 1968, Kent v Australia etc. Odd duplication. G £30/40
- 290 Cricket ties. Good selection of twenty nine ties including some Kent interest. Includes England v Australia Centenary Test ties 1977 & 1980, early Eton Ramblers tie (?), Sussex members tie (c1960's), Jamaica 1980, 'Stuart Surridge 'tie of Jim Laker's with signed note, Tavare, Sheppard, Hadlee 1986, Ealham, Clive Rice 1985, Benefit ties etc. Odd duplication. G £30/40
- 291 England v India 1971. Black tour tie with Indian emblem and 'England 1971' in gold print. Produced by Pluck & Co, Bombay. Rare £25/35
- 292 South African tour of England 1970. Official tour tie for the series. The tour did not take place, it was cancelled due to political pressure over apartheid and a five match series v the Rest of the World was hastily set up to replace it. Rare £40/60
- Previously sold at Phillips Auctioneers sale of July 2001 as lot 71*
- 293 Cricket ties. Official New Zealand players tour tie (c1960's) by Eskay of New Zealand, a Derrick Robbins XI tour tie and a Sussex members tie (c1960's). Good condition £30/40
- 294 M.C.C. Early M.C.C. silk bow tie in gold, red and black. The lined tie with makers stamp 'Hope Brothers, Ludgate Hill, London'. Sold with an M.C.C. hat band and separate bow in the same colours. Good/very good condition £80/120
- 295 Ties/Silks. Collection of cricket ties and silks for ties including samples for Hat-trickers, Free Foresters, Harlequins, Eton Ramblers, Butterflies C.C., Surrey C.C.C., I.Zingari, M.C.C. Plus a selection of silk ribbon braids, hat bands etc. Previously sold at the M.C.C. Bicentenary auction of April 1987, lot 612. G £50/80
- 296 Clarrie Victor Grimmett. Victoria, South Australia & Australia 1918-1941. Pair of cream white flannel cricket trousers by Daks (Simpson of Piccadilly) with 'Gripu' waistband. The Colletts of London label to inside inscribed in ink 'C.V. Grimmett'. Previously purchased at the Christie's sales of 1988/89. Very good condition £100/150
- 297 World Series Cricket 1977/78. Collection of nine original children's cricket shirts all produced to promote World Series Cricket in Australia in the period. Each shirt features a player and the 'WSC' logo. Players include Tony Greig, Max Walker, Rod Marsh, Ian Chappell, David Hookes etc. New in bags. Sold with another cricket themed tee-shirt and a cricket sweatshirt. G £50/80
- 298 Cricket clothing and novelties 1970/90's. Large selection of various cricket tee-shirts (some from supporters tours), fleeces, cricket tea towels, cricketing toys etc. Includes one W.S.C. tee-shirt and baseball cap, 1970's West Indies tee-shirts, sun hats, early version of a radio cricket hat etc. Qty £30/50
- 299 George Oswald Browning Allen. Cambridge University, Middlesex & England 1921-1950. A Cambridge University cricket club blazer of pale blue wool by Sidney Smith of Cambridge, said to have been worn by Gubby Allen. The blazer previously sold at the M.C.C. Bicentenary auction of April 1987, lot 604. Good condition £100/150
- Allen attended Cambridge University in 1922 and 1923 where he gained a blue in each year*
- 300 Sir Richard Hadlee. Canterbury, Nottinghamshire, Tasmania & New Zealand, 1971-1983. New Zealand black Test blazer worn by Hadlee during his playing career. The blazer, by 'Rembrandt of New Zealand', has embroidered 'silver fern' emblem and 'N.Z.C.C.' to breast pocket. Name 'Hadlee' handwritten to inner label of jacket. G/VG £300/500
- Richard Hadlee is regarded as one of the greatest fast bowlers and all-rounders in cricketing history playing in eighty six Tests for New Zealand, taking 431 Test wickets at 22.29, then a Test record with a Test best of 9-52 v Australia in 1985 and averaged 27.16 with the bat with a top score of 151no*
- 301 Reginald Thomas Simpson. Nottinghamshire & England 1946-1963. 'Commonwealth Silver Jubilee XI tour of India 1953'. Official dark blue blazer worn by Simpson on the tour of India with impressive raised wire tour emblem to chest and 'Commonwealth Cricket Team' above and 'India 1953-54' and colourful braiding in red, yellow and

- green to blazer extremities, sleeves and pockets. Some wear to braiding and odd moth hole otherwise in good condition. Obtained by the vendor at an auction in London in the 1990's £150/250
- 302 'Len Hutton Test Record 364 v Australia 1938'. Gradidge 'Len Hutton Autograph' miniature cricket bat with details of Hutton's score and the facsimile signatures of the Australian team in England 1938 to face, to verso the facsimile signatures of the England team, date '23rd August 1938' and a humorous cricket cartoon by Tom Webster. 17" long. In original 'Gradidge' presentation box with image of Hutton to box. The bat in excellent condition, the box a little worn. Rare with original box £50/70
- 303 Ken Barrington. Surrey & England 1953-1968. Collection of seven various cricket holdalls mainly from tours with the M.C.C. and mainly when coach and Manager, tours to Australia & New Zealand 1962/63, India, Sri Lanka & Australia 1976/77, Pakistan & New Zealand 1977/78, Australia 1978/79 (2), Australia 1979/80 (2) and England home series with New Zealand 1978. The bags contain a pair of Barrington's cricket boots and various cricket bails and ball. Previously sold at the Phillips auction of June 2000. G £50/80
- 304 Geoffrey Boycott. Yorkshire & England 1962-1986. England cricket coffin, decorated in M.C.C./England colours and named to sides, used by Boycott on an M.C.C./England tour, a label for the Rosebank Hotel suggests it might be from a tour of South Africa. Sold with a collection of four various cricket holdalls, used by Boycott, mainly from tours with the M.C.C. to the West Indies 1974, Australia 1977 etc. G £50/80
- 305 David Ivon Gower. Hampshire, Leicestershire & England, 1975-1993. England green leather cricket coffin, decorated in M.C.C./England colours and named to sides, used by Gower on an England tour, a label for the 'Jamaica Pegasus' suggests it might be from a tour of the West Indies. G £40/60
- 306 John Edrich. Surrey & England 1958-1978. M.C.C./England brown cricket coffin, decorated in M.C.C./England colours and named to sides, used by Edrich on an M.C.C./England tour, a label for 'Adelaide' suggests it is from a tour of Australia. Edrich toured in 1965/66, 1970/71 and 1974/75. The coffin contains his Surrey sleeveless sweater, his M.C.C. long sleeved sweater and a Courage 'Old England' long sleeved sweater, a pair of batting pads and a pair of batting gloves, worn and signed by Edrich. The coffin showing signs of wear. G £140/180
- 307 'Skeleton Leg Guards'. Pair of very early original circa 1880 open ribbed wicker and cane batting pads. In amazingly good condition £100/150
- 308 Sir Richard Hadlee. Canterbury, Nottinghamshire, Tasmania & New Zealand, 1971-1983. Pair of Gunn & Moore 'Maestro' batting pads worn by Richard Hadlee during his career, each pad signed by Hadlee. VG £40/60
- 309 William Arras Johnston, Victoria & Australia 1945-1954. Pair of Surridge 'Len Hutton' light brown leather batting gloves with darker brown sausage shaped padding. Each glove with 'W.A.J.' to wrist. G/VG £80/120
Johnston played in forty Tests for Australia and took 160 wickets at an average of 23.91
- 310 Robin Smith. Hampshire & England. Pair of Gray Nicholls batting gloves worn by Smith during his career. Both gloves signed 'Robin Smith 7.7. [19]92. Old Trafford Test'. G £40/60
Smith scored 11 runs in England's only innings in the Test match v Pakistan at Old Trafford in July 1992
- 311 Graham Thorpe. Surrey & England. Pair of Kookaburra batting gloves worn by Thorpe during his career. Both gloves signed 'Best Wishes Graham Thorpe'. G £40/60
Sold with a copy letter from Thorpe confirming that the gloves were used in the second one day International match v South Africa at Old Trafford in August 1999. Thorpe made 55 in an England win by four wickets
- 312 Alan Knott. Kent & England 1964-1983. Pair of red Slazenger 'Alan Knott' wicket-keeping gloves, the property of Alan Knott. The gloves were never worn but made for him. Sold with a signed note 'These gloves were made for me towards the end of my career. My two old pairs just survived until the end of the 1985 season when I retired so I never used the new gloves'. VG £30/50
- 313 Bruce French. Nottinghamshire & England 1976-1995. Pair of green Gunn & Moore wicket-keeping gloves worn by French in all Tests up to 1986. Both gloves signed and dated by French. Sold with a signed note from French to that effect. G £50/80
French played in sixteen Test matches for England between 1986 and 1988
- 314 Ernest Needham. Derbyshire 1901-1922. Derbyshire navy blue cloth cricket cap with beautifully embroidered emblem of the golden tudor rose and crown to front. The cap, with small peak typical of a pre first world war cap, made by Bourne & Hussey of Derby and previously sold at the Phillips sale in February 1992, lot 290. Name hand printed to inner lining (fading). Generally very good condition. An early Derbyshire county cap £250/350
Needham was a sound opening left-handed batsman, his best season was in 1908 when he hit 1178 runs at 28.73. A notable footballer, he played for Sheffield United and England gaining 16 caps
- 315 Harold James Butler. Nottinghamshire & England 1933-1954. Nottinghamshire navy blue cloth cricket cap with raised embroidered emblem of the Nottinghamshire crest to front. The cap made by R. Buttress & Co of Cambridge and previously sold by Vennett-Smith auctioneers. Name 'H.J. Butler' hand printed to inner label. Minor wear and fading to emblem otherwise in good condition. A cap from the best bowler for Nottinghamshire during

- the period on either side of World War II £150/250
- Butler was a fast medium bowler and hard hitting lower order batsman who played 306 matches for Nottinghamshire during a twenty one year first class career. He took 952 first class wickets at an average of 24.44*
- 316 Nigel Esme Haig. Middlesex & England 1912-1934. Middlesex navy blue cloth cricket cap with embroidered emblem of the three seaxes, emblem of Middlesex to front. The cap, with small peak typical of a pre first world war cap, made by W.V. Brown of Eton and previously sold at the M.C.C. Bicentenary auction of April 1987, lot 585. Name 'N. Haig' hand printed to inner. Good condition. An early Middlesex county cap of Haig, a nephew of Lord Harris £250/350
- Haig, a good all-rounder, hit a 1,000 runs a season six times and took 100 wickets five times during his 417 first class matches for Middlesex in a twenty two year playing career. He captained the club between 1929-1934. He also played tennis, squash, rackets and golf to a high standard*
- 317 Malcolm Jameson Hilton. Lancashire & England 1946-1961. M.C.C. navy blue cloth cricket cap with raised embroidered white emblem of St. George & dragon to front. The cap worn by Hilton on his only M.C.C. tour of India, Pakistan & Ceylon in 1951/52. Paper label to inside of cap with handwritten details of the player and the tour. The cap has fading to the outside of the peak and minor wear and soiling, some browning to the M.C.C. emblem otherwise in good condition. Sold at Old Trafford in an auction held on behalf of Hilton's widow £300/400
- Malcolm Hilton played in 241 matches for Lancashire taking just over 1000 first class wickets at an average of 19.42. He played four Test matches for England between 1950 and 1951/52 taking fourteen wickets*
- 318 Graham Gooch and Angus Fraser. Pair of England 'baseball style' navy blue England cricket caps worn by the two England stalwarts. The Fraser cap, with the England emblem of the three lions and crown emblem, initials to inside and signed under the peak by Fraser. The Gooch cap with the England emblem of the three lions and coronet emblem, signed to inside lining by Gooch with note signed by Gooch. G £50/80
- 319 I.Zingari C.C. An early I.Zingari cricket club cloth cap in club colours of red, black and gold. The cap, with small peak typical of a pre first world war cap, made by Beale & Inman of London, and previously sold at the M.C.C. Bicentenary auction of April 1987, lot 627. Label to inner with letters and numbers 'M.00.20'. Slight fading to the gold of the cap and wear to inner lining otherwise in good condition £100/150
- I.Zingari C.C. comprises of both English and Australian amateur wandering cricket clubs. The English club was formed in July 1845 by a group of Old Harrovians at a dinner party and thus is one of the oldest cricket clubs still in existence. I.Zingari means 'Gypsies' in Italian*
- 320 Free Foresters C.C. An early Free Foresters cricket club cloth cap, by A.J. White 'Hatter to the Royal Family' of Jermyn Street, St. James, London, in club colours of purple, green and ivory. The cap, with small peak typical of a pre first world war cap, previously sold at the M.C.C. Bicentenary auction of April 1987, part of lot 583. Some wear, soiling and small moth holes to mainly cap extremities and small hole to peak, also wear and soiling to inner lining otherwise in good condition £100/150
- Free Foresters Cricket Club is an English amateur cricket club, established in 1856 for players from the Midland counties of England. It is a 'wandering' (or nomadic) club, having no home ground*
- 321 H. Martineau. Leveson's Gower's XI 1931/32. Free Foresters C.C. Free Foresters cricket club cloth cap, by E.C. Devereux of Eton, Bucks, in club colours of purple, green and ivory. The cap, with name 'H. Martineau' hand printed to label, previously sold at the M.C.C. Bicentenary auction of April 1987, part of lot 583. Some wear, soiling, slight fading and small moth holes to cap, also wear and soiling to inner lining otherwise in good condition £100/150
- Hubert Melville Martineau managed and captained his own cricket team to Egypt for eleven successive years from 1929-1939 (not first class). He ran his own team, based at his country house, Holyport Lodge, near Maidenhead, from 1924-1939*
- 322 Geoffrey Boycott. Yorkshire & England 1962-1983. Yorkshire navy blue cloth 1st XI cricket cap embroidered with the White Rose of Yorkshire to cap dating from Boycott's early years with Yorkshire. Name handwritten to label in Boycott's hand. Minor wear and slight fading to cap otherwise in good condition. Previously sold by Knights as part of the David Wells collection £500/800
- Geoff Boycott was the most prolific and controversial batsman of the period he played. He is one of only two batsman to average more than a 100 in an English first class season twice. He scored over 44,000 runs in first class cricket at an average of 56.24 and played 108 Test matches for England scoring 8114 runs at an average of 47.72 and scored his 100th hundred in 1977 for England against Australia at Headingley and scored 151 first class centuries during his career*
- 323 Colin Blythe. Kent & England 1899-1914. Kent navy blue cloth cricket cap with raised embroidered county emblem of the white horse, the Kent emblem, to front. The cap, with small peak typical of a pre first world war cap, from the Guy Sankey family collection and previously sold by Knights as lot 570 in October 1995. The cap has a small moth hole to the peak otherwise in good condition. An early cap from a truly notable cricketer of the 'Golden Age' of cricket £700/1000
- Colin Blythe played 381 first class matches for Kent and in 19 Test matches for England. With Wilfred Rhodes he was the principle left arm spin bowler of the Edwardian period. He appeared in first class cricket for fifteen seasons and in fourteen season captured over 100 wickets. He took 2,503 wickets in first class cricket at an average of*



16.81 and his best bowling performance was 10 wickets for 30 runs v Northamptonshire in 1907. Blythe was killed in action in Passchendaele, Belgium in November 1917

- 324 Colin Blythe. Kent & England 1899-1914. MacLaren's tour of Australia 1901/02. Navy blue cloth cap with raised and beautifully embroidered emblem of the Royal Coat of Arms of the United Kingdom, in predominantly red, yellow and blue to front. The cap with small peak typical of a pre first world war cap, with makers label of 'George Lewin of 8 Crooked Lane, Cannon Street, London', has a further small label to inside with the name 'C. Blythe' handwritten in ink in what appears to be Blythe's hand. Following research by the auctioneers, and with help from the historians at Lord's, we [the auctioneers] have concluded the cap was almost certainly produced and issued to the players who toured Australia with Archie MacLaren as captain in 1901/02. The cap from the Guy Sankey family collection and previously sold by Knights as lot 571 in October 1995. A very early and

rare touring cap, with probably only one being issued to each of the touring party of fourteen players, pre dating the first M.C.C. touring cap (St George & Dragon) worn for the first time on the inaugural M.C.C. tour of 1903/04 and the introduction of the England home Test cap (three lions & crown) a few years later. Good condition

£2500/3500

Colin Blythe played in 19 Test matches for England from 1901/02 to 1909/10 taking 100 wickets at 18.63 with a best of 8-59 v South Africa at Leeds in 1907. Blythe was selected for MacLaren's tour of Australia 1901/02 and although suffering from injury on the tour, still took 34 wickets at 20.9. Australia won the series by four Tests to one.

During our research on the cap, although we could not find a photograph of the touring party, we found images on postcards of four players who were members of the touring party wearing either a blazer or cap with a similar emblem. The players being Gilbert Jessop and Len Braund wearing caps and Archie

MacLaren (two images) (Echoes from a Golden Age. Duncan Anderson 2010, page 89. "It shows him in his touring blazer, which must have been brought down to Hove especially for the occasion.... (to be photographed for the postcard) and Blythe wearing the blazer, each with the similar distinctive emblem. It would appear that MacLaren, who was partly instrumental in establishing the eventual England and M.C.C. touring caps, decided that a tour blazer, cap and sweater should be worn on the 1901/02 tour by the team and the clothing was made by George Lewin of Crooked Lane, London. Further confirmation was forthcoming in a court report from the Derby Daily Telegraph of the 8th April 1903 which states 'A Cricket Official Sued.... the defendant was a member of the English team who went to Australia in the tour of 1901-2 and he was sued by Messrs. Lewin. Hosiers of Crooked Lane, City for £15 1s 6d for goods sold to him for that tour.....'. A copy of the court report and Blythe wearing the blazer are sold with the cap

- With many thanks to the Lord's historians at Lord's for their assistance from the auctioneer
- 325 Frank Edward Woolley. Kent & England 1906-1938. Kent navy blue cloth cricket cap with raised embroidered county emblem of the white horse, the Kent emblem, to front. The cap made by E.C. Devereux of Eton, Bucks and with name 'F.E. Woolley' handwritten to label (fading) from the Guy Sankey family collection and previously sold by Knights as lot 572 in October 1995. The cap has a hole to the rear section of the cap otherwise in good condition. An early cap from a truly great cricketer of Kent and England
£700/1000
- Frank Woolley played in 764 first class matches for Kent over a thirty two year period and in 64 Test matches for England. He is considered to be one of the game's greatest all rounders and holds the record for the most catches (1018) taken by a fielder in a first class career. His first class batting average stands at 40.77 having scored almost 60,000 runs with a highest score of 305 and he took 2066 wickets at an average of 19.87. Truly a remarkable player!*
- 326 Frank Edward Woolley. Kent & England 1906-1938. England navy blue cloth Test cap with raised embroidered and wire emblem of the three lions and crown to front. E.C. Devereux of Eton, Bucks and with name 'F.E.W.' handwritten to label (fading) from the Guy Sankey family collection and previously sold by Knights as lot 573 in October 1995. Some wear to inner lining and some small moth holes to the rear of the cap and to extremities, also to under side of peak otherwise in good condition. An early cap from a truly great cricketer of Kent and England
£700/1000
- Frank Woolley played in 764 first class matches for Kent over a thirty two year period and in 64 Test matches for England over a twenty five year period. He scored over 3000 Test runs at 36.07 with a best of 154 and took 83 wickets at 33.91 with a best of 7-76*
- 327 Alfred Percy Freeman, Kent & England 1914-1936. Kent navy blue cloth cricket cap with raised embroidered county emblem of the white horse, the Kent emblem, to front. The cap made by J&F. Browne, Hatters of Tonbridge, with small peak typical of a pre first world war cap and previously sold at the Phillips sale of Freeman items in October 1996. The cap has a sprinkling of small moth holes and wear to inner lining otherwise in good condition. An early cap from the most consistent of all bowlers ever in County Championship cricket
£500/700
- 'Tich' Freeman played in 506 first class matches for Kent and in 12 Test matches for England. He is the only cricketer to capture over 300 wickets in a season with an average of 18.05 in 1928. In all he took over 100 wickets in a season seventeen times. His best bowling figures were 10-53 for Kent v Essex at Southend in 1930*
- 328 Alfred Percy Freeman, Kent & England 1914-1936. M.C.C. navy blue cloth touring cap with raised embroidered white emblem of St. George & dragon to front. The cap made by E.C. Devereux of Eton, Bucks and previously sold at the Phillips sale of Freeman items in October 1996, lot 272. 'A.P. Freeman' hand printed to label. The cap has a small hole next to the white emblem, odd minor moth holes to rear extremity of the cap and some wear to inner lining otherwise in good condition
£500/700
- Diminutive 'Tich' Freeman played in 12 Test matches for England and toured with the M.C.C. to Australia & New Zealand in 1922/23, to Australia in 1924/25 and 1928/29 and to South Africa in 1927/28. Freeman proved only a moderate player at Test level taking 66 wickets at 25.86 with a best of 7/71 v South Africa at Manchester in 1929*
- 329 Alfred Percy Freeman, Kent & England 1914-1936. England navy blue cloth Test cap with raised wired emblem of the three lions and crown to front. The cap made by E.C. Devereux of Eton, Bucks and previously sold at the Phillips sale of Freeman items in October 1996, lot 273. Odd very minor moth holes to cap and very minor wear to inner lining otherwise in very good condition
£600/800
- 'Tich' Freeman played in 12 Test matches for England from 1924/25 to 1929. He only appeared in little more than one tenth of the English Tests played during his career and during his golden period for Kent between 1930 and 1935 he played no Test cricket all*
- 330 Desmond Leo Haynes, Barbados, Middlesex & West Indies 1976-1993. West Indies maroon cloth Test cap, by Bill Edwards of Swansea, with embroidered 'desert island with palm tree' emblem of the West Indies to cap. The label to cap has handwritten 'Dessie'. Good/very good condition. Previously sold by Knights
£600/800
- Haynes played in one hundred and sixteen Tests for the West Indies scoring 7487 Test runs at 42.29 with a highest score of 184*
- 331 Sunil Manohar Gavaskar. Mumbai, Somerset & India 1966-1987. Indian navy blue cloth Test cap, by Rakhra's of Bangalore, with embroidered and wired Indian emblem with wording 'Indian Cricket Team' to front. The label to cap has handwritten initials 'S.M.G.' (fading). Some fading and wear to emblem otherwise in good condition. Previously sold by Phillips Auctioneers in the early 1990's. An Indian Test cap from a truly great Indian batsman
£600/900
- Sunil Gavaskar played 90 Test matches for India scoring over 7500 runs at an average of 52.22. He captained India on the tour of England in 1982*
- 332 Dirk MacDonald Wellham New South Wales, Tasmania, Queensland & Australia 1980-1993 New South Wales blue wool state cricket cap with embroidered N.S.W. shield emblem to front of cap. Initials handwritten to label 'D.W.'. Some slight fading to peak otherwise in good condition. The cap is mentioned on page 252 of 'The Wisden Book of Cricket Memorabilia' Williams & Phillips 1990
£150/250

- Dirk Wellham played for three different state sides and represented Australia in six Test matches, the first being in 1981. Wellham is one of two players to score a century in both his first class and Test debuts. He was the first player to captain three Australian States*
- 333 Norman Clifford O'Neill. New South Wales & Australia 1955-67. Australian green cloth Test cap worn by O'Neill during the Australian tour of England in 1964. The cap, by Farmer's of Sydney, with embroidered Australian emblem to front with '1964' beneath has the name 'N. O'Neill' printed to label as issued. Some fading and wear to the Australian emblem, stitching to edge of peak, some wear to inner lining otherwise in good condition. The cap is mentioned on page 252 of 'The Wisden Book of Cricket Memorabilia' Williams & Phillips 1990 £2500/3500
- Norman O'Neill played in forty two Tests for Australia and made over 2700 runs at an average of 45.55, his highest Test score was 181 scored against the West Indies in the first Test (tied) at Brisbane in December 1960. On the 1964 tour he injured his knee which affected his form but he still made 1,369 first class runs on the tour at 45.63 with three centuries and appeared in four of the five Tests. In first class cricket he made over 13500 run at an average of 50.95. He died in 2008*
- 334 Arthur Owen Jones. Leicester Tigers R.F.C. 1894-1910 and Nottinghamshire C.C.C. & England 1892-1914. Nottinghamshire & England 1892-1914. Leicester (Tigers) [Rugby] Football Club velvet cap awarded to and worn by Jones in the 1897-1898 season whilst playing for Leicester. The emerald green cap with wired Leicester emblem to peak with red dragon, red English rose and the date 1897-1898 to front of cap, gold braid to all of the caps extremities. 'A.O. Jones' printed to inside of cap. The Dragon emblem may well refer to a Welsh tour. The cap lacking its tassel, minor wear to edge of peak but otherwise in good condition. Rare - rugby cricket £250/350
- Arthur Jones joined Leicester Tigers in 1895, he was appointed Captain between 1896-1899 and then again between 1902-1904. He was club captain when Tigers secured their first piece of silverware, the Midlands Counties Cup, though he missed the final through injury. He was captain in the victorious finals of 1899, 1903 and 1904 and played in the victorious finals of 1900 and 1901. He became the first player to pass 500 points for the club against Moseley in 1903.*
- Leicester Football Club, their official title became known as the Tigers in 1885. The earliest reference to the now famous 'Tigers' nickname appears in the Leicester Daily Post, February 1885 stating "the Tiger stripes were keeping well together." Leicester first played teams from Wales for the first time in 1888-1889*
- 335 Arthur Owen Jones. Leicester Tigers R.F.C. 1894-1910 and Nottinghamshire C.C.C. & England 1892-1914. 'North v South' velvet cap awarded to and worn by Jones whilst representing the North during his career. The maroon cap with wired emblem 'N.S.' to front of cap, gold braid to all of the caps extremities. The cap with minor tear above the peak otherwise in good condition. Rare - rugby cricket £200/300
- 336 Wilfred Rhodes. Yorkshire & England 1898-1930. 'Maiden first class century 1901'. Silver vesta case with inscription 'W. Rhodes. '105' Scarboro', August 28th 1901'. The vesta case marked to inside edge 'Rising Patent Striker' with hallmarks for Henry Williamson of Sheffield 1898. Minor wear and bumping otherwise in good condition. 1.5"x1.75. The vesta, presumably, was engraved and presented to Rhodes following the achievement. A unique personal gift commemorating a special moment in his early cricketing career £300/500
- Wilfred Rhodes made his maiden first class century on the 28th August 1901 playing for Yorkshire against M.C.C. at Scarborough. His score of 105, in Yorkshire's only innings, beat his previous best of 81. Yorkshire won the match by an*
- taking 6-47 in the M.C.C. first innings*
- 337 Arthur Fielder. Kent & England 1900-1914. 'Kent 3rd in the County Championship 1904'. Silver vesta case with inscription to both sides 'Arthur from C.H.B. Marsham....1904 Kent, 3rd in County Championship. Won 10, lost 4, drawn 7'. The vesta case with hallmarks for A. & J. Zimmerman of Birmingham 1904. Minor wear otherwise in good condition. 1.5"x2". The vesta presented to Fielder by Marsham, his County Captain at the end of the season £250/350
- Lancashire won the County Championship in 1904 with Yorkshire second. Arthur Fielder took 98 wickets in the 1904 season with an average of 23.38 with a best of 6-44*
- 338 Edward Humphreys. Kent & England 1899-1920. 'Kent C.C.C. Champion County 1906'. Beautifully engraved silver cigarette box presented to Humphreys, Kent having won their first County Championship in 1906. The cigarette box engraved with the Kent and Maidstone emblems, the inscription reads 'County Cricket Championship 1906. Champion County- Kent. Presented to E. Humphreys by Maidstone & Neighbourhood. October 1906'. Hallmarked Walker & Hall of Sheffield & London 1906. The box measures approximately 3.75"x3.5" and stands 2.5" tall. Very good condition. A rare memento from a historic season for Kent. Previously sold by Knights as lot 1055 in the 1990's £800/1200
- Kent played twenty two matches, winning sixteen, losing two and drawing four in winning their first County Championship. Edward 'Punter' Humphreys was a right hand opening batsman and slow left hand bowler. In 1906 he scored 977 runs at an average of 25.71 and took 33 wickets at 33.45. He hit 1000 runs in a season eight times and scored two double centuries. He scored over 15000 runs for Kent and toured with M.C.C. to the West Indies in 1912/13 where he scored two centuries and took 40 wickets, one of the highlights of the tour.*

