

# **The ‘VICTORY’ TESTS 1945**



## **England v Australian Services**

A ball-by-ball record

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From W.H. Ferguson’s running sheets

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## INTRODUCTION

As there is a celebration this summer of the 75th anniversary of the end of the Second World War, I make available a complete ball-by-ball record of the 1945 Victory Tests (this is not available from Charles Davis who covers official Test Matches). I have completed this in relation to the five Tests between England and Australia, using the Ferguson running sheets (kindly scanned and e-mailed to me by Colin Clowes of the NSWCA Library) and English and Australian newspapers and books, including Mark Rowe's *The Victory Tests*.

(I would like to do the same for the England v Dominions Test at Lord's on 25, 27, 28 August 1945. The home scorebook in the MCC Library is not detailed or accurate enough to enable a ball-by-ball record. The newspaper reports of the match are very short. I see that the Cricket Archive site states balls and minutes for each batsman in the match. Does anybody know of any source from which another scorebook or more detailed report of this match can be obtained?)

The main sources from which the scores are reconstructed are the running sheets of the famous scorer and baggage master W.H. (Bill) Ferguson who covered every Test series between England and Australia from 1905 to 1953. His continuous record of the matches, done as play progressed and later entered in an official scorebook which was agreed with the home scorer, inserts details of times of all intervals and stoppages, and the order in which each over was bowled, with runs scored, byes, leg-byes, no-balls and wides in place. He gives the direction in which each run-scoring shot went, though this is in many cases rather approximate: a shot described as to "mid on" can be a straightish on drive or a pull to mid wicket. These are the models for the scoresheets later used and enhanced by Roy Webber, Arthur Wrigley and Bill Frindall.

There are minor errors and inconsistencies, such as the unexplained change of ends by batsmen, which one has to try to correct, the golden rule being to reconcile any errors with the published score. The running sheets are the source here and are almost totally reliable. In a couple of cases where there seems to be irreconcilable differences between Ferguson and the published score I have given an alternative version in italic blue font.

A word about Charles Davis.

Living in Melbourne, he has for several years been travelling the world in search of Test and limited-over international match scorebooks and has engaged in the extraordinary task of putting these into ball-by-ball-record where possible and of constructing information on those Tests for which scorebooks no longer exist. I can verify that constructing a record of a Test from the scorer's conventional scorebook entries is a very complex and intricate job. Even working from the Ferguson scorebook and/or running sheets can cause problems. Charles has worked his way up from 1876-77 to the 1980s so far and is carrying on from there. His work covers all Test matches between all countries, and can be seen on his website at [www.sportstats.com.au](http://www.sportstats.com.au). It is work which should have taken several lifetimes to perform. I met him in March 2018 when he received the award of "Statistician of the Year" at the AGM of the Association of Cricket Statisticians and Historians, with snow falling outside on Derbyshire County Cricket Ground, and we have corresponded by e-mail since. Charles has confined his work to official Test matches. The subject of this work is the Victory Tests between England and Australian Services in 1945 which, for obvious reasons, were not accorded Test Match status and in which the Ashes were not at stake, but which were very popular and successful at the time and are fondly remembered today. The work to produce a ball-by-ball record of the 1945 matches therefore complements Charles's work, rather than duplicating any part of it.

Finally my thanks go to Colin Clowes of NSW CA whom I met when I was in Sydney in January 2018, and who has scanned the sheets and sent them to me; the MCC Library staff at Lord's where I was able to examine the scorebooks of the three Lord's Tests; and Mark Rowe for his excellent book on the 1945 Tests, which I consulted extensively, and for his very informative foreword to this work.

Barry Valentine  
19 May 2020

As the author of *The Victory Tests* (2010) I am pleased to see Barry Valentine's work published while the world marks the 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Victory in Europe.

The five three-day matches between England and an Australian Services Eleven between May and August 1945 were the major sporting attraction of that summer in Britain. It was the only series that saw centuries by Len Hutton, Wally Hammond and Keith Miller. The top order of England's batting – Hutton, Washbrook,

Edrich and Hammond – was as strong as any ever, and on paper the Australians – captained by Lindsay Hassett, their one man with Test experience – stood no chance. Except that cricket is not played on paper.

The Australians drew the series 2–2 for sound cricketing reasons: in Miller they found that they had two players in one, as a fine batsman and wicket-taking fast bowler. England were rusty. Yet purely on-field explanations were not enough that summer, if indeed they ever are.

Some of the Australians had survived substantial combat, such as the batsman Ross Stanford, a Dambusters Squadron pilot; another pilot, the batsman Keith Carmody, was a late arrival, having been a prisoner of war after being shot down off the Dutch coast in 1944. The Australians shared a rare team spirit and zest for life, as indeed did the crowds that packed Lord’s (three times), Bramall Lane in Sheffield, and lastly Old Trafford, Manchester.

Consider the roar at Lord’s that greeted the England fielders and Australian openers on the first day; and the applause for the batsman Graham Williams, who had only just returned from a PoW camp, a sound that Keith Miller cherished as ‘almost orchestral’ and that stayed with him for the rest of his life.

Consider also the contemporary film *A Matter of Life and Death*, and the scene when the wartime pilot David Niven is on trial on the brink of the after-life. A snatch of a radio broadcast is played, of Hammond batting and Miller bowling; it can only be commentary from one of the Victory Tests. That summer was a time to be thankful to be alive, while remembering those who had not lived to see it.

The last men who played in that series have died. Reg Ellis, the Australian leg-spinner, who as a number 11 batsman would dearly have liked to reach the age of 100, died in his native Adelaide in 2015, aged 97; Donald Carr, who remembered with good humour being bowled by Miller, died after a lifetime of service to the game aged 89 in 2016. The dots, numbers and strokes – in pen or pencil – must tell all their tales.

Mark Rowe, Burton upon Trent, May 2020

So this is how it works.

First day of the First Test at Lord’s

**FIRST TEST at Lord’s**

**First Day – Saturday 19 May**

Walter Hammond stopped at gate by steward and has to state his name.

Large crowd allowed in at 10am. England win the toss

Bleak NE wind. Poor light. Crowd in winter coats

Umpires G. Beet, A. Fowler

**England First Innings**

Odd overs ] ← .... from Nursery End

Even overs ] → .... from Pavilion End

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1.	2	3	4	5	6	7
Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Hutton	Washbrook		
1	11.30	Cheetham 1	-	-		Wk Sismey stands back to the opening bowlers
			-	-		
			1	-	1	Cover
2		Williams 1	-	-		Williams just out of prisoner of war camp
			-	-		
	11.36		W		1-1	Hutton c Sismey wk off back foot prods at outswinger, low catch, 1 in 6 mins, 9 balls. Glee among the many Australians in the crowd of 23,000. Hutton’s last innings against Australia was 364
	11.38		<u>Robertson</u>		1	
3		Cheetham 2	-	1		Third man
			-	-		
			-	-		
4		Williams 2	4	3	6	Mid off Cover
			-	-		
			1	-		Mid off
			-	-		
			-	-	10	

## Means

The 1st over of the innings (column 1) was bowled starting at 11.30 (col.2), by A.G. Cheetham (his 1st over of the innings) from the Nursery End to L. Hutton (col.4). C. Washbrook is the non-striker (col.4). Hutton scores a single off the 5th ball to the covers, and Washbrook plays the last ball of the over. (col.5). The score is 1 for no wicket at the end of the over (col.6). R.G. Williams bowls the second over from the Pavilion End to Hutton, who off the fourth ball edges a catch to wicket keeper Sismey, out for 1, making the score 1 for 1 wicket (col.7). This happens at 11.36am and the next batsman, J.D. Robertson arrives at the crease at 11.38am. He plays out the last two balls, making the score 1 for 1 at the end of two overs. Off Cheetham's second over, Washbrook gets a single to third man and Robertson off drives for four. In Williams' second over, Washbrook cover drives for three and Robertson off drives for one.

This ball-by-ball record is the bedrock, and on to it I have added the comments and descriptions from the sources stated below.

At the end of each innings there is a self explanatory scorecard.

At the end of the work, the Test averages state the batting type, bowling type, services rank and age of each player.

Upper case W is a wicket falling.

(W) is a run out

Lower case (1 w) is a wide accruing one run to the extras

Lower case (1 nb) is a no-ball accruing one run the extras

(nb) 4 is a no-ball that the batsman hit for four

I have treated a spell of bowling as continuing through lunch and tea intervals and other interruptions of play, but not overnight. A one-over gap for a change of ends by a bowler is treated as a new spell.

The total of balls received by a team includes the number of individual no-balls and wides bowled. A no-ball bowled is one ball without regard to the number of runs scored off it or to the batsman hitting it for runs. A wide is one ball without regard to the number of runs scored off it. Thus the total number of no-balls and wides received by the team may be more or less than the total accrued thereby in the extras/sundries column.

The total of balls received by a batsman includes the number of individual no-balls received by him. A no-ball bowled is one ball without regard to the number of runs scored off it or to the batsman hitting it for runs. A wide is not included as a ball received by the batsman since, by its essence, in the opinion of the umpire the batsman could not hit the ball for runs.

I have given players the initials of their forenames by which they were known at the time, rather than what was subsequently discovered to be on their birth certificates.

As a rough guide for assessment of scoring rates, the traditional measure expected (up to the 1950s) was:

Runs per hour: 60 (team) 30 (batsman)

Runs per 100 balls: 50

Runs per 6-ball over: 3 (team)

Overs per hour: 20

Balls per hour: 120

## Sources

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*Wisden Cricketers' Almanack 1946*

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M.C.C. announces a list of matches to be played at Lord's this summer ("circumstances permitting") including England v Australia on 19, 21 May, 14 July and 6, 7 August. There will be lots of one-day (one innings) and two-day (two innings) fixtures involving Australian services, A.I.F, R.A.A.F, the Army, R.A.F., the Navy, most counties, universities, public schools, and various teams such as British Empire XI, West of England, Metropolitan Police, Buccaneers, Coventry & District and L.N. Constantine's XI. Such matches had been played throughout the war years but 1945 will see an increase, and several three-day fixtures granted first-class status, such as the 'Victory' Tests. Most leading English cricketers of the pre and post-war years appear, though some, such as Denis Compton, are still serving in Asia; players from South Africa, New Zealand, West Indies and other parts of the Empire who served on the European front are also available.

Off the field, in April President Roosevelt dies suddenly of a cerebral haemorrhage. Soon after, Mussolini is strung up in a square in Milan and Hitler commits suicide in Berlin. Unconditional German surrender is signed on 7 May and VE day proclaimed on 8 May.

Mr Churchill writes to the Labour Leader, Clement Attlee, proposing that the war coalition government be continued until the defeat of Japan. Mr Attlee, at his Party Conference in Blackpool, rejects this, anticipating an autumn General Election.

### FIRST TEST at Lord's

Expected to be a one-day match, but such is the public interest that three days are allotted. Flat admission price is one shilling. It is the first first-class match in England since 1939. Australian Prime Minister John Curtin sends cable to Sir Pelham Warner at Lord's with good wishes for the series "which I hope will never again be interrupted". Radio commentator is Howard Marshall.

Alf Gover reluctantly agrees to play despite a dodgy knee.

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			-			
			-			
			-			
			4		6	Mid off
4		Williams 2	-	3		Cover
			-			
			1			Mid off
			-			
			-		10	
5		Cheetham 3	-			Square leg
			1			
			-			
			4			Mid off
			-			
			4		19	Square cut. Washbrook 12 off 9 balls
6		Williams 3	1			Mid on
			-			
			-			
			1			Mid on
			2			Long leg
			-		23	Robertson 9 off 15 balls

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7	Cheetham 4	2 1	Third man Long leg
		-	
		-	
		1	27 Third man
8	Williams 4	-	
		1	Mid off
		-	
		2	Long leg
		1	31 Square leg
9	Cheetham 5	1	Third man. Washbrook 20 off balls
		-	
	Spell	-	
	5-0-22-0	2	Mid on
		-	
		-	34 Robertson 13 off 26 balls
10	Williams 5	-	
		-	
		-	
		-	
		-	34
11	12.05 Pepper 1	-	
		4	Mid on
		-	
		2	40 Long leg
12	Williams 6	-	
		4	Square leg
		-	
		1	45 Third man
13	Pepper 2	-	
		-	
		1	
		-	
		-	46 Almost plays on. Robertson 19 off 34 balls
14	Williams 7	-	
		(1 lb)	
	Spell	-	
	7-2-18-1	1	Cover
		-	48 Washbrook 12 off 38 balls
15	Pepper 3	-	
		3	Late cut. Eng 51-1 in 45 mins. 50 partnership in 37 mins
	12.15	1	
		-	
		1	52 Cover
16	12.17 Ellis 1	-	
		1	<i>Ellis accurate, slows scoring rate</i>
		-	
		1	Robertson 24 off 45 balls
	12.21	W	2-54 Washbrook st Sismey on off side, pushing forward just lifts back foot, 28 in 51 mins, 42 balls, 3 fours
		<u>Hammond</u>	
17	12.22 Pepper 4	-	
		6	Hook over mid wkt
		-	
		-	
		-	60
18	Ellis 2	-	
		1	Mid on
		-	
		-	
		-	61

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19	Pepper 5	-	-	
		-	-	
		-	-	
		-	-	
20	Ellis 3	-	-	61
		2		Long leg
		-		
		-		
21	Pepper 6	-	-	63 Robertson 32 off 61 balls
		-		
		-		
		3		Mid off. Hammond 4 off 13 balls
22	Ellis 4	2		68 Long leg
		-		
		-		
		-		
23	Pepper 7	-	-	68
		-		
		4		Square leg
		-		
		-		
24	Ellis 5	-	-	72 Robertson 38 off 68 balls
		2		Long leg
		1		Square leg
		-		
		-		
25	Pepper 8	-	-	75
		-		
		1		Mid on. Hammond 8 off 27 balls
		-		
		1		77 Mid on
26	Ellis 6	2		
		-		
		-		
		1		Long leg. Robertson 42 off 76 balls
		-		
		-		
27	Pepper 9	2		80 Mid off
		-		
		-		
	Spell 9-1-32-0	2		Mid on
		-		
28	Ellis 7	-	-	84
		-		
		1		Mid on. Hammond 9 off 32 balls
		-		
		-		
29	12.47 Cheetham 6	-	-	85
		-		
		4		Mid off
		-		
		-		
30	Ellis 8	-	-	89
		-		
		-		
		-		
		1		90 Robertson 47 off 91 balls. Long leg



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31	Cheetham 7	-	-		
		1	1		Square off
		-			Cover
		1		93	
32	12.55 Ellis 9	2			Mid on. Robertson 51 in 77 mins, 97 balls
		-			Mid on
		1			
		-		96	Hammond 14 off 42 balls
33	Cheetham 8	-			Mid on
		1			
	Spell	-			
	3-0-8-0	-			
		-		97	
		-			
34	Ellis 10	-			
		-			
	1.03	W		3-97	Robertson lbw attempted stiff-armed sweep to leg, 53
		<u>Ames</u>			in 85 mins, 104 balls, 3 fours, 1 six
	1.04	-			
		-		97	
		-			
35	1.06 Miller 1	-			
		-			
		-			
		1			Third man
		-			
		-		98	Ames dropped by Sismey wk who prematurely
					appeals
36	Ellis 11	-			
		-			
		-			
		-			
		1		99	Hammond 16 off 56 balls
37	Miller 2	-			
		-			
		-			
	1.12	- (1 lb)			Eng 100-3 in 102 mins
		-			
		1		101	Mid on
38	Ellis 12	-			
		-			
		-			
		-			
		-		101	Ames 1 off 13 balls
39	Miller 3	-			
		1			Mid off
		1			Cover
		-			
		1		104	Mid off. Hammond 18 off 65 balls
40	Ellis 13	-			
		1			Mid off
	Spell	-			
	13-3-20-2	1			Square off
		-			
		1		107	Square off



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52		Ellis 17	-		
			1		Mid on
			1		Mid off
			-		
			-		
53		Williams 12	-	135	
			4		
			1		
			-		
			-		
54		Ellis 18	-	140	
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
55		Williams 13	(1 lb) -	141	Ames 21 off 62 balls
			-		
			4		Third man
			1		Mid off
56		Ellis 19	-	146	Edrich 4 off 11 balls
			-		
			-		
			1		Square off
			-		
			2	149	Third man
57	2.45	Williams 14	(nb) 1		Eng 150-4 in 150 mins
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
58		Ellis 20	-	150	
			-		
			6		Long on, into Members' Stand
			-		
			-		
59		Williams 15	1	156	Ames 34 off 78 balls
			-		Third man
			-		
		Spell	-		
		8-0-31-1	-		
			1		Long leg
60		Ellis 21	1	159	Square leg. Edrich 8 off 21 balls
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
61	2.55	Pepper 10	-	159	
			1		Long leg
			2		Mid on
			-		
			-		
62		Ellis 22	-	162	
			2		Square leg
			-		
			1		Mid off
			1		Square leg
63		Pepper 11	-	166	Ames 39 off 89 balls
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			3	169	Third man. Edrich 14 off 38 balls

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64		Ellis 23	-		
		Spell	1		Third man
		10-3-20-0	-		
			1		Mid on
			-	171	
65		Pepper 12	-		
			4		Third man
			-		
			4		Mid off
			-	179	Ames 48 off 97 balls
66	3.10	Price 3	-		
			4		Square leg
			-		
			1		Mid on. Edrich 20 off 47 balls
			1	185	Mid off
67		Pepper 13	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	185	
68		Price 4	-		
			-		
			-		
			1	186	
69		Pepper 14	-		
			-		
			-		
			1		Mid on
			-	187	
70		Price 5	-		
			2		Third man
			-		
			-	189	Edrich 24 off 63 balls
71		Pepper 15	-		
			-		
	3.20		1		Ames 50 in 91 mins, 109 balls
			-		
			-	190	
72		Price 6	-		
			1		Cover
			-		
			1		Third man
			4	196	
73		Pepper 16	-		
			-		
			-		
	3.25	Spell	3		Mid off. Eng 200-4 in 190 mins
		7-1-19-0	-		
			(1 lb) -	200	
74		Price 7	-		
			-		
			1		Mid on
		Spell	-		
		5-0-16-0	-		
			-	201	
75	3.27	Williams 16	(1 w)		New ball
			1		Square leg
			-		
			-		
			2		Mid on
			-	205	Edrich 30 off 80 balls
			-		

First Victory Test at Lord's

76	3.33	Cheetham 9	W <u>Robins</u>	5-205	Ames c Price full toss, casual shot to extra cover, 57 in 104 mins, 120 balls, 5 fours, 1 six
	3.35		-		
			-		
			-		
77		Williams 17	-	205	
			2		Square off
			-		
			-		
78		Cheetham 10	1 1	207	Mid off Square leg. Edrich 33 off 87 balls Turned to square leg
	3.41		4 W	6-213	Robins bld, 5 in 6 mins, 8 balls, 1 four
	3.43		<u>Stephenson</u> 2		Long leg
			-	215	Edrich hard chance to Price at 2 <sup>nd</sup> slip
79		Williams 18	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			1	216	Mid on. Edrich 34 off 93 balls
80		Cheetham 11	-		
			-		
			-		
			4 (nb)		
			1		Long leg
			1		Mid on
81		Williams 19	-	223	Long leg
			1		Mid on
			-		
			(1 lb) -		Stephenson 3 off balls
			-		
			-	225	Third man
82		Ellis 24	1		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			2	228	Mid on
83	3.55	Miller 6	-		
			1		Cover
			-		
			-		
			-	229	Edrich 43 off 112 balls <i>Stephenson is using a bat which he left behind in the Dunkirk retreat and found again when back to his old billet in France four years later</i>
84		Ellis 25	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	229	Stephenson 5 off 14 balls Third man
85		Miller 7	1		
			-		<i>Miller off short run gets lively bounce</i>
			-		
			-		
			2	232	Third man
86		Ellis 26	-		
			-		
			1		Square off
			-		
			-	233	Stephenson 7 off 21 balls
87		Miller 8	-		
			-		
			-		
	4.07		W	7-233	Edrich bld off boot, 45 in 96 mins, 122 balls, 2 fours
	4.09		<u>Griffith</u>	233	
			-		

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88	Ellis 27	-				[Ferguson sequence for this over corrected]
		2				Mid on
		-				
		1				Square leg
		-				
		1		237		Long leg. One overthrow
89	Miller 9	-				
	Spell	-				
	4-1-5-1	1				Long leg
		-				
		-		238		
90	Ellis 28	-				
		-				
		2				
		-				
		-				
		-		240		
4.15		Stephenson 10	Griffith 4			Eng 233-7 in 240 mins, balls (incl. 1 w, 4 nb)
		32 m, 27 b	6 m, 13 b			
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<i>Ov</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Bowler</i>	<i>Batsman</i>	<i>Batsman</i>	<i>Team</i>	<i>Notes</i>
91	4.35	Pepper 17	Stephenson 10	Griffith 4		Eng 233-7
			-			
			2			Square off
			-			
			-			
			-		242	
92		Ellis 29	-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-		242	
93		Pepper 18	2			Mid on
			2			Long leg
			-			
			-			
			-		246	
94		Ellis 30	-	1		Mid on
			-			
			1			Square leg
			-	1		
			-			
			4		253	Eng 250-7 in 250 mins
95	4.45	Pepper 19	(1 lb)-	1		
		Spell	-	1		Griffith 8 off 23 balls
		3-0-8-0	-			
			-			
			-		256	Stephenson 21 off balls
96		Ellis 31	-	-		
		Spell	-	1		Long leg
		8-2-19-0	-			
			1			Cover
			-		258	
97	4.50	Cheetham 12	-	-		
			-			
			-			Griffith dropped at mid on
			1			Third man
			-			
			-		259	
98		Price 8	-	-		
			-			
			4			Mid off
			-			
			-			
			1		264	Mid off

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99		<b>Cheetham</b> 13	-			
			-			
			3		<b>Mid off</b>	
			-			
			-			
			-			
				267		
100	4.57	<b>Price 9</b>	W	8-267	<b>Stephenson c Sismey wk, 31 in 54 mins, 63 balls, 2 fours</b>	
			<u>Wright</u>			
	5.00	<b>Spell</b> 2-1-5-2	-			
			-			
	5.01		W	9-267		
			<u>Gover</u>		<b>Wright bld by faster ball, 0 in 1 min, 3 balls</b>	
	5.03		-			
			-			
				267		
101	5.05	<b>Cheetham</b> 14 <b>Spell</b> 2.1-0-4-1	W	10-267	<b>Griffith c Sismey wk, 9 in 36 mins, 33 balls, 0 fours</b>	
			<b>Gover 0</b> 2 mins 2 balls		<b>Eng 267-10 all out in 270 mins, 606 balls (incl. 1 w, 4 nb)</b>	

England first innings

		Runs	Mins	Balls	4s/6s	Fall
L. Hutton	c Sismey (wk) b Williams	1	6	9	-	1-1
C. Washbrook	st Sismey b Ellis	28	51	42	3	2-54
J.D. Robertson	lbw b Ellis	53	85	104	3/1	3-97
*W.R. Hammond	b Williams	29	83	99	1	4-130
L.E.G. Ames	c Price (extra cover) b Cheetham	57	104	120	5/1	5-205
W.J. Edrich	b Miller (off boot)	45	96	122	2	7-233
R.W.V. Robins	b Cheetham	5	6	8	1	6-213
J.W.A. Stephenson	c Sismey (wk) b Price	31	54	63	2	8-267
+S.C. Griffith	c Sismey (wk) b Cheetham	9	36	33	-	10-267
D.V.P. Wright	b Price	0	1	3	-	9-267
A.R. Gover	not out	0	2	2	-	
Extras	(b 1, lb 6, nb 1, w 1)	9				
Total	(all out, for 10 wkts)	267	270	606		100.1 overs

Bowling	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	nb	w
Cheetham	13.1	1	49	3	-*	-
Williams	19	2	56	2	-*	1
Pepper	19	2	59	0	-	-
Ellis	31	8	59	2	-	-
Miller	9	2	11	1	1	-
Price	9	1	24	2	-	-

\* Cheetham 1 nb scored off; Williams 2 nb scored off

Eng 26.70 runs per wkt, 59.33 runs per hour, 44.06 runs per 100 balls, 2.67 runs per over

Aus 60.60 balls per wkt, 22 overs 1½ balls per hour, 134.67 balls per hour

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Australia First Innings

Even overs ] ← .... from Nursery End

Odd overs ] → .... from Pavilion End

Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			<b>Whittington</b>	<b>Workman</b>		
1	5.15	<b>Gover 1</b>	-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-		0	
2		<b>Stephenson 1</b>		1		<b>Long leg</b>
				-		
				-		
				-		
				2		<b>Third man</b>
				1	4	<b>Square off</b>
3		<b>Gover 2</b>		-		
				-		
				1		<b>Square off</b>
				-		
				-		
				-		
				-		
				-	5	

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4	Stephenson 2	- 2 - 1		Mid off Mid off. Whittington 7 off 18 balls
5	Gover 3	- 2 - 1	8	Long leg Third man. Whittington 10 off 22 balls Workman bld, 1 in 15 mins, 7 balls
5.30		W <u>Hassett</u> -	1-11	Hassett edge just short of wk Griffith diving forward
6	5.32 Stephenson 3	- - - - 4 1	16	Square off Cover
7	Gover 4	- 1 - - -	17	Long leg
8	Stephenson 4	- 2 - 2	21	Square leg Square leg Whittington 20 off 36 balls
9	Spell 4-0-16-0	- -		Square leg
	Gover 5	2 - 1 - - -		Mid on. Hassett 3 off 8 balls
10	Edrich 1	3 4 1 - 1	24	Third man Cover Square off Third man
11	Gover 6	- 1 - 1	34	Square off Square off. Whittington 27 off 45 balls
	Spell 6-1-9-1	- - - -		
12	Edrich 2	1 - - - -	35	Square leg
13	Wright 1	- 3 - - -	36	Long leg
14	Edrich 3	- - - - -	41	Hassett 7 off 23 balls
	Spell 3-1-11-0	- - - -		
15	Wright 2	- - - - -	41	Whittington 31 off 54 balls
		- - - -	41	



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16	Stephenson 5	1	- - (2 lb) - 4	Long leg
17	Wright 3	-	-	48 Mid on Hassett 11 off 34 balls
6.06		4		Square off. Aus 52-1 in 51 mins
6.07	W		2-52	Whittington c Griffith edges big leg break to wk, 36 in 52 mins, 59 balls, 3 fours
6.09	<u>Sismey</u>	-	-	52
18	Stephenson 6	-	- - 1	Mid on
19	Wright 4	-	- - 3	53 Mid on
		(2 b)	-	
20	Stephenson 7	2	- - - 4	58 Long leg
21	Wright 5	4	2	64 Mid off. Hassett 21 off 47 balls Long leg Mid off
	Spell 5-1-16-1	-	- - -	70
22	Stephenson 8	3	2	Mid on Mid on
	Spell 4-0-19-0	2	-	Long leg
23	Gover 7	-	-	77
	Spell 1-0-4-0	1	3	Square leg Square off
		-	- (1 nb)	Hassett 'bowled' cutting onto his wicket
6.30	Sismey 11	Hassett 27	-	82 Aus 82-2 in 75 mins, 139 balls (incl. 1 nb)
	21 m, 19 b	58 m, 54 b		

Gover spends Sunday treating his knee.