- 339 Kumar Shri Duleepsinhji. Sussex & England 1924-1932. Silver cigarette case, with gold inlay, presented by Duleepsinhji to 'Billy', William. A. Woof his former coach at Cheltenham College. The cigarette box with machine tooled decoration engraved in a circle to centre 'K.S. Duleepsinhji to 'Billy' 1923'. Hallmarked William Hair Haselar of Birmingham 1921, further hallmarks to inside of case. The case measures approximately 2.5" x 3.5". Good/very good condition
£300/500
- Duleepsinhji was the nephew of K.S. Ranjitsinhji and played 119 matches for Sussex scoring over 15,000 first class runs at an average of 49.95 with a best of 333 for Sussex v Northamptonshire in 1930. He attended Cheltenham College and went to Cambridge University where he gained a blue in 1925/26. Ill health forced him to retire in 1932. In the 1950's he was Indian High Commissioner in Australia and New Zealand.*
- William Woof played for Gloucestershire from 1878 to 1902 and for M.C.C. between 1882 and 1885. He coached at Cheltenham College, also at Cambridge. Woof continued as coach at Cheltenham College until 1925*
- 340 Samuel James Staples, Nottinghamshire & England 1920-1934. 'Nottinghamshire 'County Champions' 1929'. Excellent silver cigarette case, with gold inlay, presented to Staples by the Committee of Nottinghamshire County Cricket Club following their County Championship success in 1929. The cigarette box with machine tooled decoration to outer engraved to inside 'County Cricket Championship 1929. Won by Nottinghamshire. W. Carr (Captain), Gunn G., Payton W., Whysall W.W., Walker W., Barratt F., Staples S.J., Lilley B., Larwood H., Staples A., Voce W., Presented by the Committee to S.J. Staples. October 25th 1929'. Hallmarked Walker & Hall of Sheffield 1929, further hallmarks to inside of case. The case measures approximately 4.5" x 3.25". Good/very good condition
£400/600
- Nottinghamshire played twenty eight matches, winning fourteen, losing two and drawing twelve in winning the County Championship. Sam Staples took 101 wickets at 24.15 in 1929. He played 368 matches for Nottinghamshire taking 1331 wickets at an average of 22.85 and scored almost 6,500 first class runs. He played three Test matches for England on the M.C.C. tour of South Africa in 1927/28.*
- 341 Arthur Brian Sellers, Yorkshire 1932-1948. 'Yorkshire 'County Champions' 1935'. Large and impressive silver salver presented to Brian Sellers, as Captain, by Yorkshire County Cricket Club for winning the County Championship in 1935. With Yorkshire 'White Rose' emblem to centre and inscription above and below 'Presented to 'The Skipper' Mr A. Brian Sellers by the Yorkshire County Cricket Club Committee. In appreciation of his services and to commemorate the winning of the County Championship 1935'. The silver three legged salver with pie crust edging has hallmarks for Thomas Bradbury & Son of Sheffield, 1935. 10" diameter. Very good condition. Previously sold by Knights as lot 1188 in the 1990's £500/800
- Yorkshire played thirty matches, winning nineteen, losing one and drawing ten in winning the County Championship. Brian Sellers captained Yorkshire from 1933 to 1948. A great captain but a moderate player, scoring just over 9,000 runs at 23.04 with a highest score of 204 v Cambridge University in 1936*
- 342 Kenneth Frank Barrington, Surrey & England 1953-1968. Silver plated ashtray presented to Barrington during the 200th Test match. England v Australia 1968. The ashtray engraved to centre '200th Test match. England v Australia, Lord's- June 1968. K.F.B.' surmounted by the M.C.C. emblem. The ashtray made by Mappin & Webb of London & Sheffield measures 4.5" diameter. Previously sold by Phillips auctioneers as lot 386 in 2000. G £50/80
- The Test was drawn with Australia being bowled out for 78 in their first*
- innings, Barrington made 75 in England's only innings*
- 343 Colin Milburn. Northamptonshire, Western Australia & England 1960-1974. Pewter pint tankard presented to Milburn as a member of the M.C.C. team who toured Pakistan & Ceylon in 1968/69. The tankard with glass bottom is engraved with the M.C.C. emblem with tour details and date in scroll below with the initials 'C.M.' below. Marks to base. 5" tall. VG £50/70
- Milburn was called up late for the tour and only played in one match, the third Test at Karachi where he made 139. The first two Tests were drawn and the third was abandoned due to rioting following political upheaval*
- 344 'The Derrick Robins Trophy'. The original trophy played for between 1969 and 1975 by club sides 'The National Club Cricket Knockout Trophy' with the final being played at Lord's each year. The impressive heavy trophy with two cricket captains in silver tossing a coin for innings with silver stumps behind on a green marble base, with silver panels to each side and to front a silver panel with the inscription 'The Derrick Robins Trophy' and to the back a further engraved inscription on silver panel 'The National Club Cricket Knockout Trophy' and listing the names of clubs who had won the prestigious trophy from 1969 to 1975. The front, rear and side panels, the two captains and the stumps are all hallmarked for John Turton & Co of Birmingham 1968. The trophy stands 9" tall and measures 9.5" x 5.5". The trophy has its original wooden storage box lined in green felt, old labels to sides. Good condition. Unusual to be given the opportunity to buy an original national cricket trophy £500/800
- The trophy was formally sold by Phillips Auctioneers in September 1989 as lot 655*
- 'The National Club Cricket Knockout Trophy' started in 1969 with the trophy being the 'The Derrick Robins Trophy'. Derrick Harold Robins (1914-2004), often known as "D. H. Robins", was an English cricketer and sports*

- promoter, at one time chairman of Coventry City Football Club. Robins played two matches for Warwickshire in 1947, but did little and never played county cricket again. Extraordinarily, his third first-class appearance would come 22 years later, when he appeared for his own "D. H. Robins' XI" against the touring West Indians at The Saffrons, Eastbourne. Robins made two further appearances for his own XI, against Oxford University in 1969 and against the Indians in 1971, the latter game coming a few days after his 57th birthday. However, he was better known as the promoter who took several strong sides to apartheid South Africa in the 1970s. Between 1972/73 and 1975/76 a D. H. Robins' XI played in the country each winter. In those days there were no sanctions against cricketers who visited South Africa, and Robins' teams included players of high quality, including such names as Bob Willis, Brian Close, Tony Greig and Trevor Chappell. He also took first-class teams to Sri Lanka in 1977, '78 and New Zealand in 1979, '80.
- Teams that have won this particular trophy are Hampstead (1969), Cheltenham (1970), Blackheath (1971), Scarborough (1972), Wolverhampton (1973), Sunbury (1974 and York (1975). This trophy was superseded by the John Haig Trophy in 1976.
- 345 Herbert Sutcliffe. Yorkshire & England, 1919-1945. 'Presented to Herbert Sutcliffe, Y.C.C. as a token of esteem to commemorate his being included in the English Team visiting Australia 1924-25 by Friends of the Pudsey Britannia & Pudsey St. Lawrence Cricket Clubs. August 20th 1924'. One hundred and eight piece canteen of cutlery presented to Herbert Sutcliffe by the two Pudsey cricket clubs following his selection for the M.C.C. tour of Australia in 1924/25. Plaque to centre of wooden box lid with the inscription. The canteen of cutlery, by William Greenwood of Huddersfield and Leeds, in stainless steel stored in elegant mahogany cabinet and consisting of an upper sectioned compartment accessed by the hinged lid with two compartmentalised drawers beneath with metal handles, brass fittings and mouldings. There are some items of cutlery missing and I feel some has also been replaced, odd silver item included. Some wear to wooden cabinet otherwise in good condition. A unique presentation gift to Sutcliffe. Previously sold at Sothebys in July 1999 as lot 45 £300/500
- The years of 1924 and 1925 were probably Sutcliffe's most productive years, both for Yorkshire and for England. Sutcliffe's had an exceptional tour of Australia with M.C.C. in 1924/25. In the five Tests, he scored 734 runs at an average of 81.55 with four centuries and a highest score of 176. In the home season of 1925, he scored 2308 runs for Yorkshire at an average of 53.67 with seven centuries
- 346 'Darnall Cricket Ground. Grand Match Admission Ticket' Early brass disc admission ticket 1825-1829 with 'Darnall Cricket Ground' on reverse and to front 'Grand Match Admission Ticket' with cricket scene with emblems to centre. The initials 'W.H.W.' imprinted to the face of the disc. These are the proprietors initials, W.H. Woodhouse who owned the ground in Sheffield. Darnall Park was one of the first grounds on which the great matches in the north were played and was opened in 1821. The disc, 1" diameter, is framed and glazed with handwritten details of the disc, the ground and the matches. Overall 5.5"x6.75". An early form of entry ticket. Previously sold at the M.C.C. Bicentenary auction of April 1987, lot 759. Rare £120/160
- The Wisden Book of Cricket Memorabilia mentions a similar admission ticket on page 215 with further details
- 347 George Duckworth, Lancashire & England 1923-38. Oval plaque by Newhall Pottery of Hanley with portrait of Duckworth in wicket-keeping stance at the wicket. brown wood effect borders. 6.75"x5.5". Stamp to back. Minor damage to border, repaired otherwise in good condition. Rarely seen plaque £100/150
- 348 I.Zingari C.C. An early I.Zingari cricket umbrella in club colours of red, black and gold with inner red lining. The beautifully made umbrella with handle, made of lacquered bamboo with cricket ball finial to end, made by 'Ortis', with gold metal tip and inscribed gold metal ban with the initials 'A.S.C.'. Some splitting to the outer canopy otherwise in good condition. Handle with care. A rare I.Zingari item £140/180
- I.Zingari C.C. comprises of both English and Australian amateur wandering cricket clubs. The English club was formed in July 1845 by a group of Old Harrovians at a dinner party and thus is one of the oldest cricket clubs still in existence. I.Zingari means 'Gypsies' in Italian
- 349 Elias Henry 'Patsy' Hendren. Middlesex & England 1907-1937. Excellent presentation walking stick presented to Hendren on the M.C.C. cricket tour of Australia in 1928/29. The walking stick made of two different woods to handle and stick has a hallmarked gold band just below the handle with inscription E. Hendren, 5/2/29 from Australian Admirers'. Gold mark for S.A. Coote. 23" tall. A lovely tactile item £200/300
- Hendren had an excellent Ashes winning tour scoring 1033 runs at an average of 64.56 with three centuries and a highest score of 169
- 350 'Sir Jack Hobbs. Surrey & England'. Life size cardboard free standing figure of Hobbs in batting pose. Dated in print to figure 1993. Probably produced to advertise a Hobbs book launch. The figure folds in half. Some wear to figure extremities. G £30/50
- 351 'Lord's The Home of Cricket'. Large metal advertising panel with inscription in red, green and black. This appears to be an original Lord's cricket ground panel. 48"x38". G £30/50

CRICKET POSTCARDS, TRADE & CIGARETTE CARDS

352 Australian tour of England 1930. Excellent complete set of fifteen sepia real photograph postcards of each member of the Australian touring party. Each player featured on the postcards has been taken, head and shoulders, wearing Australian sweater, nine wearing Australian caps. Each card has been very nicely signed by the player featured in ink. The players are Bill Woodfull (Captain), Vic Richardson, Don Bradman, Alan Fairfax, Archie Jackson, Bill Ponsford, Alan Kippax, Stan McCabe, Clarrie Grimmett, Alexander Hurwood, Thomas Wall, Percy Hornibrook, Bert Oldfield, Ted a'Beckett and Charles Walker. Each postcard has a printed number 1-15 to the right hand corner of the postcard, Bradman to the left. The postcards produced by B.D.V. cigarettes of Godfrey Phillips of London, as part of their advertising campaign for the 1930 Australian tourists. A rare opportunity to purchase a full set of these signed postcards which includes the rarer signed postcard of Archie Jackson who died of tuberculosis in 1933 at the age of 23, this was to be Archie Jackson's only tour to England. The postcards in good/very good condition £2500/3500

This was Bradman's first tour of England and a record breaking one! He scored 974 runs at an average of 139.14 during the Test series, with four centuries, including two double hundreds and a triple century. Bradman's first-class tour total was 2,960 runs, at an average of 98.66 with 10 centuries, was another enduring record, the most by any overseas batsman on a tour of England



- 353 Australian tour of England 1921. Mono postcard of the Australian team 1921 with caption and players names printed to lower border. T. Bolland, photographer. Signed by all sixteen members of the touring party including the Manager, Smith to the face of the card. Signatures signed in ink include Armstrong, Collins, Taylor, McDonald, Pellew, Mailey, Gregory, Mayne, Ryder, Andrews, Bardsley, Oldfield etc. Postally unused. Rare. Minor wear to verso otherwise in good condition £200/300
- 354 Hon Lord Lionel H. Tennyson's tour of Jamaica 1926/27. Mono postcard of 'By the roadside, St Thomas, Jamaica' nicely signed to verso by twelve members of the touring party. Signatures are Tennyson, Fender, Parker, T. Arnott, Sullivan, Gillingham, Green, Morris, Hilder, Holmes, Tyldesley and O'Connor. Lacking the signature of Tony Lock from the full touring party. A further signature 'A. Tennyson'? has also signed the card. Ten signatures in ink and three in pencil. 'Jamaica Photogravure Postcard Series 2'. G £60/90
- Tennyson's touring team was short of bowling which is reflected in that there were six draws of the seven matches played*
- 355 Gilbert Laird Jessop, Gloucestershire & England 1894-1914. Excellent sepia real photograph postcard of Jessop, full length, in batting pose wearing a striped cap and gazing into the camera. The postcard nicely signed to image in black ink by Jessop. E. Hawkins & Co, Brighton. Postally dated 1908. Slight fading to signature otherwise in good/very good condition. Rare £140/180
- This image appears on the front cover dustwrapper of 'Echoes from a Golden Age. Postcard Photographs of Cricketers by Foster and Hawkins'. Duncan Anderson 2010 and also on page 117. The photograph is described as being thought to have been taken during the 1904 or 1905 season*
- 356 John Gunn. Nottinghamshire & England, 1896-1925. Mono postcard of Gunn, full length, in bowling pose at the wicket. Nicely signed in black ink by Gunn. Wrench series no. 1691. Postally unused. G/VG £50/70
- 357 William James Whitty. New South Wales, South Australia & Australia 1907-1926. Excellent mono real photograph postcard of Whitty, full length, wearing Australian Test cap on the 1909 tour of England. Nicely signed in black ink by Whitty. Title to lower border 'W.J. Whitty. The Australian Cricket Team 1909'. Davidson Bros. Minor wear to card otherwise in good/very good condition £100/150
- 358 Thomas George Wass. Nottinghamshire, 1896-1920. Excellent sepia real photograph postcard of Wass, full length, in bowling pose at the wicket. The postcard signed to image in black ink by Wass. Foster of Brighton. Horizontal fold to card, some minor wear to left hand top corner of card otherwise in good condition. Lovely image. Rare £50/70
- 359 Pelham 'Plum' Francis Warner, Middlesex & England 1894-1929. Excellent sepia real photograph postcard of Warner, full length, in batting attire, wearing cap and stood in front of the wicket. The postcard nicely signed to image in black ink by Warner. Foster of Brighton. Postally date stamped 1911. Some minor wear to corners and card extremities otherwise in good condition. Rare £80/120
- 360 Walter Mead. Essex & England 1894-1913. Mono real photograph postcard of Mead wearing cap in bowling pose at the wicket. Nicely signed, 'Yours truly' in black ink by Mead. Rotophot 8597. G £120/160
- 361 Vivian Frank Shergold Crawford. Surrey & Leicestershire 1896-1910. Mono printed postcard of Crawford, wearing Surrey cap, in batting pose at the wicket. Very nicely signed in black ink by Crawford. Wrench Series. No 1752. Minor stain to lower corder otherwise in good/very good condition £70/100
- 362 Albert Ernest Knight. Leicestershire & England 1895-1912. Mono real photograph postcard of Knight, full length wearing county cap, in batting pose. Nicely signed in black ink by Knight to lower border.
- 'Walker's Team Series. John Walker & Co, London. Good/very good condition £70/100
- 363 Charles W.L. Parker. Gloucestershire & England 1903-1935. Mono real photograph postcard of Parker, full length, wearing blazer. Very nicely signed by Parker in ink. Nias of Brighton. G £60/90
- 364 Reginald Albert Sinfield. Gloucestershire & England 1924-1939. Mono real photograph postcard of Sinfield, half length, wearing Gloucestershire blazer. Nicely signed in ink by Sinfield. H.K. Fox of Gloucester. G £40/60
- 365 Arthur Percy Frank Chapman. Cambridge University, Kent & England 1920-1938. Mono real photograph postcard of Chapman wearing M.C.C. touring blazer c1930. Nicely signed in ink by Chapman. Photograph by Flemons of Tonbridge. G £70/100
- 366 Edward Wentworth Dillon. Kent, Oxford University & London County 1900-1923. Early mono postcard of Dillon in batting pose. Nicely signed in ink by Dillon. Photograph by Mockford of Tonbridge. G £120/150
- 367 Nawab of Pataudi. Sussex, Oxford University, Worcestershire & India 1957-1975. Mono real photograph postcard of Pataudi, head and shoulders in cricket attire, with name and county printed to lower border. Nicely signed in ink by Pataudi. Sporting Handbooks Ltd. G/VG £30/50
- 368 Bishen Bedi. India. Mono real photograph plain back postcard of a young Bedi at Cambridge University, half length in cricket attire. Ex John Arlott collection. G £30/50
- 369 John Berry 'Jack' Hobbs. Surrey & England 1905-1934. Excellent sepia real photograph postcard of a youthful Hobbs, full length, stood at the wicket holding bat to side, wearing Surrey cap, thought to have been taken during the Sussex v Surrey match of July 1905. The postcard very nicely signed to image in black ink by Hobbs. Foster of Brighton. Attractively mounted in window mount with printed description below, framed and

- glazed, overall 14"x20.5". Good condition. Rare £120/160
An early image of Hobbs, he made his debut for Surrey in 1905
- 370 South Africa tour to England 1960. Mono real photograph plain back postcard of 'Pom Pom' Fellows-Smith and Colin Wesley walking out to bat for South Africans v T.N. Pearce's XI, Scarborough 1960. Signed to the photograph by both players. G £30/50
- 371 Walter Hammond. Gloucestershire & England, 1920-1935. Rare mono real photograph postcard of Hammond being presented with a silver tea and coffee service by '3LO', Broadcasting Company of Australia on 15th March 1929, to mark his double centuries in successive innings and as a wedding present. Printed signature of Hammond to face of card. Postally unused. G/VG. Rare £25/35
- 372 John Berry 'Jack' Hobbs. Surrey & England, 1905-1934. Sepia real photograph postcard of Hobbs, head and shoulders in cap and blazer. Nicely signed in black ink by Hobbs with dedication. Nice image. Publisher unknown. VG £40/60
- 373 Walter Mead. Essex & England 1894-1913. Mono postcard of Mead wearing Essex cap and holding a cricket ball with both hands as if about to bowl. Signed, 'Yours truly' in black ink by Mead to lower border, also signed to reverse by Mead. Hartmann series 1667. Postally date stamped 1905. Very good condition £80/120
- 374 Reverend Frank Hay Gillingham. Essex. 1903-1928. Plain postcard boldly signed in black ink by Gillingham. To verso is a laid down printed image of Gillingham at the wicket. G £40/60
- 375 Anthony Riddington. Leicestershire 1931-1950. Mono real photograph plain back postcard of Riddington, head and shoulders in cricket attire. Signed in ink by Riddington. Photograph by A. Wilkes & Son of West Bromwich. Odd blemishes and minor silvering, otherwise G/VG £40/60
- 376 Laurie Gray. Middlesex 1934-1951. Postcard size mono studio photograph of Gray. Nicely signed in ink by Gray. Levack Studios of London. G/VG £25/35
- 377 Charles Edmund de Trafford. Lancashire, Leicestershire, London County & M.C.C. 1884-1920. Mono printed postcard of De Trafford, wearing county cap, in batting pose at the wicket. Very nicely signed to white lower border in black ink by De Trafford. Rotophot Series. No 8607. Good/very good condition £80/120
- 378 All India tour of England 1932. Mono real photograph postcard of the All India touring team with title and players names to lower border. Hills & Lacy Ltd. Nicely signed in ink to verso by fourteen members of the All India team. Signatures include Nazir Ali, Joginder Singh, Wazir Ali, Palia, Amir Singh, Nissar, Godambe, Marshall, Jahangir Khan, Colah etc. VG £120/160
- 379 M.C.C. tour to Australia 1962/63. Original P&O Orient Lines mono postcard of the Canberra. Signed in ink to the front by David Sheppard and to the verso by eleven other members of the touring party. Signatures include Dexter, Statham, Graveney, Trueman, Titmus, Cowdrey, Parfitt etc. G/VG £40/60
- 380 T.N. Pearce's XI v India, Scarborough, September 1952. Mono real photograph plain back postcard of T.N. Pearce's XI standing in front of the pavilion. Players include May, A. Bedser, Graveney, Simpson, Hutton, Evans, Bailey, Wardle etc. Photographs by Walker Studios, Scarborough. Sold with five original mono candid photographs from the same match. Qty 6. VG £50/70
- 381 'The Johnnie Walker Test Match Scoreboard' 1930. Sepia real photograph postcard showing the scoreboard at the close of Australia's innings on day four of the 5th Test at The Oval. England 1st innings 405 all out, Australia 695 all out, Bradman 232, Ponsford 110, Jackson 73 etc. Deane, Wiles & Millar of Brighton. Rare. VG £50/80
- 382 County cricketers 1960s. Six mono real photograph postcards of county cricketers, each signed by the featured player. Cards are C.A. Milton, Gloucestershire, J.D. Robertson, Middlesex, P.B. Wight, Somerset, D.V. Smith, Sussex, D. Kenyon, Worcestershire, and P.J. Sharpe, Yorkshire. VG £30/40
- 383 Jack Hobbs. Colour 'National Series' postcard of a youthful Hobbs in batting post. Incorrect printed title 'G. Hobbs' to lower corner. Sold with ACS 'Famous Cricketer Series' booklet number 1, second edition, 'Jack Hobbs'. G £12/18
- 384 Kent C.C.C. Eleven mono and sepia mainly pre Second World War postcards of Kent teams and players. Postcards include Kent teams for 1905 1906, 1908, 1924 and 1921. Players include A.P. Day, J. Seymour etc. Odd faults, in generally good condition £30/50
- 385 England and Australia signed postcards 1970s-1990s. Collection of twenty eight colour and mono postcards of England and Australia Test players, each signed by the featured player. Signed cards include J. Edrich, Boycott, Illingworth, Amiss, Border, Marsh, Gower, Gooch, Gatting, Pocock, Emburey, Fraser, Hick, Hussain, Atherton, Cork etc. Series include 'J/V', Stamp Publicity, Cornhill Insurance etc. G/VG £40/60
- 386 Thomas Stanley Worthington & William Henry Copson, Derbyshire & England. Official M.C.C. Christmas card from the M.C.C. of tour of Australia 1936/37. Decorative covers with detail and M.C.C. corner colours. With Christmas verse and picture of the team to inside pages. Signed by 'Stan and Bill' with inscription 'How are you going on Doc. Having a grand time apart from the cricket'. Some wear, soiling and age toning to card wrappers, wear to corners otherwise in good condition £30/50
- Australia won the series by three Tests to two*
- 387 Cyril Frederick Washbrook, Lancashire & England 1933-1959. Two M.C.C. Christmas cards for 1946/47 and 1950/51, and a large poster/subscription list for Washbrook's Benefit in 1948. G £40/60

- 388 Dennis Amiss and Graham Gooch. Two official M.C.C. Christmas cards sent by Dennis from the tour of Australia and New Zealand 1974/75, signed 'Jill, Dennis, Rebecca & Paul' to inside page. The other from Graham Gooch from the tour of Australia 1994/95, sent by Gooch to 'Brenda, Keith, Neil and Greg', signed 'Love and miss you, Graham'. VG £25/35
- 389 Don Bradman. Sepia 'Mortlock Library' modern postcard of Bradman in batting pose taken in 1928. Signed in black ink by Bradman. VG £30/50
- 390 T.C.C.B., E.C.B. and Classic Cricket 'International Cricketers' postcards. Collection of twenty eight colour postcards each signed by the player featured. Signatures include Russell, Sangakkara, Solanki, Rhodes, Giles, Butcher, White, Nel, Maddy, Cork, Katich, Sidebottom, Rampurakash, Fraser, Salisbury, Hoggard etc. VG £30/50
- 391 Classic Cricket Cards 'International Cricketers' postcards. Collection of thirty one colour postcards each signed by the player featured. Signatures include Panesar, Tremlett, Shah, Grayson, Rodgers, Nash, Bopara, Rudolph, Jaques, Younus Khan, Moeen Ali, Shahzad etc. VG £30/50
- 392 Nawab of Pataudi. Sussex & India 1957-1970. 'Carr's Sports Cricket Card Series' number 13 in a series of 20 of Pataudi, signed in ink by the player. G/VG £30/40
- 393 Brian Lara. Warwickshire, Trinidad & West Indies. Two colour postcards, one 'T.C.C.B.', the other 'Birmingham Post & Mail'. Both postcards signed by Lara. G/VG £30/50
- 394 'Kent Cricketers'. Full set of fifty cards issued by the club. Mounted framed and glazed, overall 17.5"x22". G £15/25
- 395 Cricket Memorabilia Society. Four signed cards of Bob Taylor, card no. 50, limited edition no. 81/100. Frank Hayes, card no. 51, limited edition no. 82/100. John Price, card no. 55, limited edition no. 78/100. Alan Jones, card no. 60, limited edition no. 51/100. G £25/35

CRICKET PHOTOGRAPHS

- 396 'Australian Cricket Team in Great Britain 1938'. Large official mono team photograph of the Australian touring party wearing cricket attire and all dressed in their tour blazers. The photograph laid down to official photographers mount with title to top border and to lower border, the printed names of the team including the Manager and scorer. The side borders are signed in black ink by all eighteen players and management featured and include Bradman, McCabe, Barnes, O'Reilly, Hassett, Fingleton, McCormick, White, Chipperfield, Barnett, Fleet-wood-Smith, Brown etc. The photograph measures 15"x12", framed and glazed, and overall 23.5"x21.5". Very good condition £250/350
- The Australian side won twenty games, drew thirteen and lost only two game with one game abandoned. The Test ended one game each. The outstanding performance of Don Bradman was again the highlight of the tour. From 26 innings he scored 2429 runs with a highest score of 278 and an average of 115.66 with 13 hundreds and 8 fifties. Remarkable!*
- 397 North v South 1894. Original sepia photograph of the South team who played the North on the 6th-8th September, standing and seated in rows, wearing blazers, caps and cricket attire. The photograph laid down to official photographers mount with title and players names printed to lower border. Players include W.G. Grace, Brockwell, Lockwood, Wood, Abel, Murdoch, Stoddart, Read etc. The photograph measures approx 11.75"x9.25" and overall 13"x11.75". Photograph by E. Hawkins of Brighton. Some age toning and minor foxing to mount and photograph otherwise in good condition. Mount laid down to conservation board. Excellent image £200/300
- The match was drawn. For the South, Hearne top scored with 30, Martin 24, Brockwell 23, Murdoch 20 and Lockwood took seven wickets in the match*
- 398 Harrow School Eleven 1913. Original sepia photograph of the Harrow

Eleven dressed in cricket attire, blazers and caps, standing and seated in row. The photograph laid down to mount with handwritten titles to top border and players names to lower border. Players include G. Wilson who went onto Captain Yorkshire and went on the M.C.C. tour of Australia & New Zealand in 1922/23, G.L. Jackson who went on to play for Derbyshire and G.A. Dury who played for Leveson-Gower's XI and Free Foresters. The photograph measures 11"x8.5" and overall 14"x11.75". Excellent image. VG £70/100

- 399 North v South 1890. Original sepia photograph of the North team, standing and seated in rows, wearing blazers, caps and cricket attire. Players featured include W.Gunn, Wright, Peel, Spofforth, Ulyett, Sugg, Ward, Briggs, Sherwin etc. Names handwritten to lower border of photograph. 11"x8". The photograph probably by George W. Bradshaw of Hastings. Slight wrinkling otherwise in good condition £100/150

The South won by nine runs. For the North, Ward top scored with 27 & 41, both not out, Gunn 37 & 40 and Peel took eight wickets in the match

- 400 Victoria 1894. Excellent original sepia photograph of the Victoria team who played South Australia at the M.C.G. on the 1st-4th January 1894, standing and seated in rows, wearing blazers, caps and cricket attire. Players featured include Trott (Cpt), Laver, McLeod, Worrall, Lewis, Bruce, Flynn, Walters etc. The photograph measures 11.5"x9". A good image of the team, in parts humorous. This formerly was the property of the team manager J. Paterson, details to verso. Minor fading otherwise in good condition £200/300

South Australia won the match by 74 runs. For Victoria, Walters made 95, Worrall 58, Bruce 56 and McLeod took seven wickets in the match

- 401 Victoria 1911. Excellent large original mono photograph of the Victoria team, standing and seated in rows, wearing blazers, caps, boaters and cricket attire. The photograph

- laid down to mount with indistinct handwritten titles and players name to lower border. Players featured include Warwick Armstrong, Laver, Ransford, Carkeek, Matthews, Seitz, Kyle, Kortlang etc. The photograph measures 11.5"x 8.25" and overall 12.5"x11.75. A good clear image. This formerly was the property of the team manager J. Paterson, details to verso. G £140/180
- 402 Yorkshire v An England XI 1929. Original sepia photograph of the England XI who played Yorkshire on 31st July, August 1st & 2nd at Sheffield. The team standing and seated in rows, in cricket attire behind the pavilion. Players include Douglas (Cpt), Pataudi, Astill, Bowley, Berry, Akers-Douglas, Geary, Dawson etc. The photograph laid down to mount. 8.5"x6.25" and overall on mount 11.5"x9.5". Odd very minor faults otherwise in good condition £50/70
- Thirteen of the other counties having fixtures, Douglas could not get together a really powerful side to oppose the Yorkshiremen in this match. Due to rain the match was drawn, Barber and Oldroyd making centuries for Yorkshire*
- 403 M.C.C. tour of the West Indies 1912-1913. West Indies v M.C.C. (England) 1913. Original mono joint team photograph of the West Indies and M.C.C. teams who played in the 8th match of the tour on the 6th-8th March 1913, standing and seated in front of the pavilion wearing blazers and caps, at Bourda, Georgetown, British Guiana. The photograph laid down to mount with a related photograph to rear of a group including some members of the touring party posed outside the main entrance of The Royal [?] York Hotel. The photographs measure 8"x6" and 11.5"x9.5" and overall 13.5"x9.75". Rare photographs from this early tour of the West Indies £70/100
- M.C.C. won the match by 10 wickets*
- 404 'Australia Team In England 1934'. Official mono photograph of the Australian touring team to England 1934. The team in touring blazers and sitting and standing in rows. The photograph fully signed to image by all fifteen members of the party in ink. Sadly the signatures are fading or faded, although the majority are identifiable. Framed and glazed, overall 16"x14". Sold with a facsimile autograph sheet for the Australian team 1938, a framed cricket print 'Bank Holiday, Arundel' by Roy Perry and a framed set of twenty modern trade cards. Qty 4 £60/90
- 405 M.C.C. tour of South Africa 1938/39. Large official black and white photograph of the M.C.C. team who toured South Africa in 1938/39, seated and standing in rows and wearing M.C.C. sweaters. The photograph is laid down to official photographers mount and nicely signed in ink to lower border by all eighteen members of the touring party featured including the Manager A.J. Holmes, R.J. Ridgway, South African liaison and Bill Ferguson, Scorer. Signatures include Hammond (Cpt), Hutton, Edrich, Wright, Verity, Goddard, Perks, Gibb, Farnes, Wilkinson, Valentine, Bartlett, Paynter etc. Slight fading to the signature of Yardley. The photograph measures 14.75"x11" and overall 22.5"x20". Minor foxing to outer mount of photograph otherwise in good/very good condition. Excellent image. Rare photograph in this signed form £400/600
- The 5th Test happened to be the longest Test match ever and finished in a draw!, and would subsequently known as 'The Timeless Test'. It started on the 3rd March and finished, still undecided on the 14th March when the tourists began a two day rail trip back to the Ship in Cape Town. It was the longest first class match ever played (10 days) and produced the highest aggregate (1981 runs). England's 654-5 remains the highest 4th innings total in all first class cricket. Hammond made 140 in the England 2nd innings, Paynter played and made 62 & 75. In this 'Timeless Test' series, England won 1-0*
- 406 'Kent 1908'. Early original sepia photograph of the Kent team, sitting and standing in rows, wearing an assortment of caps, mainly Kent and blazers. Players include Marsham (Cpt), Blythe, Humphreys, Fielder, Woolley, Hutchings, Mason, Dillon, Huish etc. The photograph, laid down to original photographers mount, with title to lower border. The photograph, by E. Hawkins & Co, Brighton, is framed and glazed and measures overall 13.25" x 10.5". Excellent image. Odd minor faults otherwise in good condition £80/120
- Kent were runners-up in the County Championship of 1908*
- 407 'Kent Champions 1906'. Early original sepia photograph of the Kent team, sitting and standing in rows, wearing an assortment of caps and blazers. Players include Marsham (Cpt), Huish, Fairservice, Hearne, Blythe, Day, Fielder, Dillon, Mason, Seymour etc. The photograph window mounted with title to lower border of mount. Framed and glazed and measures overall 16" x 13.75". Some light fading to image and minor scratch to centre otherwise in good condition £50/70
- Kent were County Champions in 1906*
- 408 East Africa vs Commonwealth Cavaliers' XI, 1962. Official mono photograph of the players and officials seated and standing in rows in cricket attire for the match played at Sikh Union Ground, 29th September 1962. Notable players featured include Colin Ingleby-Mackenzie, Willie Watson, Basil D'Oliveira, Wes Hall, Rohan Kanhai, Bill Alley etc. The photograph by 'The Photo Studio, Nairobi', measures 11.5"x9", laid to official photographers mount with printed titles and players names to borders. Framed and glazed, overall 18.5"x14.5". VG. Rare £40/60
- 409 Commonwealth Cavaliers' vs Kenya XI 1962. Official mono photograph of the players and officials seated and standing in rows in cricket attire for the match played at Nairobi, February 1962. Notable players featured include Ray Lindwall, Everton Weekes, Norman Gifford, Hanif Mohammad, Harold Rhodes, Harold Stephenson, Fergie Gupte, David Larter etc. The photograph by

- 'The Photo Studio, Nairobi', measures 11.5"x7.25", laid to official photographers mount with printed titles and players names to borders. Framed and glazed, overall 18.5"x14.5". VG. Rare £40/60
- 410 New Zealand tour of England 1949. Official press photograph of the touring party taken at the Oval during that summer. The photograph signed to image by all fifteen members of the touring party in ink. Signatures include Walter Hadlee (Cpt), Cresswell, Sutcliffe, Cowie, Wallace, Donnelly, Reid, Cave, Rabone, Mooney, Scott etc. The photograph loosely mounted to official card mount with titles and players names to lower border. VG £80/120
- 411 South Africa 1931-1933. Four nice mono candid photographs of South African players taken during matches. Each photograph signed in ink by the featured player. Signatures are X. Balaskas (date stamped to verso 16th December 1932), F. Martin (28th March 1932), S. Steyn, and A. Palm. Also a similar photograph featuring six players from the second Test match, South Africa v England, Cape Town, January 1931. England players are Chapman, White and Wyatt. South Africans are Deane, Taylor and Nupen. Signed in ink to the front by Taylor, and to the verso by Nupen. Each photograph 2.25"x3.25". Sold with a single page hand written letter signed by Stephen Steyn, dated 26th April 1934. Qty 6. G £60/90
- 412 Herbert Sutcliffe. Yorkshire & England 1919-1945. Original mono press photograph of Sutcliffe walking out to bat with Arthur Mitchell for Yorkshire v South Africans, 1935. Nicely signed in ink by Sutcliffe to the photograph. 8"x6". Some creasing, otherwise a good image. Sold with a good selection of original mono press and candid photographs 1920s/1930s. Players featured include Larwood and Ames on board ship, Holmes, Sutcliffe at Scarborough etc. Also one of Alf Ramsey seated in the director's box, Wembley 1963. Various sizes. Qty 19. G £70/100
- 413 'The Oxford Eleven in 1886'. Original sepia cabinet card photograph of the players seated and standing in rows in cricket attire and blazers. Photographer unknown. Card measures approx 6.5"x4.5". Some wear and staining otherwise in good condition £60/80
- 414 'Wellington Blues Cricket Week' 1885, 1886, 1888, 1889, 1890 & 1891. Six original photographs of the Wellington College Public School teams for the period. All the photographs are mounted to original photographers mounts with titles to top and players named to lower border. All photographs by Hills & Saunders of Eton. Eventual first class players featured on the images include W.R. Collins (Middlesex), G.F.H. Berkeley (Oxford University), A.C.N. Croome (Gloucestershire), E.C. Mordaunt (Middlesex & Kent), G.J. Weigall (Kent), R.H. Raphael (Oxford University), H.M. Braybrooke (Kent), G.J. Mordaunt (Kent), D.H. Blundell (M.C.C.), M.D.F. Wood (Hampshire), H.L. Talbot (M.C.C.). Photographs all measure approx 16"x15". Some framed. Excellent images. Sold with an excellent mounted original mono photograph of the joint Eton and Winchester teams who played at Eton in 1924. Handpainted title to top, scores to side and players names to lower border. Odd faults otherwise in good condition. Qty 7 £100/150
- Wellington College was established in 1859*
- 415 Andrew Sandham. Surrey & England 1911-1937. Excellent original mono press photograph of Sandham, half length, wearing M.C.C. 'South Africa' 1930/31 touring blazer and scarf. Nicely signed by in ink by Sandham. 6"x8.5". VG £30/50
- 416 Herbert Strudwick. Surrey & England. Mono press photograph of Strudwick, head and shoulders, wearing M.C.C. cap. Nicely signed by Strudwick in blue ink. 6.25"x8.5". G £40/60
- 417 England v West Indies 1966. Mono photograph of Colin Cowdrey and Garry Sobers, the two Captains in blazers, tossing for innings prior to the England v West Indies Test match at Lord's in June 1966. Signed by both players in ink. 8"x10". G/VG £50/70
- 418 Don Bradman 1938. Two original mono press photographs, one of Bradman batting playing a shot to leg, 4.5"x6.5", the other of Bradman being carried off the field at The Oval having injured his foot in the fifth Test, 8"x10". G/VG £30/50
- The record breaking fifth Test Match at The Oval England scored 903-7, Len Hutton scoring 364, Maurice Tate in his last Test match 187, and Joe Hardstaff 169no. Bradman's injury prevented him from batting in either of Australia's innings. England won the match by an innings and 579 runs to tie the series 1-1*
- 419 Gentlemen v Players 1952. Original mono photograph of the Players team standing in cricket attire for the Gentlemen v Players match, Scarborough, 6th-9th September 1952. Players are Evans, Walsh, Wilson, Tompkin, A. Bedser, Hutton, Graveney, Smith, Wardle, Shepherd and Fletcher. The photograph by Walkers Studios, Scarborough, measures 10.5"x5". VG £30/40
- 420 No lot
- 421 England v The Rest 'Test Trial' 1924. Excellent original sepia press photograph of the England team walking on to the pitch at Trent Bridge. The photograph taken from in front of the players with the pavilion and crowd behind them, the players in a line, mostly smiling at the camera. Players include Fender, Woolley, Hendren, Tate, Kilner, Sutcliffe, Gilligan, Hobbs, Parkin etc. The 'Central Press' photograph measures 10"x6.5". A delightful image with a good crowd in attendance with the two batsman ready on the pavilion steps to take the field. Sold with a further original press photograph of Chapman and Astill walking out to bat for the Rest in the same match, 5.5"x7.5". Inscribed to the back of the photograph is 'England v The Rest at Trent Bridge, Nottingham. May 28/30 1924. A.P.F. Chapman and W. Astill go in to bat for the 'Rest' written in Chapman's hand. VG £60/90

- England won by three wickets, Woolley making 46 and 72, Fender 81 for England and Holmes making 86 and Chapman making 64 no and 43 for the Rest. Parkin took six wickets in the match
- 422 England v The Rest 'Test Trial', Lord's 1926. Excellent original sepia press photograph of a group of five England Test players who played in the match wearing cricket attire. The players are Jack Hobbs, Frank Wolley, Andrew Sandham, Percy Homes and Patsy Hendren, all the players gazing into the camera, mainly smiling. Adhesive marks to verso. An excellent image. 10"x5.5". Sold with two album pages, one signed by five members of the England team, Holmes, Smith, Hendren, Tate and Hobbs and the other by five members of the Rest team, Durston, Hallows, Sandham, Root and Hearne. To the back of the Rest album page are twelve signatures of the Kent team of 1926 nicely signed including Cornwallis, Chapman, Freeman, Woolley, Seymour, Hubble, Wright, Deed, Beslee etc. G £50/70
- The match was drawn. Hobbs made 85 and Tate took eight wickets in the match*
- 423 'Twenty two of the North of Ireland, with Tarrant and Reynolds versus All England Eleven 1860. Original and very early pair of sepia stereoscopic photographs of the All England Eleven grouped in front of a large white tent with members of the crowd to both sides. The two very similar photographs are laid down to card mount to enable 2 dimensional images and the idea was for them to become 3 dimensional images by looking through a special stereoscope viewer. The back of the card has the title 'The All England Eleven and lists all eleven players plus the umpire. The photographs by John Lawrence of Grafton Street, Dublin. 'The photographs each measure 2.5"x3" and overall on card mount 5.25"x3". Some minor wear and wrinkling to images, tape reinforcement to join otherwise in good condition for their age. Rare early images of the All England Eleven of 1860 £300/500
- The All England Eleven team of 1860 in Belfast was Clarke, Parr, Stephenson, Captain F. Marshall, Tinley, T.G. Blain, Daft, Anderson, Willsher, Caesar and Hayward. The umpire was Jackson. In the match, the All England Eleven won by six wickets. Tinley took 21 wickets in the match and Willsher 15. The top score of the day was F. Reynolds who batting in the Ireland first innings made 27, Anderson from the All England side top scored with 24*
- 424 'M.C.C. v De Flamingos 1932'. Two original sepia press photographs from the match played at Lord's on the 16th July 1932. One photograph shows H.W. Glerum and E.J.A. Schill walking out to open the batting for the De Flamingos team and the other shows the M.C.C. side walking out to field including Pelham Warner. 5.5"x7" and 7.5"x5". Good condition. Scarce photographs. G £30/50
- The match was drawn. De Flamingos cricket club are a wandering cricket club from Holland who came on various tours to England in the 1930's*
- 425 Frank Stanley Jackson. Yorkshire & England 1890-1907. Excellent sepia of Jackson, sitting at his desk writing on a document. Jackson dressed a suit and tie as befits a Member of Parliament. Slight scratching to the surface of the photograph otherwise in good condition. 8"x5.5" £30/50
- 426 'Lords Cricket Ground during World War Two'. Excellent selection of six original sepia and mono press photographs showing various scenes during the war-time period. A group of four men outside the back of the pavilion including Stanley Christopherson (president of M.C.C.), Pelham Warner etc, a group of men taken at the Battalion of Scotts Guards v 903 Squadron Balloon Barrage match including Warner, Baird, Hill-Davies, a group of fireman and policeman with Warner during the 1940 match between City Police and London Fire Services, the police band playing in the members stand during the same Police v Fire service match of 1940, Pelham Warner as War Secretary at Lord's, the M.C.C. staff dug-out under the 'Q' stand with blankets,
- sandbags, first aid box etc and a good view of the exterior of the front of the pavilion with all windows boarded up and reinforced. Various sizes 10"x7", 10"x8" 8"x6" and 7.5"x5". Rarer photographs. Plus other photographic images from the period. Sold with an official scorecard for The Army v A Lord's XI, Lord's 1941. G £70/100
- 427 Arthur Fielder. Kent & England, 1900-1914. Original sepia cabinet card photograph of Fielder depicted in Kent blazer and cap at Canterbury. Photograph by H.B. Collis of Canterbury. To reverse is inscribed 'A. Fielder. Kentish Bowler. 1906'. Excellent image. The card measures approx 4.25"x6.5". Good/very good condition £150/250
- Arthur Fielder, a fast bowler and very photogenic with his stance and moustache, took almost 13,000 first class wickets for Kent at an average of 21.02, he played in six Tests for England. After a poor 1905 season, Fielder was the leading wicket taker for the Kent side which won the 1906 County Championship, appearing in all 22 Championship matches and taking 158 wickets for the County in the process. He was named one of Wisden's Cricketers of the Year in 1907. During this season he became the first man to take all 10 wickets in an innings in the Gentlemen v Players match at Lord's, taking 10/90 in the first innings and 14 wickets overall in the match. He is one of only four men to take more than 150 wickets in a season for Kent. He achieved the unusual distinction of scoring a century (112no) when coming in at number eleven, for Kent v Worcestershire at Stourbridge in July 1909, adding 235 for the last wicket with Frank Wolley, a record in English county cricket*
- 428 Alfred Percy Freeman, Kent & England 1914-1936. Excellent mono studio photograph of Freeman, half length, in formal three piece suit and tie. The photograph measures 4"x8". Signed to verso in full 'Alfred Percy Freeman'. Minor marks, indentations to image, minor adhesive marks to verso otherwise in good/very good condition. Rare £40/60

- 429 Alfred Percy Freeman. Kent & England 1914-1936. Excellent studio portrait photograph of Freeman. Crown Studios, Adelaide. The photograph measures 6.5"x9.75". VG £50/70
- 430 Kent C.C.C. 1924. Original mono photograph of the Kent team seated and standing in rows in cricket attire. Mounted in window mount with signatures of the players mounted below. Players and signatures are Freeman, Seymour, Wright, Cumberlege, Wood, Ashdown, Hardinge, Woolley, Cornwallis, Hubble and Collins. Mounted, framed and glazed, overall 17.5"x18.5". Damage to photograph and creasing to signature sheet, otherwise a good image £70/100
- 431 Kent c1930s. A set of four original mono photographs featuring 'Tich' Freeman and two other cricketers coaching youngsters in indoor nets. The photographs by Sweatman, Hedgeland & Dunk of Maidstone, each measuring 6"x8", are individually laid to official photographer's mounts, overall 10"x12". Minor foxing to mounts, the photographs in very good condition £30/50
- 432 Robin Marlar and Jim Wood. Sussex C.C.C. Original mono press photograph of Marlar in bowling action for Sussex v Surrey at Hove, 1st September 1953, with Wood fielding in the background. Nicely signed in ink to the photograph by both players. 6.5"x8.25". G/VG £30/40
- 433 Kepler Wessels. Colour photograph of a youthful Wessels when playing for Sussex. Signed by Wessels. The photograph 3.5"x5" is laid to slightly larger card. Ex John Arlott collection. G £25/35
- 434 Tony Greig in his pomp. Four large mono exhibition style photographs of Grieg batting, bowling and slip fielding for England, each 16"x12". Sold with a commemorative cover for the Sussex County Cricket Club Ground Centenary 1872-1972 signed by Greig, Jim Parks, John Snow and Ted Dexter. Also 'The Centurions Portfolio' limited edition print number 15/100 of Greig by Denise Dean, signature of Ian Greig on plain white card etc. G/VG £25/35
- 435 'The Life of Jack Hobbs'. Two tins containing two 10" reels of 16mm film. The cases marked with title and below 16mm. Silent reversal print. Copy no Part 1&2, the second Copy no Part 3&4.' City Sale & Exchange Ltd of Fleet Street, SC4. Although it cannot be confirmed, the vendor assures the auctioneer, that there is film of Hobbs equalling and breaking Grace's record number of centuries scored in 1925 v Somerset included on the film. VG £100/150
- 436 Herbert Sutcliffe. Yorkshire & England, 1919-1945. Original cabinet card style photograph of Sutcliffe in batting pose. Signed in ink to the photograph by Sutcliffe. The photograph by 'Sport & General Press Agency' of London measures 3.75"x5.75". Laid to official photographer's mount, framed and glazed, overall 11"x9". Minor fading to the signature and silvering to photograph extremities, otherwise an excellent image in very good condition £50/70
- 437 Leicestershire C.C.C. 1938. Excellent official mono photograph of the Leicestershire team, seated and standing in rows in cricket attire. Players featured include Geary, Berry, Dawkes, Adcock, Cherrington, Thursing etc. Hand written title in ink to lower border 'Leicestershire County Cricket XII 1938'. The photograph by A. Wilkes & Son, West Bromwich. 14"x11.5". Superb image. Creasing to corners, otherwise G/VG £60/90
- 438 Leicestershire C.C.C. 1937. Excellent official mono photograph of the Leicestershire team, seated and standing in rows in cricket attire. Players featured include Dempster, Astill, Berry, Geary, Prentice, Corral, Bowley etc. The photograph by A. Wilkes & Son, West Bromwich. 14"x11.5". Superb image. VG £60/90
- 439 Somerset C.C.C. 1937. Excellent large official mono photograph of the Somerset team, seated and standing in rows in blazers. Players featured include Molyneux, Bennett, Lee, Luckes, Hazell, Wellard, Bunce etc. The photograph by A. Wilkes & Son, West Bromwich. 14"x11.5". Superb image. VG £60/90
- 440 Don Bradman. Original mono photograph of Bradman seated next to Bob Hawke, Australian Prime Minister, at a dinner to honour Bradman held at the Regent Hotel, Sydney, 13th October 1989. Signed in ink by Bob Hawke and his wife, Hazel, and Don Bradman and his wife Jesse. The photograph, laid to trimmed card, measures 7"x5". VG £50/70
- 441 Don Bradman. A modern sepia postcard of Don Bradman in batting stance, wearing Australian cap. Signed by Bradman in later years. Window mounted with his first class and Test match statistics. Attractively mounted, framed and glazed. Overall 14"x19". VG £30/50
- 442 Don Bradman. Mono photograph of waxwork figures of Don Bradman and Winston Churchill at Madame Tussauds. Signed by Bradman in ink, in later years. Stamp to back 'From Times Newspapers Ltd'. 7.75"x9.75". G £50/70
- 443 Don Bradman. Mono photograph of Bradman in batting action against Leicestershire. Signed by Bradman in ink, in later years. Stamp to back 'Supplied by Times Newspapers Ltd'. 9.75"x7.75". G £50/70
- 444 Don Bradman. Sepia copy photograph of Bradman in batting pose. Signed by Bradman in ink in later years. 5"x7". G/VG £40/60
- 445 Sydney Santall. Warwickshire 1894-1914. Large mono printed magazine picture of Santall wearing Warwickshire cap holding a cricket ball. Nicely signed by Santall to image. 6.75"x10". Laid down to card. The photograph by Hudson & Kearns of London. Slight lower corner loss otherwise in good condition. Rare £50/70
- 446 Lionel Tennyson. Hampshire & England 1913-1935. Printed mono photograph of Tennyson, seated three quarter length wearing M.C.C. blazer. The photograph in a modern mount with Tennyson's signature mounted below. Photograph measures approx 4"x6". Framed