Second Day – Monday 21 May

Pitch has been covered over the weekend.

Queues start at 6am. Warmer day Bank Holiday, crowd over 30,000, just short of the ground record, 33,800 in 1938. Gates closed just after midday.

Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Sismey 11	Hassett 27		Aus 82-2
24	11.30	Stephenson 9	-	1		Square leg
		Spell 1-0-1-0	-	- (2 b)		
			-	-	85	
25		Wright 6	-	4		Mid on
			-	-		
			-	-		
			2		91	

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26	11.37	Gover 8	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
27		Wright 7	1	91	Hassett 27 off 64 balls
			1		Mid off
			3		Mid off
			-		Third man
			1		Square off
28		Gover 9	-	97	Sismey 22 off 30 balls
			-		
			-		
			-		
			- (1 lb)		
29		Wright 8	-	98	
			-		
			-		
			- (1 b)		
			-		
			1	100	Square off. Aus 100-2 in 95 mins
30		Gover 10	-		
			-		
			1		Square point. Sismey 24 off 37 balls
			-		
			-	101	
31		Wright 9	-		
			-		
			1		Long leg. 50 partnership
			-		
			-	102	
32		Gover 11	1		Mid on
		Spell	-		
		4-2-5-0	-		
			3		Mid on. Hassett 32 off 85 balls
33		Wright 10	-	106	
			-		
			-		
			1		Mid off
			-		
			-	107	
34	12.03	Edrich 4	-		
			2		Square off
			-		
			-		
			1		Third man
35		Wright 11	-	110	Mid on
			4		
		Spell	-		
		6-0-26-0	3		Third man.
			-		
			4		Square leg
36		Edrich 5	-	121	Sismey 30 off 48 balls
			-		
			-		
			-		
			1	122	Square off. Hassett 44 off 103 balls
37	12.12	Stephenson 10	-		
			1		Third man
			-		
			1		Long leg
			-		
			-	124	

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38	Edrich 6	-			
		2		Square leg	
		-			
		-			
		1		Square off	
39	Stephenson 11	1	128	Mid on	
		-			
		-			
		1		Mid on. Hassett 47 off 112 balls	
		-			
40	Edrich 7	-	129	Sismey 34 off 57 balls	
		-			
12.20		3		Third man. Hassett 50 in 108 mins, 115 balls	
		-			
		2	134	Mid on	
41	Stephenson 12	1	- (1 lb)	Long leg	
		-			
		-			
		-			
42	Edrich 8	-	136	Hassett 50 off 120 balls	
12.25		W	3-136	Sismey c Wright wild slash short ball to short leg, 37 in	
		Miller		76 mins, 63 balls, 3 fours	
12.27		1		Square leg	
		-			
		-			
		-	137		
43	Stephenson 13	-			
		2		Long leg	
		-			
	Spell	-			
	4-0-6-0	-			
		-	139		
44	Edrich 9	-			
		-			
	Spell	-			
	6-1-14-1	-			
		-	139		
45	Wright 12	-			
		1		Cover	
		2		Mid on.	
		-			
		1		Square leg. Hassett 53 off 132 balls	
46	Gover 12	-	143	Miller 4 off 10 balls	
12.40		4		Long leg.	
		4		Mid on. Aus 151-3 in 145 mins	
		-			
		-			
		1	152	Long leg	
47	Wright 13	1		Square off	
		-			
		1		Cover	
		1			
		-			
		-	155		
48	Gover 13	-			
		-			
	Spell	4		Mid on	
	2-0-14-0	1		Long leg. Hassett 69 off 144 balls	
		-			
		-	160	Miller 5 off 16 balls	
49	Wright 14	2		Square off	
		4		Third man	
		-		Hassett nearly caught by Edrich 2 <sup>nd</sup> slip	
		-			
		-			
		-	166		

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50	12.51	Stephenson 14	- 1		Mid on
			- -		
			1	170	Third man
51		Wright 15	2		
			- -		
			1		Third man
			- -		
52	12.57	Stephenson 15	- W	171 4-171	Miller 8 off 21 balls Hassett bld off stump via foot, casual shot, head in air, 77 in 145 mins, 158 balls, 7 fours
	12.59		- 1		Third man
			- -		
53		Wright 16	- -	172	
			- -		
			- -		
54		Stephenson 16	3	172	Third man
			- -		
			- -		
			1	176	Square off
55		Wright 17	- -		
			- -		
			- -		
56		Stephenson 17	- -	176	Stanford 2 off 19 balls
		Spell 4-1-9-1	- -		
			- -		
57		Wright 18	- -	176	Miller 11 off 31 balls
			- -		
			2		Third man
58		Edrich 10	- 2	180	Third man
			- -		
			1		Mid on
			- -		
			2	183	Third man
59		Wright 19	- -		
		Spell (off to change ends) 8-3-18-0	- -		
60		Edrich 11	- -	183	
			- (2 lb) -		
		Spell 2-0-8-0	- 1		Mid on. Stanford 9 off 32 balls. 50 partnership
			- 4	190	Third man. Miller 16 off 42 balls
61		Robins 1	- 1		Mid off
			1		Mid off
			- -		
			-	192	

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62		Wright 20	1			Mid on
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-		193	
63		Robins 2	-			
			3			Mid on
			-			
			-			
			-		196	
	1.30		Miller 21	Stanford 10		Aus 196-4 in 195 mins, balls (incl.1 nb)
			63 m, 46 b	31 m, 46 b		
First Test 2 <sup>nd</sup> day						
<i>Ov</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Bowler</i>	<i>Batsman</i>	<i>Batsman</i>	<i>Team</i>	<i>Notes</i>
64	2.10	Wright 21	Miller 21	Stanford 10		Aus 196-4
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-		196	
65		Robins 3	-			
			2			Long leg
			-			
			-			
			1		199	Square leg
66		Wright 22	-			
			-			
			-			
			2			Long leg. Aus 201-4 in 205 mins
	2.20		-			
			-		201	
67		Robins 4	1			Mid off
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-		202	
68		Wright 23	3			Third man
			-			
			-			
			-			
			1			Third man
			2		208	Long leg. Miller 27 off 55 balls
69		Robins 5	-			
			1			Mid on. Stanford 17 off balls
			-			
			-			
			-		209	
70	2.28	Gover 14		4		
				-		
				-		
				-		
				- (4 b)		
				-	217	
71		Stephenson 18				
				-		
				-		
				-		
				2		Mid on
				-	219	
72		Gover 15		-		
				2		Starts to rain
				2		Third man
				-		Third man
				-		
				1	224	Square off

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73		Stephenson 19	-	-	-	-	-	224	
74		Gover 16	-	-	-	-	-	224	Rain
	2.40		Miller 29 93 m, 67 b	Stanford 26 61 m, 87 b					Aus 224-4 in 225 mins, balls (incl.1 nb)
		Rain							
<i>Ov</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Bowler</i>	<i>Batsman</i>	<i>Batsman</i>	<i>Team</i>	<i>Notes</i>			
			Miller 29	Stanford 26		Aus 224-4			
74	3.20	Gover 16 ctd	-	-		<i>Pitch remains docile</i>			
			1	-		Mid off			
				1				226	Long leg
75		Stephenson 20	-	1					Square off
			3	-		Mid on			
				-					Stanford chance to Edrich at 2 <sup>nd</sup> slip
				2				232	Long leg
76		Gover 17	1	-					Long leg. Miller hard chance to Edrich at 2 <sup>nd</sup> slip/short leg?
				2					Square off
				-					
77		Stephenson 21	4	2				237	Third man. 101 partnership
			-	-					Mid off
			1	2					Third man
				-					
				2				246	Square off. Miller 41 off 77 balls
78		Gover 18	-	-					Square leg. Stanford 36 off 99 balls
			2	-					Mid off
			-	-					
	3.35		2	-					Mid on. Aus 250-4 in 240 mins
			1	2				251	Long leg
79		Stephenson 22	-	-					
			1	-					Long leg
				-					
				1					Square off
				-				253	
80		Gover 19	-	-					
		Spell 6-0-24-0	-	1					Third man
			-	-					
			2	-				256	Square leg. Miller 49 off 90 balls
81		Stephenson 23	2	2					Long leg
			-	-					
				-					
				4				264	Third man
82		Edrich 12	-	-					
	3.48		3	-					Third man. Miller 52 in 121 mins, 92 balls
				-					
				2					Square off
				1				270	Long leg
83		Stephenson 24	-	-					
			-	-					
	3.51			W				5-270	Stanford st Griffith on leg side, 49, in 92 mins, 118 balls, 2 fours
	3.53			<u>Pepper</u>					
				-				270	
				-					

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84		Edrich 13	-				
			2			Long leg	
			4			Mid off	
			-				
			1		277	Cover	
85		Stephenson 25	-				
			2			Square leg	
			2			Long leg	
		Spell 8-2-33-1	1	1		Mid off	
			-		283	Miller 64 off 103 balls	
86		Edrich 14	-	1		Cover	
			-				
			1			Mid off	
			-				
			-		285		
87		Wright 24	4			Mid on	
			2			Long leg	
			1			Mid off	
			-				
			-				
			-		292	Pepper 2 off 9 balls	
88		Edrich 15	-				
			-				
		Spell 4-0-17-0	-				
			1			Cover	
			-	(1 nb)		Batsmen ran?	
			1		295		
89		Wright 25	-				
			-				
			-				
			-				
			1		296	Square off. Miller 75 off 121 balls	
90	4.10	Stephenson 26	-				
			-				
			-				
			-				
			1		297		
91		Wright 26	-				
			-				
		Spell 3-0-11-0	2			Mid off	
			1			Mid on. Aus 300-5 in 280 mins	
			-				
			-		300		
4.15		Miller 79 148 m, 131 b	Pepper 2 23 m, 12 b			Aus 300-5 in 280 mins, balls (incl.2 nb)	

							First Test 2 <sup>nd</sup> day	
Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes		
92	4.32	Stephenson 27	Miller 79	Pepper 2		Aus 300-5		
			-					
			-					
			1			Cover		
			-					
			-		301			
93		Robins 6	1			Square off		
			-					
			-					
			1			Square off		
			1			Mid off		
			4		308	Mid off		
94		Stephenson 28	-					
			2			Long leg		
			1			Square off		
		Spell 3-0-5-0	-					
			-	(1 b)		Pepper 7 off 20 balls		
			-		312			

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95		Robins 7	-		
			-		
			2		Third man
			-		
96	4.43	Wright 27	1	315	Long leg
			-		
		Spell	-		
		1-0-2-0	-		
			1		Third man
			1	317	Mid on. Miller 86 off 142 balls
97		Robins 8	-		
			1		Mid on
			4		Long leg. 52 partnership
			-		
			1		
98	4.49	Gover 20	1	323	Long leg. Pepper 16 off 35 balls
			-		Square leg
			2		Third man
			-		
			-		
		(nb) 4	-		
			2	330	Mid off
99		Robins 9	4		Cover
			4		Mid off
		Spell	-		
		4-0-31-0	4		Cover
			1	345	Mid off. Pepper 32 off 42 balls
100		Gover 21	-		
			-		
			1		Square leg
			-		
			-		
101	5.00	Wright 28	-	346	Miller 93 off 153 balls
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
102		Gover 22	-	346	Pepper 33 off 51 balls
			-		
			-		
			2		Mid on
			-	348	Square off
103	5.07	Wright 29	1		Mid on. Aus 351-5 in 315 mins
			2		
			-		
			-		
			-		
104		Gover 23	-	351	
			-		
		Spell	-		
		4-0-12-0	-		
			-		
			2	353	Mid on
105		Wright 30	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
106	5.15	Stephenson 29	-	353	Miller 97 off 170 balls
			-		
			4		Square leg
			-		
			-		
	5.17		W	6-357	Pepper c Griffith wk, 40 in 68 mins, 64 balls, 6 fours
			<u>Cheetham</u>		



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107	5.19	Wright 31	- 1		Square off. Miller 98 off 170 balls
			-		
	5.23		-	W <u>Williams</u>	7-358 Cheetham c Hammond slip, 0 in 4 mins, 4 balls. Great ovation for prisoner of war Williams
108	5.24	Stephenson 30	- - 1		Square off
			-		
109		Wright 32	- -		359
	5.27		4		Mid on. Miller 103 in 203 mins, 178 balls
			-		
			2		Mid on
			-		365
110		Stephenson 31	- 1		Mid on. Williams 1 off 5 balls
	5.32		-	W <u>Price</u>	8-366 Miller c Ames extra cover, 105 in 208 mins, 183 balls, 6 fours. Batsmen cross
	5.34		-		
			-		366
111		Wright 33	- -		
		Spell 6-3-10-1	- -		
			-		
112		Stephenson 32	- -		366
		Spell 4-1-6-2	- -		
			-		
113	5.40	Robins 10	- 1		Mid off
		Spell 1-0-4-0	- 1		Cover
			-		
			2		370 Square leg. Price 3 off 10 balls
114		Edrich 16	4		Mid off
			-		
			4		Square off
			-		
			-		378 Williams 10 off 21 balls
115		Wright 34	- - - - -		
			-		
			-		378
116		Edrich 17	- -		
		Spell 2-0-11-0	- -		
			-		
			3		381 Third man
117		Wright 35	- -		
		Spell 2-1-8-0	- 4		Long leg
			4		Mid on
			-		389 Williams 21 off 33 balls
118	5.55	Stephenson 33	- - 1		Cover. Price 4 off 19 balls
			-		
			2		Square leg
			-		392

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119		<b>Gover 24</b>	4 1		<b>Mid off</b> <b>Cover</b>
	<b>6.00</b>		- 4 - 4 (nb)		<b>Square off</b>
120		<b>Stephenson 34</b>	4 - - 2 1		<b>Mid off</b> <b>Mid on</b> <b>Square off. Price 16 off 26 balls</b>
		<b>Spell (off to change ends) 2-0-11-0</b>	1	<b>413</b>	<b>Cover</b>
121		<b>Gover 25</b>	- - - 4 4		<b>Third man</b> <b>Third man</b>
		<b>Spell 2-0-22-0</b>	- 1		
122	<b>6.07</b>	<b>Wright 36</b>	1 - 6 - 2 -		<b>422 Mid on. Williams 41 off 48 balls</b> <b>Mid on</b> <b>Mid on, into pavilion</b>
		<b>Stephenson 35</b>	- - 1 - (1 lb) - 4		<b>431 Price 24 off 31 balls</b> <b>Mid off</b>
124		<b>Wright 37</b>	4 2 1 - 1 4		<b>437 Mid off</b> <b>Mid on</b> <b>Mid on</b> <b>Mid on</b> <b>Third man</b>
125	<b>6.17</b>	<b>Stephenson 36</b>	- 4 - 1		<b>449 Mid on. Williams 52 in 53 mins, 57 balls</b>
		<b>Spell 2-0-10-1</b>	- 1		<b>Square off</b>
	<b>6.19</b>		W <u>Ellis</u>	<b>9-454</b>	<b>Price c Robertson deep mid on, 35 in 45 mins, 39 balls, 4 fours, 1 six</b>
126	<b>6.21</b>	<b>Wright 38</b>	- 1		
	<b>6.22</b>	<b>Spell 2.3-0-22-1</b>	W	<b>10-455</b>	<b>Williams c Griffith, skier to wk, 53 in 58 mins, 60 balls, 10 fours</b> <b>Aus 455-10 all out in 390 mins, 757 balls (incl.4 nb)</b>
		<b>Ellis 1 min 2 balls</b>			

Play closed for the day. Australia first innings lead 188. 31,000 crowd. At the end many of them gather in front of the Australian dressing room and call for Miller and Hassett

**Australian Services first innings**

		Runs	Mins	Balls	4s/6s	Fall
R.S. Whittington	c Griffith (wk) b Wright	36	52	<b>59</b>	3	2-52
J.A. Workman	b Gover	1	15	7	-	1-11
*A.L. Hassett	b Stephenson (via foot)	77	145	<b>158</b>	<b>7</b>	4-171
+S.G. Sismey	c Wright (short leg) b Edrich	37	76	<b>63</b>	3	3-136
K.R. Miller	c Ames (extra cover) b Stephenson	105	<b>208</b>	<b>183</b>	6	8-366
R.M. Stanford	st Griffith b Stephenson	49	92	118	2	5-270
C.G. Pepper	c Griffith (wk) b Stephenson	40	<b>68</b>	64	6	6-357
A.G. Cheetham	c Hammond (slip) b Wright	0	4	4	-	7-358
R.G. Williams	c Griffith (wk) b Wright	53	58	<b>60</b>	10	10-455
C.F. Price	c Robertson (deep mid on) b Stephenson	35	<b>45</b>	39	4/1	9-454
R.S. Ellis	not out	1	1	2	-	
Extras	(b 10, lb 9, nb 2)	<u>21</u>		0		
Total	(all out, for 10 wkts)	455	390	757		125.3 overs

[Published scores say b 9, lb 10, nb 2.]

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Bowling	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	nb	w
Gover	25	3	90	1	1*	-
Stephenson	36	4	116	5	-	-
Edrich	17	2	61	1	1	-
Wright	37.3	9	122	3	-	-
Robins	10	0	45	0	-	-

\* Gover 2 nb scored off

Aus 45.50 runs per wkt, 70.00 runs per hour, 60.11 runs per 100 balls, 3.63 runs per over

Eng 75.70 balls per wkt, 19 overs 2 balls per hour, 116.46 balls per hour

**Third Day – Tuesday 22 May**

Heavy rain overnight, sun this morning

**England Second Innings**

Odd overs ] → .... from pavilion End

Even overs ] ← .... from Nursery End

First Test 3 <sup>rd</sup> day						
Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
1	11.30	Williams 1	Hutton	Washbrook		Wicket difficult, turning but no lift
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-			0
2		Cheetham 1				Cover
			-			Cover
			2			Third man
			1			
			1			
			-			
			-			4
3		Williams 2				
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-			4
4		Cheetham 2				Square off
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-			6
			-			Washbrook 5 off 11 balls
5		Williams 3				Third man
			1			Long leg
			1			Hutton 3 off 15 balls
			-			
			2			Long leg
			-			11
6		Cheetham 3				
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-			12
7		Williams 4	(1 b)			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			2			Mid on
			-			14
8		Cheetham 4				
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-			15
			- (1 b)			
9		Williams 5				Third man
			2			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-			17
			-			Washbrook 10 off 27 balls

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10		Cheetham 5	-		
			-		
			-		
			1		Mid on. Hutton 6 off 32 balls
			2	20	
11		Williams 6	-		
			-		
		Spell	-		
		6-2-12-0	3		Cover
			-		
12		Cheetham 6	1		23 Mid on
			-		
			-		
			- (1 nb)		
			1		Mid on
			1	27	
13	12.09	Miller 1	3		Square leg
			-		
			-		
			-		
			- (1 lb)		
14		Cheetham 7	-		31 Washbrook 13 off 40 balls
			-		
			2		Mid off
			1		Square leg
			3		Third man. Hutton 17 off 40 balls
			-	37	
15		Miller 2	-		? sequence
			2		Third man
		(2 lb)	-		
			-		
			-		
16		Cheetham 8	-		41
			-		
		Spell	2		Mid on
		8-2-20-0	-		
			-		
			-		
17		Miller 3	1		43 Third man
			-		
			2		Third man
			1		Square off. Washbrook 21 off 54 balls
			-		
			-		
18	12.25	Pepper 1	-		47
			-		
			2		Long leg
			-		
			-		<i>Lbw appeal</i>
			-		
			-		
19		Miller 4	-		49
			-		
			-		
			-		
	12.30		1		Long leg. Hutton 21 off 54 balls. Eng 50-0 in 60 mins
			1	51	Square leg
20		Pepper 2	-		
			-		
			1		Mid on
			-		
			-		
21		Miller 5	-		52
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	52	Washbrook 25 off 70 balls

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22	Pepper 3	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
	12.36	W	1-52	Hutton bld playing back, flighted flipper keeping low, 21 in 66 mins, 63 balls, 0 fours
23	12.38 Miller 6	<u>Robertson</u>		
	Spell 6-1-13-0	1		Third man
		-		
		-		
		1	54	Third man
24	Pepper 4	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-	54	
25	12.43 Ellis 1	-		
		-		
		1		Long leg
		1		Third man
		-		
		-	56	
26	Pepper 5	-		
		-		
		-		
		4		Long leg. First boundary of the innings
		-	60	Robertson 6 off 16 balls
27	Ellis 2	-		
		-		
		- (1 lb)		Washbrook 27 off 81 balls
		-		
		2		Long leg
		-	63	
28	Pepper 6	-		
		-		
		-		
		2		Long leg
		-	65	
29	Ellis 3	-		
		-		
		1		Long leg
		-		
		2		Long leg
		-	68	
30	Pepper 7	-		
		-		
		-		
		4		Mid off
		-	72	Robertson 13 off 28 balls
31	Ellis 4	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-	72	Washbrook 31 off 96 balls
32	Pepper 8	-		
		-		
		1		Long leg
		-		
		-	73	
33	Ellis 5	1		Long leg
		-		
		-		
		-		
		1		Square leg
		-	75	Robertson 15 off 34 balls

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34	Pepper 9	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1.05		W	2-75	Washbrook lbw, 32 in 95 mins, 107 balls, 0 fours		
	1.07		<u>Hammond</u>				
35	Cheetham 9	-	-	-	-	-	-
		(nb) 3			Third man		
			-				
			- (2 b)				
			-	80			
36	Pepper 10	6			Over mid wkt		
		-					
		-					
		3			Mid on		
		-		89			
37	Cheetham 10	-			Mid on. Robertson 28 off 44 balls		
		1					
		-					
		-					
		-		90			
38	Pepper 11	-					
		(1 lb) -					
			1		Square leg. Hammond 1 off 12 balls		
		-					
		-		92			
39	Cheetham 11	-					
		-					
		-					
		1			Long leg		
		-					
		-		93	Robertson 28 off 50 balls		
40	Pepper 12	-					
		-					
		-					
		-					
		4			Square leg		
		-		97			
41	Cheetham 12	-					
	1.25	4			Long leg. Eng 101-2 in 125 mins		
		4			Mid on. 53 partnership		
		-					
		-					
		-		105			
42	Pepper 13	-					
		- (2 b)					
		2			Mid on		
		-					
		3			Mid off		
		-		112			
43	Price 1	1			Long leg		
		-					
		-					
		1			Mid on		
		-					
		-		114			
	1.30	Robertson 37	Hammond 12		Eng 114-2 in 120 mins, 270 balls (incl.2 nb)		
		52 m, 60 b	23 m, 30 b				

England need 74 to make Australia bat again, with 4½ hours left  
Crowd 16,000

First Test 3<sup>rd</sup> day

Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Robertson 37	Hammond 12		Eng 114-2
44	2.10	Pepper 14	1			Square leg
				4		Mid on, driven on full toss
				-		
				1		Square leg
				-		
				-	120	