- and glazed overall 8"x12.75". G/VG
£30/50
- 447 India tours to England 1979 and 1986. Seven original mono press photographs from the 1979 series of action shots of Indian players, including Ghavri, Bedi, Viswanath, Reddy etc. 5"x7", and six larger original mono photographs from the same series, including Brearley injured after being hit in the face. Also twenty eight original mono press photographs of action shots of Indian players from the 1986 series, including Binney, Sharma, Vengsakar, Shastri, Kapil Dev etc and one of Alan Butcher. 8"x10". Qty 41. G/VG £25/35
- 448 Don Bradman. New South Wales, South Australia & Australia 1927-1949. Original bookplate photograph from a Sport and General Supplement of Bradman standing full length in batting attire. Minor ageing, otherwise VG. Excellent image £20/30
- This was the first supplement picture of Bradman issued just before his first Test appearance*
- 449 South Africa v England 1928. Fourth Test, Johannesburg, 29th January-2nd February 1928. Excellent original early wide angle mono action photograph of Denijs Morkel taking a fine catch at slip to dismiss Tyldesley off the bowling of Nupen, watched on by Bissett, Cameron, Vincent, Nicholson and the umpire, Page. From the Morkel collection. Ink annotations of players' names and title. Small tear to top edge, pin holes to corners, otherwise G/VG £50/70
- South Africa beat England by four wickets*
- 450 England 'Ashes' press photographs 1980s. A good selection of eighteen mono press photographs. Subjects include Allan Lamb, taking a high catch at Headingley, also Paul Downton, Ian Botham, David Gower, Mike Gatting in batting action etc. Includes one photograph v West Indies. 9.5"x12" and smaller. G/VG £50/70
- 451 County press photographs 1970s-1990s. A good selection of thirty four mainly mono press photographs featuring county players. Players featured include Viv Richards, Mike Brearley, Allan Lamb, Vengsakar, Gehan Mendis, Eldine Baptiste, Roland Butcher, Keith Boyce, Ian Gould, Barry Wood, Jim Love, Chris Old etc. 10"x8" and smaller. G/VG £30/50
- 452 Cyril Frederick Washbrook, Lancashire & England 1933-1959. Good collection of original press photographs and odd postcard featuring Washbrook during his playing career and in later life, some small candid photographs included. Photographs include batting for Lancashire v Middlesex at Lord's, v Surrey at The Oval, war time service images, family photographs etc. Other players featured include Hutton, Ikin, Bedser, Laker, Spooner etc. Approximately forty photographs, some annotation by Washbrook to verso of photographs. Sold with, facsimile team sheets (Australia 1948, M.C.C. 1950/51) and handwritten detailed statistics of Washbrook's playing career. Odd duplication. Good condition £60/90
- 453 Cricket photographs 1900s-1960s. A selection of fifteen mono and sepia press and candid photographs. Players featured include Hobbs, Bradman, Nourse, Young, Barrington, Hutton, Trueman etc. Also one of Brian Booth in batting action, signed by Booth. Candid photographs include cricket grounds, Gloucester 1905, Southampton Park 1952 and Leyton 1957. Various sizes. Some faults, generally good condition £50/80
- 454 Andrew 'Freddie' Flintoff. Lancashire and England. Two colour photographs of Flintoff playing for England, one celebrating taking a wicket, nicely signed by Flintoff, the other of Flintoff in batting action. The two photographs mounted together with title 'Freddie' below. Overall 18"x16" VG £25/35
- 455 Derbyshire C.C.C. Original mono photograph of the Derbyshire team leaving the field at Derby v Warwickshire, August 1935. The photograph 8.5"x5.5" in photographer's mount, hand written title 'Record equalled by twelfth victory. Derbyshire beat Warwickshire by 77 runs. August 1935' to top border, players' names to lower border. Overall 14"x10". Damage to mount, ageing to photograph. Sold with an original mono candid photograph of Copson, H. Pope and one other Derbyshire player, framed overall 7.5"x5.5". Also a copy photograph of the 1946 Derbyshire team seated and standing in rows in cricket attire. Framed, overall 14.5"x10.5". Qty 3. G. Pope collection £40/60
- 456 'The Century Makers'. 1928. Official mono press photograph of Hobbs, Hendren and Sutcliffe walking off the pitch at Kennington Oval after they had each completed centuries, scoring a total of 463 out of 603 for 8 for 'The Rest' v Lancashire, County Champions, 14th, 15th & 17th September 1928. The photograph by Central News, dated 18 September 1928. Heavy horizontal fold to lower third of image, otherwise in generally good condition £30/40
- Herbert Sutcliffe completed 3000 runs for the season in this innings, matching the feat already accomplished that season by Hendren, Mead and Woolley. 'The Rest' beat Lancashire by an innings and 91 runs with Hobbs, scoring 150, Hendren 174 and Sutcliffe 139 in their only innings*
- 457 Arthur Frederick Augustus Lilley. Warwickshire & England 1894-1911. Bookplate photograph of Lilley in wicket keeping mode 'taking a rising ball', nicely signed to lower border by Lilley. Bookplate appears to have been taken from the 'Jubilee Book of Cricket', Ranjitsinhji 1897. Approx 6"x8.5". G/VG £70/100
- 458 Joseph 'Joe' Hardstaff Jnr. Nottinghamshire, Auckland & England, 1930-1955. Original sepia press photograph of Hardstaff, head and shoulders in cricket attire. Nicely signed in black ink by Hardstaff with dedication. Nice image. 4.75"x6.5". Minor ageing, otherwise G/VG £40/60
- 459 Elias Henry 'Patsy' Hendren. Middlesex & England, 1907-1937. Original mono press photograph of Hendren, head and shoulders in M.C.C. blazer. Nicely signed in black ink by Hendren with dedication. Nice

- image. 4.5"x6". Some creasing and ageing, otherwise G £25/35
- 460 Edward Russell Henry Fuller. Western Province & South Africa 1950-1958. Excellent mono press photograph of Fuller bowling on the South African tour of England 1955. Nicely signed by Fuller. 6"x8". G £25/35
- 461 Robert Hector Catterall. Natal, Transvaal & South Africa 1924-1934. Original mono press photograph of Catterall in batting pose. The photograph by Sport & General, 6"x8". Original press label laid down to separate page, dated 27th April 1924. Small crease to lower left corner, otherwise in very good condition. An excellent image £30/50
- 462 Athol Rowan and Bruce Mitchell. South Africa. Original mono press photograph of Rowan, head and shoulders in cricket attire, signed by Rowan. 3.5"x5.5". Sold with a page from 'S. African Souvenir Book, 1935' featuring Bruce Mitchell, signed by Mitchell. Qty 2. G/VG £30/40
- 463 South African cricketers. Two original mono press photographs. A good image of Bruce Mitchell in batting pose, 1935. The other of Graeme Pollock in batting action in 1969, signed by Pollock. G/VG £30/40
- 464 Cricket photographs 1920s onwards. Eight original mono press photographs including the scoreboard showing England's victory v Australia, third Test Match, Melbourne (England won by three wickets), Ashley Mallett in batting action for Australia v England, fifth Test, The Oval August 1926, Fred Trueman being applauded off the field having taken his 301st Test wicket to beat Australia at The Oval 1964, Asif Iqbal and Hanif Mohammad walking out to bat for Pakistan at Lord's 1967, Colin Milburn playing a cover drive for England v Australia, The Oval 1968 etc. Approx 10"x8", odd faults, otherwise in generally good condition. Some good images. Sold with a selection of copy colour and mono photographs, some laid down and signed by the featured players.
- Signatures include Harold Larwood, Bill Voce, Andy Roberts, Johnny Wardle etc. Sold with a selection of cricket prints including Vanity Fair, Chevalier-Taylor etc. G £30/50
- 465 Surrey C.C.C. c1920. Three small original sepia cameo photographs of Harry Peach, Andrew Sandham and Herbert Strudwick in blazers. Each photograph signed in ink to the front by the featured player. 2.5"x3.5". G/VG £40/60
- 466 'M.C.C. tour of Australia 1928/29'. Official sepia photograph of the M.C.C. team, apparently for the first tour match v Western Australia, 18th-20th October 1928. The players seated and standing in rows, wearing tour blazers and cricket attire. Players featured include Chapman (captain), Jardine, Ames, Leyland, Hammond, Sutcliffe, Larwood, Hobbs, Geary etc. The photograph by H. Hart, Maylands, Western Australia, measures 8.5"x6.5". Loss to two corners, tape repair to top edge, otherwise a good image. Rare £20/30
The match was drawn. For M.C.C. Jardine scored 109
- 467 Australia tour to England 1953. T.N. Pearce XI v Australia 1953. Original mono plain back photograph of Hassett and Davidson walking out to bat at Scarborough for the match between T.N. Pearce XI v Australia, 9th-11th September 1953. Walkers Studio stamp to reverse. 4"x6.25". G/VG £40/60
- 468 Cricket photographs 1950s/1960s. Collection of original mono press and candid photographs. Players featured include May (Surrey), Parkin (Lancashire), Hutton (Yorkshire), Hitchcock (Warwickshire), Hazare (India) etc. Various sizes, 8"x6" and smaller. Qty 10. G/VG £20/30
- 469 E.W. Swanton XI v Wheathampstead, 1952. Collection of twenty mono candid photographs, the majority laid down to album pages. Players featured include Peter May and Jim Swanton (one signed). Also May and Len Hutton at Scarborough etc. G £40/60
- The photographs originated from an album owned by Victoria Gilligan who features in some of the pictures. She later married Peter May*
- 470 'Australian Women's Touring Cricket Team 1951'. Official mono photograph of the team, seated and standing in rows in tour blazers, on the 'Visit to the factory of Allen & Hanburys Ltd, Ware, Hertfordshire, May 24th'. The photograph 8"x6", is laid to photographer's mount with printed titles, overall 11"x9". Rare. VG £20/30
- 471 Reginald Thomas Simpson. Nottinghamshire & England 1946-1963. Collection of eleven original mono press photographs of team and action photographs at Scarborough, The Oval etc, all featuring Simpson. Ex-Simpson collection. Various sizes, 10"x8" and smaller. G/VG £80/100
- 472 Everton Weekes. West Indies. Original mono head and shoulders portrait photograph of Weekes. Signed to the photograph by Weekes. The photograph by Kemsley Studios. 3.5"x5". VG £25/35
- 473 Malcolm Marshall. West Indies 1991. Original colour press photograph of Marshall celebrating taking the wicket of Allan Lamb, Trent Bridge 1991, signed by Marshall. 8"x10". G/VG £25/35
- 474 Don Bradman. Mono copy photograph of Bradman being bowled while attempting a pull shot. Signed by Bradman. 7.75"x9.75". G £40/60

SIEGFRIED SASSOON CRICKET ARCHIVE

Siegfried Loraine Sassoon, 1886-1967. The following eleven lots comprise an important archive containing much original autographed material from Sassoon's personal cricket records. Sassoon was an English poet, writer, and soldier, decorated for bravery on the Western Front, and became one of the leading poets of the First World War. Born and brought up in Matfield, Kent, he read history at Cambridge 1905 to 1907 before leaving without a degree and spent

the next few years hunting, playing cricket and writing verse. An early known image c1897 of the Matfield cricket team shows an 11-12 year old Sassoon sitting in front of the team and holding a scorebook. His keenness on cricket records and statistics is clear from the number of scorebooks and journals that he kept. Also a keen player, he had ambitions to play for Kent, Frank Marchant, Kent Captain, was a neighbour of Sassoon. Siegfried often turned out for Bluemantles at the Nevill Ground, Tunbridge Wells, where he sometimes played alongside Arthur Conan Doyle. He also played cricket for his house at Marlborough College, once taking 7 wickets for 18 runs. However, Sassoon was not good enough to play for Kent, but he played cricket for Matfield, and later for the Downside Abbey team, continuing into his seventies.

An extract from Sassoon's War Diaries written in 1916 while serving on the Western Front gives an insight into his passion for the game. 'And I'm thinking of England, and summer evenings after cricket matches, and sunset above tall trees, and village-streets in the dusk, and the clatter of a break driving home. Perhaps I've made a blob, but we've won the match, and there's another match tomorrow , ' Blue Mantles against some cheery public-school side, and there's the usual Nevill Ground wicket, and I'll be in first , ' and old Kelsey and Osmund Scott and all the rest of them. So things went three years ago; and it's all dead and done with. I'll never be there again. If I'm lucky and get out through alive, there's another sort of life waiting for me.'

- 475 Cricket Scorebook. 'The New Beacon Cricket Club'. Signed 'S. Sassoon' to inside front cover and with his stamp of ownership. The scorebooks records the New Beacon School's fourteen matches for the season of 1901, all won, with the players' averages and the season's results at the front. Sassoon is second in the batting averages with 292 runs from 12 innings and as a bowler, 26 wickets for 135 runs. Siegfried and his younger brother Hamo joined the school in April 1900, their elder

brother Michael having preceded them there. Siegfried would move on to Marlborough College in early 1902. With the scorebook is a copy of the New Beacon Magazine for the Summer Term of 1901. This records the success of the cricket team in winning the West Kent Preparatory Schools Challenge Cup and gives some narrative on the cricket matches including 'Sassoon i played a very steady and useful game, making 22, and keeping up his wicket until the match was won'. He was also rated as a 'very useful change bowler'. Sassoon has amended one of the match results on page 6 in his own hand. The school matches are followed in the scorebook by twelve matches played in the summer holidays of 1901-1903 on the Matfield or Brenchley village grounds near to the Sassoon family home of Weirleigh. Siegfried's two brothers joined him in organising their own cricket team playing usually under the title of Mrs A Sassoon XI (Sassoon's mother, who was separated from her husband Alfred) and sides raised by local gentlemen including Major Terry, who is 'Major Carmine' in Sassoon's 'The Flower Show Match'. The scores of most of the matches are in Sassoon's hand, the neater scores perhaps transcribed after the game. Scorebook covers worn and becoming detached, internal pages and magazine in good condition

£200/300

- 476 'Weirleigh Cricket Club Cricket Scoring Book 1902-1903'. White textured covers. Ownership stamp of S.L. Sassoon to title page. The book has the neatly transcribed scores of the holiday matches of 1902. The team name of 'Mrs A Sassoon XI' has been changed to 'I.B. Hart-Davies XI', a master at the Beacon School who played in the matches, and there are other minor amendments. After the 1902 matches there is the score of a house match on 4th and 6th of June 1903 between Cotton House XI of Marlborough College where Sassoon was resident and Madden's House XI. Loosely inserted are printed extracts from The Marlburian giving the scores and a brief commentary of this match and of another

between Cotton House and Savery's House. Sassoon is noted for scoring well batting at 10 or 11. The scorebook then reverts to the country house matches for 1903 with transcriptions of games played, some using the different coloured ink found in other Sassoon records. Good/ very good condition

£150/250

- 477 The "Favourite" Cricket Scoring Book. 'Weirleigh Cricket Club. Season 1904-5', with the hand written name of Sassoon on the front cover, and to the inside front cover 'S.L. Sassoon, Weirleigh, Paddock Wood, Kent' in Sassoon's handwriting. This is clearly the actual scorebook used by the family club with the scores in a variety of hands, including Sassoon's. Matches recorded include eight games in 1904 and four in 1905, most as Weirleigh matches and two as 'S.L. Sassoon's XI', followed by an Sassoon team game in 1908, one in 1909 as 'Brenchley' and finally one in 1910 as 'Grange'. Sassoon is ever present and some of the characters in Sassoon's fictional 'Flower Show Match' make appearances, notably the family groomsman and fine batsman Tom Richardson, ('Tom Dixon'); William Hodges ('William Dodd') and R.E. Marchant ('Jack Barchard'). The Marchant family lived very close to the Sassoons and one of their number was Frank who played 226 matches for Kent and gave Siegfried contact with the Kent team and their coaching facilities at Tonbridge. Loosely inserted are the printed batting and bowling averages, the match results and the balance sheets for the Brenchley Club for 1905-1907 and 1909-1912. Many of the players who appear in the various scorebooks are listed in the averages, as well as Kent players Marchant and Seymour. Sassoon appears every year apart from 1911. His performances are only moderate although in 1912 he heads the batting averages with 162 runs in 8 innings. Wear, ageing and creasing, otherwise generally in good condition

£250/350

- 478 Black folder of Sassoon's season's performances 1902-1913. Individual loose hand written sheets of Sassoon's batting and bowling

- details for 1902, 1907, 1912, 1913 (to end August only) and those for 1908 to 1911 tied with a ribbon. Most give the dates, match results and personal scores, method of dismissal etc. They show a picture of a very keen cricketer who would play as many as forty five matches in a season, keeping detailed records. Apart from early school and local village sides, he made appearances for Winchet Hill, Tunbridge Wells, West Kent and increasingly for the Bluemantles, a club founded in 1862 and still in existence today. His batting average was usually in the mid-teens and his bowling only occasional. G/VG £100/150
- 479 'Album' Scrapbook 1899-1915. Green morocco covers. Contents include candid photographs of Siegfried and his brothers, Michael and Hamo in 1899, comprehensive newspaper cuttings of matches in which Sassoon played during the period, copies of his early poems first published in 'Cricket: A Weekly Record of the Game' 1903-1905, including 'The Extra Inch', 1903, Sassoon's first poem to be published on any topic. Also includes statistics for golf played at Henley, Tunbridge Wells and Lamberhurst, and for cricket playing for Tonbridge, Tunbridge Wells, Blue Mantles, Matfield, Brenchley etc. Also three original photographs of Bluemantles cricket teams and matches etc. G/VG £800/1200
- Notable first-class cricketers who played for Bluemantles in 1911 include N.F. Druce (Middlesex and five Test matches for England), E.A.C. Druce and J. Le Fleming (Kent), F.H. Gresson and J.H. Kelsey (Sussex).*
- Sassoon makes specific reference to this scrapbook in his 'Weald of Youth': "the Blue Mantles averages in my old scrapbook show that in the years 1910 and 1911 I had fifty-one innings, with ten not-outs, and an average of nineteen. This I consider quite a creditable record for a poet, and I don't mind saying that it gives me fully as much satisfaction as the royalty statements I have received from the publishers of my verse."*
- 480 T.J. & J. Smith's Pocket Diary and Almanack 1904. Green decorative cloth covers with gilt title to front and spine. Signed in ink 'S.L. Sassoon' to front endpaper. A record of his social and sporting engagements and achievements during the year. His main activities were cricket and golf and detailed scores at both games are listed and summarised for the year. Daily entries include for 12th March, 'Cricket [practice] for first time. Stiff and no length nor pace, wicket slow'. Serious practice for the season began at Tonbridge on 11th and 12th April where was coached by Kent county players including Humphreys, Seymour and McCanlis. At school at Marlborough there are comments on the matches which often stretched over several days. July 19th 'went home'. During the school holidays Sassoon played three or four matches weekly. 25th/26th July, two day match, Tonbridge v Hampstead, 'Hubble 209, self 4'. Sassoon frequently makes comments on his performances, 'bowled downhill badly', 'bowled tosh', 'we had awful side' etc. Sassoon was an avid collector of books, literary, antique and cricket. On a memorandum page early in the diary is a list of books bought in January 1904 including Wisden's Almanack for 1904. At the back of the diary is a list of book dealers including Maggs, Quaritch and Maurice. In the 'cash account' section of the diary Sassoon has recorded his travel expenses to and from cricket matches as well as money spent on books. Altogether a fascinating insight into the life of the seventeen year old Sassoon. G/VG £400/600
- 481 'History of the Derbyshire Cricket Club'. Walter J. Piper, Jun. First edition, 1897. Original boards with leather spine. Signature of ownership, 'S. Sassoon 1899' to title page. Also a sale label from the Sotheby's sale of 18th July 1991 laid down to page after first advertising pages. Minor ageing, otherwise in good/ very good condition £100/150
- The first 152 lots in the 1991 Sotheby's sale were from Sassoon's library. The introduction to the catalogue of this sale stated that*
- 'while still at school he "had a bright idea of becoming a book-worm... and... set to work to amass a real library - the sort of library in which one went up a ladder and pulled out a dusty volume, to discover with delight that it was a first edition of somebody like Bunyan"'. Some 110 volumes on cricket were included in the sale, many signed and most in well above average condition, as required by Sassoon*
- 482 Siegfried Sassoon letter 1944. Single page hand written letter in ink on Heytesbury House, Wiltshire headed paper. The letter dated 25th April 1944 is from Sassoon to a Mr Church who has mentioned Sassoon in an essay. Sassoon recalls having played cricket at Winchet Hill thirty years prior. He concludes by stating that he is 'inundated by Americans. About sixty in the house, and 1000 on my land!'. Nicely signed 'Siegfried Sassoon'. Sassoon letters with cricket content are scarce. G £300/400
- 483 Edmund Blunden letter 1957. Two page hand written letter in ink from Blunden Sassoon's estranged wife, Hester, living in Mull, dated 6th August 1957 and signed 'Edmund'. The letter refers to various mutual acquaintances and a paragraph on cricket. Blunden was intending 'to join The Barnacles again, but in the end was too weary after my side nearly beat The Times XI. Even Siegfried now and then admits that we are a little elderly for the field of play'. G/VG £100/150
- Edmund Blunden, lifelong friend of Sassoon, was a poet and author of 'Cricket Country' in 1944. Like Sassoon he wrote of his experiences of the First World War and is commemorated at Poets' Corner in Westminster Abbey*
- 484 'Siegfried Sassoon Centenary' 1986. Large format programme, published for the weekend of celebrations held 25th-27th July 1986 to celebrate the centenary of the birth of Sassoon. Signed to the front cover by Chris Cowdrey. Events included a stage play, exhibitions, a flower show and a cricket match between Brenchley and the Imperial War Museum to commemorate Sassoon's famous

prose composition, 'The Flower Show Match'. Content includes eleven articles on Sassoon, the family home, personal reminiscences, the First Flower Show and Siegfried Sassoon and Cricket, with contributions by James D. Coldham. This copy of the celebration programme was Coldham's and includes correspondence between the programme organiser, Ann Williamson, and Coldham, five copy letters from Williamson to Leo Sassoon acknowledging help in finding material for the exhibition, expressing reservations about Leo giving material to Siegfried's son, George, in view of the way 'he got rid of so much of his fathers' manuscripts, etc', excitement at Dennis Silk (Somerset) playing in the match, seating arrangements, etc. Also copies of photographs used in the programme of Sassoon at Beacon School holding a cricket ball and of an older Sassoon with his wife Hester and son George at Heytesbury, and an original photograph of Sassoon's mother planting a tree on Matfield Green to celebrate King George V's Jubilee in 1935. Other correspondence includes letters from M.C.C., the Cricket Society and Tony Woodhouse (collector), cuttings from the local press reporting the successful week-end, during which the cricket match was won by Brenchley with Dennis Silk hitting a six to win the match for Brenchley. G/VG £150/250

- 485 'Memoirs of a Fox-hunting Man'. Siegfried Sassoon, London 1929, illustrated first edition with illustrations by William Nicholson. Part two comprises 'The Flower Show Match', Sassoon's significant contribution to cricket literature. Original dustwrapper with some tears and small loss. Book covers in very good condition, some internal pages untrimmed £180/250

The Nicholson illustration within 'The Flower Show Match' section (page 56) is of the groomsmen, Dixon, who in real life was Tom Richardson (Surrey, Somerset & England) who played in many of Sassoon's matches. Nicholson was a prolific artist well-known for his book illustrations, including that on

cricket in 'An Almanac of Twelve Sports', with words by Kipling

THE CRICKET LIBRARY OF MICHAEL BEER OF KENT

Michael Beer (1930 – 2007) was born in Dover, Kent. From an early age he had a love of the game of cricket, though never playing the game other than at school. He was a member of Kent C.C.C. and M.C.C. His collection of over 2,000 cricket books and memorabilia grew from London book shops, book stalls, auctioneers and dealers. He met and corresponded with many others who shared his love of cricket including the famous collector HW 'Plum' Warner who was very special to him. Following his death, the collection was too much a fabric of the family home to be removed. His wife and family have now decided the time is right for his collection to be passed to people who will cherish the items as much as he did.

The following collection of books from the library of Michael Beer mostly include a circular blind embossed book stamp to the title page.



- 487 'How Kent won the Championship. Complete Record for 1906'. George Marsham, contributor. Kent Messenger, Maidstone 1906. Original red printed wrappers. Frontispiece depicting the Kent championship winning team and two individual portraits of Marsham and Tom Pawley, the manager. Ex Libris J.W. Goldham. Some wear to wrappers, rusting to staples, otherwise in good/ very good condition. Rare £400/600
- 488 'Kent County Cricket'. F.S. Ashley-Cooper. George W. May, London 1924. Original decorative wrappers. Sold with 'Kent Cricket Records 1719-1929'. F.S. Ashley Cooper. Canterbury 1929, and 'The Cricketing Career of Frank Woolley'. F.H. Haigh. Canterbury 1927. First

edition. Original pictorial covers. Minor age toning and wear, otherwise in good condition. Qty 3 £30/50

- 489 Kent C.C.C. 1933. Official souvenir programme for the Canterbury Cricket Festival 1933, listing 'entertainments and events arranged during the week'. Rusting to staples otherwise in very good condition. Rare £100/150
- 490 Kent County Cricket Club. 'The Canterbury Cricket Week. An authentic narrative of the origin and career of the institution; including the programmes of the old stagers' performances... Volume First'. Printed and published by William Davey, Canterbury 1865. First edition. Original red cloth, with gilt titles, and coloured and gilt border bands, all edges gilt. Coloured decorative half-title page and seventeen real photographs on five plates of players and officials, photographs include N. Felix, F. Ponsonby, S. Ponsonby, J.L. Baldwin etc. Wear and staining to boards and spine, minor foxing otherwise in good condition. A scarce volume. Sold with a related programme for a pantomime at Marlow Theatre, Canterbury, of 'Epilogue of the Old Stagers', performed during the 1970 cricket week £250/350

The book covers the Canterbury Cricket Week between 1843 and 1851. For each week details are given of the cricket matches played between sides such as 'The Gentlemen of England' and 'The Gentlemen of Kent' plus the Kent county team. A commentary on the social events during each week is then followed by a precise of what the Old Stagers put on to amuse the cricket followers once play had ended for the day including a selection of farces and extravaganzas.

- 491 'All About Kent Cricket 1911. Coronation Souvenir and Cricket Handbook for the County of Kent. In Commemoration of the County's 3rd Championship. Published by Blower Brothers of Watford. Very good condition. Rare £100/150
- 492 'Twenty Years of Kent Cricket 1879-1898'. F.E. Marshall, Editor, 1899.

- Rebound in red boards lacking original wrappers. Some ageing, staining and foxing, otherwise in good condition £40/60
- 493 'The Canterbury Cricket Week 1842-1891: Its Origin, Career, and Jubilee'. E. Milton Small. Printed for the Author by J.A.Jennings, Canterbury (1892). Decorative printed paper wrappers. Some staining and ageing to wrappers, small loss to spine, otherwise in good condition. Sold with 'The Story of Canterbury Cricket Week', H.W. Warner, Canterbury 1960. Original decorative wrappers. Signed to title page by Warner. 'The Story of Canterbury Cricket Week 1842-1992', Christopher H. Taylor, 1991, limited edition no. 148/250, signed by the author. Also 'Cricket on the Vine 1734-1984', K.J. Smart, Sevenoaks 1984. Qty 4. G/VG - Kent cricket £70/100
- 494 Kent County Cricket Club Annual 1877/1878. Hardback 'blue book'. Original decorative boards. Gilt titles and to all page edges with silver gilt Kent emblem to centre. Minor ageing, otherwise in very good condition. Very rare first issue of the 'blue book' £2000/3000
- The famous Kent 'Blue Book' was published annually from 1878 to 1946 with breaks in publication during the two World Wars (1914-18, 1940-44). Each issue contains a review of the season prior to the year of publication*
- 495 Kent County Cricket Club Annual 1890. Hardback 'blue book'. Original decorative boards. Gilt titles with silver gilt Kent emblem to centre. Slight breaking to hinge pp20/21. Minor ageing to boards, otherwise in very good condition. Rare £250/350
- 496 Kent County Cricket Club Annual 1892. Hardback 'blue book'. Original decorative boards. Gilt titles and to all page edges with silver gilt Kent emblem to centre. Minor ageing to boards, otherwise in very good condition. Rare £180/250
- 497 Kent County Cricket Club Annual 1893. Hardback 'blue book'. Original decorative boards. Gilt titles and to all page edges with silver gilt Kent emblem to centre. Minor ageing to boards, otherwise in very good condition. Rare £180/250
- 498 Kent County Cricket Club Annual 1894. Hardback 'blue book'. Original decorative boards. Gilt titles and to page edges with Kent emblem to centre. Minor ageing to boards, otherwise in very good condition £130/160
- 499 Kent County Cricket Club Annual 1895. Hardback 'blue book'. Original decorative boards. Gilt titles and to page edges with Kent emblem to centre. Handwritten inscription to inside front cover relating to the Canterbury ground. Minor ageing to boards, otherwise in very good condition £100/150
- 500 Kent County Cricket Club Annual 1896. Hardback 'blue book'. Original decorative boards. Gilt titles and to page edges with Kent emblem to centre. Very good condition £100/150
- 501 Kent County Cricket Club Annual 1897. Hardback 'blue book'. Original decorative boards. Gilt titles and to page edges with Kent emblem to centre. Very good condition £100/150
- 502 Kent County Cricket Club Annual 1898. Hardback 'blue book'. Original decorative boards. Gilt titles and to page edges with Kent emblem to centre. Very good condition £100/150
- 503 Kent County Cricket Club Annual 1899. Hardback 'blue book'. Original decorative boards. Gilt titles and to page edges with Kent emblem to centre. Very good condition £100/150
- 504 Kent County Cricket Club Annual 1900. Hardback 'blue book'. Original decorative boards. Gilt titles and to page edges with Kent emblem to centre. Very good condition £80/120
- 505 Kent County Cricket Club Annual 1901. Hardback 'blue book'. Original decorative boards. Gilt titles and to page edges with Kent emblem to centre. Owner's name C.I.S. Wallace (collector and cricket book expert) in ink to inside front cover, dated 1927. Very good condition £70/100
- 506 Kent County Cricket Club Annual 1902. Hardback 'blue book'. Original decorative boards. Gilt titles and to page edges with Kent emblem to centre. Owner's name C.I.S. Wallace (collector and cricket book expert) in ink to inside front cover, dated 1927. Age toning to internal pages, otherwise in very good condition £70/100
- 507 Kent County Cricket Club Annual 1903. Hardback 'blue book'. Original decorative boards. Gilt titles and to page edges with Kent emblem to centre. Owner's name C.I.S. Wallace (collector and cricket book expert) in ink to inside front cover, dated 1927. Age toning to internal pages, otherwise in very good condition £60/90
- 508 Kent County Cricket Club Annual 1904. Hardback 'blue book'. Original decorative boards. Gilt titles and to page edges with Kent emblem to centre. Owner's name C.I.S. Wallace (collector and cricket book expert) in ink to inside front cover, dated 1927. Age toning to internal pages, uneven trimming to two internal pages, otherwise in very good condition £50/70
- 509 Kent County Cricket Club Annual 1905-1909. Five editions of the hardback 'blue book'. Original decorative boards. Gilt titles and to page edges with Kent emblem to centre. Owner's name C.I.S. Wallace (collector and cricket book expert) in ink to inside front cover of 1905 and 1906 editions, dated 1927. Age toning to internal pages, light fading to spines, otherwise in good/ very good condition £70/100
- 510 Kent County Cricket Club Annual 1910-1915. Six editions of the hardback 'blue book'. Original decorative boards. Gilt titles and to page edges with Kent emblem to centre. J.W. Goldman bookplate to 1910, Owner's name C.I.S. Wallace (collector and cricket book expert) in ink to inside front cover of 1913 editions. Age toning to internal pages, light fading to boards and spines, otherwise in good/ very good condition £80/120
- 511 Kent County Cricket Club Annual 1919-1924. Six editions of the hardback 'blue book'. Original

- decorative boards. Gilt titles with Kent emblem to centre. Owner's name C.I.S. Wallace (collector and cricket book expert) in ink to inside front cover of 1913 edition, dated 1927. Minor age toning to internal pages, light fading to boards and spines, otherwise in good condition £50/80
- 512 Kent County Cricket Club Annual 1925-1930. Six editions of the hardback 'blue book'. Original decorative boards. Gilt titles with Kent emblem to centre. Minor age toning to internal pages, light fading to boards and spines, otherwise in good/ very good condition £40/60
- 513 Kent County Cricket Club Annual 1931-1938 and 1945. Nine editions of the hardback 'blue book'. Original decorative boards. Gilt titles with Kent emblem to centre. Minor age toning to internal pages, light fading to boards and spines, otherwise in good/ very good condition £50/80
- 514 Kent County Cricket Club Annual 1947 to 2006 complete. Original pictorial covers, some members copies in maroon cloth covers included. 1949 edition lacking front wrapper. Other odd faults to some earlier editions otherwise in good condition. Qty 60 £40/60
- 515 The Kent Cricket Annual 1934-1936 & 1939. 2nd, 3rd, 4th & 5th years of issue. Compiled by Sir Home Gordon. Canterbury. Minor ageing, rusting to staples, otherwise good/ very good condition. Qty 4 £60/90
- 516 'Cricket in Kent'. John Goulstone. Original stiff card covers. Published privately for the author by International Research Publications 1972. Limited edition of only fifty copies produced, this being number 18. Signed by the author. G/VG £70/100
- 517 'Early Kent Cricketers'. John Goulstone. Original stiff card covers. Published privately for the author by International Research Publications 1972. Limited edition of only fifty copies produced, this being number 42. Minor ageing and creasing to covers, otherwise in good condition £70/100
- 518 'History of Kent County Cricket'. Edited by Lord Harris. London 1907. Volumes One, Two & Three. Three reprint volumes of the 1907 edition and subsequent appendices. Reprinted by Kent C.C.C. in 1997. VG £30/50
- 519 'All Over in a Day' Kent v Worcestershire 1960. Limited edition booklet by Richard Walsh covering the match in 1960 where Kent beat Worcestershire at Tunbridge Wells by an innings and 101 runs in a day. Somerset 1993. Limited edition number 10 of 150 copies. Signed in ink to the reverse of the title page by seven players who played in the match. Signatures are Cowdrey, Halfyard and Jones of Kent, Dewes, Sedgley, Booth and Slade of Worcestershire. VG £50/70
- Kent scored 187 in their innings before bowling out Worcestershire for 25 and 61*
- 520 'A History Of County Cricket. Kent'. R.L. Arrowsmith. London 1971. Profusely signed to inside covers, end papers and half title page by over one hundred Kent players, the majority signed to pages, others on laid down pieces. Signatures include H.W. 'Plum' Warner, Valentine, Fagg, C.H. Knott, Wright, Constant, Prideaux, Ames, M.C. Cowdrey, Nicholls, Shepherd, Julien, Asif Iqbal, Denness, Woolmer, Luckhurst, Ealham, Underwood, A.P.E. Knott, Johnson, Evans, G.R. Cowdrey, Baptiste, Benson, Ellison etc. Also signed on piece laid down to title page by the author, Arrowsmith. Originally from the collection of H.W. Warner and was published in the year following Kent winning the County Championship in 1970. Good dustwrapper. VG £100/150
- 521 'Close of Play'. Les Ames. London 1953. Nicely signed in ink to front end paper by Ames. Includes a typed letter to Gerald Brodribb on 'Hubble and Ames' headed paper, dated 9th April 1959, nicely signed in ink by Ames. Minor loss and repair to dustwrapper, otherwise in good condition. Sold with '66 Years' Memories of Kent Cricket', Sir Charles Igglesden, Ashford 1947. Also 'Collected Articles', Leslie Ames 1960. Qty 3. G £30/50
- 522 Kent C.C.C. Original 28pp 'Summer Catalogue 1934' published by Hubble & Freeman, sports suppliers of Maidstone, Kent. The four listed partners, J.C. Hubble, H.J. Hubble, A.P. 'Tich' Freeman and L.E.G. Ames were all Kent cricketers. Some wear and ageing, otherwise in good condition. Sold with a Doug Wright Benefit Brochure, 1957 in good condition £25/35
- 523 Kent C.C.C. Seven books relating to Kent cricketers, signed either by the player featured or the author. Titles are 'Alfred Mynn and the Cricketers of his Time', Patrick Morrah, London 1963, signed by the author. 'A History of County Cricket. Kent', R.L. Arrowsmith, London 1971, with six signatures on pieces laid down including Foster, Shirreff, Evans etc. 'Beating the Bat', Derek Underwood, 'Boot Boy to President', Brian Luckhurst, 'Aravinda. My Autobiography' etc. G £30/40
- 524 'The Story of a Cricket Picture (Sussex and Kent)'. Told by The late Alfred D. Taylor (Willow Wielder). Hove 1923. Very good condition. Sold with a related print of the picture- 'The Cricket Match between Sussex & Kent at Brighton'. After William Drummond and Charles J. Basebe. Large modern print of the colour engraving by G.H. Phillips. Originally published by Gambart & Co of London. May 1st 1849. Attractively mounted, framed and glazed. Overall approx 33"x25.5". VG £30/50
- A treatise on Mason's lithograph, one of the most famous of cricket prints*
- 525 'The 1789 Tour'. John Goulstone. Original stiff card covers. Published privately for the author by International Research Publications 1972. Limited edition of only one hundred copies produced, this being number 26. Some ageing and staining to covers, otherwise in good condition £70/100
- 526 'Early Club & Village Cricket'. J. Goulstone. Privately printed 1972. First limited edition of 100 numbered copies this being number 2. Original wrappers. Minor creasing to covers, otherwise in good condition £70/100
- 527 'Modern Sport. Its Origins and Development through two

- centuries'. J. Goulstone. Privately printed 1974. Original wrappers. Signed by the author. Flaking to spine, some browning to pages, otherwise in good condition £40/60
- 528 'The Art of Nicholas Felix'. Gerald Brodribb. London 1985. Limited edition 140 of 220 copies published, signed by the author. Minor fading to dustwrapper, otherwise in good condition £25/35
- 529 'Cricket in Fiction. A Bibliography'. G. Brodribb. Mountjoy Press 1950. Signed limited edition of 150 copies, this being number 43. Presentation copy to Alan Ross, cricket author, with dedication in ink to front end paper 'With best wishes, G.B. April 1952'. Signed in ink to limitation page by Brodribb. Odd faults otherwise in good condition £30/50
- 530 'Trevor Bailey'. Tony Lewis. Published by R. Walsh books 1998. Limited edition number 2 of only 50 copies published. Signed to title page by Lewis and Bailey. Red cloth covers with gilt title to front. VG £30/50
- 531 St Ivo and the Ashes: A correct, true, particular and humorous history of the Hon. Ivo Bligh's campaign in Australia' by R.D. Beeston. Illustrated by M.C.B. Massie. Foreword by John Arlott; together with a complete record of the tour of Australia by the English cricketers during 1882 and 1883 reprinted from John Wisden's Cricketers' Almanack for 1884. This is a facsimile reprint of the book, published by J.W. McKenzie, Ewell 1978, with the addition of a foreword by John Arlott and an account of the tour reprinted from John Wisden's Cricketers' Almanack. Limited edition number 6 of 75 copies published. Minor wear and fading to dustwrapper, otherwise in good condition £40/60
- 532 'The Australian Cricketers' Tour through Australia, New Zealand, and Great Britain' containing a full racy account of the matches, dinners, excursions &c in which they have been engaged. by Argus (P.E. Reynolds) 1878. Facsimile reprint of the book, published by J.W. McKenzie, Ewell 1980. Limited edition number 13 of 50 copies. Minor fading to dustwrapper, otherwise in good/ very good condition £30/50
- 533 'M.C.C. in South Africa 1938/39'. B. Bassano. Ewell 1997. Limited edition number 52 of 250 copies produced, signed by Bassano and Len Wilkinson (Lancashire & England 1937-1947) who wrote the foreword and toured with the M.C.C. team in 1938/39. Also 'Mann's Men. The M.C.C. team in South Africa 1922/23'. B. Bassano. Ewell 2004. Limited edition of 250 copies. VG. Qty 2 £30/50
- 534 'Gloucestershire Wicket Keepers'. Andy Wilson. Richard Walsh Books, Taunton 1996. Limited edition of 50 copies, this being number 4, signed by Wilson, with a typed letter to 'Mr Beer' signed by the publisher. VG £40/60
- 535 'The Bardswells: Fact and Fiction with a reprint of 'Played On' by Emily Bardswell'. Derek Deadman and Christopher Sheppard. Privately printed in Leicester 1979. Printed paper wrappers with original black taped spine. Limited edition number 17 of 50 copies printed and signed by the two authors. Good/ very good condition £60/80
- Gerald Roscoe Bardswell played for Oxford University and Lancashire and was a member of Lord Hawke's teams to North America in 1894 and the West Indies in 1896-97. His aunt, Emily Bardswell, wrote 'Played On' an illustration of the social background to cricket in the 1890's*
- 536 'Hundreds on debut for Cambridge University'. D.T. Smith. 1997. Appears to be privately printed. Original paper wrappers. Limited edition number 19 of 25 copies. Signed to preface page by the author. Sold with a handwritten G/VG £30/50
- 537 Australia. Two books published by John McKenzie, both reprints of rare books. 'The Australians in England 1882'. Published 1982. Limited edition 109/120. 'The Australians in England 1884'. Published 1984. Limited edition 57/150. Minor light fading to dustwrappers, otherwise in good/ very good condition. Qty 2 £50/80
- 538 'A.D. Taylor The Cricketologist'. Tony Laughton with forward by Hubert Doggart. Boundary Books, Manchester, 2002. Numbered limited edition of 200, of which 50 were a specially bound quarter leather deluxe edition with gilt to page edges, this copy being number 12. Signed by Laughton and Doggart. Mint condition £40/60
- 539 'A History of Derbyshire County Cricket Club 1870-1970'. John Shawcroft. Derby 1970. Original green boards. Second limited edition of 250 copies, this being number 473/500. Sold with 'The Rise and Fall of Percy Perrin, Derbyshire v Essex 1904, facsimile reprint by J.W. McKenzie 2000, and 'Derbyshire Bowlers' by John Shawcroft (two copies). G/VG. Qty 4 £60/90
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- Indian team. Tribe and Freer of Australia were the most successful bowlers*
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- Edward Roper, Lancashire & Yorkshire, 1876-1893, was a pupil at Clifton College and for many years involved in the organisation of cricket in the Liverpool area. He died of appendicitis in 1921*
- 674 'Annals of Cricket'. W.W. Read. Sampson Low, London 1896. Original quarter vellum over dark green boards, gilt title to spine. Contents on hand-made paper, rough edges. Top edge gilt. Limited edition number 7 in the deluxe edition of 250 copies, nicely signed by Read. Some slight ageing to the vellum, otherwise a good copy. Rare £120/180
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- 683 'New and Improved Copy Book'. c1881. Twenty four page exercise book tipped in to modern cream cloth. Produced for children to improve their writing with one page devoted to examples of good lettering. The front cover features an illustration of a match in progress titled 'Cricket', with top-hatted players, a tented arena and a paragraph describing the benefits of the game. Hand written content includes entries about bee-keeping

and accounts for clock cleaning 1881-1884. Some place names mentioned include Newburgh, Coxwold and Hallikeld, suggesting a North Riding of Yorkshire origin. Some foxing and ageing, vertical fold, otherwise in good condition

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- 684 'Journal of a Second Voyage for the Discovery of a North-West Passage from the Atlantic to the Pacific'. Sir William Edward Parry. John Murray, London 1824, Black morocco with marbled boards and gills to spine. Comprises thirty one illustrations throughout and eight maps and charts bound in at the end. The frontispiece is of an engraving by Edward Finden after a drawing by Captain Lyon, R.N., titled 'Situation of H M Ships Fury & Hecla, at Igloodik 1822-23' showing cricket being played by the crews on ice and snow. 'Ex libris George R Carline, FRGS, FRAI, 29 April 1926'. Padwick 6936. Minor wear to boards, otherwise an excellent copy of the first edition of this book. Rare

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The engraving is reproduced in a smaller size as plate 37 in Colman's The Noble Game of Cricket. Carline was an author of books and papers on natural history

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thoughts of publishing a complete Account of the History and Antiquities of Reading, based on his results while researching the 'Abstract of the History of the Abbey'. The 1791 work had eight engravings only. Subscribers copy from the Loveday Library, with hand written logo assumed to be of this library and a shelf-number reference. The List of Subscribers in the book includes 'John Loveday, LLD, Wilsot, Oxon'. Odd minor faults, otherwise in good/ very good condition. Rare

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- 687 'Champions.... about bloomin' time'. Graham Hardcastle & Chris Ostick. Nantwich 2011. Limited de-luxe edition number 105 of 150 copies produced with titles in gilt. Signed by the Lancashire playing staff and management who won the County Championship in 2011, signed by the Chief Executive and Chairman, the two authors and ten further Lancashire legends. The book comes with a 'Champions' scorecard from the final match v Somerset, a special bookmark, an original menu from the 2011 Championship winning Dinner and a facsimile menu from the 1934 Championship winning Dinner. Signatures include Engineer, D. Lloyd, Hayes, Shuttleworth, Ramadhin, Bond, Pullar, Chapple, J. Anderson etc. VG

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- 768 'A Who's Who of Warwickshire County Cricket Club'. Robert Brooke and David Goodyear. London 1989. Signed by two hundred past and present players to pen pictures, photographs etc, the majority signed to pages, some on laid down pieces. Signatures include Abberley, Amiss, Asif Din, Bell, Bainbridge, Benjamin, Buckingham, Cartwright, Giles, Gifford, Hemmings, Humpage, Kallicharran, Kanhai, Kardar, Kilner, Lara, Moody, Quaife, Small, Smith, Snow, Willis etc. Also signed by the authors. Minor nicks to dustwrapper. Some annotations, otherwise in good condition £60/90
- 769 'The History of Yorkshire County Cricket Club'. Anthony Woodhouse. Helm Publishing. London 1989. Signed by one hundred past and present players to rear end papers, photographs etc, the majority signed to pages, some on laid down pieces. Signatures include Hampshire, Brearley, Cawthray, Keighley, Smales, Close, Trueman, Appleyard, Binks, Bird, Bolus, Birkenshaw, Taylor, Hampshire, Old, Cope, R. Hutton, Boycott, Carrick, Moxon, Vaughan, Gough etc. Minor nicks to dustwrapper. Some annotations, otherwise in good condition £40/60
- 770 'A History of West Indies Cricket'. Michael Manley. Helm Publishing. London 1988. Signed by forty past and present players to rear end papers, photographs etc, the majority signed to pages, some on laid down pieces. Signatures include Walcott, Ramadhin, Valentine, Kanhai, Alexander, Hunte, Murray, Kallicharran, Croft, Lloyd, Haynes, Marshall, Richardson, Garner, Harper etc. Dustwrapper and book in good/very good condition £30/50
- 771 'The Book of Essex Cricketers'. David Lemmon. Breedon Books. Derby 1994. Signed by over one hundred and thirty past and present players to end papers, photographs etc, the majority signed to pages, some on laid down pieces. Signatures include Bailey, Cass, Childs, Denness, Fletcher, Foster, Gooch, Hilton, Illott, Insole, Knight, Lever, Miller, Pringle, Read, Salim Malik, Such, Tudor, Saggars, Shah, Taylor, Wilcox, Cook, Gough etc. Dustwrapper and book in good/very good condition £40/60
- 772 'Somerset Cricket. A Post-war Who's Who'. David Foot and Ivan Ponting. Bristol 1994. Original paper wrappers. Signed by over one hundred and thirty past and present players to end papers, photographs etc, the majority signed to pages, some on laid down pieces. Signatures include Alley, Burns, Buse, Cameron, Caddick, Cartwright, Close, Coope, Cook, Crowe, Garner, Greatham, Graveney, Hazell, Hildreth, Kieswetter, Kitchen, Langford, Langveldt, Luckes, Mitchell-Innes, Mushtaq, Parks, Roebuck, Rose, Tavare, Trescothick etc. Odd minor faults, otherwise in good condition £40/60
- 773 'From the Sea End. The Official History of Sussex County Cricket Club'. Christopher Lee. Partridge Press. London 1989. Signed by over one hundred and thirty past and present players to front end papers, photographs etc, the majority signed to pages, some on laid down pieces. Signatures include Parks, Oakman, Cornford, Sheppard, Langridge, A. Greig, Arnold, Doggart, Marlar, Javed, Parker, Yardy, Mushtaq, Ward, Prior, Joyce, Panasar, Giddings, Athey, Jarvis, Martin-Jenkins, Dodemaide etc. Minor nicks and some fading to dustwrapper. Some annotations, otherwise in good condition £40/60
- 774 'The History of Warwickshire County Cricket Club'. Jack Bannister. Helm Publishing. London 1990. Signed by over ninety past and present players to rear end papers, photographs etc, the majority signed to pages, some on laid down pieces. Signatures include Thompson, Townsend, Ord, Smith, Horner, Stewart, Cartwright, Abberley, Kanhai, Murray, Willis, Hemmings, Jameson, Humpage, Snow, Kallicharran, Lloyd, Amiss, Reeve, Donald, Bannister, Moody, Giles etc. Minor nicks and some fading to dustwrapper. Some

annotations, otherwise in good condition. Sold with 'A Who's Who of Worcestershire County Cricket Club'. Robert Brooke and David Goodyear. Hale Publishing. London 1990. Signed by five past and present players to half title page. Qty 2. G £30/50

- 775 'Debrett's Cricketers' Who's Who'. Iain Sproat. Helm Publishing. London 1980. Signed by over one hundred and fifty past and present players to pen pictures, the majority signed to pages, some on laid down pieces. Signatures include Abrahams, Amis, Birkenshaw, Botham, Boycott, Brearley, Broad, D'Oliveira, Emburey, Fletcher, Fowler, Gattling, Gifford, Gooch, Gower, Hadlee, Hendrick, Jackman, Lamb, Lloyd, Old, Proctor, Randall, Steele, Taylor, Titmus, Underwood, Willis etc. Minor nicks and some fading to dustwrapper. The book in good condition £40/60

CRICKET IN MUSIC & PROSE

- 776 'Keep Your Tail Up Kangaroo. The Official Australian Cricket Board Song'. Words and music by Neil McBeath, copyright 1932. Four page music score containing two pages of music and lyrics tipped into modern blue cloth. The front cover states 'To be broadcast and sung at the M.C.C. during the vital Test Match by permission of the Victorian Cricket Association and courtesy', with printed photographs of Don Bradman, Gubby Allen and singer Arnold Colman. Not listed by Padwick, but shown in the Bibliography vol II, no 3255. VG £180/250