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45	Williams 7	-	-	-	-	-
		4		Mid on		
		-				
		4	124	Long leg		
46	Pepper 15	-				
		1		Long leg		
		-				
		1	130	Square leg		
47	Williams 8	-				
		-				
		-				
		-				
		-	130	Hammond 22 off 47 balls		
48	Pepper 16	-				
		1		Mid on. Robertson 44 off 70 balls		
		-				
		-				
		-	131			
49	Williams 9	-				
		-				
		-				
		-				
		-				
		-	131	Mid off		
50	Pepper 17	3				
		-				
		-				
		-				
		2	136	Long leg		
51	Williams 10	-				
		4 (nb)		Mid off		
		-				
		-				
		-	140	Hammond 29 off 58 balls		
52	Pepper 18	-				
		2		Long leg		
2.33	Spell 18-3-55-2	2		Long leg. Robertson 50 in 75 mins, 84 balls		
		-				
		-	144			
53	Williams 11	-				
		-				
		-				
		-				
		-	144	Mid off. Robertson 51 off 88 balls		
54	Ellis 6	1				
		-				
		4		Cover		
2.38		W	3-149	Hammond lbw beaten by flighted off-break, 33 in 51 mins, 68 balls, 5 fours		
		Ames				
		-				
2.40						
55	Williams 12	-				
		-				
		-				
		-				
		-				
		1	150			
56	Ellis 7	-				
		2		Long leg		
		-				
		-				
		1	153	Mid off		

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57	Williams 13	-	-	3	Long leg. Robertson 58 off 103 balls
					156
58	Ellis 8	-	(1 b) -	2	Mid on
					160
59	Williams 14	-	(1 lb) -	1	Ames 2 off 8 balls
					162
60	Ellis 9	-	-	1	Mid off. Robertson 60 off 112 balls
					165
61	Williams 15	-	(1 lb) -	2	Long leg
					166
62	Ellis 10	-	-	2	Square off
					168
63	Williams 16	-	-	-	
	Spell				
	10-5-14-0				
					168
64	Ellis 11	-	-	1	Ames 5 off 23 balls
					169
65	3.06 Price 2	-	-	1	Mid on
					172
66	Ellis 12	-	-	1	Mid on
					172
67	Price 3	-	-	1	Third man
					Mid off
					174
68	Ellis 13	-	-	1	Mid off. Robertson 67 off 137 balls
	3.15			W	4-175
				<u>Edrich</u>	Ames bld played on, 7 in 35 mins, 36 balls, 0 fours



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69	3.17	Price 4	-		
			1		Mid off
			-		
			-		176
70		Ellis 14	-		
			1		Mid off
			-		
			-		177
71		Price 5	(2 b) -		
			3		Third man
			-		
			-		
			-		182
72		Ellis 15	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		182
73		Price 6	-		Robertson 72 off 151 balls
			1		Mid on. Edrich 1 off 13 balls
			-		
			-		183
74		Ellis 16	-		
			2		Long leg
			-		
			1		186
75		Price 7	-		
			1		Mid on
			-		
			1		Long leg. England draw level with Aus score. Time left, 195 mins
76		Ellis 17	1		188
			-		Mid on. Robertson 74 off balls
		Spell	-		
		12-2-24-2	2		Long leg
			-		
			-		191
77		Price 8	-		Edrich 7 off 27 balls
			-		
			6		Square leg
			-		
			-		197
78	3.38	Pepper 19	2		Mid on
			2		Mid on. Eng 201-4 in 208 mins
			-		
			-		
			-		201
79		Price 9	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		201
80		Pepper 20	-		Robertson 80 off 170 balls
			-		
			-		
			-		201
			-		Edrich 11 off 39 balls

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81	Price 10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
82	Pepper 21	1	-	-	-	202	-	-	-
		1	-	-	-		Cover		
83	Price 11	2	-	-	-	205	Long leg		
84	Pepper 22	(2 b) -	-	-	-	207	Stumping chance if wk took the ball		
		4	-	-	-				
85	Price 12	-	-	-	-	211	Edrich 17 off 47 balls		
		1	-	-	-		Square leg. Robertson 83 off 191 balls		
86	Pepper 23	-	-	-	-	212			
	Spell 5-1-12-0	1	-	-	-		Mid on		
87	Price 13	-	-	-	-	213			
	Spell 12-2-22-0	(3 b) -	-	-	-				
		2	-	-	-				
88	4.00 Cheetham 4.02 13	W <u>Robins</u> 1	-	-	-	218 5-218	Edrich 19 off 53 balls Robertson c Sismey wk, 84 in 162 mins, 199 balls, 5 fours, 2 sixes. Eng 30 ahead, 165 mins available Square off		
89	4.04 Miller 7	-	-	-	-	219			
		1	-	-	-		Cover		
		3	-	-	-		Mid on		
90	Cheetham 14	1	-	-	-	224	Square off		
		2	-	-	-		Square leg		
91	Miller 8	-	-	-	-	227			
		1	-	-	-		Square leg. Robins 5 off 8 balls		
92	Cheetham 15	-	-	-	-	228	Edrich 24 off 68 balls		
		1	-	-	-	229			

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93	Miller 9	2	Long leg
	Spell	-	
	3-0-10-0	1	Cover
		-	
		1	233 Third man
4.16	Robins 9	Edrich 25	Eng 233-5 in 246 mins, 561 balls (incl.3 nb)
	14 m, 18 b	59 m, 70 b	

England lead by 45 runs, 150 mins left (minus 10 mins between innings)

First Test 3 <sup>rd</sup> day						
Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Robins 9	Edrich 25		Eng 233-5
94	4.32	Cheetham 16	-	-		
			-	1		Square off
			-	-		
			-	-	234	
95		Williams 17	-	-		
			-	4		Square off
			-	-		
			-	-	238	England lead by 50 runs – 132 mins available
96		Cheetham 17	-	1		Long leg
		Spell	-	4		Mid off
		5-0-11-1	-	-		
			-	-	243	Edrich 34 off 83 balls
97	4.42	Williams 18	4	3		Square leg. Robins 10,001 runs in first-class matches
			-	2		Mid off. Eng 252-5 in 256 mins
			-	-		Mid off
			-	-		
			-	-	252	
98		Pepper 24	4	-		Square off
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-	256	Robins 21 off 31 balls
99		Williams 19	-	2		Square leg
			-	2		Long leg
			-	-		
			-	-	260	
100		Pepper 25	1	-		Mid off
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-	261	Edrich 40 off 98 balls
101		Williams 20	-	-		
			-	-		
			1	-		Mid on
			-	1		
102		Pepper 26	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			1	-		Cover
103		Williams 21	-	-		Robins 23 off 37 balls
		Spell	-	-		
		5-0-21-0	-	-		
			-	-		
			2		266	Mid off. Edrich 44 off 111 balls

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104	Pepper 27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
105	5.02 Price 14	-	-	2	266	Long leg			
		-	-	- (1 b)					
106	Pepper 28	2	-	271	271	Third man			
		-	-	-					
107	Price 15	1	-	271	271	Long leg			
		-	1			Mid on			
		1	-						
108	Pepper 29	1	1	275	275	Mid off. Robins 27 off 47 balls Mid on. Edrich 48 off 125 balls			
		-	-	-					
		-	-	- (2 b)					
109	Price 16	1	1	278	278	Mid on			
		-	-	- (1 b)					
		4	-			Mid on			
110	5.15 Pepper 30	1	2	283	283	Mid off. Edrich 50 in 102 mins, 134 balls			
	5.16	W	-	6-286	6-286	Robins c Hassett straight to mid off, 33 in 58 mins, 54 balls, 3 fours			
	5.18	<u>Stephenson</u>	-						
111	5.20 Price 17	W	1	7-286	7-286	Edrich c Workman cover, 50 in 107 mins, 135 balls, 3 fours			
	5.21	<u>Griffith</u>	1						
		-	-			Long leg			
		1	-	288	288	Mid on. England lead 100 runs – 85 mins play available			
112	Pepper 31	-	-						
		-	-						
113	Price 18	1	1	288	288	Long leg			
	5.26	W	1	8-289	8-289	Stephenson bld, 1 in 8 mins, 12 balls			
	5.28	<u>Wright</u>	-						
		1	-			Long leg. Two ran, one short			
		-	-	290	290	Square leg. Griffith 3 off balls			
114	Pepper 32	1	-	9-292	9-292	Wright run out going for 2nd leg-bye, 1 in 4 mins, 6 balls			
	5.32	(1 lb)(W)-	-						
	5.33	<u>Gover</u>	-						
		1	-	293	293	Cover			

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115	Price 19	-			
	Spell	-			
	6-1-16-2	-			
		-			
		-		293	
116	Pepper 33	-			
	Spell	-			
	9.4-3-13-2	1			
5.38		W	Griffith 4	10-294	Square leg
			17 mins		Gover st Sismey, 1 in 5 mins, 10 balls
			7 balls		Eng 294-10 all out in 312 mins, 697 balls (incl.3 nb)

England lead 106, with 72 mins available

England second innings

		Runs	Mins	Balls	4s/6s	Fall
L. Hutton	b Pepper	21	66	63	-	1-52
C. Washbrook	lbw b Pepper	32	95	107	-	2-75
J.D. Robertson	c Sismey (wk) b Cheetham	84	162	199	5/2	5-218
*W.R. Hammond	lbw b Ellis	33	51	68	5	3-149
L.E.G. Ames	b Ellis (played on)	7	35	36	-	4-175
W.J. Edrich	c Workman (cover) b Price	50	107	135	3	7-286
R.W.V. Robins	c Hassett (mid off) b Pepper	33	58	54	3	6-286
J.W.A. Stephenson	b Price	1	8	12	-	8-289
+S.C. Griffith	not out	4	17	7	-	
D.V.P. Wright	run out (?/Sismey)	1	4	6	-	9-292
A.R. Gover	st Sismey b Pepper	1	5	10	-	10-294
Extras	(b 18, lb 8, nb 1)	27				
Total	(all out, for 10 wkts)	294	312	697		115.4 overs

Fall of wickets:

Bowling	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	nb	w
Williams	21	7	47	0	-*	
Cheetham	17	2	44	1	1*	
Miller	9	1	23	0		
Pepper	32.4	7	80	4		
Ellis	17	3	33	2		
Price	19	3	40	2		

\* Williams 1 nb scored off; Cheetham 1 nb scored off

Eng 29.40 runs per wkt, 56.54 runs per hour, 42.18 runs per 100 balls, 2.54 runs per over  
 Aus 69.70 balls per wkt, 22 overs 1½ balls per hour, 134.04 balls per hour

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Odd overs ] → .... from Pavilion End

Even overs ] ← .... from Nursery End

Australia need 107 to win in 70 mins (est.23 overs). Hassett puts himself in as opener (not Miller as stated by Rowe).

First Test 3 <sup>rd</sup> day						
Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Whittington	Hassett		
1	5.50	Gover 1	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-	0	
2		Stephenson 1	-	-		
			-(2 b)	-		
			-	-		
			2	-		
			1	-		
			-	-	5	Long leg Square off
3		Gover 2	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			4	-		Mid off
			-	-		
			-	-	9	Hassett 7 off 11 balls

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4	Stephenson 2	-		
6.00		W		1-9 Whittington lbw, 0 in 10 mins, 9 balls
6.01		<u>Miller</u>		
		-		
		-		
6.03		1		Mid off
		(W)	1	11 Miller run out, square cut by Hassett, fast low throw by Washbrook to Griffith wk beats Miller by yards, 1 in 2 mins, 3 balls
5	6.04 Gover 3	<u>Pepper</u>		Seven deep fielders. Hammond at slip
		-		
		-		
		1		Square off
		-		
		-		
6	Stephenson 3	-	1	12 Mid on
		1		Mid off
		-		
		3		Mid on
		-		
		1		18 Third man
7	Gover 4	-		
		2		Third man.
		1		Square leg. Pepper 5 off 9 balls
		-		
		2		Third man
		-		
8	Stephenson 4	(2 b)-		23 Hassett 15 off 21 balls
		1		Square leg
		-		
		1		Square leg
		-		
9	Gover 5	-	1	27 Square off
		1		Cover
		-		
		-		
		1		30 Square off
10	Stephenson 5	-		
		-		
		-		
		1		Third man. Hassett 19 off 32 balls
		-		
11	Gover 6	-		31 Pepper 7 off 16 balls
		-		
		3		Mid on
		1		Mid on
		-		
		1		36 Mid off
12	Stephenson 6	- (1 lb)		Mid off
		2		
		-		
		-		
		-		
13	Gover 7	-		39
		1		Square off
		1		Square leg
		1		Mid on
		1		Mid off. Pepper 12 off 24 balls
		-		
14	Stephenson 7	1		43 Hassett 25 off 42 balls
		-		Mid on
		-		
		1		Square off
		1		
6.32		4		50 Mid on. Aus 50-2 in 42m. Need 57 in 28m (est.9 overs)
15	Gover 8	1		Mid off
		-		
		1		Third man
		1		Third man
		4		Mid on
		1		58 Mid on

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16	Stephenson 8	-			<i>Hammond has moved from slip to deep mid on. No close fielders</i>
		-			
		1			Mid on
		-			
		4		63	Mid on. Pepper 20 off 30 balls
17	Gover 9	-			
6.40		W		3-63	Hassett c Hammond skied, running in from long on, cap falls off, 37 in 50 mins, 56 balls, 3 fours. Batsmen cross.
6.41		4			Mid on
		1			Third man
		-		68	Cheetham is on a pair. Aus need 39 in 18 mins
		-			
18	Stephenson 9	-			
		4			Long leg
		2			Square leg
		-			
		-			
		2		76	Mid off. Pepper 33 off 38 balls
19	Gover 10	- (W)		4-76	Cheetham run out, backing up too far, by Edrich at cover, 0 in 4 mins, 3 balls. Aus need 31 in 13 mins
6.45		<u>Price</u>			
6.47		1			Square leg
		1			Square off
		-			
		-		78	<i>16,000 crowd cheer every ball</i>
20	Stephenson 10	1			Mid on
		1			Mid off
		1			Mid off
		2			Mid off
		-			
		-		83	
21	Gover 11	1			Third man
		1			Square off
		4			Square off
		1			Pepper 42 off 44 balls
		-			
		2		92	Mid on. <i>8 men on the boundary.</i>
22	Stephenson 11	1			Mid off
		-			
	Spell	1			Mid on
	11-0-51-1	1			Long leg
		1			Mid on
6.56		6		102	Pull drive into Grandstand balcony box. Price 50 in 52 mins, 47 balls. Aus 102-4 in 66 mins. Need 5 to win in 4 mins. Fielders sportingly rush to their positions
23	Gover 12	-			Price misses. Clock hand close to 7.00.
		1			Smothered to mid on, sharp single
	Spell	2			Mishit to mid on, Wright running back gets hands to it, then kicks ball accidentally
	11.4-1-51-1	2		107	Sweep to square leg, as the clock reaches 7.00. Chased by Hutton and Washbrook.
7.00			Pepper 54		Aus 107-2 in 70 mins, 136 balls
			56 mins	Price 10	
			49 balls	13 mins	
			4 fours	16 balls	
			1 six	0 fours	

Australia win by six wkts on the stroke of time with 2 balls to spare.

Radio review at 7pm by Howard Marshall.

16,000 see an astonishing result for an Australian team chosen from cricketers who happened to be serving in the Forces in Europe and one prisoner of war, against an England team of virtual Test calibre. England were thoroughly outplayed, though Hammond could have secured a draw by delaying tactics, such as changing his bowlers and slowing the over rate, in a manner which was to become quite common in Test cricket in the 1950s onwards. Interesting comparison with the fifth day of the 4th Test at Headingley 1953.

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**Australian Services second innings**

		Runs	Mins	Balls	4s/6s	Fall
R.S. Whittington	lbw b Stephenson	0	10	9	-	1-9
*A.L. Hassett	c Hammond (long on) b Gover	37	50	56	3	3-63
K.R. Miller	run out (Washbrook/Griffith)	1	2	3	-	2-11
C.G. Pepper	not out	54	56	49	4/1	
A.G. Cheetham	run out (Edrich)	0	4	3	-	4-76
C.F. Price	not out	10	13	16	-	
Extras	(b 4, lb 1)	5				
Total	(for 4 wickets)	107	70	136		22.4 overs

Bowling	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	nb	w
Gover	11.4	1	51	1	-	-
Stephenson	11	0	51	1	-	-

Aus 26.75 runs per wkt, 91.71 runs per hour, 78.68 runs per 100 balls, 4.72 runs per over  
 Eng 34.00 balls per wkt, 19 overs 2½ balls per hour, 116.57 balls per hour

On 23 May Mr. Churchill sees the King and resigns as Prime Minister, but accepts an invitation to form a caretaker Government, without Labour party representatives, pending a General Election on Thursday 5 July. On 4 June, Mr Churchill starts the election campaign with a radio broadcast controversially claiming that a Socialist government “would have to fall back on some form of Gestapo”.



Second Victory Test at Sheffield

**SECOND TEST at Bramall Lane, Sheffield**

**First Day – Saturday 23 June**

Radio commentator Howard Marshall

Errol Holmes replaces Maurice Leyland, strained right tendon. Stanford volunteers to stand down so that Carmody can play. Stands on the ground bear the scars of German bombing.

Overnight rain on uncovered wicket. Australia win toss. Hassett puts England in.

Umpires G.P. Heaton, H. Thomas

**England First Innings**

Odd overs ] → .... from Pavilion End

Even overs ] ← .... from Football Ground End

Second Test 1<sup>st</sup> Day

Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
1	11.30	Williams 1	Hutton	Washbrook		Hutton's 29 <sup>th</sup> birthday
			-			
			-			
			(1 w)			
			1			Square off
			-			
2		Cheetham 1	-			2
			(nb) 3			Mid on
			-			
			2			Square off. Washbrook nearly at point, Ellis drops it, hit on stomach
			-			
			1			8 Cover
3		Williams 2	-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			1			9
4		Cheetham 2	-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-			9
5		Williams 3	-			
			-			
			(1 nb) -			
			1			Cover
			-			
			-			
			-			11
6		Cheetham 3	-			Sismey wk hit on chin by rising ball glancing off Hutton's pads. Carmody takes on as wk. Stanford sub. 10 min delay
			-			
			1			
			4 (nb)			Cover
			1			Mid off
			-			Long leg
			-			17
			-			Sismey slight cut on chin needs stitches
7		Williams 4	-			
			-			
			3 (nb)			Mid off
			-			
			1			Mid off
			-			
			-			21
8		Cheetham 4	3			Mid on
			-			
			2			Long leg
			-			
			-			26

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9	Williams 5	1	1	Cover Square off. Washbrook 15 off 35 balls
		-		
	12.07	W		1-28 Hutton c Cheetham playing slower ball too soon to deep point, 11 in 37 mins, 22 balls, 0 fours
		<u>Robertson</u>		
	12.08	1		29 Mid off
10	Cheetham 5	3		Mid off
		-		
		-		
		1		Mid on
		1		Cover
11	Williams 6	-		34
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-		34
12	Cheetham 6	-		
		- (1 lb)		
	Spell	-		
	6-1-25--0	-		
		-		
		3		38 Mid on
13	Williams 7	-		
		1		Third man
	Spell	-		
	7-1-13-1	1		Square off
		-		
		1		41 Mid on
14	Ellis 1	(1 w)		
		-		
		-		
		1		Mid off. Robertson 11 off 22 balls
		2		45 Long leg
15	12.27 Miller 1	-		
		-		
		1		
		-		
		-		46 Washbrook 19 off 46 balls
16	12.30 Ellis 2	4		Mid off. Eng 50-1 in 60 mins
		-		
		-		
		1		51 Long leg
17	Miller 2	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-		51
18	Ellis 3	1		Square leg, hitting square leg umpire
		1		Long leg
		1		Mid on
		-		
		2		Square leg.
		-		56 Robertson 20 off 42 balls
19	Miller 3	-		
		-		
		-		
		- (1 nb)		
		1		Third man
		-		Appeal for catch off Robertson at square leg by
		-		Hassett. Umpires rule not properly caught
20	Ellis 4	-		58
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-		58

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21	Miller 4	-		
		1		Long leg
		-		
		2		Square off
		-		
		3	64	Square leg
22	Ellis 5	-		
		-		
		1		Long leg. Washbrook 28 off 66 balls
		-		
		-	65	
23	Miller 5	-		
		-		
		1		Mid on
		-		
		-	66	
24	Ellis 6	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-	66	
25	Miller 6	1		Mid on
		1		Long leg
		-		
		1		Square leg
		-		
		1	70	Square off
26	Ellis 7	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		1		Square leg
		1	72	Mid on. Robertson 24 off 55 balls
27	Miller 7	1		Third man
		- (1 lb)		
		-		
		-		
		-	74	
28	Ellis 8	-		
		-		
		4		Square off
		-		
		1		Long leg
		-	79	
29	Miller 8	-		
		-		
		1		Cover. Washbrook 38 off 93balls
		-		
		1	81	Mid on
30	Ellis 9	-		
		-		
		-		
1.05	W		2-81	Robertson c Whittington chasing wide ball, to cover, 26
1.06	<u>Hammond</u>			in 57 mins, 67 balls, 1 fours
		1		Mid on
		-		
		2	84	Long leg
31	Miller 9	-		
		-		
	Spell	1		Square leg
	9-1-17-0	-		
		-		
		-	85	
32	Ellis 10	-		
		-		
		4		Long leg
		-		
		1		Mid on
		1	91	Long leg

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33	1.12	Pepper 1	-	-	-	-	4	96	Square off
							1		Square off
34		Ellis 11	-	-	-	-	-		
							(1 b)		
							-		
							-	97	<i>Hammond edges just past Pepper the only slip</i>
35	1.17	Pepper 2	4	-	-	-	1	100-2	Mid on. Washbrook 50 in 107 mins, 109 balls. Eng 100-
							-		
							1	102	Square leg
36		Ellis 12	-	-	-	-	-		
							-		
							-	102	
37		Pepper 3	-	-	-	-	-		
							-		
							(nb) 1		
							- (2 lb)	105	
38		Ellis 13	2	-	-	-	-		Third man
							-		
							-		
							-	107	
39		Pepper 4	2	2	-	-	1		Third man
							-		Square leg
							-		Square off
							-		
40		Ellis 14	-	-	-	-	-		
							-	112	
							-		
							1	113	
	1.30	Hammond 10	24 m, 29 b	Washbrook 57	120 m, 128 b				Eng 113-2 in 120 mins, 248 balls (incl. 2 w, 6 nb). The delay for Sismey's injury is computed as part of the play

20,000 crowd. Sismey stays out of action

Second Test 1<sup>st</sup> Day

Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Hammond 10	Washbrook 57		Eng 113-2
41	2.15	Pepper 5	-	4		Square off
42		Ellis 15	-	-		117
43		Pepper 6	-	-		121
						121

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44	Ellis 16	-	-	-	<i>Hammond plays and misses; Carmody takes off bails but Hammond keeps foot grounded</i>
		-	-	1	Mid on
		-	-	-	
45	Pepper 7	-	-	122	
		-	-	1	Square off
		-	1	4	Square off
		-	-	-	
46	Ellis 17	-	-	128	Mid on. Hammond 20 off 44 balls
		-	-	-	
		-	-	1	Square leg
		-	-	129	
47	Pepper 8	-	-	-	
	2.33	-	W	3-129	Washbrook c Carmody wk cutting at sizzling ball, 63 in 138 mins, 151 balls, 5 fours. High catch, Carmody also takes off bails
	2.34	-	<u>Holmes</u>	-	
		-	-	-	
		-	-	129	
48	Ellis 18	1	-	-	Long leg
		-	1	-	Square off
		-	-	-	
		-	-	131	
49	Pepper 9	-	-	-	
		-	2	-	Square off
		-	-	-	
		-	-	133	
50	Ellis 19	-	-	-	
		-	-	-	
		-	-	-	
		-	-	133	
51	Pepper 10	-	-	-	
		-	-	1	Square leg
		-	-	-	
		-	-	134	
52	Ellis 20	-	-	-	
		-	1	-	Mid off
		-	-	-	
		-	-	135	
53	Pepper 11	-	-	-	
		-	-	-	
		-	-	1	
		-	-	136	Hammond 21 off 61 balls
54	2.47 Ellis 21	-	W	4-136	Holmes bld ugly cross-bat shot, 6 in 13 mins, 24 balls, 0 fours
	2.48	-	<u>Edrich</u>	-	
		-	-	-	
		-	-	-	
		-	-	136	
55	Pepper 12	-	-	-	
		1	-	-	Mid off
		-	1 (nb)	-	Square leg. Edrich 'caught'
		3	-	-	Long leg
		-	-	-	
		-	-	141	

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56	Ellis 22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
57	Pepper 13	-	-	-	-	-	-	141	
58	Ellis 23	-	-	-	-	-	-	141	
59	3.00 3.01 Pepper 14	-	-	-	-	-	-	141	Hammond 25 off 76 balls
								5-141	Edrich lbw, 1 in 12 mins, 16 balls
60	Ellis 24	4	-	-	-	-	-	141	Mid off
61	Pepper 15	1	-	-	-	-	-	145	
62	Ellis 25	1	-	-	-	-	-	147	
63	3.10 Pepper 16	-	-	-	-	-	-	147	
									Loud lbw appeal. Eng 150-5 in 175 mins
64	Ellis 26	1	-	-	-	-	-	151	Mid on
									Mid off
									Square leg
65	Pepper 17	1	-	-	-	-	-	156	
66	Ellis 27	1	-	-	-	-	-	159	Pope 1 off 14 balls
67	Pepper 18	1	-	-	-	-	-	160	Mid off
									Mid on
									Mid off. Hammond 43 off 114 balls
								165	