The song was presumably intended for the fifth and final Test at Melbourne in February/March 1937, when England lost the series after being two matches up. According to the National Library of Australia the first issue appeared c1932 with the picture on the front cover of a kangaroo with a cricket bat and a bucket of ashes

- 777 'Willow the King. Harrow School Song No. 7'. Music by John Farmer, words by E.E. Bowen. Dedicated to The Hon. K. Grimston and The Hon. H. Ponsonby. Four page printed sheet with humorous decorative

covers containing the music and lyrics for the song. Tipped in to modern blue cloth with gilt titles to spine. Minor wear and ageing, otherwise in good condition. Rare £130/160

Padwick 1465 dates its publication as [189-] although D.R. Allen in his 'A Song for Cricket' records its being sung in June 1876

- 778 'The Bay and other new poems'. G. Brodribb. Mountjoy Press 1953. Signed limited edition of 30 copies, this being number 18. Original wrappers. Odd faults otherwise in good condition. Rare £70/100

This previously unrecorded work by Brodribb, printed by hand on his own press, contains a collection of poems, many concerning cricket, two of which appeared in 'The Cricketer'. The book was dedicated to the author's wife, Jessica, and was intended for private circulation. This never happened, and the books remained on Brodribb's shelves in secret until his death in 1999

- 779 The Cricket Match. A Poem in Two Cantos. Cophall Chambers (Thomas Smith). London 1859. Original decorative wrappers. Contains references to 'Felix' and his 'Catapulta'. Wear to wrappers, browning to internal pages, front cover becoming detached, otherwise in fair to good condition £25/35

- 780 'Teams of Tomorrow'. G.D. Martineau. London, 1926. Original hardback with decorative covers and original dustwrapper. Includes a small Christmas card nicely signed in ink by Martineau. Limited edition number 255 of 300 copies. Ex libris J.W. Goldham. Loss and wear to dustwrapper, the book in good/ very good condition £50/70

- 781 'A Score, A Score, and Ten'. G.D. Martineau. London, 1927. Original hardback in blue boards with cloth. Some staining to boards, foxing to internal pages, otherwise in good condition £30/40

- 782 'The Epic of Hornden Green'. G.D. Martineau. Cambridge, 1926. Original decorative card covers. Minor wear and ageing, otherwise in good/ very good condition £30/50

- 783 'Harold Gimblett's Hundred'. John Arlott. R. Walsh Books, Taunton 1991. Limited edition number 57/123 copies, nicely signed in ink by Arlott. Card covers with red ties. Minor ageing to covers, otherwise in good/ very good condition £60/90

- 784 'Cricket Poems'. George Francis Wilson. London 1905. Original decorative cloth covers. Presentation copy to A.E. Knight, Leicestershire & England, 1895-1912. Handwritten dedication from the author, dated 3rd August 1905. Handmade paper with untrimmed edges. Minor wear to board extremities, otherwise in good condition £40/60

- 785 'Kent Cricket Matches 1719-1880'. Lord Harris and F.S. Ashley-Cooper. Canterbury 1929. Original blue boards. Spine and parts of boards faded, otherwise in good condition £25/35

- 786 'A Cricket Song'. Samuel Reynolds Hole. Edited with a foreword by F.S. Ashley-Cooper. Privately printed, 1922. Textured cream card cover with cord tie. Some spotting and ageing to covers, otherwise in good condition. Rare £200/300

In 1927, 1928 and 1929 Ashley-Cooper is known to have privately produced small booklets to give as Christmas cards to fellow collectors. In 1922 he produced 'A Cricket Song', one copy has been seen with an accompanying letter which indicates that this publication was used by him as a Christmas card that year. Not to be confused with 'A Cricket Song' by N. Felix, commercially published by Ashley-Cooper in 1923

- 787 'Harold Gimblett's Hundred'. John Arlott. R. Walsh Books, Taunton 1991. Limited edition number 43/123, nicely signed in ink by Arlott. Card covers with red ties. Minor ageing to covers, otherwise in good/ very good condition £70/100

- 788 'The Epic of the Oval'. E.B.V. Christian. Privately printed 1930. G/VG £50/70

- 789 Cricket poetry and prose. Selection of eleven books including 'Collected Verses', A. Cochrane, London 1903. 'Later Verses', A. Cochrane, London 1918. Both titles in original green

- cloth with decorative gilt. 'Willow & Leather', E.V. Lucas, Bristol 1898. Owner's bookplate of J.M. Fleming, Scottish wicketkeeper who played against the 1926 Australians. 'English Leaves'. E.V. Lucas 1933, 'Cricket Songs', Norman Gale, 1906, third edition. 'Contrasts', John Snow 1971, unnumbered limited edition of 100. 'Messrs Bat and Ball', Norman Gale 1930 etc. Mixed condition, generally good £25/35
- 790 'Teams of Tomorrow'. G.D. Martineau, Vine Press, Steyning, 1926. Original decorative boards. Limited edition of three hundred copies on toned antique laid paper and thirty on handmade paper, this being number 55 of the 'ordinary issue'. Handwritten inscription in ink to front end paper, 'Noel, 1925. For Lincoln Torrey. In all love and friendship, From his Fellow Publisher, Vickybird. 22:12:25'. Also includes a publisher's Christmas card for 1925 loosely inserted to rear, and a handwritten inscription in ink by Martineau to rear end paper, 'There ought to be a special Tax, On babes the size of Halifax. G.D.M.' Padwick Minor wear to boards, otherwise in good condition £70/100
- Victor Benjamin Neuburg ('Vickybird') was an English poet and writer who also wrote on the subjects of theosophy and occultism. After serving in the British Army in the First World War he moved to Steyning in Sussex where he founded the Vine Press and was an early publisher of works by Dylan Thomas*
- 791 Imogen Grosberg, poet c1990. Four privately published books of cricket poems by Grosberg, each signed by the poet. Titles are 'A Few Quick Singles' (first and second editions), 'Run Chase' and 'Willow'. G £20/30
- 792 'Cricket Songs'. Norman Gale. London 1894. Limited edition number 107 of 125 copies produced. Signed in ink by the publisher 'Methuen & Co'. Handmade paper, some edges uncut. Original green boards with gilt lettering. Padwick 6568. Some ageing and minor fading to boards, otherwise in good condition £60/90
- 793 'Cricket Songs'. Norman Gale. London 1894. Limited edition on Japanese vellum, limited to 15 copies, this being copy number one and was Gale's own copy. Inscribed in ink to second end paper 'As the writer of these verses I beg to state that this is my own copy. Norman Gale'. On the inside of the front cover are the bookplates of F.W. Morris and of A.E. Winder. On the first end paper a portrait of Gale is laid down. Original green and cloth boards with gilt lettering. Some ageing and minor fading to boards, small nick to top of spine, otherwise in good condition. Very rare. Sold with 'More Cricket Songs', Norman Gale, London 1905. Green decorative cloth. Some foxing, otherwise in good condition. Qty 2 £250/350
- Norman Rowland Gale was a school teacher and author of many collections of poetry*
- ### CRICKET CERAMICS & METALWARE
- 794 'Ready for Chances'. A Royal Doulton Black Boy dinner plate, entitled 'Ready for Chances' printed with a boy in red shirt, yellow waistcoat and a floppy hat crouched awaiting a catch (as if in the slips). Green floral decoration to inner and outer rim. 9.5" diameter. Doulton backstamp and number 'D2864' to base. Odd very minor marks otherwise in very good condition. A rarer 'Black Boy' title £500/700
- 795 'There's Style!'. A Royal Doulton Black Boy dinner plate, entitled 'There's Style!' printed with a boy in red jacket and a floppy hat stood in batting stance in front of the wicket. Green floral decoration to inner and outer rim. 9.5" diameter. Doulton backstamp and number 'D2864' to base. Odd very minor marks otherwise in very good condition £400/600
- 796 Leeds creamware cricket jug. Baluster form jug with moulded and decorated figures in relief of William Clark and Charles Box in brown jackets, and Fuller Pilch in blue jacket, all three with black hats, names beneath. The rim decorated with green and yellow droplets, green leaf decoration to handle. 'Leeds Pottery' stamp to base, circa 1920. Approx 7" tall. Some professional restoration to the side of the jug just above the figure of Box, an image of the jug prior to restoration is sold with the jug for comparison. A rare and much sort after cricketing jug £600/900
- 797 W.G. Grace. Doulton Lambeth stoneware jug with pale body and dark brown rim, decorated with three portraits/roundels of W.G. Grace, K.S. Ranjitsinhji and George Giffen within scrolling foliage. Two tone brown strap handle. Produced in 1896. Approx 7" high. Impressed Doulton Lambeth stamp and factory mark to base '325'. Very good condition £300/400
- 798 'The Ashes' England v Australia 1953. Magnificent Royal Worcester bone china plate produced by the factory to commemorate the Ashes series in England 1953. The plate bears the printed signatures in gold of the England and the Australian touring teams plus an image of the Ashes urn. Signatures include Hutton, Compton, May, Evans, Wardle, Laker, Lock, Trueman, Statham, Bedser, Hassett, Miller, Lindwall, Johnston, Davidson, Harvey, Benaud, Tallon, Morris etc. The plate measures approx 10.5" diameter with signatures in gold to centre and rim with decorative gold edging to rim. To reverse is the Royal Worcester mark. Good/very good condition. Presented to Wardle by the Factory £130/160
- These commemorative plates were first produced and issued in 1938 and continued until 1973. This plate was specially made to commemorate the Ashes in 1953. Each plate was limited in number by the factory to about 50-60, one given to each member of the team and a few made available to specialist collectors*
- 799 Early cricket award. Unusual, possibly early 19th century, cricketing award or presentation piece. The central circular design depicts a cricket scene in gilt on a blue leather background surrounded by a red and gilt decorative border. The scene depicts two batsmen at the crease and two fielders in the background, one about to catch the ball. The motif is set in a padded

- leather frame with arched top. Hinged flap to verso for display. Although undoubtedly a period piece, the date and maker are unknown, although the style of clothing suggests early 19th century. Overall 4.5"x5". Some wear to the frame, otherwise in good condition. Not seen by the auctioneer previously £250/350
- 800 Uppingham School cricket. Rare mid to late 19c cricketer's belt and buckle. The brass /gilded metal buckle of rectangular outline with squared corners depicting to centre the founder of the school, Archdeacon Robert Johnson of the Diocese of Peterborough, with attendant pupils and the school motto to surround 'In Okeham et Uppingham in Com.Ruti. Sic Com Gubern Scholar et Hospiciorum'. Original clasps, bar and hook fasteners and D end hold the belt formerly mauve now sadly faded. Slightly bend to buckle otherwise in very good condition. Rare to see the original belt still attached to the buckle of a belt dating from around 1870-1880 £150/250
- Uppingham School is a co-educational independent school situated in the small market town of Uppingham in Rutland, England. The school was founded in 1584 by Robert Johnson, the Archdeacon of Leicester who also established Oakham School*
- 801 'The Great Hit'. Rare brass belt buckle embossed with inscription 'The Great Hit' with an image of a batsman wearing cap striding out to hit the ball. Lacking back clip and slightly worn otherwise in good condition Circa 1860's. Overall 2"x2.25". An early buckle not previously seen by the auctioneer £80/120
- 802 'England's Champions'. Exquisite impressed brass mount with pins to verso, being the centre feature of the larger belt buckle produced in 1860. 2.5"x1.75". VG £40/60
- This fully complete belt buckle was sold in our May 2016 auction*
- 803 Burleigh Ware art deco ceramic cricket jug circa 1930. The jug with cricket field and pavilion design to body with batsman handle in yellow, green, blue and brown. The design of the batsman was apparently based on Don Bradman in order to commemorate his innings of 334 v England at Headingley in 1930. The jug is 7.5" tall with 'beehive' Burleigh stamp and No. 5333 to base. Fading to dotted patten on rim otherwise in good/very good condition. A rare cricket jug £500/700
- 804 'Colman's Mustard, like Grace, heads the Field'. Original silver cigarette case with enamel advertising design for Colman's mustard to front. The oval design features W.G. Grace walking down the pavilion steps to walk out to bat. Fully hallmarked, Cornelius Saunders and Francis Shepherd of Chester Birmingham 1895 to inside case. The case measures 2.5"x3.5". Odd very minor dent otherwise in good/very good condition with colours bright £400/600
- W.G. Grace had promoted cricket bats for years, but this advert represents the first time that a sportsman had crossed over into the general market. Grace scored his 100th hundred, 288, in May 1895 against Somerset at Bristol at the age of 47, passed 1000 runs in that extremely cold May. He went on to score 2346 runs at 51 that summer, with nine hundreds. It is 100 years since Grace died at the age of 67 on the 23rd October 1915*
- 805 Alf Pope. 'Forfarshire Cricket Club. Presented to A.V. Pope 9-37 v West Lothian County 9th June 1956. Scottish Counties Championship'. Cricket ball, presented to Pope, with silver metal shield to the ball with engraved details. On wooden display stand. G £50/80
- 806 Yorkshire County Cricket Club. Len Hutton. Ronson cigarette lighter with Yorkshire rose emblem and 'From Len Hutton' engraved to one side, initials 'C.M.M.' to the other. Recipient unknown. Presumably Hutton presented the lighter to a friend or acquaintance, despite extensive research we have not found a first cricketers initials to match those on lighter. A rare personal Hutton item £100/150
- 807 Silver cricket medals. Six silver cricket medals each with elaborate cricketing decoration, five out of the six hallmarked. Four inscribed to verso. 'Transport & Workshops Cricket Tournament 1918, Grove Park', 'Presented to R. Warner by A.W.C.C. 1909', 'N,S,A,A, L. Baxter 1920' and 'Salters C.C. William Scott Harold'. Attractive medals £20/30
- 808 'Owzthat' cricket game in original small tin box. c1950s/1960s. Minor wear to lid, otherwise in good condition £20/30
- 809 W.G. Grace. Silk tasselled bookmark with image of Grace batting with wicketkeeper and pavilion to background. 'Cricket- It's more than a game - it's an institution'. Thomas Hughes 1822-1896' beneath. Made by 'Cash's of Coventry' to verso. VG £50/70
- 810 Alfred Vardy 'Alf' Pope. Derbyshire 1930-1939. Pewter tankard inscribed 'A.V.P. 1931-1936. A.W.R' with the Derbyshire C.C.C. emblem, given to Pope by A.W. Richardson on Richardson's retirement as Derbyshire Captain in 1936 when Derbyshire won the County Championship. Also a tankard presented to Alf Pope by Mitchell & Butlers C.C. 1947, and two other tankards presented by Pope when playing league cricket 1950s-1960s, and another tankard presented to A.V. (Tony) Pope in 1984. Qty 5. Sold with twenty eight M.C.C. members tickets for 1976, 1987-1989 and 1998-2015, and a 1972 Yorkshire C.C.C. members ticket. G/VG £50/70
- 811 'Investec Test Series England v India 2014'. Official metal medal with sponsor's ribbon issued for the Series. The medal with inscription to face and Investec Test series emblem to verso. Recipient, either England or Indian player, unknown. VG £50/70
- England won the five match series 3-1*
- 812 W.G. Grace. Large oblong Sandland ashtray with transfer printed image of Grace in batting pose to centre. 9"x6". G/VG £30/50
- 813 Melbourne Cricket Club. Centenary Test Match Dinner 1977'. Ceramic ashtray with titles and details and

- image of the Melbourne Cricket Ground 1877 to centre. Approx 5"x4". Made by the Elischer factory to commemorate the Centenary Test. Chip to edge otherwise in good/very good condition £20/30
- 814 County Championship plates 1973-1999. Complete run of commemorative County Championship china plates for the period for Hampshire 1973 (1st), Worcestershire 1974 (damaged), Leicestershire 1975 Middlesex 1976, Kent/Middlesex 1977, Kent 1978, Essex 1979, Middlesex 1980, Nottinghamshire 1981, Middlesex 1982, Essex 1983, Essex 1984, Middlesex 1985, Essex 1986, Nottinghamshire 1987, Worcestershire 1988 and 1989, Middlesex 1990, Essex 1991 & 1992, Middlesex 1993, Warwickshire 1994 & 1995, Leicestershire 1996, Glamorgan 1997, Leicestershire 1998 and Surrey 1999. All limited edition. Twelve with boxes. Qty 27. G £60/90
- 815 Commemorative plates. Box containing five plates for 'M.C.C. Bicentenary, 1787-1987' in original box (Wedgewood), 'Hampshire Captains' (Royal Doulton), 'Worcestershire County Cricket Club 1987' (Royal Worcester), 'Durham C.C.C. 1992' (Royal Grafton), and, 'Centenary of Test Cricket at Old Trafford' (Coalport). Sold with a miniature 'Kookaburra' bat signed by fourteen Northamptonshire players c1980s, and an envelope containing ephemera from the England tour to Sri Lanka, 2001. The plates in very good condition £25/35
- 816 Hambledon C.C. Selection of earthenware items including claret jug and six goblets. The claret jug with impressed emblem, bats and wicket, of Hambledon with 'Hambledon C.C.' beneath. The jug stands approx 9" tall and the goblets 6" tall. Presented on earthenware flat stand/tray. Also cricket ball trinket box, cricket ball holder, paper weight and letter rack each with impressed emblem, bats and wicket, of Hambledon with 'Hambledon C.C.' beneath. Various sizes. Produced by The Hambledon Trading Company (John Brindley) c1990's. VG £30/50

CRICKET CAPS, BLAZERS, TIES &

CRICKET ATTIRE

- 817 Indian navy blue cloth Test cap, by Ad-Art of Bombay, with embroidered and wired emblem of India with wording 'Indian Cricket Team' to front. The label to cap has handwritten initials 'B.S.C.'. Some wear to inside lining otherwise in good condition £200/300
The initials 'B.S.C.' could stand for Bhagwat Subramanya Chandrasekhar. Mysore / Karnataka & India 1963 - 1980
- 818 Christopher Lance Cairns. Northern Districts, Canterbury, Nottinghamshire & New Zealand 1988-2006. New Zealand black cloth Test cap, by Albion C&D of Australia, with embroidered 'silver fern' emblem of New Zealand to cap. The cap has 'Cairns' to inside name label and is signed to the label and dated 10th March 1992 (this was during the 1992 Benson & Hedges World Cup played in Australia & New Zealand. Good/very good condition £200/300
All-rounder Chris Cairns played in sixty two Tests for New Zealand taking 218 Test wickets at 29.4 and scored over 3,300 Test runs at an average of 33.53 and was named as one of five Wisden Cricketers of the Year in 1990
- 819 Queensland State cricket cap. The maroon cap with narrow green and gold hoops has the Queensland Cricket Association emblem to front appears to be from the 1950/60's. Some minor wear to inside lining, good condition. Ownership unknown £100/150
- 820 Prime Minister's XI cloth baggy green and gold cricket cap worn in the traditional annual invitation match played against the tourists. The green cloth cap with gold piping quarters and emblem in gold with 'Prime Minister's XI' to front. The cap by Albion C&D. Signed to inside label by Ryan Campbell of Western Australia. Very good condition. Rare £200/300
Campbell was invited to play in the Prime Minister's match against England in 1998/99
- 821 Geoffrey Miller, Derbyshire, Essex & England 1973-1990. M.C.C. navy blue touring blazer, by Simpson of

Piccadilly, worn by Miller on the M.C.C. tour of Australia & New Zealand in 1979-1980. The blazer with embroidered M.C.C. emblem in white of St George & Dragon of England and below in scroll '1979-Australia & New Zealand-1980' to breast pocket. Trimming/braid to blazer, pockets and sleeves in M.C.C. colours of yellow and red. The vendor won the blazer at a Geoff Miller Benefit Year Dinner & Dance in Chesterfield in January 1985. Sold with the menu and two tickets for the Dinner, the menu signed by Miller, Eddie Barlow, Bob Taylor and speaker Nick Owen (TV Presenter) Good/very good condition £250/350

Geoff Miller played in thirty four Tests and twenty five ODIs for England from 1976 to 1984. He played for Derbyshire from 1973 to 1986, captaining the side from 1979 to 1981 and returned in 1990 after playing for Essex between 1987 and 1989. Miller took 888 first class wickets at 27.98. On the 1979/80 tour, Miller was injured early on the tour and only played in four matches. The tour is remembered for England losing the series 3-0 and Dennis Lillie's use of an aluminium bat in the first Test at Perth

- 822 Ellis Pembroke Robinson. Yorkshire 1934-1948 & Somerset 1949-1952. Official dark blue Yorkshire 1st XI blazer worn by Robinson during his playing career with Yorkshire. The blazer with embroidered Yorkshire 1st XI emblem of the white rose attached to chest pocket. The blazer with some moth holes, wear and light staining. Sold with a blue Yorkshire second XI silk tie with emblem of a Yorkshire rose bud embroidered to front. The tie made by 'Theros'. The blazer and tie were purchased from the auction of memorabilia held by Ellis Robinson in a pub at Doncaster some years ago £100/150

Ellis Robinson took 100 wickets in a season five times, his best being 146 at 14.95 in 1946. He moved from Yorkshire to Somerset in 1949 having been released by Yorkshire. He died in 1998 at the age of 87 years

- 823 England 1980/90s. England home navy blue Test blazer. The blazer

- with raised emblem of the three lions and crown of England to chest, by Simpson of Piccadilly. Player unknown £70/100
- 824 Phillip John Sharpe. Yorkshire, Derbyshire & England 1958/1976. Yorkshire 1st XI sleeveless sweater worn by Sharp during his playing career with the county. Sold with a short note of provenance from his widow, Mrs Sue Sharpe. G £50/70
- 825 Phillip John Sharpe. Yorkshire, Derbyshire & England 1958/1976. Yorkshire 1st XI long sleeved sweater worn by Sharp during his playing career with the county. Sold with a short note of provenance from his widow, Mrs Sue Sharpe. G £50/70
- 826 Phillip John Sharpe. Yorkshire, Derbyshire & England 1958/1976. Pair of Yorkshire 1st XI long sleeved and sleeveless sweaters by 'Eyrekniit' issued to Sharp during his playing career with the county. Both sweaters appear new and probably not worn, one in bag. Sold with a short note of provenance from his widow, Mrs Sue Sharpe. G £80/120
- 827 Phillip John Sharpe. Yorkshire, Derbyshire & England 1958/1976. M.C.C. long sleeved sweater by 'Jaeger' worn by Sharp worn on the M.C.C. tour of India in 1962/63. The sweater with trimming in M.C.C. colours of red, gold and black. 'P.J. Sharpe' hand printed to label in neck. Sold with a short note of provenance from his widow, Mrs Sue Sharpe. Some signs of wear, good £50/80
- 828 Phillip John Sharpe. Yorkshire, Derbyshire & England 1958/1976. Derbyshire 1st XI long sleeved sweater, by F.A. Townsend of Derby, worn by Sharp during his playing career with the county. Sold with a short note of provenance from his widow, Mrs Sue Sharpe. G £50/70
- 829 Phillip John Sharpe. Yorkshire, Derbyshire & England 1958/1976. Pair of long sleeved and sleeveless sweaters worn by Sharp during his playing career. The sweaters with trimming of sky blue and maroon, possibly Derbyshire colours(?). Sold with a short note of provenance from his widow, Mrs Sue Sharpe. G £30/50
- 830 Phillip John Sharpe. Yorkshire, Derbyshire & England 1958/1976. Pair of Slazenger batting gloves worn by Sharpe during his playing career. Plus a Derbyshire C.C.C. cricket holdall, by 'Mileta' used by Sharpe, The brown bag with title 'Derbyshire C.C.C.' to side and decorated with county colours. Plus a framed Sold with a short note of provenance from his widow, Mrs Sue Sharpe. G £30/40
- 831 Phillip John Sharpe. Yorkshire, Derbyshire & England 1958/1976. 'Courage Old England Cricket XI' dark blue wool cricket cap worn by Sharpe whilst playing for the club. Name 'P.J. Sharpe' hand printed to label. Sold with a short note of provenance from his widow, Mrs Sue Sharpe. VG £40/60
- 832 Timothy Joseph Zoehrer, Western Australia & Australia. 'Ashes 1993'. Original baseball jacket worn by Zoehrer on the Australian tour of England in 1993. The lined dark green jacket with light brown leather sleeves has 'Australian Cricket Team 1993' and advertising logo 'XXXX'. Australia Ashes '93' to chest. The lining in gold with 'XXXX' emblem. Signed to inner lining by Zoehrer. VG £70/100
- 833 I.Zingari C.C. Early I.Zingari cricket club cloth blazer in club colours of red, black and gold. Some moth holes, some wear blazer otherwise in good condition £150/250
- This is one of a number of items of clothing recently acquired by the vendor from an estate dating to before 1944. They had been kept in a very large trunk since the death of the owner, Francis Henry Guy Stanton. F.H.G. Stanton was born in 1873 and had an illustrious career in the Army. He was a Major in the Royal Artillery during the Boer War 1899 - 1902 and rose to become Brigadier General during World War I (1914-1918). He died in 1928.*
- Stanton played a good standard of club cricket for the Royal Artillery in the late 1890's and was a member of I.Z.*
- I.Zingari means 'Gypsies' in Italian*
- 834 Richard Illingworth. England blue and black long sleeved sweater worn by Illingworth in the 1996 World Cup Finals. Sold with white 'Wills World Cup 1996' sunhat signed by fourteen of the England team and a World Cup 1992 players tie by Kent & Curwen. G £20/35
- 835 Eddie Hemmings. Nottinghamshire, Warwickshire & England. England white cricket shirt worn by Hemmings during his career. England emblem and signed to chest by Hemmings. Name to collar. G £25/35
- 836 Roland Lefebvre. Somerset, Glamorgan & Holland. M.C.C. sleeveless sweater, by Simpson of Piccadilly worn by Lefebvre whilst playing for M.C.C. The sweater has M.C.C. emblem to centre of sweater. 'R.L.' handwritten to label. Previously sold by Knights. G/VG £30/50
- 837 England v South Africa c1993/94. England player's short sleeve shirt, with England emblem and 'Tetley Bitter' sponsors logo to chest and sleeve. Signed to the front by sixteen England players from the 1993/94 seasons. Signatures include Stewart, Atherton, Smith, Hussain, Gooch, Hick, Malcolm, Lewis, Watkin, Igglesden etc. Mounted. G £30/40
- 838 Neil Foster. Essex & England. M.C.C. sleeveless touring sweater worn by Foster whilst playing for England. The sweater with trimming in M.C.C. colours of red, gold and black to neck and waist. Foster's initials to label. VG £70/100
- Previously sold by Knights for Neil Foster*
- 839 Richard Illingworth. Worcestershire, Derbyshire & England. Pair of Worcestershire 1st XI sleeveless and long sleeved sweaters with Worcestershire emblem and 'Midlands Electricity' sponsors logo and trimming in Worcestershire colours to neck, waist and cuffs. Worn by Illingworth. 'R.K.I.' to labels. VG £30/50
- 840 Richard Illingworth. Worcestershire, Derbyshire & England. Pair of Worcestershire 1st XI sleeveless and long sleeved sweaters with Worcestershire emblem and 'MEB' sponsors logo and trimming in Worcestershire colours to neck, waist