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68	Ellis 28	1	-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
69	Pepper 19	-	-	166
			-	
		1	-	Cover
			-	
70	Ellis 29	1	1	168 Third man Square leg
			-	
			-	
		1	-	Mid on
71	Pepper 20	-	-	170
			-	
			-	
			-	
72	Ellis 30	-	-	170
			-	
		4	-	Mid off
			-	
73	3.32 Pepper 21	6	-	174 Long on drive to pavilion seats. Hammond 52 in 101 mins, 130 balls
			-	
		1	-	Square leg
74	Ellis 31	1	-	181 Mid off
			-	
			-	
			-	
75	Pepper 22	-	-	182
			-	
			-	
			-	
76	Ellis 32	1	-	182 Square leg
			-	
		1	-	Mid off
77	Pepper 23	2	-	184 Pope 8 off 39 balls Square leg Mid on
		1	-	
			-	
		3	-	190 Long leg
78	Ellis 33	-	-	
		4	-	Cover
	Spell 33-9-66-2		-	
			-	
			-	
79	Pepper 24	1	-	194 Mid off
			-	
		1	-	Square leg
			-	
		1	-	Mid off
			-	197

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80	3.49	Price 1	-			
			1		Cover. Hammond 61 off 151 balls	
			-			
			-			
			-			
81		Pepper 25	-			198
	3.52		2		Misfield by Williams at cover. Eng 200-5 in 217 mins	
			1		Mid on	
			4		Mid off	
82		Price 2	(1 lb) -			205
			-		Pope 20 off 58 balls	
			4		Mid off	
			-			
			2		Square off	
			-			212
83		Pepper 26	-			
			-			
		Spell (off to change ends)	1		Mid on	
			-			
		26-6-72-2	2		Mid on	215
84		Price 3	-			
			-			
		Spell 3-0-17-0	6		Long on, over Football ground	
			4		Square cover drive	
			-			225
85	4.03	Miller 10	-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-			225
86	4.05	Pepper 27	-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			3		Long leg	228
87		Miller 11	-			
			1		Cover	
			-			
			-			
			-			229
88		Pepper 28	-			
			-			
			-			
			1		Long leg	
			-			
			-			230
89		Miller 12	-			
			-			
		Spell 3-2-1-0	-			
			-			
			-			
			-			230
4.15		Hammond 80 144 m, 183 b		Pope 28 74 m, 78 b		Eng 230-5 in 240 mins, 543 balls (inc.2 w, 7 nb)



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Second Test 1 <sup>st</sup> Day						
Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Hammond 80	Pope 28		Eng 230-5
90	4.35	Pepper 29				
		Spell				
		3-0-8-0				
				4	234	Mid off. Ovation for Pepper coming off New ball
91	4.40	Williams 8				
				1	235	Mid on
92		Cheetham 7				
				1		Square off Cover
				1		
				2		Mid on
	4.44			4	243	Mid off. Hammond changes his bat.
93		Williams 9				
				1		Mid on
				3		Square leg. Hammond 91 off 196 balls
				1	248	Cover
94		Cheetham 8				
	4.53			W	6-248	Pope c Ellis smart catch mid off inches off ground, 35 in 92 mins, 93 balls, 5 fours
	4.54			<u>Griffith</u>		
					248	
95		Williams 10				
	4.55			2		Third man. Eng 250-6 in 260 mins
				1		Mid off
				(1 lb)	252	
96		Cheetham 9				
				1		
				2	255	Mid off
97		Williams 11				
					255	
98		Cheetham 10				
				1		Long leg. Hammond 97 off 205 balls
					256	
99		Williams 12				
	5.09			3		Steps out to lofted on drive. Hammond 100 in 178 mins, 209 balls
					259	Griffith dropped by Pepper in slips
100		Cheetham 11				
			(1 nb)			
			(1 lb)			
				1		
	5.13		W		7-262	Hammond c Hassett well judged running catch from sq leg to mid wkt, 100 in 182 mins, 215 balls, 8 fours, 2 sixes. Batsmen cross
			<u>Pollard</u>			

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101	5.14	Williams 13	-		
			-		
			-		
			1		Third man
			-	263	
102		Cheetham 12	-		
			1		
	5.20		-		
			W	8-264	Griffith c Hassett short leg, 2 in 26 mins, 23 balls
	5.21		<u>Roberts</u>		
			-		
			2	266	Third man
103		Williams 14	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	266	
104		Cheetham 13	-		
			1		Mid off
			-		
			3		Square leg
			1		Cover
			-	271	Pollard 5 off 16 balls
105		Williams 15	-		
			-		
			- (1 nb)		
			-		
	5.30		W	9-272	Roberts bld, 4 in 9 mins, 10 balls, 0 fours
			<u>Wright</u>		
	5.32		-		
			-	272	
106		Cheetham 14	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	272	
107		Williams 16	- (1 nb)		
			-		
			1		Square off
		Spell 9-2-18-1	-		
			-		
			4		Mid on
			-	278	
108		Cheetham 15	-		
			-		
			1		Square off
		Spell 9-2-22-3	-		
			-		
			-	279	
109	5.41	Pepper 30	2		Mid on
			-		
			1		Mid on
			-		
			-		
			2	284	Mid on
110	5.45	Miller 13	-		
			-		
		Spell 1-0-1-0	-		
			1		Square leg
			-		
			-	285	
111		Pepper 31	1		Square off
			-		
		Spell 1.4-0-6-1	-		
			-		
	5.48		W	10-286	Pollard bld, 11 in 34 mins, 38 balls, 1 four
			Wright 7		Eng 286-10 all out in 313 mins, 677 balls (incl.2 w, 10 nb)
			16 mins		
			16 balls		
			0 fours		

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**England first innings**

		Runs	Mins	Balls	4s/6s	Fall
L. Hutton	c Cheetham (deep point) b Williams	11	37	22	-	1-28
C. Washbrook	c Carmody (wk) b Pepper	63	138	151	5	3-129
J.D. Robertson	c Whittington (cover) b Ellis	26	57	67	1	2-81
*W.R. Hammond	c Hassett (mid wkt) b Cheetham	100	182	215	8/2	7-262
E.R.T. Holmes	b Ellis	6	13	24	-	4-136
W.J. Edrich	lbw b Pepper	1	12	16	-	5-141
G.H. Pope	c Ellis (mid off) b Cheetham	35	92	93	5	6-248
+S.C. Griffith	c Hassett (short leg) b Cheetham	2	26	23	-	8-264
R. Pollard	b Pepper	11	34	38	1	10-286
W.B. Roberts	b Williams	4	9	10	-	9-272
D.V.P. Wright	not out	7	16	16	-	
Extras	(b 3, lb 10, nb 5, w 2)	20		0		
TOTAL	(all out, for 10 wkts)	286	313	675		110.5 overs

Sisney wk retires hurt in 6th over at 11-0. Carmody takes over as wk

Bowling	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	nb	w
Cheetham	15	3	47	3	1*	-
Williams	16	4	31	2	3*	1
Ellis	33	9	66	2	-	1
Miller	13	3	19	0	1	-
Pepper	30.5	6	86	3	-*	-
Price	3	0	17	0	-	-

\* Cheetham 2 scored off; Williams 1 scored off; Pepper 2 scored off

Eng 28.60 runs per wkt, 54.82 runs per hour, 42.25 runs per 100 balls, 2.58 runs per over  
 Aus 67.70 balls per wkt, 21 overs 1½ balls per hour, 129.78 balls per hour

**Australia First Innings**

Odd overs ] → .... from Pavilion End

Even overs ] ← .... from Football ground End

Second Test 1<sup>st</sup> Day

Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
1	6.05	Pope 1	Whittington	Workman		
			-	-		
			(1 nb) -	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		1
2		Pollard 1	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			2	-		3 Mid off
3		Pope 2	-	-		
			-	(1 lb)		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			4	-		Mid off
			-	-		8
4		Pollard 2	-	-		
			-	(1 nb)		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		Workman possible chance to Robertson at square leg
			-	-		
			-	-		
5		Pope 3	-	-		
			3	-		Mid on
			-	-		
			-	-		
			1	-		Mid off
			-	-		13
6		Pollard 3	-	(1 lb)		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			1	-		15

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7	Pope 4	-				
		1			Mid off	
		-				
		1			Square leg	
		1			Long leg	
8	Pollard 4	-			18	
		-				
		-				
		-				
		-			18	
9	Pope 5	-				
		1				
	Spell	-				
	5-1-13-0	-				
		-				
		1			20	Third man
10	Pollard 5	(1 nb) -				
		(2 lb) -				
	Spell	-				
	5-3-3-0	-				
		-				
		-				
		-			23	
6.30	Whittington	Workman 3				Aus 23-0 in 25 mins, 63 balls (incl. 3 nb)
	13	25 m, 22 b				
	25 m, 41 b					

Second Day – Monday 25 June

Heavy rain on Sunday but ends were covered.

Sismey is fit to bat.

Second Test 2<sup>nd</sup> Day

Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman Whittington	Batsman Workman 3	Team	Notes
			13			Aus 23-0
11	11.30	Pope 6		-		
				-		
				-		
				3		Drive behind point
				3		Mid off
12		Pollard 6		-	29	Whittington c & b chance. Pollard fails to move forward
				-		Three slips, three short legs
				-		
				-	29	
13		Pope 7		-		
				-		
				-		
				-		
				-	29	
14		Pollard 7	(1 nb) -			
			1			
				- (1 nb)		
				-		
				- (1 lb)		
				-		
				-		
				-	33	Whittington 17 off 53 balls
15	11.40	Pope 8		W	1-33	Workman c Pollard ct off bumper at short mid on, 6 in 35 mins, 37 balls, 0 fours
	11.41			<u>Hassett</u>		
				-		
				-		
				1		
16		Pollard 8		-	34	Mid off
				- (2 lb)		
				-		
				-		
				-	36	

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17	Pope 9	-		
	11.49	W		2-36
		<u>Miller</u>		Whittington c Wright, glancing inswinger to fine leg, 17
	11.50	4		in 44 mins, 56 balls, 1 four
		-		Mid off
		-		40
18	Pollard 9	-		
		4		Over mid wkt, all run
	11.54	W		3-44
		<u>Carmody</u>		Hassett bld, off cutter hits middle stump, 5 in 13 mins,
	11.55	-		13 balls, 1 four
		-		44
19	Pope 10	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		1		45
20	Pollard 10	2		Square leg
		-		Third man
		-		
	12.02	(nb) 6		Mid off over sightscreen. Aus 53-3 in 57 mins
		2		Long leg
		-		55
21	Pope 11	-		
		-		
		2		Mid off
		-		
		3		60
22	Pollard 11	-		Mid off
		-		
		-		
		4		Square leg
		-		
		4		68
23	Pope 12	1		Mid off
		-		Square off
		-		
		2		Carmody chance to Wright on leg
		2		Square leg
		- (4 b)		Mid on
				77
24	Pollard 12	-		
		1		Miller chance to Hollies at mid on
		-		
		1		Long leg.
		-		79
25	Pope 13	-		
		1		Long leg. Carmody 19 off 24 balls
		-		Miller dropped by Wright close in
	12.20	(W) -		4-80
		<u>Pepper</u>		Miller run out, suicidal run, to short leg Robertson
	12.21	-		refused by Carmody, 17 in 30 mins, 24 balls, 1 four,
		-		1 six
		-		80
26	Pollard 13	-		
		-		
		2		Square leg
		4		Third man
		-		86
27	Pope 14	1		Mid off
		1		Long leg
		-		
		1		Mid on
		-		
		2		91
				Mid on

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28	Pollard 14	1		Third man
	Spell	-		
	9-2-34-1	1		Square off
		-		
		1		Third man
		-	94	
29	Pope 15	-		
	Spell	-		
	10-1-36-2	4		Pull to square leg
		-		
		-		
		4	102	Mid off. Aus 102-4 in 88 mins
30	12.33 Wright 1	-		
		1		Square leg. Carmody 30 off 38 balls
		-		
		-		
		-	103	
31	12.37 Edrich 1	-		
		-		
		1		Cover
		-		
		-	104	
32	Wright 2	-		
		1		Mid off
		1		Mid on
		-		
		1		Square off
33	Edrich 2	-	107	
		1		Square off
		-		
		-		
		-	108	
34	Wright 3	-		
		-		
		1		Long leg. Carmody 35 off 51 balls
		-		
		-		
		-	109	
35	Edrich 3	-		Chance to wk?
		1		Square off
		(2 lb) -		
		-		
		1		Square off
		2	115	Square leg
36	Wright 4	1		Mid on
		-		
		-		Carmody stumping chance, well out
		-		
		2		Mid on
		1	119	Square off
37	Edrich 4	- (1 lb)		Cheetham nearly run out
		-		
		1		Mid on
		-		
		1		Mid on
		-	122	Pepper 16 off 36 balls
38	12.59 Wright 5	W	5-122	Carmody c Hammond low at short slip, 42 in 64 mins,
		<u>Cheetham</u>		63 balls, 3 fours
	1.00	-		
		1		
		-		
		-		
		1	124	
39	Edrich 5	-		
	Spell	-		
	5-0-10-0	2		Square off
		-		
		-		
		(1 b) -	127	



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50		<b>Pollard 16</b>	-		
			2		<b>Square leg</b>
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	144	
51		<b>Pope 21</b>	-		
			1		<b>Square off</b>
			-		
			-		
			-	145	
52		<b>Pollard 17</b>	-		
			-		
		<b>Spell</b>	1		<b>Third man</b>
		<b>3-0-5-0</b>	-		
			-		
			-	146	
53	2.29	<b>Pope 22</b>	<u>W</u>	9-146	<b>Cheetham bld, 10 in 48 mins, 39 balls, 1 four</b>
			<u>Ellis</u>		
	2.30	<b>Spell</b>	1		<b>Cover</b>
		<b>6.5-2-9-3</b>	-		
			-		
			-		
	2.33		(W)	10-147	<b>Ellis run out by Edrich throw, 1 in 3 mins, 1 ball</b>
		<b>Williams 5</b>			<b>Aus 147-10 all out in 167 mins, 324 balls (incl.7 nb)</b>
		<b>27 mins</b>			
		<b>26 balls</b>			
		<b>0 fours</b>			

All published scores incorrectly say 9<sup>th</sup> wkt fell at 145

**Australian Services first innings**

		Runs	Mins	Balls	4s/6s	Fall
R.S. Whittington	c Wright (fine leg) b Pope	17	<b>44</b>	56	1	2-36
J.A. Workman	c Pollard (short mid on) b Pope	6	<b>35</b>	37	-	1-33
*A.L. Hassett	b Pollard	5	13	13	1	3-44
K.R. Miller	run out (Robertson)	17	30	24	1/1	4-80
D.K. Carmody	c Hammond (short slip) b Wright	42	64	63	3	5-122
C.G. Pepper	c Hammond (slip) b Wright	21	<b>53</b>	56	2	6-131
A.G. Cheetham	b Pope	10	48	<b>39</b>	1	<b>9-146</b>
+S.G. Sismey	c Pollard (short mid on) b Pope	0	3	3	-	7-132
C.F. Price	c Pollard (short mid on) b Pope	0	5	6	-	8-132
R.G. Williams	not out	5	27	<b>26</b>	-	
R.S. Ellis	run out (Edrich)	1	3	1	-	10-147
Extras	(b 5, lb 12, nb 6)	<u>23</u>				
TOTAL	(all out, for 10 wkts)	147	167	324		52.5 overs

Bowling	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	nb	w
Pope	21.5	4	58	5	2	-
Pollard	17	5	42	1	4*	-
Wright	9	3	14	2	-	-
Edrich	5	0	10	0	-	-

\* Pollard 1 nb scored off

Aus 14.70 runs per wkt, 52.81 runs per hour, 45.37 runs per 100 balls, 2.78 runs per over

Eng 32.40 balls per wkt, 19 overs per hour, 116.41 balls per hour



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**England Second Innings**

Odd overs .... from End ?

Even overs.... from End ?

Sismey comes out as wicket-keeper.

Miller asks George Pope how he manages to keep swinging the old ball. Pope shows him the hair cream inside his cap. Miller will use hair cream to oil his luxurious hair and rub his fingers through his hair when bowling.

Second Test 2nd Day						
Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Hutton	Washbrook		
1	2.48	Williams 1	-	-		
			1			Mid off
			-	-		
			-	-		1
2		Cheetham 1	-	-		
			1			Cover
			-	-		
			-	(1 nb)		
			-	-		
			1			4 Square leg
3		Williams 2	-	-		
			1			
			-	-		
			1			Square off
			-	-		
			-	-		6
4		Cheetham 2	1			Mid on
			-	-		
			1			Square off
			-	-		
			-	-		8
5		Williams 3	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	(1 lb)		
			-	-		
			-	-		9
6		Cheetham 3	-	-		
			2			Long leg
			-	-		
			-	-		
			1			12 Long leg
7		Williams 4	-	-		
			2			Square leg
			2			Third man
			-	-		
			1			Long leg
			-	-		
			-	-		17
8		Cheetham 4	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		17
9		Williams 5	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		17 Hutton 4 off 19 balls
10		Cheetham 5	-	-		Third man
			2			
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		19 Washbrook 13 off 42 balls

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11	Williams 6	-			
		2			Third man
		-			
		1			Cover
			1		Square off
12	Cheetham 6	1		24	Long leg
		-			
		-			
		-			
		1		25	Cover
13	Williams 7	1			Cover
		-			
	Spell	-			
	7-2-20-0	-			
			2 (nb)		Long leg
			4		Mid on
			-	32	
14	Cheetham 7	-			
		3			Mid on
	Spell		1		Long leg
	7-1-19-0	(nb) 4			Square leg
		1			Long leg
		-			
		-		41	
15	3.30 Miller 1	-			
		1			Mid off
		-			
		-			
			2	44	Mid on
16	3.34 Ellis 1	-			
		1			Long leg
		-			
		-			
		-		45	
17	Miller 2	-			<i>Hutton struck on left forearm. which was injured in war</i>
		2			<i>accident</i>
		(1 b) -			Long leg
		-			
		-		48	
18	Ellis 2	-			
		-			
		-			
		1			Square leg
		-		49	
19	3.40 Miller 3	1			Long leg. Eng 50-0 in 52 mins
		-			Washbrook hit on head by jumping ball
		-			Shout of 'bodyline' from the crowd. "Bring on
		-			Larwood"
		-		50	
20	Ellis 3	-			
		2			Mid on
		-			
		-		52	
21	Miller 4	-			
		1			Mid off
		1			Square leg
		-			
		-		54	
22	Ellis 4	2			Mid on
		-			
		-			
		-		56	Hutton 29 off 61 balls

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23	3.52	Miller 5		W <u>Robertson</u>	1-56	Washbrook c Sismey wk, 24 in 64 mins, 75 balls, 1 four
	3.53			-		
				-		
				1		Square leg
24		Ellis 5	4	-	61	Third man
				-		
				-		
				-	61	
25	3.58	Miller 6	1	W <u>Hammond</u>	2-62	Hutton 34 off 63 balls Robertson lbw, 1 in 5 mins, 11 balls
	4.00			-		Ball hits Hammond on glove
				-		
26		Ellis 6	-	-	62	
				-		
				-		
				-	62	
27		Miller 7	-	-		
				2		Third man
				1		Mid on
				-		
28		Ellis 7	-	-	65	
				-		
				1		Mid on
				-		
29		Miller 8	1	-	67	
				-		
				-		
				-		
30		Ellis 8	4	-	71	
				-		
				2		Cover
				-		
31		Miller 9	1	-	74	Mid on
				-		
				-		
				-		
				1		Square off
32		Ellis 9	-	-	75	
				-		
				-		
				-		
				1	76	Square leg
4.15		Hutton 39		Hammond 9		Eng 76-2 in 87 mins, 195 balls (incl.3 nb)
		87 m, 81 b		15 m, 28 b		

Crowd now 30,000.

Second Test 2nd Day

Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Hutton 39	Hammond 9		Eng 76-2
33	4.35	Pepper 1		-		
				-		
				-		
				4		Mid on
				-	80	

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34	Ellis 10	-			
		1		Mid off	
		-			
		-			
		-			81
35	Pepper 2	-			
		1		Mid on	
		-			
		-			82
36	Ellis 11	-			
		-			
		-			
		-			82
37	Pepper 3	-			
		-			
		-			
		- (1 nb)			
		-			83
38	Ellis 12	4		Mid off	
		-			
		-			
		-			
		-			87
39	Pepper 4	- (2 lb)			
		2		Long leg	
		-			
		4			
		-			95
40	Ellis 13	-			
		-			
		-			
		-			95
41	Pepper 5	-			
		-			
		-			
		1		Mid on. Hammond 20 off 59 balls	
		1		Square leg	97
42	Ellis 14	-			
	4.55	W			3-97
		<u>Holmes</u>			Hutton bld pulling offside ball onto wicket, 46 in 107
	4.56	-			mins, 108 balls, 4 fours
		1			
		-			98
		-		Third man	
43	Pepper 6	-			
		1		Mid on	
	4.59	4		Long leg. Eng 103-3 in 111 mins	
		-			
		1		Cover	
	5.00	W			4-104
		<u>Edrich</u>			Holmes c Sismey wk, 2 in 4 mins, 5 balls
44	5.01 Ellis 15	-			
		-			
		-			
		1		Mid off	105
45	Pepper 7	-			
		-			
		1		Cover	
		-			
		-			106

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46	Ellis 16	1		Mid off. Hammond 28 off 73 balls
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-	107	
47	Pepper 8	-		
		2		Long leg
		-		
		2		Long leg
		- (1 nb)		
		1		Cover
		-	113	
48	Ellis 17	-		
		-		
		1		Cover
		-		
		-		
		-	114	
49	Pepper 9	2		Mid off
		-		
		1		Mid off
		1		Edrich 1 off 13 balls
		- (1 nb)		
		-		
		1	120	
50	Ellis 18	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
	5.17	W	5-120	Hammond bld 38 in 57 mins, 94 balls, 3 fours
		<u>Pope</u>		
51	5.18 Pepper 10	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-	120	
52	Ellis 19	-		
		-		
		-		
		2		Third man
	5.22	W	6-122	Pope c Pepper slip, 2 in 4 mins, 6 balls
	5.24	<u>Griffith</u>		
53	5.25 Pepper 11	W	7-122	Edrich c Hassett mid on, 1 in 24 mins, 20 balls
		<u>Pollard</u>		
	5.26	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		1		Third man
		-		
		-	123	
55	Pepper 12	-		
		-		
		-		
		1		Long leg
		-		
		-	124	
56	Ellis 21	-		
		4		Mid off
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-	128	

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57	Pepper 13	-		
		2		Mid on
		-		
		2		Mid on
		-		
		-	132	
58	Ellis 22	-		
		-		
		-		
		4		Mid off
		1	137	Square off, missed by Workman
59	Pepper 14	1		Cover. Griffith 12 off 21 balls
		-		
		-		
		-		
		4	142	Long leg
60	Ellis 23	-		
		4		Long leg
		-		
		1		Mid off
		-		
		1	148	Long leg. Pollard 9 off 22 balls
61	Pepper 15	-		
5.43	Spell	2		Mid on. Eng 150-5 in 155 mins
	15-3-46-2	-		
		-		
		4	154	Mid on
62	Ellis 24	-		
		1		
		-		
		-		
		-	155	
63	5.47 Miller 10	-		
		2		Third man
		- (1 lb)		
		-		
		1	159	Mid on
64	Ellis 25	1		Square leg
		4		Mid off
	Spell	1		Cover
	25-5-47-3	1		Long leg
		-		
		-	166	
65	Miller 11	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-	166	Pollard 18
66	5.55 Price 1	-		
		-		
		-		
		1		
		1	168	Square leg
67	Miller 12	1		Mid on
		-		
		2		Mid on
		-		
		-		
		-	171	
68	Price 2	-		
		-		
		4		Mid on. 53 partnership
		1		Cover
		1	177	Mid off

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69	Miller 13	-	-		
	Spell	-	-		
	4-2-6-0	-	-		
		-	-		
		-	-	177	Griffith 29 off 52 balls
70	Price 3	-	-		
6.06		W		8-177	Pollard c Whittington mid off, 25 in 40 mins, 51 balls, 3 fours. Batsmen cross
		<u>Roberts</u>			
6.07		-			
		1			Square leg
		-			
		1		179	Mid off
71	Williams 8	-	-		
		-	-		
		1			Mid off
		-	-		
		-	-	180	
72	Price 4	-	-		
		4			
		-	-		
6.15		W		9-184	Roberts c Carmody running catch at long off, 6 in 8 mins, 10 balls, 1 four
		<u>Wright</u>			
6.16		-			
		-		184	
73	Williams 9	1			Third man
		-	-		
	Spell	-	-		
	2-0-3-0	-	-		
		1			Cover
		-	-	186	
74	Price 5	-	-		
		-	-		
		4			Mid off
6.22	Spell	W		10-190	Griffith st Sismey 35 in 57 mins, 66 balls, 5 fours
	4.4-0-18-3				Eng 190-10 all out in 194 mins, 448 balls (incl.6 nb)
		Wright 1			
		6 mins			
		2 balls			

Crowd 22,750 on fine day

England second innings

		Runs	Mins	Balls	4s/6s	Fall
L. Hutton	b Ellis (played on)	46	107	108	4	3-97
C. Washbrook	c Sismey (wk) b Miller	24	64	75	1	1-56
J.D. Robertson	lbw b Miller	1	5	11	-	2-62
*W.R. Hammond	b Ellis	38	57	94	3	5-120
E.R.T. Holmes	c Sismey (wk) b Pepper	2	4	5	-	4-104
W.J. Edrich	c Hassett (mid on) b Pepper	1	24	20	-	7-122
G.H. Pope	c Pepper (slip) b Ellis	2	4	6	-	6-122
+S.C. Griffith	st Sismey b Price	35	57	66	5	10-190
R. Pollard	c Whittington (mid off) b Price	25	40	51	3	8-177
W.B. Roberts	c Carmody (long off) b Price	6	8	10	1	9-184
D.V.P. Wright	not out	1	6	2	-	
Extras	(b 1, lb 4, nb 4)	9		0		
Total	(all out, for 10 wkts)	190	194	448		73.4 overs

Bowling	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	nb	w
Cheetham	7	1	19	0	1*	-
Williams	9	2	23	0	-*	-
Miller	13	2	28	2	-	-
Ellis	25	5	47	3	-	-
Pepper	15	3	46	2	3	-
Price	4.4	0	18	3	-	-

\* Williams 1 nb scored off; Cheetham 1 nb scored off

Eng 19.00 runs per wkt, 58.76 runs per hour, 42.41 runs per 100 balls, 2.58 runs per over  
 Aus 44.80 balls per wkt, 22 overs 5 balls per hour, 138.56 balls per hour

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**Third Day – Tuesday 26 June**

Heavy clouds and a biting wind give way to bright sunshine at 11.30

**Australia Second Innings**

Odd overs ] → .... from Pavilion End

Even overs ] ← .... from Football Ground End

Australia need 330 to win in 6 hours

Light better than at any previous time in the match. The pitch easy-paced, but near the leg-stump at the football end there is a small patch for Wright to exploit.

Second Test 3rd Day						
Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Whittington	Workman		
1	11.30	Pope 1	1	-		Square off Pope has 3 short legs
			(1 lb) -	1		Cover
2		Pollard 1	-	-		3
			(nb) 4	-		Mid on. 4 all run.
3		Pope 2	-	-		7
4		Pollard 2	-	-		7
			(1 b) -	-		
5		Pope 3	-	4		12 Third man
6		Pollard 3	-	-		12
			-	1		Cover
7		Pope 4	2	-		15 Whittington 7 off 21 balls
8		Pollard 4	-	3		18 Mid off. 2 overthrows
9		Pope 5	-	-		18 Workman 9 off 28 balls
		Spell 5-3-5-0	-	-		18



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10		Pollard 5	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			1	19	Third man
11	12.00	Edrich 1	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	19	
12		Pollard 6	-		
			-		
			1		Whittington chance edges outswinger to Hammond 1 <sup>st</sup> slip
			-		Long leg
			-		
			-	20	
13		Edrich 2	4		Third man, hits the sight screen
			1		Mid off
			-		
			4		Third man
			-		
			1	30	Square off. Workman 15 off 47 balls
14		Pollard 7	- (2 lb)		<i>Light very poor, exacerbated by Sheffield smoke</i>
			-		
		Spell	-		
		7-1-14-0	-		
			-		
			1	33	Third man
15		Edrich 3	-		
			-		
			- (4 b)		Bouncer over batsman's head.
			-		
			2		Mid on
			-	39	
16	12.15	Wright 1	-		
			1		Third man
			1		Mid off
			-		
			2		Long leg
			-	43	Whittington 16 off 37 balls
17		Edrich 4	1		Square off. Edrich stops in run up with a torn leg muscle. Edrich retires. D. Brookes (Northants) is substitute.
	12.20	Spell	-		
		3.1-1-13-0	-	44	
18		Wright 2	-		
			-		
			1		
			-		
			-	45	
19	12.23	Pope 6	-		
			2		Long leg
			-		
			-		
			-	47	Workman 23 off 70 balls
20		Wright 3	-		<i>Edrich comes back on with leg strapped up but does not bowl.</i>
			-		
		Spell (off to change ends)	-		
		3-1-5-0	-	47	
21		Pope 7	1		Square off
			-		
	12.32	Spell	(nb) 3		Mid on. Aus 51-0 in 62 mins
		2-0-8-0	-		
			-		
			-		
			2	53	Third man

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22	12.33	Roberts 1	4		Long hop hooked to long leg
			2		Long leg
			-		
			-		
			-		
23		Wright 4	-	59	Whittington 25 off 54 balls
			-		
			-		
			-		
24		Roberts 2	1	59	Mid off
			1		Square off
			-		
			-		
			1	62	Mid off
25		Wright 5	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			1	63	
26		Roberts 3	-		
			-		
			2		Long leg
			4		Square off drive
			-		
			-	69	
27		Wright 6	-		
			-		
		Spell	-		
		3-1-3-0	-		
			2		Third man
28		Roberts 4	2	71	Workman 29 off 88 balls
			-		Long leg
			-		
			1		Mid off
			1		Mid off
29	12.51	Pope 8	-	75	Whittington 37 off 76 balls
			-		
			-		
			- (2 b)		
			-		
			-	77	
30		Roberts 5	-		
			-		
		Spell	-		
		5-1-19-0	-		
			-		
			-	77	
31		Pope 9	1		Mid off
			1		Whittington nearly ct at square leg
			-		
			-		
			-	79	
32	1.00	Hutton 1	-		
			4		Third man
			4		Long leg
			1		Mid off
			-		
			1	89	Mid off
33		Pope 10	-		
			-		
		Spell	-		
		3-1-3-0	-		
			-		
			1	90	Long leg

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34	Hutton 2	-	1	Third man
	Spell	-		
	2-0-14-0	1	2	Square leg. Whittington 48 off 89 balls
			-	Third man
35	1.09 Wright 7	-		94
	1.10	4		Third man. Whittington 52 in 100 mins, 91 balls
		-		
		1		Mid off
36	1.12 Pollard 8	4		99
		-		Mid off. Lovely drive off back foot
		-		
		-		
		4		107
37	Wright 8	-		Third man
		1		Square leg. Workman 37 off 115 balls
	1.17	W		1-108
	1.18	<u>Miller</u>		Whittington lbw sweeping too soon at a top-spinner, 61 in 107 mins, 102 balls, 9 fours
		-		108
38	Pollard 9	-		
		-		
		1		Third man
		-		109
39	Wright 9	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		109
40	Pollard 10	-		
		-		
		-		
		1		110
41	Wright 10	-		Third man
		-		
		4		To fine leg
		-		114
1.30	Miller 5	Workman 38		Aus 114-1 in 120 mins, 243 balls (incl.2 nb).
	12 m, 16 b	120 m, 125 b		Edrich's 4 <sup>th</sup> over contained only one ball
Australia need 215 in 4 hours				

Second Test 3rd Day

Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Miller 5	Workman 38		Aus 114-1
42	2.13	Pollard 11	-	-		Miller struck twice on the thigh
			-	-		
			2		116	Long leg
43		Wright 11	-	-		
			3			Mid off
			-	-		
			2		121	Third man. Workman 42 off 134 balls
44		Pollard 12	-	-		
	2.20		W		2-121	Miller bld inswinger, 8 in 19 mins, 22 balls, 1 four
	2.22		<u>Hassett</u>			
			2			Square leg
			(nb) 2			Long leg
			-			
			-		125	

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45		Wright 12	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	125	
46		Pollard 13	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	125	
47		Wright 13	-		
			1		Cover
			-		
			-		
			1	127	Square leg
48		Pollard 14	-		
			(nb) 4		Pull to mid wkt
			-		
			-		
			-	131	Hassett 9 off 21 balls
49		Wright 14	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	131	
50		Pollard 15	-		
			(nb) 4		Pull to mid wkt
			-		
			2		Square off
			-		
			-	137	
51		Wright 15	-		
			3		Third man. Workman 46 off 150 balls
		Spell	2		Square leg
		9-3-22-1	-		
			-		
			(1 lb) -	143	
52		Pollard 16	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			1	144	Third man
53	2.48	Pope 11	2		Long leg
	2.50		(4 b) -		Aus 150-2 in 157 mins
			-		
			4		Mid on
			-		
			4	158	Long leg. Hassett 28 off 44 balls
54		Pollard 17	2		Third man
			-		
		Spell	1		Long leg
		10-1-30-1	-		
			-		
			-	161	
55		Pope 12	-		
			-		
			- (1 nb)		
			-		
			-		
			-	162	
56	2.58	Roberts 6	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			4	166	Third man. Australia need 164 to win

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57	3.01	Pope 13		1	Workman 50 in 168 mins, 161 balls
			-		
			-		
			-		
58		Roberts 7		4	167 Mid off
			-		
			-		
			-		
59	3.06	Pope 14	W		171 Workman 54 off 167 balls
			<u>Carmody</u>		3-171 Hassett bld ball moves in sharply off worn patch, 32 in
	3.08		4		44 mins, 59 balls, 5 fours
			-		Long leg
			-		
			-		
60		Roberts 8		-	175
			-		
			-		
			-		
			2		Square leg
61		Pope 15	-		177
			-		
		Spell	2		Mid on
		5-1-21-1	3		Mid off
			-		
62		Roberts 9		1	183 Square off
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
63	3.18	Wright 16	-		183
			1		Cover
			-		
			1		Cover
			4		Mid on
			-		189
64		Roberts 10		-	
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
	3.24		(W)		Workman 58 off 188 balls
			<u>Pepper</u>		4-189 Carmody run out, Wrkm runs for shot to cover,
					Crmdy slow in backing up, Hutton throw to Griffith,
					14 in 16 mins, 13 balls, 2 fours.
65	3.25	Wright 17		-	
			-		
			-		
			1		Square leg
			-		
66		Roberts 11		-	190
			-		
			-		
			-		
			1		Square leg
67		Wright 18	1		192 Mid off
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
68		Roberts 12		-	192
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		192 Workman 60 off 204 balls

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69		Wright 19	-		
		Spell	-		
		4-1-8-0	-		
			-		
			1	193	Square off
70		Roberts 13	-		
			4		Third man
	3.38	Spell	4		Mid off. Aus 201-4 in 205 mins
		8-2-21-0	1		Mid off. Pepper 11 off 19 balls
			-		
			-	202	
71	3.40	Pope 16	2		Square off
			2		Mid on
			1		Mid on
			-		
			-		
			- (2 lb)	209	
72		Pollard 18	2		Long leg. New ball.
			-		
			-		
			-		
			(2 b) -	213	
73		Pope 17	1		Square leg
			-		
			-		
			-		Pepper chance to Wright at short leg
			-	214	
74		Pollard 19	-		
			-		
			1		Long leg. Workman 62 off 213 balls
			-		
			-		
			2	217	Square leg
75		Pope 18	-		
			-		
			1		Square leg
			-		
			1		Mid on
			- (1 nb)		
			-	220	
76		Pollard 20	-		
			-		
			1		Pepper 22 off 41 balls
			-		
			-		
	3.59		W	5-221	Workman c Hammond head high at 1 <sup>st</sup> slip, 63 in 226 mins, 221 balls, 3 fours
			<u>Cheetham</u>		
77	4.00	Pope 19	-		
			4		Mid off
			-		
			-		
			-	225	
78		Pollard 21	-		
			-		
			3		Square leg
			-		
			-		
			-	228	
79		Pope 20	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	228	
80		Pollard 22	1		Square off
			-		
			-		
			-		
			1	230	Square off

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81	Pope 21	-	-	-	-	-
				1		
4.14		W			6-231	Pepper c Pollard silly mid on, 27 in 49 mins, 52 balls, 3 fours
		<u>Sismey</u>				
4.15		-			231	
4.16		Sismey 0	Cheetham 5			Aus 231-6 in 243 mins, 488 balls (incl.7 nb)
		1 m, 2 b	16 m, 17 b			

Australia need 99 to win.

Second Test 3rd Day

Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Sismey 0	Cheetham 5		Aus 231-6
82	4.35	Pollard 23		1		Long leg. Ran two but one short
				-		
				-		
				1	233	Long leg
83		Pope 22		-		Mid on
				4		
				-		
				2		Square leg
				-	239	
84		Pollard 24		-		
				-		
				-		
				-		
				-	239	
85		Pope 23		-		Third man
				4		
				-		
				1		Long leg
				-	244	
86		Pollard 25		-		
				-		
				-		
				-		
				-		
	4.51			W	7-244	Cheetham c Hammond, fences to 1 <sup>st</sup> slip, 18 in 32 mins, 39 balls, 2 fours
				<u>Williams</u>		
87	4.52	Pope 24		-		
				-		
				-		
				-		
				-	244	
88		Pollard 26		- (4 b)		
				-		
				1		Square leg
				-		
				-	249	Sismey 0 off 19 balls
89		Pope 25		-		
	5.00			1		Square off. Aus 250-7 in 268 mins
		Spell		-		
		10-2-26-1		-		
				1		Mid on
				-	251	
90		Pollard 27		-		
				-		
				1		Mid off
				-		
				-	252	
91	5.05	Wright 20		4		Mid on
				-		
				4		Long leg
				-		
				-	260	Sismey 10 off 31 balls

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92		Pollard 28	-			
	5.10		W	8-260	Williams lbw, 2 in 18 mins, 11 balls	
			<u>Price</u>			
	5.11		-			
			-			
			2		Long leg	
			-	262		
93		Wright 21	-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			1	263	Square off	
94		Pollard 29	3		Mid on	
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-	266		
95		Wright 22	-			
		Spell	-			
		3-0-12-0	-			
			-			
			3	269	Long leg	
96		Pollard 30	-			
		(1 nb)	-			
			-			
			-			
			-	270		
97		Pope 26	-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-	270		
98		Pollard 31	-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
	5.30		W	9-270	Sismey bld, 17 in 56 mins, 56 balls, 2 fours	
			<u>Ellis</u>			
	5.32		-			
99		Pope 27	-			
			-			
			2		Mid on	
			4		Mid on	
			-			
			-	276		
100		Pollard 32	-			
			-			
			1		Third man	
			-			
			3	280	Cover. 2 overthrows	
101		Pope 28	-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-	280		
102		Pollard 33	-			
			4		Third man	
		Spell	-			
		16-4-32-3	-			
			-			
			4	288	Third man	
103		Pope 29	-			
			-			
		Spell	-			
	5.46	3.4-2-6-1	W	10-288	Price bld, 11 in 35 mins, 34 balls, 1 four. Pollard leads England off the field	



Second Victory Test at Sheffield

**Ellis 9  
14 mins  
10 balls  
2 fours**

**Aus 288-10 all out in 313 mins, 619 balls (inc.8 nb).  
Edrich's 4<sup>th</sup> over contained only one ball**

England win by 41 runs with 44 mins to spare  
Crowd 6,017.

50,000 people were present during the three days and the receipts £7,311

**Australian Services second innings**

		Runs	Mins	Balls	4s/6s	Fall
R.S. Whittington	lbw b Wright	61	107	102	9	1-108
J.A. Workman	c Hammond (1 <sup>st</sup> slip) b Pollard	63	226	221	3	5-221
K.R. Miller	b Pollard	8	<b>19</b>	22	1	2-121
*A.L. Hassett	b Pope	32	<b>44</b>	59	5	3-171
D.K. Carmody	run out (Hutton/Griffith)	14	<b>16</b>	13	2	4-189
C.G. Pepper	c Pollard (silly mid on) b Pope	27	49	52	3	6-231
A.G. Cheetham	c Hammond (slip) b Pollard	18	<b>32</b>	39	2	7-244
+S.G. Sismey	b Pollard	17	<b>56</b>	56	2	<b>9-270</b>
R.G. Williams	lbw b Pollard	2	18	11	-	8-260
C.F. Price	b Pope	11	<b>35</b>	34	1	10-288
R.S. Ellis	not out	9	<b>14</b>	10	2	
Extras	(b 17, lb 6, nb 3)	<u>26</u>				
Total	(all out, for 10 wkts)	288	313	619		102.4 overs

All published scores wrongly state fall of 9<sup>th</sup> wkt at 280; this is demonstrable from the fact that last man Ellis scored 9 runs.

Bowling	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	nb	w
Pope	28.4	9	69	3	2*	-
Pollard	33	6	76	5	1*	-
Edrich+	4	1	13	0	-	-
Wright	22	6	50	1	-	-
Roberts	13	4	40	0	-	-
Hutton	2	0	14	0	-	-

+ Edrich's 4<sup>th</sup> over contained only one ball

Pope 1 nb scored off; Pollard 4 nb scored off

Aus 28.80 runs per wkt, 55.21 runs per hour, 46.53 runs per 100 balls, 2.81 runs per over

Eng 61.90 balls per wkt, 19 overs 4 balls per hour, 118.66 balls per hour

General election polling takes place on 5 July. Results will not be announced until service votes have been returned and counted.

**THIRD TEST at Lord's**

Radio commentator Michael Standing

**First Day – Saturday 14 July 1945**

Sir Pelham Warner, the England selector, invests in youth: Dewes, Carr and when Pope pulls out, White. Thunderstorm at 5.30am.

Raining at 11.30. England leave out J.D. Robertson. Hammond wins toss. Drizzle gets heavier. Covers stay on.

Umpires G. Beet, A. Fowler

**England First Innings**

Odd overs ] → .... from Pavilion End

Even overs ] ← .... from Nursery End

Australians come out at 12.10 greeted by sunshine

Third Test 1<sup>st</sup> day

Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
1	12.11	Williams 1	Hutton	Washbrook		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		0
2		Cheetham 1		4 (nb)		Hook to square leg
				-		
				-		
				-		
				-		
				-		4
3		Williams 2	1			Cover
				-		
				-		
				-		
				-		
				4		Hook to square leg
				-		
				-		9
4		Cheetham 2		1		Square off
				-		
				-		
				-		
				-		10
5		Williams 3		1		Square off
				-		
				-		
				-		
				-		11
6		Cheetham 3				
				-		
				-		
				-		
				-		
				-		11
7	12.30	Williams 4		W		Hutton 3 off 19 balls
				<u>Dewes</u>		1-11 Washbrook c Sismey wk wafting at off-side ball ct at
				-		second attempt, 8 in 20 mins, 19 balls, 2 fours
				-		Three slips for Dewes
				-		
				-		
				-		
				2		13 Fine leg
8		Cheetham 4				
				-		
				-		
				-		
				-		
				-		13
9		Williams 5		1		Third man
				-		
				-		
				1		Square off
				-		
				-		15

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10	Cheetham 5	-		
		2		Long leg.
		-		
		1		Mid on. Hutton 7 off 32 balls
		-		
		4	22	Slashing drive off full toss past extra cover
11	Williams 6	-		
		-		
		-		
		1		Cover
		1		Third man. Dewes 8 off 11 balls
12	Cheetham 6	-	24	
		1		Square off
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-	25	
13	Williams 7	-		
		- (1 nb)		
	Spell	-		
	7-2-12-1	-		
		-		
		-		
		-	26	
14	Cheetham 7	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		4	30	Forced to mid wkt
15	Pepper 1	-		
		3		Mid off
		-		
		-		
		-	33	
16	Cheetham 8	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-	33	
17	Pepper 2	-		
		1		Mid off
		-		
		2		Glance to fine leg
		-		
		-	36	Dewes 14 off 31 balls
18	Cheetham 9	4		Mid off
		1		Square off. Hutton 18 off 56 balls
	Spell	-		
	9-3-23-0	-		
		-		
		1	42	
19	Pepper 3	-		
		-		<i>Dewes almost plays on to top-spinner</i>
		-		
		-		
		-	42	
20	1.08 Ellis 1	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-	42	
21	Pepper 4	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-	42	

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22		Ellis 2	-			
			1			Mid on. Ran one short
			-			
			-			
			-			
23		Pepper 5	1	44		Mid off
			-			
			-			
		Spell	-			
		5-2-8-0	1			Mid off
			-			
			1 (nb)			Dewes 16 off 49 balls
24		Ellis 3	-	46		
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
25	1.20	Miller 1	-	46		
			1			Long leg
			-			
			-			Dewes struck on body
			-			
26		Ellis 4	-	47		
			-			
			1			Mid on. Hutton 23 off 78 balls
			-			
			-			
27		Miller 2	-	48		
			-			
	1.27		2			Head high ball glanced to fine leg. Eng 50-1 in 77 mins
			-			
			-			
28		Ellis 5	-	50		
			-			
			-			
		Spell	-			
		5-3-3-0	-			
			-			
			-			
	1.30		-	50		
		Hutton 25				Eng 50-1 in 79 mins, 171 balls (incl.3 nb)
		79 m, 84 b				
		Dewes 16				
		59 m, 68 b				

Third Test 1<sup>st</sup> day

Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Hutton 25	Dewes 16		Eng 50-1
29	2.10	Miller 3	-			
			-			
			5			To short cover. 4 overthrows to Tavern boundary
			-			
30		Cheetham 10	-			55
			-			
			-			
			-			
31		Miller 4	-			55
			-			
			-			
			4			59 Snick through slips
32		Cheetham 11	-			Cover. Hutton 31 off 96 balls
			1			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-			60

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33	2.20	Miller 5	-		
			(1 lb)	-	50 partnership in 69 mins
				-	
				-	
				-	61
34		Cheetham 12	-		
			(1 nb)	-	
				-	
				-	
				-	62
35		Miller 6	1		Cover. Dewes 21 off 85 balls
				-	
			1		Square leg
				-	
				-	
				-	64
36		Cheetham 13	3		Mid on
				-	
			2		Square leg
				-	
				-	
				-	69
37		Miller 7	-		
			1		Square off
				-	
			3		Third man. 1 overthrow
				-	
				-	73
38		Cheetham 14	-		
				-	
			1		Third man
			2		Mid on.
				-	
				-	76
39		Miller 8	-		Hutton 38 off 115 balls
				-	
				-	
	2.40		W	2-76	Dewes bld off stump, playing across fast ball, 27 in 89 mins, 102 balls, 2 fours
	2.41		<u>Hammond</u>		Lbw appeal
					Yorker well kept out
40		Cheetham 15	1		Square off
				-	
				-	<i>Lbw appeal</i>
				-	
				-	77
41		Miller 9	-		
				-	
				-	
			1		Cover
42		Pepper 6	1	79	Mid on. Miller dives and throws down batter's wicket
				-	
			2		
				-	
				-	81
43		Miller 10	-		
				-	
			1		Mid on
			1		Square leg
				-	
				-	83
44		Pepper 7	-		
			1		Square off
				-	
			1		Hutton 42 off 128 balls Mid on
				-	
				-	85

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45	2.52	Williams 8	2		Square off
			-		
			-		
			-		
			(nb) 1		Cover.
			-	88	Hammond 5 off 20 balls
46		Pepper 8	-		
			-		
			-		
			1		Square leg
			-		
47		Williams 9	1		89 Square off
			-		
			-		
			-		
			1	91	Cover
48		Pepper 9	-		
			-		
			1		Mid on
			-		
			1		Mid on
			-		
49		Williams 10	-		93
			-		
			-		
			-		
	3.10		4		Off drive past diving Miller. Hutton 52 in 139 mins,
			-	97	146 balls
50		Pepper 10	-		
			1		Mid off
			1		Third man
			-		
	3.11		1	100	Mid on. Hammond 9 off 36 balls. Eng 100-2 in 140
			-		mins
51		Williams 11	3		Mid on
			-		
			-		
			1		Mid on
			-	104	
52		Pepper 11	-		
			1		Mid on
			-		
			-		
			-		
53		Williams 12	1		105 Mid on
			-		
		Spell	1		Mid on
		5-0-15-0	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
54		Pepper 12	W	107	Hutton 56 off 158 balls
	3.20		<u>White</u>	3-107	Hammond st Sismey, jumping out deceived by flight,
			-		dipping leg break, 13 in 39 mins, 45 balls, 0 fours
	3.21		1		
			1		
			-		
			-		
55	3.24	Cristofani 1	-		109
			-		
			-		
			-		
			3	112	Third man, nearly decapitates Miller at silly point
56		Pepper 13	-		
			2		Third man
			-		
			1		Third man
			-		
			-	115	

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57		Cristofani 2	-		
			-		
			2		Mid on
			2		Cover
			-		
			-	119	
58	3.30	Pepper 14	-		Drinks
			1		Mid on
			-		
			-		
			1	121	Third man
59		Cristofani 3	-		
			2		Long leg
			-		
			3		Late cut. Hutton 73 off 183 balls
			-		
			-	126	
60		Pepper 15	-		
			1		Long leg
		Spell	-		
		10-0-24-1	1		Mid on
			4		Mid on
			-	132	
61		Cristofani 4	-		
			2		Long leg
			-		
			1		Square leg
			4		Mid off
			-	139	
62	3.45	Ellis 6	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	139	
63		Cristofani 5	-		
			-		
			2		Mid on
			4		Mid on
			-		
64		Ellis 7	(1 b)	146	Hutton 88 off 195 balls
			-		
			1		Mid off
			-		
			-		
			-	147	
65		Cristofani 6	1		Mid on
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	148	
66	3.55	Ellis 8	1		Mid on
			1		Mid off. Eng 150-3 in 184 mins
			-		
			-		
			1	151	Mid on
67		Cristofani 7	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			1	152	
68		Ellis 9	1		
			-		
			-		
			- (1 b)		White 7 off 35 balls
			-		
			-	154	

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69	Cristofani 8	-	-	1	Mid on
		-	-	1	Mid on
		-	-	1	Mid on
70	Ellis 10	-	-	157	Mid on
	Spell ??	1	-		Cover
	5-1-7-0	-	-		Mid on
		-	-	159	
71	Cristofani 9	1	-		Mid off
		-	-	1	Mid on
		1	-		Third man. Hutton 98 off 217 balls
4.10		W	-	4-162	White st Sismey sweeping to leg, 11 in 49 mins, 46 balls, 0 fours
4.11		<u>Edrich</u>	-		
		-	-	162	
72	Cristofani 10 ??	-	-		
	Spell	-	-		
	10-0-34-1	-	-		
		1	-		Mid on
		-	-	163	
4.15	Hutton 99	Edrich 0	-		Eng 163-4 in 204 mins, 437 balls (incl.5 nb)
	204 m, 222 b	4 m, 3 b	-		

Ferguson's running sheet initially recorded the 72nd over as Ellis 11, but then corrected it to Cristofani 10, and this correction accords with the published score. The MCC scorebook also places a line after Ellis's tenth and Cristofani's tenth over. But it seems incredible that Cristofani could finish one over and then bowl the next (from the opposite end?) with no mention of this in any of the reports. Is it possible that the home scorer made a mistake in attributing the 72<sup>nd</sup> over to Cristofani and that this error was accepted by Ferguson and adopted in the official scorebooks?