- and cuffs. Worn by Illingworth. 'R.I.' to labels. VG £30/50
- 841 Neil Fairbrother. Lancashire & England. Red Lancashire 'Axa' Sunday League shirt with red and black trim. 'Lancashire', red rose emblem and 'Bass' sponsor's logo to front. Player's name and 'Axa' logo to reverse. Signed by Fairbrother to front. Sold with a matching long sleeve sweater. VG £25/35
- In 1993 'AXA Equity and Law' became the sponsor of the Sunday League and promoted it by introducing coloured clothing and a white ball, the first time in England*
- 842 England and County attire. Box containing a good selection of England and County shirts, sweaters, caps etc. Contents include a Nick Cook England training shirt, Warwickshire sweater signed by Tim Munton, various track suit trousers and training tops, Ole Mortenson, Derbyshire C.C.C. blue baseball style cricket cap, name handwritten to inside 'Stan Mortenson'. Also with a New Zealand 'DB Draught. New Zealand Cricket' baseball style training cap worn by Martin Crowe on the 1994 tour of England. G £30/40
- 843 Cricket clothing 1980s/1990s. Two boxes, one containing a collection of fourteen Test and County cricket shirts, hat, sweaters etc. Some shirts signed. The other box with a quantity of Darren Gough ties and benefit caps etc. Some duplication. G £50/70
- 844 Cricket attire 1990s/2000s. Box containing a selection of clothing. Items include an England blue tracksuit top, West Indies World Cup 1999 shirt, India pale blue one day shirt, Australia one day yellow sleeveless sweater, Worcestershire tracksuit top and bottom. Also a 'Duke' World Cup 1999 white cricket ball. G/VG £30/50
- 845 International cricket attire 1990s/2000s. Box containing nine items of mainly training clothing for New Zealand, Australia, West Indies etc. Includes a 'Stanford Superstars shirt and trousers. G/VG £30/40
- The Stanford Super Series were a series of Twenty20 cricket matches in 2008, sponsored by Allen Stanford. As the instigator of Twenty20 cricket, Stanford was an innovator, causing much disquiet among cricket aficionados at the time. This could, however, be considered the inception of modern franchise cricket, but was Stanford's downfall*
- 846 Allan Joseph Lamb. Northamptonshire & England 1972-1995. England black cricket coffin, decorated in M.C.C./England colours and named to sides, used by Lamb on the England tour of Australia and New Zealand in 1991/92. The coffin contains numerous items of cricket clothing worn on tours during the 1980's. Test shirts, one day international shirts, trousers, tee-shirts and England training tops, England track suits, Perth Challenge shirts, sweaters etc. Previously sold by Knights. G £140/180
- ### CRICKET BATS, BALLS & EQUIPMENT
- 847 Australian tour of England 1953. Sugg 'Exelsa' cricket bat signed to face by seventeen members of the touring party. Signatures include Hassett (Cpt), Morris, Miller, Davidson, Johnston, Lindwall, Harvey, Ring, Craig etc. Some browning to signatures and three signatures totally faded. Below these signatures are the signatures of the All England XI v The Rest. Twenty two signatures including Hutton, Brown, Compton, Bailey, Wardle, Gibb, Laker, May, Kenyon, Watson, Evans, Bedser etc. Signatures in good condition. To back are twelve signatures of the Warwickshire team including Dollery, Gove, Hollies, Ord, Horner, fading to some signatures. Sold with a further Summers Brown & Co cricket bat with some signatures (unknown) to splice. Qty 2 £80/120
- 848 'Cricket Captains of England'. A. Gilligan, P. Warner & F. Mann. Three miniature 'Gray Nicholls' cricket bats from a series featuring ten England captains, each with a colour hand-painted caricature of the featured player. The limited edition bats, each with a certificate of authentication signed and dated by the artist Redman(?), are Warner, first in the series, limited edition no. 3/100, dated 1st July 1984, Gilligan, second in the series, 3/100, 9th January 1985, and Mann, sixth in the series, 3/100, 20th January 1988. Each bat 11.5". G/VG £30/40
- 849 England v West Indies 1991. Full size 'Slazenger' bat signed to face by thirteen England signatures and twelve West Indies players. England signatures include Gooch, Lamb, Atherton, De Freitas, Russell etc. West Indies signatures include Richards, Dujon, Richardson, Logie, Walsh, Ambrose etc. The England signatures badly faded. Sold with a 'County' full size bat for the England tour to West Indies 1993/94, signed by sixteen members of the England touring party. Signatures include Atherton, Stewart, Smith, Malcolm, Hick, Maynard, Salisbury, Thorpe, Hussain etc. Good condition. Qty 2 £30/50
- 850 South Africa, World Cup 1999. Full size official Gunn & Moore cricket bat signed by all fifteen members of the World Cup touring party to England 1999. Printed heading to top of the bat. Signatures include Cronje, Pollock, Gibbs, Kallis, Rhodes, Donald, Boucher, Klusener etc. VG £40/60
- 851 Warwickshire C.C.C. 'Triple Champions 1994'. Full size cricket bat with printed title and names to side. Signed by twenty one Warwickshire players. Signatures include Reeve, Munton, Small, Donald, Asif Din, Moles, Ostler, Twose, Penney, Knight, Giles etc. Sold with a Gunn & Moore full size bat signed by twenty eight members of the Nottinghamshire and Essex teams for the Benson & Hedges Cup Final, 1989. Signatures include Robinson, Broad, French, Johnson, Randall, Gooch, Lever, Waugh, Pritchard, Stephenson, Miller etc. Paul Johnson's name to top of bat handle. Qty 2. G/VG £30/50
- 852 Test and One Day International all-rounders. Full size bat with printed titles and names in strip to left edge. Signed by three 'Test players scoring 5000 runs and taking 200 wickets', Kapil Dev, Ian Botham and Gary Sobers, and twelve 'One Day International players scoring 3000 runs and taking 100 wickets'

including Kapil Dev, Imran Khan, Wasim Akram, Steve Waugh, Viv Richards, Sachin Tendulkar etc. Lacking the signatures of Chris Cairns and Carl Hooper. G/VG
£70/100

- 853 Cricket bats. Collection of seven signed and four unsigned cricket bats. Signed bats include 'Australia v England Test Series 1972', signed by seventeen members of the Australian touring party. Signatures include I. Chappell, Stackpole, Gleeson, Inverarity, Lillee, G. Chappell, Marsh, Massie etc. 'Sussex v Australia' 1985, signed by fifteen Australians and twelve of Sussex. Signatures include Border, Wood, Matthews, O'Donnell, Thomson, Barclay, Greig, Wells, Gould, Reeve etc. Some signatures faded. Also a bat nicely signed by twenty four Surrey players c1990. Signatures include I. Greig, Stewart, Thorpe, Bicknell, Ward, A. Hollioake, Brown, Butcher etc. Generally good condition. Qty 11. Sold with a coffin used by Norman Yardley when coach of England 'A' team 1993. G
£40/60

CRICKET SCORECARDS, PROGRAMMES, F.D.C.'s, MAGAZINES ETC

- 854 'World Record Score'. Official large scorecard for Victoria v New South Wales, Sheffield Shield match played at the Melbourne Cricket Ground on 24th-29th December 1926. In an amazing match, Victoria totalled a record innings score of 1107 all out with Ponsford making 352, Ryder 295, Woodfull 133 and Hendry 100. Mailey's bowling figures were 64 overs, 4 wickets for 362 runs..... New South Wales totalled 221 and 230 in their two innings. Liddicut took 8 wickets in the match and Hartkopf took 6-98 in the 2nd innings. The scorecard has been complimented with the addition of an original self portrait in black ink of Arthur Mailey with the amusing wording in his own hand 'This is the match in which a bloke wearing a brown coat in the Members stand dropped four catches', signed underneath the inscription 'Arthur Mailey'. 'The scorecard signed to lower border 'With Compliments of R.M. Bell, compiler of these cards'

(R.M. Bell. London County 1902-1904) has a horizontal crease to the centre otherwise in good/very good condition. A rare and probably unique scorecard with this original artwork and wording by Mailey
£500/700

Victoria's score of 1107 runs is still the record highest individual total in cricket history and the third highest largest innings victory. R.M. Bell produced the scorecard at the time to commemorate the event

- 855 M.C.C. and Ground v England 1887. Rare early scorecard for the match played at Lord's on the 13th & 14th June 1887. Part printed detail. Loss to left hand corner, minor foxing otherwise in good condition £50/80

England beat M.C.C. by an innings and 117 runs. Shrewsbury made 152, Stoddart made 151, Read 74 and Lohmann took seven wickets in the game for England. For M.C.C., W.G. Grace made 5 & 45, W. Gunn made 61 & 10 and Barnes took 6-126 in England's only innings

- 856 Middlesex v Nottinghamshire 1885. Rare early scorecard for the match played at Lord's on the 16th-18th July 1885. Fully printed scores. Loss to top left corner of the scorecard, minor foxing otherwise in good condition
£50/70

Nottinghamshire won the match by an innings and 154 runs with Arthur Shrewsbury making 224 no in Nottinghamshire's only innings, Attewell made 89 and Alfred Shaw made 52. Walter Wright taking 10 wickets in the match for Nottinghamshire including 8-74 in Middlesex's second innings. For Middlesex, George Burton took 7-96 in Nottinghamshire's only innings, bowling 112 overs with 68 maidens !

- 857 Nottinghamshire v Sussex 1890. Early official scorecard for the County Championship match played at Trent Bridge on the 15th-17th May 1890. Minor foxing otherwise in good/very good condition £50/80

Nottinghamshire won by an innings and 266 runs, Nottinghamshire batting first made 590 in their first innings with Arthur Shrewsbury scoring 267 and William Gunn 196,

Sussex made 186 and 138 in their two innings and lost the game comfortably. Shacklock and Barnes taking six wickets in each innings

- 858 Middlesex v Nottinghamshire 1892. Rare original scorecard for the match played at Lord's on the 20th-22nd June 1892. Fully printed scores. Minor foxing otherwise in good condition
£50/80

Nottinghamshire won by an innings and 14 runs. Nottinghamshire batting first made 466 in their first innings with Arthur Shrewsbury scoring 212, Middlesex made 195 and 257 in their two innings and lost the game comfortably. Shacklock took seven and Attewell six wickets in the match

- 859 M.C.C. and Ground v England 1887. Rare early scorecard for the match played at Lord's on the 13th & 14th June 1887. Printed detail. Very minor foxing otherwise in good condition
£60/90

England beat M.C.C. by an innings and 117 runs. Arthur Shrewsbury made 152, Stoddart made 151, Read 74 and Lohmann took seven wickets in the game for England. For M.C.C., W.G. Grace made 5 & 45, W. Gunn made 61 & 10 and Barnes took 6-126 in England's only innings

- 860 Australian tour to England 1948. Official complete scorecard for Derbyshire v Australia played at Derby, 28th-30th July 1948. Signed in ink by Don Bradman. Some ageing, wear and folds, otherwise in good condition
£50/80

Australia beat Derbyshire by an innings and 34 runs

- 861 Gentlemen v Players 1910. Official scorecard for the match played at The Oval, 7th-9th July 1910. Handwritten and printed scores. Minor ageing, otherwise in very good condition
£40/60

The Players won by 79 runs

- 862 England v Australia 1926. Official silk scorecard for the 5th and final Test match played at the Oval August 14-18th 1926. England won the Test by 289 runs. For England, Sutcliffe made 76 & 161, Hobbs 100, Larwood and Rhodes each with 6 wickets in the match etc. For

- Australia, Gregory made 73, Collins 61 and Mailey took 9 wickets in the match. Minor fraying and some staining to lower left hand corner, not affecting text otherwise in good/very good condition £60/80
- England won the Test series and the 'Ashes' 1-0*
- 863 M.C.C. scorecards 1950s. Eleven official scorecards for M.C.C. matches played at Lord's. Matches are v West Indies 1950 and 1957, v Yorkshire 1951, 1952, 1953 and 1956, v India 1952 and 1959, v Pakistan 1954, v Surrey 1958, and v New Zealand 1958. Printed and handwritten scores. G £20/30
- 864 Signed scorecards, brochures, menus etc. Early signed scorecards include England v Australia, 26th June 1926, Surrey v Kent, Kingston Cricket Festival 1947 signed in ink by Alf Gover, also including Arnie Sidebottom Beneficiary menu, 1988, signed by Sidebottom and Norman Graham (Kent). Dutch tour to South Africa 1997 leaflet signed to the pen pictures by all nineteen Dutch players. Martyn Moxon Benefit Match, Monk Bretton, 1st January 1993 with six signatures including Moxon. Qty 2. G £30/40
- 865 Scorecards, tour brochures and programmes. Collection of official scorecards, brochures and programmes, all signed. Scorecards include England v Australia, Lord's, 26th June 1926, Surrey & Kent v Middlesex & Essex, 1947, signed by Gover (Surrey), England v West Indies, Headingley, 1991, signed by de Freitas, and the Oval, 1991, signed by Robin Smith and Graham Gooch. Also Martyn Moxon Benefit Match programme with seven signatures, Sportsman's Evening menu for Arnold Sidebottom, with two signatures, Zimbabwe v England 'A', Harare, 1990 signed by thirteen England players and twelve of Zimbabwe, England v New Zealand Under 19 Tour Guide, 1996, with thirty eight signatures etc. Qty 12. G £25/35
- 866 Middlesex and Surrey scorecards 1950s-1970s. Green file containing over one hundred and thirty scorecards, the majority for matches featuring Middlesex and Surrey played at Lord's and The Oval. Matches include County Championship, Tour matches, Sunday league etc. Handwritten annotations. G £60/90
- 867 Reginald Thomas Simpson. Nottinghamshire & England 1946-1963. Five official scorecards in which Simpson featured for Nottinghamshire, originally from Simpson's own collection. Matches are v Royal Air Force, Trent Bridge 13th July 1940 (Simpson top score with 65). v Warwick, Trent Bridge 31st July 1946 (Simpson 201) scorecard laid to card. v Surrey, Trent Bridge, 4th-7th June 1949. v Lancashire, Old Trafford 9th-12th July 1949 (Simpson 238). v Sussex, Trent Bridge 13th-16th May 1950 (Simpson 153). G/VG £40/50
- 868 Scorecards 1953-1958. Collection of thirty one scorecards for the period, some with press cuttings. The majority for matches played at Lord's and The Oval. Matches include Test matches, trial match, tour matches, County Championship, Gentlemen v Players, benefits, university matches etc. Handwritten and printed scores. G £30/40
- 869 Scorecards 1930 and 1935. Collection of thirteen scorecards for matches played at Lord's and The Oval. Matches include Surrey v Nottinghamshire 1930, Middlesex v Yorkshire 1930, England v Australia, Lord's June 1930 and The Oval August 1930, Surrey v South Africa 1935, Yorkshire v Rest of England, The Oval 1935, England v South Africa, Lord's 1935, Middlesex v South Africans 1935 etc. Handwritten and printed scores. G £40/60
- 870 England home Test scorecards 1970s-200s. Collection of eighteen official scorecards for Test matches played in England, including Ashes series v Australia 1985, West Indies 1984, Sri Lanka 1984, India 1986 etc. Includes a scorecard for Warwickshire v Durham 1994 (Brian Lara 501no), and England v Rest of the World, Lord's 1970. G/VG £25/35
- 871 New Zealand cricket 1970/80's. Selection of twelve official programmes and tour brochures for the period. Includes official programmes for New Zealand v India, Auckland 1975/76, Auckland v England 1978, New Zealand v England 1978, New Zealand v India 1976 (one day), New Zealand v India, Auckland 1981, New Zealand v Australia, Auckland 1977, New Zealand v England, Auckland 1975, New Zealand v Pakistan, Auckland 1979 etc. Odd signature, Hadlee etc. G £30/50
- 872 Commando Cricket Club tour programme 1945. Original four page folded programme for the tour in aid of the Commandos Benevolent Fund and the Royal Naval Benevolent Trust, 3rd-8th September 1945. Matches include v R.A.A.F. XI, Tunbridge Wells C.C., New Zealand, R.A.F. (Brighton) and Hastings. Notable players for the Commando C.C. include T. Bailey and A.W.H. Mallett. Rare G £20/30
- 873 'A Grand Coronation Festival Old-Time Match at Cricket' 1953. Official programme for the charity match between The Men of Hambledon v The Ancient Firemen, played on Broad Halfpenny Down, 30th May 1953. Minor creasing, otherwise in good condition £30/40
- 874 Irish Cricket Union 1955-62. Hon. Secretary's official printed reports and accounts for the seasons 1956-69, with typed newsletters nos.4 -11 covering 1955-1962. Odd faults otherwise G/VG £20/30
- 875 Australia 1990s. Official programme for 'Lavinia, Duchess of Norfolks XI v New South Wales', Arundel, 3rd September 1995. Signed to centre pages by four past Australia Test cricketers, N. Harvey, R. Lindwall, B. Brown and A. Morris, also by eight New South Wales players, including Slater, Marsh, Matthews, McGrath etc. Also WACA Presidents XI v England, Lilac Hill Park, 25th October 1990, boldly and profusely signed to pen pictures by players from both sides, and a Victorian Players Guide 1990/91 signed with dedication to front cover by Merv Hughes, also by Dean Jones and Darren Lehmann to pen pictures. Sold with 'Champagne Cricket. The Australian Tour of 1966/67' brochure published by The Star. Some wear, otherwise in good

- condition. Qty 4 £30/40
- 876 Tour brochures and programmes. Twelve official tour brochures and match programmes, the majority signed by participating players. Teams featured include England 'A' tours to Zimbabwe 1990 and 1997, Sam Whitbread XI v Australian Crusaders 1991, Western Australia v South Africa 1992, Martyn Moxon benefit match, Monk Bretton, 1st January 1993, Old England XI 1996 etc. Approximately two hundred signatures. Also a tour brochure for South Africa v Australia 1963/64 published by Associated Publishers, Adelaide. G £40/60
- 877 Phil Brittain Clift. Glamorgan, 1936-1955. Official programme for the 'Phil Clift Testimonial match', Glamorgan v Llanarth, played at Llanarth, 13th June 1982. Signed by twenty five players and officials. Glamorgan signatures include Javed Miandad, A. Jones, Ontong, E. Jones, Daniels, Hopkins etc. Sold with an official programme for the charity match in aid of Sickle Cell Anaemia between 'The West Indies Cricket Team v Hill Samuel Cricketing Celebrity Eleven', Finchley Cricket Club, 14th July 1989. Signed to the centre pages by thirteen West Indies players including Hooper, Harper, Haynes, Holder, Walsh, Marshall, Greenidge, Holding, Richardson etc. Other signatures include Wayne Larkins, and footballers Chris Hughton, David Rocastle, Paul Terry etc. Qty 2. G £30/40
- Phil Clift was rated by Don Bradman as one of the best uncapped batsmen faced on the Australian's 1948 tour. Ill health curtailed his international chances, but served as coach and secretary of the Club after retiring as a player*
- 878 M.C.C. tours to New Zealand, 1959, 1963 & 1971. Three official programmes for matches played on the tours. Programmes are for the first Test, Christchurch, 27th February - 3rd March 1959, signed by seven M.C.C. players, Cowdrey, Subba Row, Watson, Swetman, Graveney, Trueman and Dexter. Also the second Test, Auckland, 1st - 5th March 1963, and M.C.C. v Wellington, 20th February 1971. Odd faults and annotations, otherwise in good condition £30/40
- 879 New Zealand programmes 1957-1997. Nine official programmes for international and district matches for the period. Programmes include Canterbury v Australia, 1957, New Zealand v Australia, Christchurch, 1960, New Zealand v Australia, Wellington, 1970 etc. Includes two signed programmes for the David Stead Benefit Match, 1987, and Queensland Bulls v New Zealand, 1997. Odd faults and minor annotations, otherwise in good condition £30/40
- 880 'Cricketers From India'. Official Playfair tour brochure for the Indian tour of England 1959. Signed to pen pictures by fourteen members of the touring party. Signatures include Mankad, Roy, Apte, Borde, Contractor, Desai, Joshi, Muddiah etc. Tape to spine edge and general wear. Sold with a programme for India v I.G.C.C. Chairman's XI, Indian Gymkhana Club, Osterley, 24th June 1990, signed by fourteen members of the 1990 Indian touring party to England, including Sachin Tendulkar playing in his first tour to England. G. Qty 2 £30/50
- 881 Promotional tour guides for tours to South Africa 1950s. 'Springboks vs Australia 1952-53' fixture card for the tour, published by Mobil. 'A Shell Guide to the M.C.C. Cricket Tour of Southern Africa 1956-57' published by Shell. Handwritten owners' names, otherwise in good condition. Qty 2 £25/35
- 882 India and England in New Zealand. Official guides for tours to New Zealand, 1986 & 1988. Tour guides are for India in New Zealand, 1986. Signed to pen pictures by all sixteen members of the Indian touring party and fifteen of New Zealand. India signatures include Kapil Dev, Shastri, Armanath, Azharuddin, Binny, Gavaskar, More, Sharma, Vengsarkar etc. New Zealand signatures include Wright, Blain, Bracewell, Chatfield, J. Crowe, M. Crowe, Hadlee, etc. Also New Zealand v England One Day Series, 1988. Signatures include Hadlee, J. Crowe, M. Crowe, Bracewell, Watson, Wright, Morrison, Greatbatch etc (New Zealand), Gating, Radford, Athey, Emburey, Broad, Dilley, De Freitas, Foster, French etc (England). 'N.V. Radford' handwritten to front cover. Qty 2. G £30/40
- 883 Kent C.C.C. Gillette Cup Final 1971. Kent cricketers souvenir programme nicely signed to pen pictures in centre pages by thirteen of the Kent players including Denness, Luckhurst, Knott, Julien, Graham, Underwood, Ealham, Asif Iqbal etc. Lacking the signature of Woolmer. Also signed by Colin Cowdrey to page 20. Minor staining to signature page, otherwise in good/ very good condition £30/40
- 884 Thomas William 'Tom' Graveney. Gloucestershire, Worcestershire, Queensland & England 1948-1972. Collection of scorecards, commemorative cover, order of service etc all relating to Graveney. Scorecards include England v South Africa, Old Trafford 5th-10th July 1951, Graveney's first Test match, England v West Indies, The Oval, 18th-23rd 1966, Graveney 165 runs etc. Commemorative cover for the Nat West Bank Trophy cover no. 9, Middlesex v Warwickshire 1989, limited edition number 3 of only seven issued. Also 'Tom Graveney at Lord's', Stephen Fay, 2005 etc. G £20/30
- 885 Tour brochures and cricket annuals 1938-1966. Selection of tour brochures for teams touring England, Australia 1938, South Africa 1947, New Zealand 1949, West Indies 1950, South Africa 1951, New Zealand 1958, India 1959, South Africa 1960 etc. Sold with seven 'News Chronicle Cricket Annuals', for 1951-1954, 1956, 1959, 1960, and ten cricket-related audio cassettes. G £30/40
- 886 Australia 1934 & 1938. Official souvenir brochures for the Australian tours of England in 1934 and 1938. Compiled by A.W. Simpson. Pictorial covers. Rusting to staples, otherwise in good, very good condition £40/60
- 887 M.C.C. v Wellington. Official souvenir programme for the match played at The Basin Reserve, Wellington, 19th-22nd March 1955. Signed to the front and back covers