Third Test 1 <sup>st</sup> day						
Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Hutton 99	Edrich 0		Eng 163-4
73	4.35	Miller 11	1	-		Push square off Hutton 100 in 205 mins, 223 balls
			-	-		
			-	1		Third man
			1	-	166	Long leg.
74		Pepper 16	2	-		Mid on
			1	-		Mid on
			-	-		
			-	-	169	Edrich 1 off 11 balls
75	4.40	Miller 12	-	-	5-169	Hutton bld off stump, playing outside break back, 104 in 209 mins, 228 balls, 6 fours, 1 five
	4.43		W	-		Light poor
			<u>Carr</u>	-		Long leg
			2	-		
			2	-	173	Mid off
76		Pepper 17	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			1	-	174	Third man
77		Miller 13	1	-		Mid off
			-	-		
			-	-		
	4.50		W	-	6-175	Carr bld flicks leg bail, 4 in 7 mins, 8 balls, 0 fours. Carr unable to see ball against darkness of Pavilion
	4.51		<u>Griffith</u>	-		
78		Pepper 18	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			1	-	176	Third man



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79		Miller 14	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			4			
			-		180	Long leg Edrich 8 off 30 balls
80		Pepper 19	-			
			2			Mid on
		Spell	-			
		4-0-12-0	4			Mid off
			1			Mid on
			-		187	
81		Miller 15	-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-		187	Griffith 7 off 12 balls <i>Spots of rain</i>
82	5.00	Ellis 11	-			
			-			
			-			
			-		187	
83		Miller 16	-			
			1			Long leg
			-			
			3			Third man
			-		191	
84		Ellis 12	-			
			-			
			-			
			-		191	
85		Miller 17	-			
			-			
			1			Third man
			-			
			-		192	
86		Ellis 13	-			
			-			
			-			
			1			Third man. Griffith 10 off 23 balls
			2		195	Third man Square off
87		Miller 18	2			
			-			
		Spell	3			Mid off. Eng 200-6 in 244 mins
	5.15	8-1-22-2	-			
			-			
			-		200	Edrich 13 off 53 balls
88		Ellis 14	-			
			1			Mid off
		Spell	-			
		4-2-4-0	-			
			-			<i>Light improves</i>
			-		201	
89	5.17	Williams 13	(1 nb) -			New ball
			-			
			-			
			1			Mid on
			-			
			4			Square off
			1 (nb)		208	Square off
90	5.25	Cheetham 16	-			
			-			
			2 (nb)			
			-			
			-			
			-		210	

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91	Williams 14	1	-		
			-		
			-		
		1		212	Third man Griffith 18 off 35 balls
92	Cheetham 17	-	-		
			-		
			-		
			1		Cover Mid off
		4		217	
93	Williams 15	-	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	217	Edrich 22 off 81 balls
94	Cheetham 18	-	-		
			-		
			-		
		2			Mid off
		1		220	Long leg
95	Williams 16	-	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	220	Griffith 25 off 49 balls Square off
96	Cheetham 19	4	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	224	
97	Williams 17	-	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	224	Square leg
98	Ellis 15	2	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	226	Edrich 28 off 93 balls
99	Williams 18	-	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	226	
100	Ellis 16	-	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
		1		227	Mid on
		6			Drive to long on, into pavilion
101	Williams 19	3			Mid off
			-		
			-		
		1			Cover
			-	237	Edrich 38 off 102 balls
102	Ellis 17	-	-		
			-		
			-		
		4			Mid off
			-		
			-		
			-	241	Griffith 30 off 70 balls

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103	6.00	Cristofani 11	-	-	-	-	-	-
	6.05		W	7-241	Edrich lbw, 38 in 94 mins, 108 balls, 3 fours, 1 six			
			<u>Pollard</u>					
104		Ellis 18	-					
			1		Mid on			
			-					
			1		Mid off			
			1	247	Mid off			
105		Cristofani 12	-					
	6.10		4					
			W	8-248	Griffith c Pepper long on, 36 in 79 mins, 78 balls, 4 fours. Batsmen cross			
	6.11		<u>Roberts</u>					
			-					
			-	248				
106		Ellis 19	-					
			-					
			1					
			-					
			-	249				
107		Cristofani 13	-					
	6.15	Spell	W	9-249	Roberts bld, 1 in 4 mins, 6 balls			
		3-1-9-2	<u>Wright</u>					
	6.17		4					
			1					
			-	254				
108	6.20	Ellis 20	W	10-254	Wright lbw, 5 in 3 mins, 3 balls, 1 four			
		Spell						
		5.1-0-11-1						
			<b>Pollard 1</b>		<b>Eng 254-10 all out in 309 mins, 651 balls (incl.8 nb)</b>			
			<b>14 mins</b>					
			<b>8 balls</b>					

Heavy rain just after play stops.

The overs from 104 to 107 as corrected after comparing Ferguson with the MCC scorebook.

Storm on Saturday night, drenches the uncovered wicket.

England first innings

		Runs	Mins	Balls	4s/6s	Fall
L. Hutton	b Miller	104	209	228	6*	5-169
C. Washbrook	c Sismey (wk) b Williams	8	20	19	2	1-11
J.G. Dewes	b Miller	27	89	102	2	2-76
*W.R. Hammond	st Sismey b Pepper	13	39	45	-	3-107
L.R. White	st Sismey b Cristofani	11	49	46	-	4-162
W.J. Edrich	lbw b Cristofani	38	94	108	3/1	7-241
D.B. Carr	b Miller	4	7	8	-	6-175
+S.C. Griffith	c Pepper (long on) b Cristofani	36	79	78	4	8-248
R. Pollard	not out	1	14	8	-	
W.B. Roberts	b Cristofani	1	4	6	-	9-249
D.V.P. Wright	lbw b Ellis	5	3	3	1	10-254
Extras	(b 2, lb 1, nb 3)	6				
Total	(all out, for 10 wkts)	254	309	651		107.1 overs

\* Hutton 1 five

Bowling	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	nb	w
Williams	19	6	45	1	2*	-
Cheetham	19	4	47	0	1*	-
Pepper	19	2	44	1	-*	-
Ellis +	19.1	6	25	1	-	-
Miller	18	3	44	3	-	-
Cristofani +	13	1	43	4	-	-

\* Williams 2 nb scored off; Cheetham 2 nb scored off; Pepper 1 nb scored off

+ If the attribution of the 72<sup>nd</sup> over is incorrect, the figures should be

Bowling	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	nb	W
Ellis	20.1	6	26	1	-	-
Cristofani	12	1	42	4	-	-

Eng 25.40 runs per wkt, 49.32 runs per hour, 39.02 runs per 100 balls, 2.37 runs per over

Aus 65.51 balls per wkt, 20 overs 5 balls per hour, 126.41 balls per hour



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11		Williams 6	-		
			-		
			-		
			1		Cover
			1		Third man. Dewes 8 off 11 balls
			-	24	
12		Cheetham 6	1		Square off
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	25	
13		Williams 7	-		
			- (1 nb)		
		Spell	-		
		7-2-12-1	-		
			-		
			-		
			-	26	
14		Cheetham 7	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			4		Forced to mid wkt
15		Pepper 1	-	30	
			3		Mid off
			-		
			-		
			-	33	
16		Cheetham 8	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	33	
17		Pepper 2	-		
			1		Mid off
			-		
			2		Glance to fine leg
			-		
			-	36	Dewes 14 off 31 balls
18		Cheetham 9	4		Mid off
			1		Square off. Hutton 18 off 56 balls
		Spell	-		
		9-3-23-0	-		
			-		
			1	42	
19		Pepper 3	-		
			-		Dewes almost plays on to top-spinner
			-		
			-		
			-	42	
20	1.08	Ellis 1	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	42	
21		Pepper 4	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	42	
22		Ellis 2	-		
			1		Mid on. Ran one short
			-		
			-		
			1	44	Mid off

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23		<i>Pepper</i> 5	-			
		<i>Spell</i>	-			
		5-2-8-0	1		<i>Mid off</i>	
			-			
			1 (nb)		<i>Dewes 16 off 49 balls</i>	
			-	46		
24		<i>Ellis</i> 3	-			
			-			
			-			
			-	46		
25	1.20	<i>Miller</i> 1	-			
			1		<i>Long leg</i>	
			-			
			-		<i>Dewes struck on body</i>	
			-	47		
26		<i>Ellis</i> 4	-			
			-			
			1		<i>Mid on. Hutton 23 off 78 balls</i>	
			-			
			-	48		
27		<i>Miller</i> 2	-			
			-			
	1.27		2		<i>Head high ball glanced to fine leg. Eng 50-1 in 77 mins</i>	
			-			
			-	50		
28		<i>Ellis</i> 5	-			
			-			
		<i>Spell</i>	-			
		5-3-3-0	-			
			-			
	1.30		<i>Hutton</i> 25	<i>Dewes</i> 16		<i>Eng 50-1 in 79 mins, 171 balls (incl.3 nb)</i>
			79 m, 84 b	59 m, 68 b		
			-	50		
Third Test 1 <sup>st</sup> day [corrected?]						
<i>Ov</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Bowler</i>	<i>Batsman</i>	<i>Batsman</i>	<i>Team</i>	<i>Notes</i>
			<i>Hutton</i> 25	<i>Dewes</i> 16		<i>Eng 50-1</i>
29	2.10	<i>Miller</i> 3	-			
			-			
			5			<i>To short cover. 4 overthrows to Tavern boundary</i>
			-		55	
30		<i>Cheetham</i>	-			
		10	-			
			-			
			-		55	
31		<i>Miller</i> 4	-			
			-			
			-			
			4		59	<i>Third man</i>
32		<i>Cheetham</i>	-			
		11	1			<i>Cover. Hutton 31 off 96 balls</i>
			-			
			-		60	
33	2.20	<i>Miller</i> 5	-			
			(1 lb) -			<i>50 partnership in 69 mins</i>
			-			
			-		61	
			-			

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34	Cheetham 12	- - (1 nb)- - - - -			
35	Miller 6	1 - 1 - - -		62	Cover. Dewes 21 off 85 balls Square leg
36	Cheetham 13	3 - 2 - - -		64	Mid on Square leg
37	Miller 7	- 1 - 3 - -		69	Square off Third man. 1 overthrow
38	Cheetham 14	- - - 1 2 - -		73	Third man Mid on.
39	Miller 8	- - - - -		76	Hutton 38 off 115 balls
2.40		W		2-76	Dewes bld off stump, playing across fast ball, 27 in 89 mins, 102 balls, 2 fours
2.41		<u>Hammond</u>		-	Lbw appeal Yorker well kept out
40	Cheetham 15	1 - - - - -			Square off Lbw appeal
	Spell 6-2-10-0	- - - -		77	
41	Miller 9	- - - - 1			Cover
42	Pepper 6	1 - - 2 - - -		79	Mid on. Miller dives and throws down batter's wicket
43	Miller 10	- - - 1 1 - -		81	Mid on Square leg
44	Pepper 7	- - - 1 - 1 - -		83	Square off Hutton 42 off 128 balls Mid on
45	2.52 Williams 8	2 - - - - -		85	Square off
		(nb) 1 -		88	Cover . Hammond 5 off 20 balls

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46	Pepper 8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		1						Square leg	
		-							
47	Williams 9	1					89	Square off	
		-							
		-							
		1					91	Cover	
48	Pepper 9	-							
		1						Mid on	
		-							
		1						Mid on	
		-					93		
49	Williams 10	-							
		-							
		-							
	3.10	4						Mid off. Hutton 52 in 139 mins, 146 balls	
		-					97		
50	Pepper 10	-							
		1						Mid off	
		1						Third man	
		-							
		1							
	3.11	1					100	Mid on. Hammond 9 off 36 balls. Eng 100-2 in 140 mins	
51	Williams 11	3						Mid on	
		-							
		-							
		1						Mid on	
		-					104		
52	Pepper 11	-							
		1						Mid on	
		-							
		-							
		-					105		
53	Williams 12	1						Mid on	
		-							
	Spell	1						Mid on	
	5-0-15-0	-							
		-							
		-					107	Hutton 56 off 158 balls	
54	Pepper 12	W						Hammond st Sismey, jumping out deceived by flight,	
	3.20	<u>White</u>					3-107	dipping leg break,13 in 39 mins, 45 balls, 0 fours	
		-							
	3.21	1							
		1						Mid on	
		-							
		-					109		
55	3.24 Cristofani 1	-							
		-							
		-							
		-							
		3					112	Third man, nearly decapitates Miller at silly point	
56	Pepper 13	-							
		2						Third man	
		-							
		1						Third man	
		-							
		-					115		
57	Cristofani 2	-							
		-							
		2						Mid on	
		2						Cover	
		-							
		-					119		
	3.30	-						Drinks	



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58	<i>Pepper 14</i>	-			
		1		<i>Mid on</i>	
		-			
		-			
		1	121	<i>Third man</i>	
59	<i>Cristofani 3</i>	-			
		2		<i>Long leg</i>	
		-			
		3		<i>Late cut. Hutton 73 off 183 balls</i>	
		-			
		-	126		
60	<i>Pepper 15</i>	-			
		1		<i>Long leg</i>	
	<i>Spell</i>	-			
	<i>10-0-24-1</i>	1		<i>Mid on</i>	
		4		<i>Mid on</i>	
		-	132		
61	<i>Cristofani 4</i>	-			
		2		<i>Long leg</i>	
		-			
		1		<i>Square leg</i>	
		4		<i>Mid off</i>	
		-	139		
62	3.45 <i>Ellis 6</i>	-			
		-			
		-			
		-			
		-	139		
63	<i>Cristofani 5</i>	-			
		2		<i>Mid on</i>	
		4		<i>Mid on</i>	
		-			
64	<i>Ellis 7</i>	(1 b)-	146	<i>Hutton 88 off 195 balls</i>	
		1		<i>Mid off</i>	
		-			
		-			
		-	147		
65	<i>Cristofani 6</i>	1		<i>Mid on</i>	
		-			
		-			
		-			
		-	148		
66	3.55 <i>Ellis 8</i>	1		<i>Mid on</i>	
		1		<i>Mid off. Eng 150-3 in 184 mins</i>	
		-			
		-			
		1	151	<i>Mid on</i>	
67	<i>Cristofani 7</i>	-			
		-			
		-			
		-			
		1	152		
68	<i>Ellis 9</i>	1			
		-			
		- (1 b)		<i>White 7 off 35 balls</i>	
		-	154		
69	<i>Cristofani 8</i>	-			
		1		<i>Mid on</i>	
		-			
		1		<i>Mid on</i>	
		1	157	<i>Mid on</i>	

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70	Ellis 10	-	1		Cover
		1			Mid on
		-			
		-		159	
71	Cristofani 9	1	1		Mid off
		1			Mid on
	Spell	1			Third man. Hutton 98 off 217 balls
4.10	9-0-33-1	W		4-162	White st Sismey sweeping to leg, 11 in 49 mins, 46 balls, 0 fours
		<u>Edrich</u>			
4.11		-			
		-		162	
72	Ellis 11	-			
		-			
	Spell	-			
	6-1-8-0	-			
		1			Mid on
		-		163	
4.15		Hutton 99	Edrich 0		Eng 163-4 in 204 mins, 437 balls (incl.5 nb)
		204 m, 222 b	4 m, 3 b		

Ferguson's running sheet initially recorded the 72<sup>nd</sup> over as Ellis 11, but then corrected it to Cristofani 10, and this correction accords with the published score. But it seems incredible that Cristofani could finish one over and then bowl the next from the opposite end with no mention of this in any of the reports. I have surmised a resolution of this anomaly by keeping over 72 as Ellis 11 and changing over 88 from Ellis 11 to Cristofani 10.

Third Test 1<sup>st</sup> day [corrected?]

Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Hutton 99	Edrich 0		Eng 163-4
73	4.35	Miller 11	1			Push square off Hutton 100 in 205 mins, balls
			-			
			1			Third man
			1			Long leg.
			-		166	
74		Pepper 16	2			Mid on
			1			Mid on
			-			
			-		169	Edrich 1 off 11 balls
75	4.40	Miller 12	W		5-169	Hutton bld off stump, playing outside break back, 104 in 209 mins, 228 balls, 6 fours, 1 five
			<u>Carr</u>			Light poor
	4.43		-			Long leg
			2			
			-		173	Mid off
76		Pepper 17	-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			1		174	Third man
77		Miller 13	1			Mid off
			-			
			-			
	4.50		W		6-175	Carr bld flicks leg bail, 4 in 7 mins, 8 balls, 0 fours. Carr unable to see ball against darkness of Pavilion
			<u>Griffith</u>			
	4.51		-			
78		Pepper 18	-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			1		176	Third man
79		Miller 14	-			
			-			
			-			
			4			Long leg
			-		180	Edrich 8 off 30 balls

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80		<i>Pepper</i> 19	-		
		<i>Spell</i>	2		<i>Mid on</i>
		4-0-12-0	-		
			4		<i>Mid off</i>
			1		<i>Mid on</i>
			-	187	
81		<i>Miller</i> 15	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	187	<i>Griffith 7 off 12 balls</i>
82	5.00	<i>Cristofani</i> 10	-		
		<i>Spell</i>	-		
		1-1-0-0	-		
			-	187	
83		<i>Miller</i> 16	-		
			1		<i>Long leg</i>
			-		
			3		<i>Third man</i>
			-	191	
84		<i>Ellis</i> 12	-		
			-		
			-		
			-	191	
85		<i>Miller</i> 17	-		
			1		<i>Third man</i>
			-		
			-	192	
86		<i>Ellis</i> 13	-		
		<i>Spell</i>	-		
		2-1-3-0	-		
			1		<i>Third man. Griffith 10 off 23 balls</i>
			2	195	<i>Third man</i>
87		<i>Miller</i> 18	2		<i>Square off</i>
		<i>Spell</i>	-		
	5.15	8-1-22-2	3		<i>Mid off. Eng 200-6 in 244 mins</i>
			-		
			-	200	<i>Edrich 13 off 53 balls</i>
88		<i>Cristofani</i> 10	-		
			1		<i>Mid off</i>
		<i>Spell</i>	-		
		1-0-1-0	-		<i>Light improves</i>
			-	201	
89	5.17	<i>Williams</i> 13	(1 nb) -		<i>New ball</i>
			-		
			1		<i>Mid on</i>
			-		
			4		<i>Square off</i>
			1 (nb)		<i>Square off</i>
			-	208	
90	5.25	<i>Cheetham</i> 16	-		
			-		
			2 (nb)		
			-		
			-	210	
91		<i>Williams</i> 14	1		
			-		
			-		
			1		<i>Third man</i>
			-	212	<i>Griffith 18 off 35 balls</i>

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92	Cheetham 17	- - - 1		
		4	217	Cover Mid off
93	Williams 15	- - - - -		
			217	Edrich 22 off 81 balls
94	Cheetham 18	- - - - 2		
		1	220	Mid off Long leg
95	Williams 16	- - - - -		
			220	Griffith 25 off 49 balls Square off
96	Cheetham 19	4 - - - -		
	Spell 4-0-14-0		224	
97	Williams 17	- - - - -		
			224	Square leg
98	Ellis 15	2 - - - -		
			226	Edrich 28 off 93 balls
99	Williams 18	- - - - -		
			226	
100	Ellis 16	- - - - -		
		1	227	Mid on Drive to long on, into pavilion Mid off
101	Williams 19	6 3 - - 1		
	Spell 7-4-18-0		237	Cover Edrich 38 off 102 balls
102	Ellis 17	- - - 4 - -		
			241	Griffith 30 off 70 balls
103	6.00 Cristofani 11	- - - -		
	6.05	W Pollard	7-241	Edrich lbw, 38 in 94 mins, 108 balls, 3 fours, 1 six



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Third Test 2nd day						
Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Whittington	Workman		
1	11.30	Edrich 1	2			Square off
			4			Third man. Cut over heads of the three slips
			-			
			4			Third man
2		Pollard 1	1		11	Mid off
			-			
			-			
			1			Square off
			-			
			-			
3		Edrich 2	-		12	
			(1 nb) -			
			1			Square off
			-			
			-			
			2		16	Square leg
4		Pollard 2	-			
			-			
		Spell (off to change ends) 2-0-4-0	1	1		Square off
			(nb) 1			Mid on
			-			Whittington 15 off 16 balls
			-			
5		Edrich 3	1		19	Cover
			-			
		Spell 3-0-16-0	1			Mid on
			-			
			-			
6	11.46	Wright 1	-		21	
			-			
			-			
			- (2 lb)			
			-			
			-			
7	11.50	Pollard 3	-		23	
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
8		Wright 2	-		23	
			-			
			2			Third man
			-			
			-			
9		Pollard 4	-		25	
			2			Square leg
			-			
			-			
			-			
10		Wright 3	-	1	27	Third man
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
11		Pollard 5	-		28	
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-		28	

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12	Wright 4	1	-	Square off. Whittington 19 off 37 balls
			-	
			-	
			-	
	12.07	W	1-29	Workman c Edrich 1st slip, 7 in 37 mins, 37 balls, 0 fours
		<u>Cheetham</u>		
13	12.08 Pollard 6	-	2-29	Whittington bld, breakback, leg stump uprooted, 19 in 40 mins, 39 balls, 2 fours
	12.10	W		
		<u>Hassett</u>		
	12.12	2		Pull to mid wkt
		-		
		2		Mid on
		1	34	Mid off
14	Wright 5	-		
		-		
		-		
		1		Square off
		-	35	
15	Pollard 7	3		Mid on
		1		Mid on
		-		
		-		
		-	39	
16	Wright 6	-		
		-		
		-		
		2		Long leg
		-	41	
17	Pollard 8	-		
		(1 lb) -		
	Spell	-		
	6-2-17-1	1		Square off
		4		Square leg
		(nb) 1		Third man
		-	48	
18	Wright 7	-		
		1		Third man
		-		
		-		
	12.30	1		Mid off. Aus 50-2 in 60 mins
		-	50	Hassett 15 off 21 balls
19	12.31 Roberts 1	-		
		-		
	12.32	W	3-50	Cheetham bld, arm ball, 5 in 24 mins, 17 balls, 0 fours
		<u>Miller</u>		
	12.34	-		
		-		
		1	51	Mid off
20	Wright 8	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-	51	
21	Roberts 2	-		
		-		
		1		Mid off
		-		
		-	52	
22	Wright 9	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		2	54	Long leg

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23	Roberts 3	1	1	Cover
		1	1	Mid off
		-	-	Mid off
		2	-	
		-	59	Third man
24	Wright 10	-	-	
		-	-	
		1	1	Square off
		1	-	Square off
		-	-	
25	Roberts 4	-	61	
		-	-	
		-	-	
		1	-	Mid on
		-	62	
26	Wright 11	-	-	
		2	-	Mid on
		-	-	
		-	-	
		-	64	Hassett 25 off 46 balls
27	Roberts 5	-	-	
		-	-	
	Spell	-	-	
	5-1-8-1	-	-	
		-	-	
		-	64	
28	Wright 12	2	-	Square leg
		1	-	Hassett dropped by Pollard at short cover, one overthrow
		-	-	
		1	-	Mid off
		-	68	
		-	-	Hassett 28 off 50 balls
29	12.59 Pollard 9	-	-	
		-	-	
		- (1 nb)	-	
		-	-	
		2	-	Square leg
	1.02	W	4-71	Miller bld, sharp skidding breakback off bat or pads, 7 in 28 mins, 34 balls, 0 fours
		<u>Pepper</u>	-	
	1.04	- (1 nb)	-	
	1.05	W	5-72	Pepper lbw, stretching out to skidder, 0 in 1 min, 2 balls
		<u>Carmody</u>	-	
30	1.07 Wright 13	-	-	
		2	-	Long leg
		-	-	
		-	-	
		-	74	
31	Pollard 10	4	-	Square leg
		-	-	
		2	-	Third man
		2	-	Mid off
		-	82	
32	Wright 14	2	-	Mid on
		-	-	
		-	-	
		1	-	Square off
		-	-	
		-	85	
33	Pollard 11	-	-	
		-	-	
		1	-	Long leg
		-	-	
		-	86	



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34		Wright 15	-				
			1			Mid on	
				1		Mid on	
			-				
			-				
			-				88
35		Pollard 12	4			Long leg	
			-				
			-				
			-				
			-				92
36		Wright 16	1			Long leg	
			-				
		Spell	2			Mid on	
		16-2-30-1	1			Cover	
			-				
			-				96
1.30		Hassett 36	78 m, 72 b	Carmody 16	23 m, 20 b	Aus 96-5 in 120 mins, 221 balls (incl.5 nb)	
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<i>Ov</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Bowler</i>	<i>Batsman</i>	<i>Batsman</i>	<i>Team</i>	<i>Notes</i>	
			Hassett 36	Carmody 16		Aus 96-5	
37	2.10	Pollard 13					
				1			
							97
38		Edrich 4					
				1			
	2.25		3			Mid on. Aus 101-5 in 125 mins	
						Carmody dropped Wright silly mid on, running catch	
39		Pollard 14					
			1			Square off	
				2			
				4			
							108
40		Edrich 5	3			Mid on	
		Spell					
		2-0-7-0					
			(1 nb)				
							113
41		Pollard 15		4		Hassett 43 off 83 balls	
				2			
				1		Carmody 31 off 39 balls	
							120
42	1.16	Wright 17		1			
			4			Square leg	
			1			Hassett dropped by Washbrook at mid off, easy chance.	
						Washbrook hurts his thumb but stays on	
43		Pollard 16					
			1			Square leg	
							127
44		Wright 18					
							127
						Hassett 49 off 97 balls	

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45	2.35	Pollard 17	W	6-127	Carmody c White deep mid on, 32 in 48 mins, 45 balls, 4 fours. Batsmen cross
	2.36		<u>Cristofani</u>		
	2.37		-		
			2		Mid on. Hassett 51 in 105 mins, 99 balls
			1		Mid on
			-		
			2	132	Third man
46		Wright 19	1		Mid on
			1		Cristofani 3 off 3 balls
			-		
			-		
			3	137	Late cut. Third man
47		Pollard 18	-		
			-		
			4		Long leg
			2		Long leg
			-		
			1	144	Square off
48		Wright 20	2		Late cut. Third man
			-		
			-		
			-		
			1	147	Mid off
49		Pollard 19	2		Square leg
			-		
			-		
	2.52		W	7-149	Hassett lbw, 68 in 120 mins, 121 balls, 3 fours
	2.54		<u>Sismey</u>		
			2		Square leg
			-	151	
50		Wright 21	1		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	152	Third man
51		Pollard 20	4		
			-		
		Spell	2		Square off
		12-0-53-4	-		
			-		
			-	158	
52		Wright 22	-		
			-		
			-		
			1		Mid off
			1		Mid off
			-	160	Mid off
53	3.05	Roberts 6	2		
			-		
			-		
			4		Long leg
			-		
			-	166	
54		Wright 23	-		
			-		
			1		Third man
			-		
			-	167	
55		Roberts 7	-		
			-		
		Spell (off to change ends)	-		Possible chance to wk
		2-1-6-0	-		
			-	167	
56		Wright 24	-		
			-		
			1		Mid on
		Spell	-		
		8-1-19-0	-		
			-	168	

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57	3.15	Edrich 6	-		
			-		
			1		Square off. Cristofani 19 off 27 balls
			-		
58		Roberts 8	1	169	Cover
			-		
			-		
			-		
59		Edrich 7	-	170	
			-		
		Spell	-		
		2-0-2-0	-		
			-		
			1	171	Third man
60		Roberts 9	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
61	3.28	Carr 1	-	171	
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
62		Roberts 10	-	171	
			-		
			-		
			-		
			1	172	Cover
63		Carr 2	3		Third man
			-		
			1		Square off
			-		
			1	177	Mid on
64		Roberts 11	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			1	178	Mid off
65		Carr 3	-		
			-		
		Spell	4		Mid on
		3-1-10-0	1		Square off
			-		
			-		
66	3.40	Roberts 12	W	183	Sismey 5 off 41 balls
			<u>Williams</u>	8-183	Cristofani bld, drawing away, 32 in 64 mins, 61 balls, 3
	3.42		-		fours
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
67	3.43	Pollard 21	1	183	Mid on
			- (1 nb)		
			-		
			-		
			- (1 nb)		
			-		
			-		
68		Roberts 13	-	186	
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	186	



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2	Cheetham 1	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		1	2	Mid on
3	Miller 2	-		
		1		Third man
		-		
		1		Square leg
4	Cheetham 2	-	4	Hutton 3 off 13 balls
		2		Mid on
		-		
		-		
		- (1 nb)		
		-	7	
5	Miller 3	-		
		(2 lb) -		<i>2 lb somewhere in this over</i>
		2		Mid off
		-		
6	Cheetham 3	1	11	Square off. Edrich 4 off 11 balls
		-		
		-		
		-		
7	Miller 4	2	12	Square leg
		-		
		3 (nb)		Mid on
		1		Long leg. Hutton 6 off balls
		-		
		3		Third man
		-	21	
8	Cheetham 4	-		
		-		
	Spell	1		Long leg
	4-0-7-0	-		
		2		Mid on
		-	24	
9	Miller 5	1		Long leg
		-		
		-		
		-		
10	4.48 Pepper 1	-	25	
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-	25	<i>Miller fastest spell of bowling since Larwood</i>
11	Miller 6	-		
		-		
	Spell	-		
	6-0-17-0	-		
		1		Square off
		1	27	Square off. Edrich 15 off 27 balls
12	Pepper 2	4		Mid off
		-		
		-		
		2		Third man
		1	34	
13	4.55 Williams 1	-		
		1		Third man
		1		Mid on. Hutton 10 off 40 balls
		-		
		-		
		-	36	

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14	Pepper 3	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
15	Williams 2	3	36	Mid off
		-		
		(nb) 1		Mid on
		-		
		2		Third man
		-	42	Edrich 28 off 42 balls
16	Pepper 4	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
17	Williams 3	2	42	Square leg
		-		
	Spell	-		
	3-0-10-0	-		
		-		
		-	44	
18	Pepper 5	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		1	45	Mid on. Hutton 12 off 61 balls
19	5.10	4		Mid on
	5.12	3		Mid off. Eng 52-1 in 52 mins
		1		Square leg
		-		
		-		
		1	54	Mid on
20	Pepper 6	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		1	55	Long leg
21	Cristofani 2	-		
		-		
		-		
		1		Mid on
		-		
		-	56	
22	Pepper 7	-		
		-		
		-		
		1		Long leg. Hutton 23 off 80 balls
		1		Long leg. Edrich 32 off 52 balls
		-	58	
23	Cristofani 3	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		2	60	Third man
24	Pepper 8	4		Mid on
		-		
	Spell	-		
	8-3-18-0	2		Mid on
		1		Third man
		-	67	
25	Cristofani 4	-		
		1		Mid on
		-		
		4		Mid on
		-		
		-	72	

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26	5.27	Ellis 1	-		
		Spell (off to change ends)	2		Mid on
		1-0-3-0	1		Mid on
27		Cristofani 5	-	75	
		Spell	1		Mid off. Hutton 35 off 95 balls
		5-0-19-0	-		
			1		Square leg. Edrich 39 off 67 balls
28	5.35	Whittington 1	-	77	Third man
		Spell	-		
			-		
			-		
29		Ellis 2	-	78	
			-		
			-		
			-		
30		Cristofani 6	-	78	
		(1 lb)	-		
			-		
			-		
31		Ellis 3	-	79	
			1		Mid off
			-		
			1		Square leg
			1		Third man
32		Cristofani 7	-	82	
			1		Mid on. Hutton 38 off 109 balls
			-		
			-		
			-		
33		Ellis 4	-	83	
			1		Mid on
			-		
			-		
			1	85	Mid on
34		Cristofani 8	-		
			1		Mid on
			-		
			-		
			1	87	Mid on. Hutton 40 off 15 balls
35		Ellis 5	-		
		Spell	1		Mid on
		4-1-6-0	-		
			-		
			-	88	Edrich 43 off 93 balls
36		Cristofani 9	-		
			-		
			-		
			1		Mid on
			-		
37	5.52	Miller 7	1	90	Mid on
			-		
			-		
			4		Square leg
			-		
			1	95	Mid on

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38	Cristofani 10	-	-		
6.00		1		Mid off. Edrich 50 in 98 mins, 104 balls	
		-			
		2		Third man	
		-		98	
39	Miller 8	-			
6.02		2		Long leg. Eng 100-1 in 102 mins	
		1		Square leg. 100 partnership in 100 mins	
		-			
		-		101	
40	Cristofani 11	-			
		-			
		-			
		1		Mid off	
		-		102	Hutton 44 off 128 balls
41	Miller 9	4		Mid on	
6.08		W		2-106	Edrich bld by late outswinger from outside leg to middle stump, 58 in 106 mins, 116 balls, 4 fours
6.10		<u>Griffith</u>			
		-			
		-		106	
42	Cristofani 12	-			
6.13		1		Mid on	
6.14		W		3-107	Griffith c Pepper popped up to silly mid off, 0 in 3 mins, 4 balls
		<u>Pollard</u>			
		1			
		-			Long leg
		-		108	
43	Miller 10	-			
		1			Square off
	Spell 4-0-16-2	-			
		1			Long leg
		-			
		2		112	Mid on
44	Cristofani 13	-			
		-			
		-			
		-			
		-		112	
45	6.20 Pepper 9	1		Mid on	
		1		Mid on	
		-			
		1			Long leg
		-		115	
46	Cristofani 14	-			
		1			Mid on
		-			
		1			Square off
		-		117	
47	Pepper 10	-			
		1			Square leg
	Spell 2-0-4-0	-			
		-			
		-		118	
48	Cristofani 15	-			
		-			<i>Hutton snick hard and wide to Sismey's thumb</i>
		-			
	Spell 10-3-13-1	-			
		-		118	
6.30		Hutton 49	Pollard 7		Eng 118-3 in 130 mins, 291 balls (incl.3 nb)
		130 m, 153 b	16 m, 16 b		



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**Third Day – Tuesday 17 July**

The Allied conference begins at Potsdam with Churchill, Truman and Stalin.  
 England lead by 178 with 7 wkts left.

Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Hutton 49	Pollard 7		Eng 118-3
49	11.30	Miller 11	-	-		
			-	2		Mid on
			-	-	120	
50		Cristofani 16	2	-		Mid off. Hutton 51 in 133 mins, 154 balls
			-	-		
			-	-	122	
51	11.35	Miller 12	-	W	4-122	Pollard bld playing across fast ball, 9 in 21 mins, 24 balls, 0 fours
	11.36		-	<u>White</u>		
			-	-		
			-	-	122	
52		Cristofani 17	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-	122	
53		Miller 13	-	1		Mid on
			1	-		Long leg
			-	-		
			-	-	124	
54		Cristofani 18	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-	124	Hutton 52 off 172 balls
55		Miller 14	-	2		White dropped by Williams in gully
			-	1	127	
56	11.48	Cristofani 19	-	W	5-127	White lbw, 4 in 12 mins, 16 balls, 0 fours
	11.50		-	<u>Carr</u>		
			-	1		Mid on
			-	-	128	
57		Miller 15	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-	128	
58		Cristofani 20	-	1		Mid off. Hutton 53 off 176 balls
	11.56		-	W	6-129	Carr c Pepper, silly mid off, 1 in 6 mins, 11 balls
	11.58		-	<u>Washbrook</u>		Washbrook has large bandage on his thumb
			1	-	130	Square off
59		Miller 16	-	1		Cover
		Spell 6-2-9-1	1	-		Cover
			-	-		Having strained his back Miller bowls last three balls off shorter run
			-	-	132	

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60		Cristofani 21	- - - - -		
61	12.05	Ellis 6	- 1 1 - - -	132	Square leg Mid on Miller leaves field. 12 <sup>th</sup> man Stanford comes on
62		Cristofani 22	1 - - - -	134	Third man
63		Ellis 7	- - - - 2 1	135	Third man
64		Cristofani 23	- - - 1 -	138	Mid on. Hutton 59 off 192 balls
65		Ellis 8	- 1 - 1 -	139	Mid off Square leg
66		Cristofani 24	- - - - 1 -	142	Mid off
67		Ellis 9	- - - 1 -	143	Third man
68		Cristofani 25	- - 1 - -	144	Mid off. Hutton 64 off 210 balls
69		Ellis 10	- - - - 1 -	145	Long leg
70		Cristofani 26	- - 1 - 1 -	146	Mid off
71	12.30	Ellis 11	1 1 - - - -	149	Mid on Mid off
				150	Square off Mid off. Eng 150-6 in 190 mins
					Washbrook 5 off 33 balls

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72	Cristofani 27	-	-		
12.32		W		7-150	Hutton c Sismey wk, edged cut, Sismey almost over the stumps, 69 in 192 mins, 226 balls, 2 fours
12.34		<u>Roberts</u>			
		-			
		-			
73	Ellis 12	-	-		
		-	1		Square leg
12.37		W		8-151	Roberts bld, 0 in 3 mins, 4 balls
		<u>Wright</u>			
12.38		1		152	Square leg
74	Cristofani 28	-	-		
		-	-		
		-	-		
		-	-	152	
75	Ellis 13	1	1		Square off
		1			Square leg
		-	-		
		1			Square off
		-	-	155	
76	Cristofani 29	-	1		Square off
		-	-		
		-	-		
		4		160	Loose ball pulled to mid on
77	Ellis 14	-	-		
	Spell	-	-		
	9-0-20-1	4			Loose ball hit to long leg
		-	-		
		-	-	164	
78	Cristofani 30	-	-		
12.50	Spell	W		9-164	Wright c Hassett popped up to short leg, 6 in 12 mins, 16 balls, 1 four. Hammond does not come out
	14.3-5-17-4				Eng 164-9 all out in 210 mins, 468 balls (inc.3 nb)
			Washbrook 13		
			52 mins		
			49 balls		
			1 four		

England second innings

		Runs	Mins	Balls	4s/6s	Fall
L. Hutton	c Sismey (wk) b Cristofani	69	192	226	2	7-150
J.G. Dewes	b Miller	0	1	2	-	1-1
W.J. Edrich	b Miller	58	106	116	4	2-106
+S.C. Griffith	c Pepper (silly mid off) b Cristofani	0	3	4	-	3-107
R. Pollard	b Miller	9	21	24	-	4-122
L.R. White	lbw b Cristofani	4	12	16	-	5-127
D.B. Carr	c Pepper (silly mid off) b Cristofani	1	6	11		6-129
C. Washbrook	not out	13	52	49	1	
W.B. Roberts	b Ellis	0	3	4		8-151
D.V.P. Wright	c Hassett (short leg) b Cristofani	6	12	16	1	9-164
*W.R. Hammond	Absent ill					
Extras	(lb 3, nb 1)	4				
TOTAL	(all out, for 9 wkts)	164	210	468		77.3 overs

Bowling	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	nb	w
Miller	16	2	42	3	-*	-
Cheetham	4	0	7	0	1	-
Pepper	10	3	22	0	-	-
Williams	3	0	10	0	-*	-
Cristofani	29.3	8	49	5	-	1
Ellis	14	1	29	1	-	-
Whittington	1	0	1	0	-	-

\* Miller 1 nb scored off; Williams 1 nb scored off

Eng 18.22 runs per wkt, 46.86 runs per hour, 35.04 runs per 100 balls, 2.12 runs per over  
Aus 52.00 balls per wkt, 22 overs 1 ball per hour, 133.71 balls per hour

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**Australia Second Innings**

Odd overs ] → .... from Pavilion End

Even overs ] ← .... from Nursery End

Australia need 225 to win in 270 mins (or 300 mins)

Third Test 3rd day						
Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman Whittington	Batsman Workman	Team	Notes
1	1.00	Pollard 1	-	-		Whittington almost bowled. <i>Five slips</i>
	1.01		W		1-0	Whittington c Griffith wk, 0 in 1 min, 2 balls
	1.03		<u>Sisney</u>			Nearly a catch to Edrich at 2 <sup>nd</sup> slip
			-			Sisney plays and misses
			-			Yorker
2		Edrich 1	1		1	Third man
			-			<i>Five slips</i>
			-			Mid off
			1	1		Cover
			-			
3		Pollard 2	-	-		3
			-			
			4			Mid off. All run
			- (1 nb)			
			- (1 nb)			
			-			
			-			
4		Edrich 2	1	3		9
			-			Long leg
			-			Square leg
			-			
			-			13
5		Pollard 3	-	-		
			1			Long leg
			-			
			1			Mid on
			-			
6		Edrich 3	-	-		15
			1			Square off
		Spell	-			
		3-0-8-0	-			
			1			Long leg
			-			17
7		Pollard 4	-	-		
			1			Mid on
			-			
			2			Square leg
			(nb) 2			Mid off
			-			
			-			22
8		Wright 1	-	-		
			-			
			-			
			-			
			1			Third man
			1		24	Square leg
	1.30		Sisney 10	Workman 12		Aus 24-1 in 30 mins, 51 balls (incl.3 nb)
			27 m, 25 b	30 m, 24 b		

Miller being treated by masseur, will bat if necessary. Australia need 201 in 240 or 270 mins

Third Test 3rd day						
Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
9	2.10	Pollard 5	Sisney 10	Workman 12		Aus 24-1
			(1 lb) -			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-			25

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10	Wright 2	1	-	Mid off
			-	
			-	
			1	27
11	Pollard 6	2	-	Third man
			1	Mid on
			-	
			-	
12	Wright 3	-	-	30
			1	Square off
		4	-	Long leg
		1	-	Cover
13	Pollard 7	-	-	36
			-	
			-	
			-	
14	Wright 4	-	-	36
			-	
			- (1 lb)	
			-	
			-	
15	Pollard 8	-	-	37
			-	
			-	
			-	
16	Wright 5	-	-	37 Workman 17 off 49 balls
		1	-	Square leg
			-	
			2	40 Third man
17	Pollard 9	-	-	
			2	Delicate square cut
	Spell	(nb) 2	-	Square leg
	9-3-21-1	2	-	Delicate late cut to third man
			-	
18	Wright 6	-	-	46 Sismey 23 off 51 balls
			3	Third man
			-	
			1	50 Long leg. Aus 50-1 in 60 mins
19	2.41 Roberts 1	-	-	
			-	
			1	Mid off. 50 partnership
			-	51
20	Wright 7	1	-	
			- (1 lb)	
			-	
			1	
21	Roberts 2	1	-	55
			-	
	Spell (off to		-	
	change		-	
	ends)		-	
	2-1-1-0		-	55 Workman 21 off 65 balls

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22		Wright 8	1		Sismey 30 off 64 balls
		Spell	-		
		8-1-21-0	-		
			-		
23		Edrich 4	2	56	Third man
			-		
			-		
			-		
24	2.55	Roberts 3	(3 lb)-	61	
			4		Square leg
			-		
			-		
25		Edrich 5	-	65	
			-		
			2		Cover
			-		
26		Roberts 4	-	67	
			-		
			-		
			-		
27		Edrich 6	-	67	
		Spell	2		Long leg
		3-0-11-0	1		Square off
			3		Mid off
28		Roberts 5	1	74	Mid on
			-		
			-		
			-		
29	3.05	Wright 9	-	74	Workman 27 off 87 balls
			-		
			-		
			-		
30		Roberts 6	-	74	Sismey 39 off 89 balls
			-		
			1		Cover
31		Wright 10	4	79	Square leg
			-		
			2		Long leg. One short run
			1		Square leg. Sismey 44 off balls
	3.15		-		
32	3.16	Roberts 7	W	2-82	Workman bld, leg break hits off stump, 30 in 95 mins,
			<u>Hassett</u>		97 balls, 1 four
			-		
			-		
			1		Mid off
33		Wright 11	-	83	
			-		
			-		
			4		Late cut to third man
			-	87	Sismey 49 off 102 balls

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34	Roberts 8	-		
		2		Third man
		-		
		-		
		1		90
35	Wright 12	1		Square off Cover
	Spell	-		
	4-1-10-1	-		
	3.25	1		Mid off. Sismey 50 in 102 mins, 106 balls
36	Roberts 9	1		93 Square leg
	Spell	-		
	7-3-13-0	-		
		-		
		-		93
37	3.30 Pollard 10	-		
		1		
		-		
		1		95
38	3.33 Wright 13	-		
		-		
		1		
		-		
		-		96
39	Pollard 11	-		
		- (1 nb)		
		-		
		- (2 lb)		
	3.40	1		Mid off. Aus 100-2 in 120 mins
		-		
40	Wright 14	-		100
		-		
		1		Cover.
		-		
		-		101
41	Pollard 12	3		Third man. Hassett 12 off 30 balls
	3.45	W		3-104 Sismey lbw, straight ball, 51 in 122 mins, 118 balls, 4
		Miller		fours
	3.46	-		Miller has recovered from back trouble
		-		
		-		Miller almost bld off pads on leg side
		-		
42	Wright 15	-		
		-		
		-		
		1		Square off
43	Pollard 13	4		109 Off drive straight
		-		
		-		
		-		
		1		110
44	Wright 16	4		Mid on Long leg
		-		
		-		
		- (1 nb)		
		- (2 lb)		
		-		117
45	Pollard 14	-		
		-		
	Spell	4		Off drive straight
	5-0-14-0	2		Square leg
		-		
		1		124 Square off. Miller 13 off 11 balls

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46	Wright 17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		1						Mid off	
47	Carr 1	-	1	126				Mid off. Hassett 19 off 49 balls	
		1						Mid off	
		1						Mid off	
		-							
48	Wright 18	-		128					
		1						Mid off	
		-							
49	Carr 2	-		131					
		-							
		-							
		-							
50	Wright 19	-		131					
		-							
	Spell	1						Mid off	
	7-0-19-0	-							
		-							
51	Carr 3	4		136				Cover drive	
		-							
		-							
		-							
		-							
		-							
	4.15	Miller 18	Hassett 21	136				Aus 136-3 in 155 mins, 312 balls (incl.6 nb)	
		29 m, 29 b	59 m, 66 b						

Australia need 89 in 120 or 150 mins

Third Test 3rd day

Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Miller 18	Hassett 21		Aus 136-3
52	4.30	Edrich 7	-			
			1			Long leg
		Spell				
		1-0-5-0		- (1 lb)		
			4		142	Square off
53		Pollard 15	-			
			1			Mid off
			-			
			-			
			1		144	Mid on
54	4.37	Wright 20	1			Mid on
			1	1		Mid off
			1			Mid off
			-			
			-		147	
55		Pollard 16	1			Square off
			-			
			1			Mid on
			-			
			2		151	Square leg. Miller 29 off 43 balls. Aus 151-3 in 168 mins
56	4.43	Wright 21		W	4-151	Hassett c Edrich hard drive diving left handed catch at
	4.45			Pepper		silly mid off, 24 in 74 mins, 77 balls, 1 four
	4.46					
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-		151	



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57	Pollard 17	4 1		Mid off Mid off
		-		
		3		Long leg
		-	159	
58	Wright 22	- - 1		Mid on
		-		
		-	160	
59	Pollard 18	- -		
	Spell 4-0-22-0	3		Mid on Mid off
	5.00	4 1	168	Miller hook dropped by Dewes at deep sq leg, sun in eyes
60	Wright 23	- 4		Long leg
		-		
		-	172	Miller 43 off 58 balls
61	5.04 Carr 4	- - 1		Mid off
		-		
		1	174	Mid off
62	Wright 24	- - -		
		-	174	
63	Carr 5	- - 6 1		Drive to long off into Pavilion Mid off
		-	181	
64	Wright 25	- 1		Third man
	Spell 6-2-9-1	- -		
		-	182	
65	Carr 6	- 1		Mid off
	Spell 3-0-11-0	- -		
		1	184	Mid off
66	5.15 Roberts 10	- 1		Mid off Mid off
		1		
		-	186	Miller 46 off 81 balls
67	Edrich 8	- -		
	5.20	W	5-186	Pepper lbw 18 in 34 mins, 31 balls, 0 fours, 1 six
	5.21	<u>Carmody</u>		
		-	186	
68	Roberts 11	- -		
		-		
	5.25	4	190	Long leg. Miller 50 in 84 mins, balls

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69	Edrich 9	1		Square off
		-		
		-		
		1		Long leg
		-		
		-	192	
70	Roberts 12	1		Mid off. Miller 52 off 91 balls
	5.30	W	6-193	Carmody c Edrich close cover, 1 in 9 mins, 6 balls
		<u>Cheetham</u>		
	5.32	-		
		-		
		-	193	
71	Edrich 10	-		
		-		
	Spell	3		Third man
	3-1-5-1	-		
		-		
		-	196	
72	Roberts 13	1		Mid off
		-		
	Spell	-		
	4-0-10-1	-		
		-		
		2	199	Mid off
73	Pollard 19	(1 nb) -		New ball
		2		Third man
		-		
		-		
		1		Mid off. Miller 59 off 100 balls
		-		
		1	204	Cheetham 3 off 14 balls
74	5.43 Edrich 11	2		Mid on
		-		
		1		Square cover
		4		Mid on
		-		
		-	211	
75	Pollard 20	-		
		-		
		-		
		- (2 lb)		
		-		
		-	213	
76	Edrich 12	-		
		-		
	Spell	-		
	2-0-8-0	-		
		-		
		1	214	Third man
77	Pollard 21	-		
		-		
	Spell	3		Mid on
	3-1-14-0	3		Glance to long leg
		(nb) 2		Skied shot
		2		Late cut to third man
	5.55	(1 b) -	225	Short ball bounces over wk's head. Players walk off. A policeman fields as crowds swarm on. But it is credited as only 1 bye.
				Aus 225-6 in 240 mins, 470 balls (incl.8 nb)
		Miller 71	Cheetham 9	
		114 mins	23 mins	
		115 balls	24 balls	
		9 fours	0 fours	

Australia win by 4 wkts

Third Victory Test at Lord's

**Australian Services second innings**

		Runs	Mins	Balls	4s/6s	Fall
R.S. Whittington	c Griffith (wk) b Pollard	0	1	2	-	1-0
J.A. Workman	b Wright	30	95	97	1	2-82
+S.G. Sismey	lbw b Pollard	51	122	118	4	3-104
*A.L. Hassett	c Edrich (silly mid off) b Wright	24	<b>74</b>	77	1	4-151
K.R. Miller	not out	71	114	115	9	
C.G. Pepper	lbw b Edrich	18	34	31	-/1	5-186
D.K. Carmody	c Edrich (close cover) b Roberts	1	9	6	-	6-193
A.G. Cheetham	not out	9	23	24	-	
Extras	(b 1, lb 15, nb 5)	<u>21</u>				
TOTAL	(for 6 wkts)	225	240	470		77 overs

D.R. Cristofani, R.G. Williams and R.S. Ellis did not bat

Bowling	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	nb	w
Pollard	21	4	71	2	4*	-
Edrich	12	1	37	1	-	-
Wright	25	4	59	2	1	-
Roberts	13	4	24	1	-	-
Carr	6	2	13	0	-	-

\* Pollard 3 nb scored off

Aus 37.50 runs per wkt, 56.25 runs per hour, 47.87 runs per 100 balls, 2.92 runs per over  
 Eng 78.33 balls per wkt, 19 overs 1½ balls per hour, 117.50 balls per hour

**FOURTH TEST at Lord's**

Britain has a new government, The results announced on 26 July gave a shock landslide victory for the Labour Party: 393 seats to Conservatives 213. The new Prime Minister will be Clement Attlee, a keen cricket lover (who attends the match; see Australian War Memorial photo [www.awm.gov.au/collection/C281534](http://www.awm.gov.au/collection/C281534)).