- by twenty four players and members of the press corps. England signatures include Hutton, Graveney, Simpson, Cowdrey, Wardle, Evans, Loader etc. Wellington signatures include Reid, McMahon, Blair Morrison etc. Spine partly torn, odd faults, otherwise G £70/100
- 888 Alf Pope, Derbyshire C.C.C.. Collection of ephemera relating to Pope playing and coaching for Ontario C.C. in Canada in the 1950's. Includes three original photographs all featuring Pope, one with the team and kit packed in front of them and two photographs of Pope playing for Ontario v British Columbia at the Winnipeg, Assiniboine Park in 1950, an official programme for the 'Dominion Cricket Tournament', Assiniboine Park, August 1950, a silver metal cup presented to Pope at the Tournament inscribed 'Awarded to A.V. Pope for best bowling Average Dominion Cricket Tournament, Winnipeg 1950', 9" tall and an official programme for the Marylebone Cricket Club Trans-Canada Tour of 1951 (two copies). Pope Plus other Canadian cricket related items including 'The International Series. The Story of United States versus Canada at Cricket'. J.I. Marder 1968, official tour booklet for the Toronto C.C. tour of England and Ireland, July 1969, Northern California Cricket Association Fixture list 1981 etc. Plus a United States Cricket Association. 'England Tour 1968'. Edited by John Hayward. The souvenir signed by John I. Marder, President of the United States C.A. and by fourteen members of the team and two members of management including Cooper, Brook, Merrett, Hollick, Fernades, Stollmeyer, Verity etc. Minor wear to wrappers otherwise in good condition. Qty 12. G £60/90
- 889 Bob Taylor. Derbyshire & England. 'Testimonial Year 1981'. Selection of items relating to his Testimonial, a signed Testimonial programme, a Testimonial brochure, a 'Celebration Dinner in Honour of Bob Taylor' 8th April 1983' signed by Derek Randall and George Dawkes, a mounted print of Taylor and a colourful china mug commemorating Taylor's Testimonial Year with details of his success and image of Taylor to side. Denbyware. 3.75" tall. Marked to base 'Testimonial Reception, Chatsworth 1981'. Minor chip to rim otherwise in good condition £20/30
- 890 '100 Years of English County Cricket'. Official file containing eighteen first day covers from each County and date stamped 1973. Plus eighteen postcards of the County teams. The initials 'P.P.' in gilt to corner of the file cover. G £25/35
- 891 I.C.C. Cricket World Cup, England 1999. Blue folder published by 'Stamp Publicity' containing printed fixture list, postcards of each match venue, also team captain postcards laid to page with squad list, limited edition covers for each match with printed score for the match. Limited edition no. 2/100. VG £25/35
- 892 Don Bradman. 'Australian Legend'. Australia Post book commemorating Bradman, issued 1997. With attached 'Bradman' first day cover postmarked Bowral, 23rd January 1997, signed by Bradman. G/VG £30/50
- 893 'W.G. Grace. 150th Anniversary of the Birth of W.G. Grace 1848-1998' Commemorative green album produced by Stamp Publicity in 1998 containing various modern postcards of Grace, twenty four official M.C.C. first day covers with Grace stamps and postmarked for various grounds he played on, with wording by David Frith. The front title page hand signed by Dominic Grace, Great-great grandson of W.G. Limited edition number 8 of 150 copies produced. VG £60/90
- 894 'Prudential Cup' and 'I.C.C. Trophy' 1975. Green album of commemorative covers and mono postcards issued by Stamp Publicity. Contents include covers for the six Test nations contesting the Prudential Cup, each signed by a player. Signed covers are Australia (Alan Border), England (David Gower), India (Sunil Gavaskar), New Zealand (Glenn Turner), Pakistan (Zaheer Abbas) and West Indies (Clive Lloyd). Match covers for the twelve group games, two semi-finals and the final, most signed by a match player. Signatures include Greenidge, Howarth, Zaheer, Old, John Wright, Lloyd, Hendrick, Gooch, Richards etc. The majority of the covers for the I.C.C. Trophy have been signed by over one hundred and eighty players. Signed covers are Argentina, Bangladesh, Canada, Denmark, East Africa, Fiji, Holland, Malaysia, Papua New Guinea, Singapore, Sri Lanka and U.S.A. G/VG £150/250
- 895 England c1909. Rare set of ten (joined) philatelic stickers (stamp like) depicting England players. The stickers in two rows, feature colour illustrations of Hutchings, Blythe, Fielder and Dillon of Kent, Haigh, Rhodes, Hirst and Hawke of Yorkshire, and Strudwick and Leveson Gower of Surrey. Lower edge trimmed, some ageing, otherwise in good condition. Rare £70/100
- The action pictures are mirror images so that, for example, Hirst appears as a right-armed bowler and Lord Hawke as a left-handed batsman. Some of the player's printed names also appear in reverse. A similar set was sold by Knights in February 2010 featuring Australian cricketers who toured the UK in 1909, perhaps dating this English-player set to the same date*
- 896 England Rebel Tour to South Africa 1982. Commemorative cover for the first Test played at Johannesburg, 12th-15th March 1982. Signed by fourteen members of the England squad. Signatures are Gooch (captain), Amiss, Boycott, Emburey, Hendrick, Humpage, Knott, Larkins, Lever, Old, Taylor, Underwood, Willey and Woolmer. Lacking the signature of Sidebottom. Limited edition no. 5/7. Includes printed team photograph insert. G/VG £40/60
- South Africa won the first Test by eight wickets*
- 897 England Rebel Tour to South Africa 1982. Commemorative cover for the first Test played at Johannesburg, 12th-15th March 1982. Signed by the eleven members of the England team. Signatures are Gooch (captain), Amiss, Boycott, Knott, Larkins, Lever, Old, Taylor, Underwood, Willey and Woolmer. Sold with a similar cover for the

- second Test played at Cape Town, 19th-22nd March 1982, signed by the two captains, Graham Gooch and Barry Richards. Limited edition no. 14/50. Also a cover for the third Test (Durban), unsigned. Includes printed team photograph insert. Qty 3. G/VG £30/50
- South Africa won the three match Test series 1-0 with two matches drawn*
- 898 'Centenary of Test Cricket'. Melbourne 1977. Official T.C.C.B. cover issued on 9th March 1977 to commemorate the Centenary of Test Cricket 1877-1977. Signed in ink to the front by nine Australian spin bowlers. Signatures are Veivers, Tribe, Kline, Grimmett, O'Reilly, Mallett, Benaud, Dooland and Gleeson. Rare. It is believed only three of these signed covers exist. G/VG £70/100
- Australia won the Test by 45 runs, coincidentally the same margin of victory as in the 1877 match. Derek Randall was man of the match for his second innings of 174 runs*
- 899 '100 Years of South Africa Cricket 1876-1976'. Rare official commemorative cover issued to celebrate the centenary of South Africa cricket, postmarked Johannesburg 15th March 1976. Fourteen signatures of the South Africa Invitation XI v International Wanderers match played at Kingsmead Durban, 8th to 12th April 1976. Signatures include B. Richards, C. Rice, G. Pollock, L. Irvine, Tich Smith, V. Van der Bijl, A.L. Wilmot, 'Baboo' Ebrahim etc. G £40/60
- South African Invitation XI won by 122 runs*
- 900 West Indies 'Rebel' tour to South Africa 1983. Three commemorative covers, each postmarked Durban, 13th February 1983. Thirty two signatures over the three covers of the West Indian touring party and South African players for the match played at Durban. West Indies signatures include Rowe (Captain), Kallicharran, Clarke, Murray, Austin, Stephenson, King, Mattis etc. South African signatures include Kirsten, Jennings, McEwan, Hanley, Richards, Proctor etc G £40/60
- West Indies won by 84 runs*
- 901 Don Bradman. '75th Birth Anniversary' first day cover. Postmarked 'Cootamundra 18th November 1983' and nicely signed to face by Bradman. VG £30/50
- 902 Brian Lara. Radial score chart of Brian Lara's world record Test Innings of 375 for West Indies v England 1994 by Bill Frindall. Limited edition 123/375. Personally signed by Bill Frindall. Mounted, overall size 12"x15". VG £25/35
- 903 'Farewell, St. Lawrence Lime'. Irving Rosenwater. Newnham on Severn, Gloucestershire 2005. A broadsheet poem composed on the destruction of the lime tree at the St. Lawrence Ground, Canterbury, in the strong winds on the night of Friday, January 7, 2005. Issued in a limited edition of 190 numbered copies, each signed by Irving Rosenwater, Jules Akel (typographer) and Christopher Saunders (publisher), this being number 46. Framed and glazed, overall 12"x15.5". G/VG £25/35
- ### CRICKET PRINTS & PAINTINGS
- 904 Arthur Mailey, New South Wales & Australia 1912-1930. Original pencil caricature self portrait of Mailey, on album page, full length. The portrait has been signed by artist Mailey. The page measures approx 4"x4.5". Excellent image. To verso are seven ink signatures of the Victoria team of 1939, signatures include Rigg, McCormick, Ring, Hassett, Barnett etc. Very good condition £80/120
- 905 Don Bradman. Arthur Mailey, New South Wales & Australia 1912-1930. Large original pen and ink caricature portrait, on album page, of Donald George Bradman, N.S.W., South Australia & Australia 1927-1949, full length in cricket attire, by Mailey. The portrait, probably drawn by Mailey towards the end of Bradman's career, has been titled 'Don' and signed by Mailey. The page measures approx 6.5"x7.5". Excellent image. Very good condition £300/500
- 906 'I Hope Revered Friend'. Harry Hargreaves 1971 (?). Original mono pencil drawing of a threatening bearded Indian wicket keeper crouching at the stumps, wearing a
- turban and local costume, sandals, and an ornately decorated rifle over his shoulder, with a timid batsman, also wearing a turban, taking guard. The caption above reads, 'I hope, revered friend, you are not a splendid batsman who scores many runs and is concerned only with his batting average... there are other things in life if one wishes to live...'. An alternative caption to the lower border reads, 'If you do not let me stump you it may be significant that tomorrow you go to the next village, through the pass, where my brother, the vulture, and his bandits ply their grisly trade...'. Signed by Hargreaves to lower border and to verso. Overall 6.25"x8". Very good condition £100/150
- 907 'Googlies'. 'At The Nets'. Harry Hargreaves. Original mono pen and ink drawing on paper. The cartoon depicts a fisherman in his boat in rough seas hauling in his net, the 'catch' comprising numerous pieces of cricket equipment including bats, balls, pads, gloves and a roller. The boat is formed by a leather cricket bag, stumps for the mast, umpire's coat for a sail, the mast topped by a scoreboard number '6' for a flag. The moustachioed fisherman, wearing cricket whites and a cap, is smoking a pipe fashioned from a bail. Title and signature of Hargreaves to lower border with additional hand written caption to lower edge, 'Major Clubbe Cricket. M.C.C.'. Also signed in ink by Hargreaves to verso. The cartoon appeared in the Hargreaves book 'Googlies' in 1971. Overall 8.5"x11.5". An excellent image in very good condition £140/180
- 908 'Sight screen'. Harry Hargreaves c1960s. Original mono pen and ink drawing on paper of a fielder standing hands outstretched in front of a sight screen, watching the ball fly past at great speed, passing through and making a neat hole in the screen. Signed by Hargreaves to lower border and to verso. Overall 8"x11.5". Crease to lower left corner not affecting the image, otherwise in very good condition £100/150
- 909 'Googlies'. 'Dropped catch'. Harry Hargreaves c1960s. Original mono

- pen and ink cartoon on card comprising five images of a fielder preparing to take a skied catch, missing it, and finally standing embarrassed with the ball in one hand. Pencil instructions in Hargreaves' hand to front and verso, including an additional paper piece loosely laid down to verso with a pencil sketch of the fifth image. The instructions describe the preferred layout and sequence of the images, 'but achieving it in this book may be awkward'. Signed by Hargreaves to lower border and copyright stamp to verso. Overall 5.5"x7". Minor ageing and press masking, otherwise in good condition £100/150
- 910 Harry Hargreaves, cartoonist. Set of three books by Hargreaves, each with a cricket theme. Titles are 'How's That!', 1959, 'Not Out!', 1960, and 'Googlies' (two copies), 1971. Original decorative boards. Odd minor faults to the two copies of 'Googlies', otherwise in good/very good condition. Qty 4 £30/50
- Harry Hargreaves (1922-2004), cartoonist from Manchester, had his first cartoon published in the Manchester Evening News when he was 14 and at 17 was drawing for the Beano and Dandy. He became a freelance cartoonist in 1954 and his work was published in Lilliput, Blightly, Punch, The Cricketer, The Telegraph etc*
- 911 'Jonathan Payn Fellows-Smith (Transvaal)'. Original pen and ink cartoon of Fellows-Smith by 'Leyden'. The cartoon shows Fellows-Smith with his distinctive blond curly hair, tossing a cricket ball, and a smaller caricature of him bowling. The lengthy caption describes Fellows-Smith's 'Blues' awarded at Natal University for cricket and tennis, and his Double Blue at Oxford University for cricket and rugby. It also celebrates his various sporting achievements including taking '7 wickets for 23 runs playing for Oxford v D.R. Jardine's XI', scoring 50 for Gentlemen v Players including 'hitting Bedser for a 6', playing cricket for Northamptonshire and rugby for Northampton and the East Midlands etc. Excellent image. Framed and glazed, overall 10.5"x12.5". Some ageing, otherwise in good condition £120/160
- The political cartoonist, Jock Leyden, was born in Scotland and moved to South Africa aged eighteen. Leyden was taken on by a daily newspaper in Durban and soon became renowned for his hard-hitting political sketches, particularly those tackling the thorny issue of apartheid*
- 912 John Crawford. Kent 1871-77. Original pen and ink drawing by 'Fly' of Crawford wielding his bat in the foreground while fielders are seen in the background either on the ground injured, or running away into the distance. Hand annotation to top 'The Revd. John Charles, Crawford. Jack's father. Kent & Surrey'. The original hand written title 'The Reverend Father' has been overwritten in blue ink. The drawing, laid down to card, measures 11"x15". Small loss to lower right corner, minor damage to other corners and edges, some ageing and minor wear, otherwise in generally good condition £50/80
- Crawford played just ten first class matches, but had the reputation of being one of the fastest bowlers in England of his time. He also had the unusual attributes of batting right handed unless he was hitting out when he would bat left handed. He also bowled right arm fast and left arm slow orthodox*
- 913 'Out First Ball'. Original oil painting by Federico Vitale, Italian School, late nineteenth century, after EP Kinsella of the urchin boy with broken wickets having been bowled out. Signed 'F. Vitale' to lower right corner. Attractively presented in wooden frame, overall 15"x20". VG. Rare £200/300
- 914 'The Hope of his Side'. Original oil painting by Federico Vitale, Italian School, late nineteenth century, after EP Kinsella of the urchin boy in batting pose in front of the stumps. Signed 'F. Vitale' to lower right corner. Attractively presented in wooden frame, overall 15"x20". Small tear to base of canvas. Rare £200/300
- 915 International Test Players 1960s/70s. Eight original pen, ink and watercolour portraits of Test cricketers drawn by the artist H.F. Lindfield, for 'Reveille' magazine between 1973-1974. Subjects are Chandrasekhar, Sobers, Kanhai, Lewis, Denness, Holder, Bedi and Boycott. Uniformly mounted, framed and glazed, overall 16.5"x12.5". G £60/90
- Previously sold by Phillips auctioneers in May 1997, lot 94*
- 916 England cricketers. Seven original and distinctive caricatures in bold black ink by Fred Midgley. Subjects are Norman Yardley, Cyril Washbrook, L.B. Fishlock, T.P.B. Smith, Joseph Hardstaff Jnr, Bill Voce and James Langridge. Mounted, framed and glazed 19.5"x15.5". VG £50/80
- 917 'The Village Game'. Diana B. Bowden. Attractive original oil on canvas 'impressionist' style painting of a rustic village cricket scene. Signed to the lower right corner by the artist. Date unknown, probably c1970s. Framed overall 24.5"x20". VG £50/80
- 918 'Ashes 85. The Headingley Test'. by renowned cricket artist, Sherree Valentine-Daines (1956-date). Large colour wide angled panoramic view of Headingley cricket ground with the Test match in progress in the artist's noted style. From the original oil painting painted by Valentine-Daines, this being a very limited 'Artists Proof' of the painting. Signed to lower border by the artist with 'Artists Proof' in pencil to opposite corner. Framed and glazed. Overall 38"x23". An excellent image. Previously sold by Phillips Auctioneers in London £50/70
- The artist was featured on BBC Television painting the various Test Cricket Grounds*
- 919 Victor Thomas Trumper. New South Wales & Australia 1894-1914. Excellent photomechanical process print photograph of Australian legend Victor Trumper, 'jumping out to drive', taken from the original action photograph by George William Beldham based on a photograph taken at the Oval during the 1902 tour. Signed to lower

- border by Victor Trumper in pencil. Published by the Swan Electric Engraving Company on 1st August 1905. Minor foxing to image and border otherwise in good/very good condition. Framed and glazed, overall 18.5"x17". A rare item
£700/1000
- 920 Frank Stanley Jackson. Yorkshire & England 1890-1907. Excellent photomechanical process print photograph of Jackson, former England Captain who played twenty Tests from 1893 to 1905, taken from the original action photograph by George William Beldam. Signed to lower border by Jackson in pencil. Published by the Swan Electric Engraving Company on 1st September 1905. Unmounted with full borders. 22"x30". One stain to top to border and minor wear to edges not affecting the image, otherwise in good/very good condition
£100/150
- 921 Cricket prints. Three limited edition colour prints by Alan Fearnley. 'The County Ground, Taunton', limited edition no. 636/850, 'The County Ground, Hove', 17/850, and 'The Oval', 734/850. Each printed signed in pencil by the artist. Sold with a Fearnley print of 'Lord's' signed in pencil by Denis Compton. Each print measures 24"x20". Qty 4. G £25/35
- 922 Alan Fearnley. Three limited edition prints by Alan Fearnley from original pencil sketches. 'Sussex County Ground Scenes', limited edition no. 537/850, 'The Pavilion, Taunton', 201/850, and 'Oval Scenes', 285/850. Each printed signed in pencil by the artist. Each print measures 18"x13". G £25/35
- 923 Don Bradman. Small colour printed caricature of Bradman by Arthur Mailey. Nicely signed in black ink by Bradman. 3.5"x5". G/VG £30/50
- 924 'Lord's Cricket Ground'. Original coloured lithograph by William Mackenzie, London. 'Book of Field Sports' circa 1860. Mounted, framed and glazed, overall 14"x12". G
£60/80
- 925 Vanity Fair colour chromolithographs. John Thomas Tyldesley, Lancashire & England, 'Forty-six Centuries in eleven years' by SPY. 'Plum' Pelham Francis Warner, Middlesex & England, 1903 by SPY. Captain Edward George Wynard, Hampshire & England. 'Hampshire'. 1898 by CG. Digby Loder Armroid Jephson, Surrey. 'The Lobster'. 1902 by SPY. Framed and glazed, overall approx. 10"x16". Qty 4. G £60/90
- 926 Vanity Fair colour chromolithographs. Lord Dalmeny, Middlesex. 'In his Fathers Steps'. 1904 by SPY. Hylton Philipson, Middlesex & England. 'Oxford Cricket'. 1889 by SPY. 'A Big Hitter' Stoddart. 1892 by Stuff. Framed and glazed, overall approx. 10"x16". Also five unframed prints of Ranjitsinhji, 'Ranji', 1897 by SPY. Warner, 'Plum', 1903 by SPY. 'I Zingari', Baldwin 1895 by Spy. 'Repton, Oxford & Somerset', Palaret, 1903 by Spy, and a rowing chromolithograph of Fletcher, 'Flea'. 1882 by SPY. Age toning and darkening to border of the Ranji image, the others with minor faults, foxing, staining etc. Qty 8. G £60/90
- 927 Vanity Fair. Four colour chromolithographs of Rev F.H. Gillingham, 'Cricketing Christianity', C.M. Wells. 'Father', K.L. Hutchings 'A Century Maker' and J.T. Tyldesley, 'Forty-six Centuries in eleven years'. All mounted and framed side by side in impressive Victorian period wooden frame, overall 50.5"x19". G £50/80
- 928 'Visions of a Hat Trick' and 'A Century for England'. A pair of large prints published 'To commemorate one hundred years of Test matches-England v Australia in England' 1880-1980, from original paintings by A.L. Grace. Published by 'Spica Prints, Laxton, Newark. Notts'. The prints are titled with a printed scorecard to lower border, one for the 1880 England v Australia Test match, the other for the 1980 Test match. One print signed in pencil by Len Hutton, and in ink by Mike Brearley and Geoff Boycott, also signed to left border by fourteen members of the 1980 Australian touring party. Signatures somewhat faded include G. Chappell, Hughes, Dyson, Marsh, Pascoe, Bright, Dymock, Lillee, Wood, Border etc. Limited edition number 128/850. The other print nicely signed in ink by Len Hutton, limited edition number 135/850. Framed and glazed, overall 27"x24". Qty 2. G/VG £140/180
- 929 'Old Nottingham, Trent Bridge Inn'. Thomas Trythall Rowe. Original etching of the Old Trent Bridge Inn. Label to verso with hand written inscription appears to date the print to 1870. Mounted, framed and glazed, overall 14.5"x12". VG
£25/35
Thomas ('Tom') Trythall Rowe was an English born landscape painter
- 930 Showcard 1956. Unusual free-standing advertising showcard for 'Stockings by Bluebird' featuring an original mono photograph of the actress, Belinda Lee, standing in batting pose, the photograph laid down to decorative blue background. Title to lower border 'Belinda Lee, provocative star of "Who Done It", an Ealing Studios Production'. Overall 13"x15.5". VG
£80/120
Belinda Lee was known for playing 'sexpot' roles. She co-starred in Benny Hill's screen debut in 'Who Done It', one of the last of the Ealing Comedies to be made. Lee died in a car accident in 1961, aged 25
- 931 Leslie John Todd. Kent 1927-1950. Supplement to Topical Times of Todd in batting pose. Signed in ink by Todd. 6.25"x9". G/VG £30/40
- 932 'Bouncer' c1984. Barbara Neville Shaw. Colour print from an original by Shaw in her distinctive style, depicting the rear view of a batsman playing a bouncer with the wicket keeper and slip fielder watching on. Limited edition number 44/500, signed in pencil to the lower border by the artist. 12"x17". VG £50/70
Barbara Neville Shaw, 1930-2006. Her work focussed on the movement of the human figure derived from her knowledge of dance and choreography
- 933 Don Bradman. 'A Salute to the "Don"'. Large advertising display board produced by 'The Bradman Collection', Adelaide, showing a young Bradman in batting pose, with printed biography and career statistics. Signed by Bradman. 1525"x23.5". Minor wear, otherwise in good condition £40/60

- 934 Cricket at Beaumont School 1892. Large etching by Wardlow and Allingham from an original picture by F.P. Barraud. Three boys in cricket attire standing with a school master with other figures and dogs in front of the school building in the background. Signed by the artists. Published by Dickinson & Foster, London, 18th March 1892. 21"x16". Mounted, framed and glazed, overall 31.5"x27". Also Sussex v Kent, c1850. Large original coloured engraving of a match in progress, a large crowd looking on, marquee with 'Sussex Cricket Club' on the roof, the town with church in the background. Engraved by G.H. Phillips from a painting by Drummond and Basebe, originally published 1st May 1849 by E Gambart & Co. 21"x16". Mounted, framed and glazed, overall 39"x28". Slight fading to the colour, minor wear and ageing, otherwise G. Sold with a large mono copy print of 'Lord's on a Gentlemen v Players Day' by Dickinson showing W.G. Grace coming in to bat with A.E. Stoddart. Framed overall 49.5"x25.5". Damage and tears to print. Qty 3 £70/100
- 935 'Cricket at Jesus College, Cambridge' c1948. Attractive original oil on board painting in an 'impressionist' style of a cricket match in progress in the grounds of Jesus College. The College building and large trees in the background with two fielders in view to the lower right corner. Artist unknown. Framed, overall 35"x30". VG £70/100

END OF DAY ONE

DAY TWO. WISDEN CRICKETERS' ALMANACKS, FOOTBALL & SPORTING MEMORABILIA

THE WISDEN COLLECTION OF A NORTHAMPTONSHIRE CRICKET LOVER

- 936 Wisden Cricketers' Almanack 1864-1878. Fifteen facsimile editions published by John Wisden & Co Ltd, London 1991. Limited edition 216/1000. Brown hard board covers with gilt lettering to covers and spine. In original Wisden yellow presentation box. Minor wear to presentation box, some dusting and minor foxing to top of pages of books, otherwise in good/ very good condition £400/600
- 937 Wisden Cricketers' Almanack 1879. Willows softback reprint (1991) in light brown hardback covers with gilt lettering. Limited edition 575/1000. Minor staining and foxing to top of pages, otherwise in good/ very good condition £40/60
- 938 Wisden Cricketers' Almanack 1880. Willows softback second reprint (2004) in light brown hardback covers with gilt lettering. Limited edition 180/250. Very minor foxing to top of pages, otherwise in good/ very good condition £40/60
- 939 Wisden Cricketers' Almanack 1881. Willows softback second reprint (2004) in light brown hardback covers with gilt lettering. Limited edition 234/250. Very minor foxing to top of pages, otherwise in good/ very good condition £40/60
- 940 Wisden Cricketers' Almanack 1882. Willows softback reprint (1988) in light brown hardback covers with gilt lettering. Limited edition 287/500. Minor dusting and foxing to top of pages, otherwise in good/ very good condition £40/60
- 941 Wisden Cricketers' Almanack 1883. Willows softback reprint (1988) in light brown hardback covers with gilt lettering. Limited edition 469/500. Minor dusting and foxing to top of pages, otherwise in good/ very good condition £40/60
- 942 Wisden Cricketers' Almanack 1884. Willows softback second reprint (2004) in light brown hardback covers with gilt lettering. Limited edition 469/500. G/VG £40/60
- 943 Wisden Cricketers' Almanack 1885. Willows softback reprint (1983) in light brown hardback covers with gilt lettering. Unnumbered limited edition as issued. Minor dusting and foxing to top of pages, otherwise in good/ very good condition £40/60
- 944 Wisden Cricketers' Almanack 1886. Willows softback second reprint (2005) in light brown hardback covers with gilt lettering. Limited edition 86/250. G/VG £40/60
- 945 Wisden Cricketers' Almanack 1887. Willows softback second reprint (2004) in light brown hardback covers with gilt lettering. Limited edition 114/250. G/VG £40/60
- 946 Wisden Cricketers' Almanack 1888. Willows softback second reprint (2005) in light brown hardback covers with gilt lettering. Limited edition 68/250. G/VG £40/60
- 947 Wisden Cricketers' Almanack 1889. Willows softback second reprint (2005) in light brown hardback covers with gilt lettering. Limited edition 37/250. G/VG £40/60
- 948 Wisden Cricketers' Almanack 1890. Willows softback second reprint (2007) in light brown hardback covers with gilt lettering. Limited edition 101/250. G/VG £40/60
- 949 Wisden Cricketers' Almanack 1891. Willows softback reprint (1991) in light brown hardback covers with gilt lettering. Limited edition 170/500. Minor dusting and foxing to top of pages, otherwise in good/ very good condition £40/60
- 950 Wisden Cricketers' Almanack 1892. Willows softback reprint (1992) in light brown hardback covers with gilt lettering. Limited edition 208/500. Minor dusting and foxing to top of pages, otherwise in good/ very good condition £40/60
- 951 Wisden Cricketers' Almanack 1893. Willows softback reprint (1992) in