**First Day – Monday 6 August**

Radio commentator Rex Alston

Australia win the toss.

Umpires G. Beet, A. Fowler

Sunshine.

**Australia First Innings**

Odd overs ] → .... from Pavilion End

Even overs ] ← .... from Nursery End

Fourth Test 1st day						
Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Whittington	Workman		
1	11.30	Pope 1	-	-		One slip, gully, 3 short legs
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			1	-	1	Long leg
2		Pollard 1	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			4	-	5	Square cut
3		Pope 2	-	-		Gates closed with many locked out. Police pack hundreds of spectators into available spaces.
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			1	-	5	Cover. Whittington 6 off 13 balls
4		Pollard 2	-	- (1 nb)		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			1	-	8	Mid off
5		Pope 3	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			- (1 lb)	-	9	
6		Pollard 3	2	-		Mid off
			-	-		
			3	-		Mid off
			1	-		Square off. Whittington 7 off 14 balls
	11.50		W	-	1-15	Workman lbw, on front foot, ball comes straight through, pace off pitch, 6 in 20 mins, 23 balls, 0 fours
7	11.51	Pope 4	-	-		
			(1 lb) -	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-	16	
8		Pollard 4	2	-		Mid on
			1	-		
			-	-		
			- (1 nb)	-		
			1	-	21	Long leg
9		Pope 5	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			2	-		Long leg
			-	-	23	

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10		Pollard 5	4		Square cut edged high over slips
		Spell	1		Square off. Whittington 15 off 23 balls
		5-0-21-1	-		
			-		
11		Pope 6	-	28	
			1		Mid off
			-		
			-		
12	12.07	Wright 1	-	29	Sismey 3 off 20 balls
			-		
			1		Square off
			-		
13		Pope 7	-	30	
		Spell	-		
		7-3-5-0	-		
			1		Third man
14		Wright 2	1	31	Mid off. Whittington 19 off 35 balls
			-		
			-		
			-		
15	12.15	Pollard 6	-	32	Sismey 3 off 28 balls
			-		
			-		
			-		
16		Wright 3	-	32	
			-		
			-		
			-		
17		Pollard 7	- (1 lb)	33	
			-		
			-		
			-		
18		Wright 4	-	33	
			1		Cover
			-		
			-		
19		Pollard 8	-	34	
		Spell	-		
		3-2-1-0	-		
			1		Cover. Whittington 21 off 49 balls
20		Wright 5	-	35	
			1		Square off
			-		
			1		Square leg. Robertson throws wide to wk with
21	12.34	Edrich 1	-	37	Whittington short of crease. Sismey 4 off 46 balls
			4		Lofted drive over mid off, all run
			-		
			-		
			-	41	

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22		Wright 6	2			Square off
			-			
			1			Square off
			-			
			-			
23		Edrich 2	-			44
			(2 lb) -			
		Spell	1			Cover
		2-0-5-0	-			
			-			
			-			
24		Wright 7	-			47
			2			Third man
		Spell	-			
		7-1-10-0	-			
			-			
			-			
25		Pope 8	-			49
			1			Whittington 28 off 65 balls
12.47			-			Square leg. Aus 50-1 in 77 mins
			3			53
12.48	Rain,	Whittington	31	Sismey 9		Aus 53-1 in 78 mins, balls (incl.2 nb)
			78 m, 67 b	60 b		

Deluge then thunder clap sounding like a doodle-bug explosion

Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman Whittington	Batsman Sismey 9	Team	Notes
			31	-		Aus 53-1
25	1.22	Pope 8		-	53	
		ctd		-		
26		Pollard 9	4			Square cut over point's head
			4			Cover
			2			Cover, stopped on boundary by Hutton
			-			
			-			
			1		64	Long leg
27		Pope 9	-			
			-			
			-			
			1			
			-			
			-		65	
1.30			Whittington 43	Sismey 9		Aus 65-1 in 86 mins, 163 balls, (incl.2 nb)
			86 m, 77 b	65 m, 64 b		

Crowd 30,236 paid. 12 rows around grass. Clouds in western sky.

Fourth Test 1st day

Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman Whittington	Batsman Sismey 9	Team	Notes
			43			Aus 65-1
28	2.11	Pollard 10	-			
			-			
			1			Long leg
			-			
			2			Mid off
			-		68	
29		Pope 10	-			
			2			Cut to cover
			-			
	2.17		W		2-70	Whittington c Hutton, rising ball popped to fwd short leg, 46 in 92 mins, 84 balls, 4 fours
	2.19		Hassett			
			-		70	
30		Pollard 11	-			
			-			
			-			
			-			
			-		70	

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31	Pope 11	-		
		-		
		-		
		4		74
		-		Lofts bumper over mid wkt
32	Pollard 12	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		74
33	Pope 12	-		
		3		Lofts bumper over mid wkt
		3		Square leg. Sismey 14 off 80 balls
		-		
		-		80
34	Pollard 13	-	1	Long leg
		2		Mid on
	Spell	-		
	5-2-17-0	-		
		-		
		-		83
35	Pope 13	-	(4 b)	
		-		
		-	(4 b)	
		-		
		-		91
36	Wright 8	-		
		4		Square leg
		3		Mid on
		-		
		-		98
37	Pope 14	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		98
38	Wright 9	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		98
39	Pope 15	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		98
40	2.47 Wright 10	-	2	98
		-	3	Square leg. Aus 100-2 in 122 mins
		-		Third man
		-		
		-		103
41	Pope 16	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		103
		1		Long leg. Sismey 21 off 103 balls
42	Wright 11	-		104
		-		<i>Field Marshall Montgomery arrives in the Pavilion</i>
		-		<i>Committee room, to a standing ovation from members,</i>
		-		<i>having been cheered as he was driven in through the</i>
		-		<i>Members' Gate</i>
		-		104

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43	Pope 17	4		Late cut
		-		
		-		
	3.03	W	3-108	Hassett c Wright glance to fine leg, right-handed, 20 in
	3.05	<u>Miller</u>		44 mins, 43 balls, 3 fours
44	Wright 12	-		Miller keeps out a yorker
		-		
		-		
		2		Third man
		-		
		-	110	
45	Pope 18	1		Third man
		1		Third man
		3		Long leg
		-		
		-		
		- (1 nb)		
		-		
46	Wright 13	-		116
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-		116
47	Pope 19	-		
		-		
		-		
		- (1 lb)		
		4		Third man
		-		
48	Wright 14	-		121
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-		121
49	Pope 20	-		Sismey 24 off 130 balls
		1		Square off. Miller 9 off 13 balls
		-		
		2		Square leg
		-		
		- (1 nb)		
		-		125
50	Wright 15	-		
		-		
	Spell	-		
	8-4-18-0	4		On drive
		-		129
51	Pope 21	-		
		-		
	Spell	1		Square off
	13-3-35-2	-		
		-		
		-		130
52	3.30 Roberts 1	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-		130
53	Pollard 14	1		Mid off
		-		
		-		
		1		Square off. Sismey 28 off 148 balls
		1		Mid off
54	Roberts 2	-		
		-		
		1		Mid on
		-		
		-		
		-		134



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55	Pollard 15	-	-		
		-	2	Square leg	
		1	1	Mid on	
			1	Long leg	
56	Roberts 3	-	-	138	Miller 19 off 32 balls
			2		Long leg
			-		
			-		
57	Pollard 16	-	-	140	
		(nb) 2	2		Mid on
			-		
			4		Third man
58	Roberts 4	2	2	148	Third man
			-		
			-		
	3.50		4		Mid on. Aus 152-3 in 185 mins
59	Pollard 17	-	-	152	
			-		
			4		Long leg
			-		
60	Roberts 5		-	156	Miller 31 off 45 balls
			-		
	Spell		-		
	5-2-7-0		-		
			-		
61	Pollard 18	3	3	156	Sismey 35 off 170 balls
			-		Long leg
			-		
	Spell		-		
	5-0-22-0		-		
			-		
62	4.00	Wright 16	-	159	
			3		Third man
			-		
			-		
63	4.03	Pope 22	1	162	Mid off
			- (1 nb)		
			-		
			2		Square off
			-		
64	Wright 17	-	-	166	
			-		
			-		
			2		Mid on
65	Pope 23	1	1	168	Square leg
		3	3		Mid on
			-		
			-		
			-		
66	Wright 18	-	-	172	
			-		
			-		
			3		Square off
			-		
			-		
4.15	Miller 46	Sismey 38	175		Aus 175-3 in 210 mins, 402 balls (incl.6 nb)
	70 m, 61 b	189 m, 191 b			

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Fourth Test 1st day						
Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Miller 46	Sismey 38		Aus 175-3
67	4.30	Pope 24	2	-		Mid off. Miller 1001 runs in first-class matches
		Spell 3-0-10-0	1	-		Mid off
68	4.33	Wright 19	3	-	178	On drive. Miller 52 in 73 mins, 66 balls
			4	1		Square off Long leg
69		Roberts 6	-	4	186	On drive
			-	-		
			-	2	192	Long leg
70		Wright 20	1	-		Mid off
			-	-	193	Sismey 45 off 204 balls
71		Roberts 7	-	-		
			-	-	193	
72		Wright 21	1	-		Square leg
			-	-	194	
73		Roberts 8	1	-		Cover
			1	-		Third man. Miller 58 off 83 balls
74		Wright 22	-	-	196	
			-	-		
			1	-	197	Mid off
75		Roberts 9	1	-		
	4.55		4	-		On drive. Sismey 51 in 215 mins, 214 balls
76	4.55	Wright 23	3	-	202	Aus 202-3 in 235 mins
			-	-		Third man. Miller 63 off 92 balls
			-	- (1 b)		
77		Roberts 10	-	-	206	
		Spell 5-1-16-0	2	-		Third man
			1	-		Mid off
78		Wright 24	-	-	209	
		Spell 9-0-27-0	1	-		On drive
			4	-		Third man
			-	-	214	

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79	5.04	Pope 25	- 3		New ball On drive
			- 1		Third man
80	5.07	Pollard 19	- - - (nb) 4 1	218	Mid off Square off. Miller 73 off 106 balls
81		Pope 26	- - - 1	223	Square off
82		Pollard 20	- 2 (nb) 3	224	Third man On drive. Miller 79 off 114 balls
	5.20		-	229	Sismey retired hurt 58 in 239 mins, 236 balls, hit on right finger by rising ball
83	5.22	Pope 27	3		On drive
			- - - -	232	
84		Pollard 21	(4 b) - - - 1		Mid off
85		Pope 28	- (3 b) - - - (1 lb)	237	
86		Pollard 22	- - - -	241	
87		Pope 29	- - 2 - 4	241	Third man Long leg Miller 89 off 129 balls
88	5.39	Pollard 23	- 1 2 4 2	247	On drive Square leg. Aus 250-3 in 279 mins Long leg Square off
89		Pope 30	- 1	256	Long leg
	5.43		- 2 1		Long leg Square off. Miller 100 in 143 mins, 136 balls
90		Pollard 24	- - - -	260	
			1	261	Mid off

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91	Pope 31	1	-	On drive. Miller 102 off 138 balls
5.50		W	4-262	Stanford bld off stump, 2 in 28 mins, 27 balls
		<u>Sismey</u>		
		1	263	Mid off
92	Pollard 25	-	-	
		-	-	
		- (2 nb)	-	
5.55		W	5-265	Sismey c Fishlock close on, 59 in 243 mins, 244 balls, 5 fours
5.57		<u>Pepper</u>		Poor light. Fine rain
93	Pope 32	1	-	On drive
	Spell	-	-	
	8-1-21-1	-	-	
94	Pollard 26	3	266	Third man
	Spell	-	-	
	8-2-28-1	2		Square off
		1	273	Square leg
95	Edrich 3	-	-	On drive
	0.2-0-0-0	-	273	Light
6.05		Miller 107	Pepper 3	Aus 273-5 in 305 mins, 575 balls (incl.9 nb)
		165 m, 144 b	8 m, 10 b	

After crowd leave, the sun comes out again.

30,326 paid, and it is estimated that in all over 33,000 were in.

Rex Alston, having recorded to summaries of the day's play, one for Australia, leaves Lord's at 8pm, very tired.

News arrives that an atomic bomb has been dropped on Japan at Hiroshima.

**Second Day – Tuesday 7 August**

Rex Alston visits a chemist and gets a sedative to relieve his distress. Dull and cloudy. Another capacity crowd with half mile queues before gates open. New Prime Minister Mr Attlee is a guest in the President's Box.

Fourth Test 2nd day						
Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Miller 107	Pepper 3		Aus 273-5
95	11.30	Edrich 3	-	-		
		ctd	4	-		Snick past slip, possible catch
			-	-	277	
96		Pollard 27	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-	277	
97		Edrich 4	-	-		
			1	-		Third man
			-	1		Mid on
			-	-	279	
98		Pollard 28	-	1		Third man
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			1	-	281	Mid on. Miller 113 off 158 balls
99		Edrich 5	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			1	-		Mid off
			-	- (1 lb)		
			-	-	283	

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100	Pollard 29	1		Square leg
		-		
		1		Mid on
		2		Mid on
101	Edrich 6	1	288	Square leg
		-		
	Spell	-		
	3.4-0-8-0	1		Mid on. Pepper 10 off 26 balls
		-		
102	Pollard 30	-	289	
		-		
		4		Long leg
		1 (nb)		Mid off
		-		
		1		Square off
103	11.56 Pope 33	2	297	
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-	297	
104	Pollard 31	1		Mid on
		-		
	11.58	2		Mid on. Aus 300-5 in 333 mins
		-		
		-	300	
105	Pope 34	-		
		-		
		1		Mid on. Pepper 19 off 35 balls
		-		
	12.02	W	6-301	Miller bld late out swinging yorker, 118 in 197 mins, 184 balls, 10 fours
106	12.04 Pollard 32	<u>Pettiford</u>		
		-		
		-		
		- (1 nb)		
		-		
107	Pope 35	2	304	Third man
		-		
		-		
		-	304	
108	Pollard 33	-		
		-		
		1		Square leg
		-		
		(1 nb) -		
109	Pope 36	-	306	
		-		
		1		Mid on. Pepper 23 off 49 balls
		-		
		-	307	
110	Pollard 34	-		
		1		Square off
		-		
	Spell	-		
	8-1-22-0	-		
		-		
111	Pope 37	1 (nb)	308	Square leg
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-	309	

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112	12.23	Wright 25	4		Pulls short ball to square leg
			-		
			4		Late cut past Hammond at 1 <sup>st</sup> slip
			-	317	
113		Pope 38	-		
			-		
			-		
			-	317	
114		Wright 26	-		
			2		Square leg
			-		
			4		Mid on.
			-	323	Pepper 39 off 64 balls
115		Pope 39	-		
			-		
			-		
			-	323	Pettiford 0 off 34 balls
116		Wright 27	-		
			-		
			-		
			1		Square off
			-	324	
117		Pope 40	-		
			1		Square off
			-		
			-		
			1	326	Square leg. Pettiford 1 in 40 mins, 40 balls. Ironic cheers
118		Wright 28	-		
			-		
		Spell 4-0-20-0	1		Square leg
			-		
			4		Third man.
			-	331	Pepper 45 off 73 balls
119		Pope 41	-		
			-		
			-		
			1		Long leg
			-	332	
120	12.47	Roberts 11	-		
			-		
			-		
			1		Mid off
			-	333	
121		Pope 42	-		
			-		
			-		
			(nb) 4		Pull to mid on
			-	337	Pettiford 8 off 60 balls
122		Roberts 12	-		
			-		
			-		
			-	337	
123		Pope 43	1		Square off
			-		
		Spell 11-4-12-1	1		Mid on
			-	339	
			-		

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124		<b>Roberts 13</b>	-				
			1			<b>Mid off</b>	
			-				
			3			<b>Mid on</b>	
			-				
125	1.00	<b>Pollard 35</b>	1		343	<b>Pepper 47 off 88 balls</b>	
			1			<b>Mid on</b>	
			-				
			1			<b>Third man</b>	
			-				
126	1.05	<b>Roberts 14</b>	-		348	<b>Cut to third man. Pepper 50 in 103 mins, 91 balls</b>	
			-				
	1.07		4			<b>Third man. Aus 352-6 in 402 mins</b>	
			-				
			-				
127		<b>Pollard 36</b>	6		352	<b>Pettiford 18 off 74 balls</b>	
			-			<b>Pull drive into Tavern. Even the bowler applauds</b>	
			-				
			1			<b>Mid off</b>	
			-		359		
128	1.10	<b>Roberts 15</b>	W		7-359	<b>Pepper c and b skier, 57 in 108 mins, 97 balls, 6 fours 1 six</b>	
			<u>Cristofani</u>				
	1.12		-				
			1				
			-			<b>Mid off</b>	
			-		360		
129		<b>Pollard 37</b>	4			<b>Third man</b>	
			1			<b>Square off</b>	
			1				
			4			<b>Square off</b>	
			4			<b>Third man</b>	
	1.19		W		8-374	<b>Cristofani c Edrich deep sq leg almost falling backwards into crowd, 14 in 7 mins, 8 balls, 3 fours. Batsmen cross</b>	
			<u>Williams</u>				
130	1.20	<b>Roberts 16</b>	-				
			1				
		<b>Spell</b>	4			<b>Square leg</b>	
		<b>6-1-16-2</b>	1			<b>Pettiford 24</b>	
			-				
	1.22		W		9-380	<b>Williams c Fishlock mid on, 1 in 2 mins, 4 balls</b>	
			<u>Ellis</u>				
131	1.23	<b>Pollard 38</b>	4			<b>Mid on</b>	
		<b>Spell</b>	4			<b>Mid on</b>	
	1.25	<b>3.3-0-34-2</b>	W		10-388	<b>Pettiford c Wright, high square leg, 32 in 81 mins, 83 balls, 5 fours</b>	
						<b>Aus 388-10 all out in 420 mins, 797 balls (incl.14 nb)</b>	
			<b>Ellis 0</b>				
			<b>2 mins</b>				
			<b>0 balls</b>				

**Australian Services first innings**

		Runs	Mins	Balls	4s/6s	Fall
R.S. Whittington	c Hutton (fwd short leg) b Pope	46	92	84	4	2-70
J.A. Workman	lbw b Pollard	6	20	23	-	1-15
+S.G. Sismey	c Fishlock (short leg) b Pollard	59	243	244	5	5-265
*A.L. Hassett	c Wright (fine leg) b Pope	20	44	43	3	3-108
K.R. Miller	b Pope	118	197	184	10	6-301
R.M. Stanford	b Pope	2	28	27	-	4-262
C.G. Pepper	c and b Roberts	57	108	97	6/1	7-359
J. Pettiford	c Wright (square leg) b Pollard	32	81	83	5	10-388
D.R. Cristofani	c Edrich (deep square leg) b Pollard	14	7	8	3	8-374
R.G. Williams	c Fishlock (mid on) b Roberts	1	2	4	-	9-380
R.S. Ellis	not out	0	2	0		
Extras	(b 16, lb 8, nb 9)	<u>33</u>		0		
Total	(all out for 10 wkts)	388	420	797		130.3 overs

Sismey retired hurt on 58 at 229-3 and returned at 262-4

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Bowling	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	Nb	w
Pope	43	11	83	4	3*	-
Pollard	37.3	7	145	4	6+	-
Wright	28	5	75	0	-	-
Edrich	6	0	13	0	-	-
Roberts	16	4	39	2	-	-

+ one of Pollard's nbs accrued 2 extras

Pollard 4 nb scored off; Pope 2 nb scored off

Aus 38.80 runs per wkt, 55.43 runs per hour, 48.68 runs per 100 balls, 2.97 runs per over

Eng 79.70 balls per wkt, 18 overs 4 balls per hour, 113.86 balls per hour

**England First Innings**

Sismey has a broken bone in finger and will not take any further part in the match. Workman substitutes as wicketkeeper

Odd overs ] → .... from Pavilion End

Even overs ] ← .... from Nursery End

Fourth Test 2nd day

Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman Fishlock	Batsman Hutton	Team	Notes
1	2.10	Miller 1	-	-		
			1	-		Square leg
			-	-		
			-	-		
2		Williams 1	-	-		1
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
3		Miller 2	-	-		1
			-	-		
			1	-		Long leg
			-	-		
			-	-		
4		Williams 2	-	-		2
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	- (1 b)		
			(1 b) -	1		
5		Miller 3	-	(4 w)		5 Mid off Wide down leg side
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
6		Williams 3	-	-		9
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			2	-		11 Third man
7		Miller 4	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	- (1 b)		
			(2 lb) -	-		14
8		Williams 4	-	-		
			-	1		Long leg
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
9		Miller 5	-	1		15 Square off
			-	-		
			(1 lb) -	1		Square leg
			-	-		
			2	-		20 Third man. Fishlock 5 off 28 balls



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10	Williams 5	-	-	
			(1 nb)	
	Spell (off to change ends) 5-1-8-0	-	(nb) 4	Long leg, almost six
		-	-	
		-	-	
		-	-	
11	Miller 6	-	(4 w)	25
	Spell 6-3-6-0	-	(1 lb)	Short wide ball down leg side
		-	-	Hutton 5 off 31 balls
		-	-	
		-	-	
12	2.46 Pepper 1	2		30
		2		Mid on
		1		Mid on
		(1 lb) -		Square off
		4		Mid on
		-		
13	2.50 Williams 6	-		40
		4		Cover
		-		
		-		
		-		
14	Pepper 2	2		44
		-		Mid on. Near run out
		-		
		1		Cover
		-		
		-		
15	2.57 Williams 7	-		47
		4		Mid off. Eng 51-0 in 47 mins
		-		
		-		
		-		
16	Pepper 3	-		51
		-		
		-		
		4		Square leg
		-		
		-		
17	Williams 8	-		55
		-		
		-		
		-		
		1		56
18	Pepper 4	-		Third man. Hutton 22 off 52 balls
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
19	Williams 9	-		56
		1		Third man. Fishlock 18 off 55 balls
		-		
		2		Third man
20	Pepper 5	1		60
		-		Square leg
		-		
		4		Mid off
		4		Mid off
		1		Mid on
21	Williams 10	(3 b) -		72
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-		72

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22	Pepper 6	-	1	Mid off
		-		
		-		
		-		
23	3.19 Williams 11	W	73	Fishlock 18 off 66 balls
	3.20	<u>Robertson</u>	1-73	Hutton lbw half-cock stroke, 35 in 69 mins, 69 balls, 4 fours
		1		
		-		Third man
		3		
		-		Mid off
		-	77	
24	Pepper 7	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		1	78	Mid on
25	Williams 12	4		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-	82	
26	Pepper 8	-		
		1		Square leg
		(2 b) -		
		-		
		-	85	
27	Williams 13	-		
	Spell	3 (nb)		Square leg
	8-1-30-1	1		Square leg
		-		
		4		Pull to mid wkt
		1	94	Fine leg
28	Pepper 9	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		- (1 b)		
		-	95	
29	3.38 Cristofani 1	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		4		Long leg
		-	99	Robertson 14 off 22 balls
30	3.42 Pepper 10	4		Mid on. Eng 103-1 in 92 mins
		-		
		(1 b) -		Fishlock 31 off 90 balls
		-		
		2	106	Third man
31	Cristofani 2	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-	106	
32	Pepper 11	-		
		4		Long leg
	Spell	-		
	11-2-38-0	-		
		-		
		-	110	
33	Cristofani 3	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-	110	

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34	3.51	Pettiford 1	1	4	Long leg	
				4	Long leg	
				(4 b) -	Square leg	
				-		
				(4 b) -		127
35		Cristofani 4	-	-		
		Spell	-	-		
		4-2-5-0	-	-		
			1	-	Cover	
36		Pettiford 2	-	-		128
			-	-		
			1	-	Square off	
			-	-		
			-	-		129
37	4.02	Miller 7	-	-		
			2	-	Long leg	
			- (1 lb)	-		
			-	-		
			4	-	Square off	
			-	-	Fishlock 43 off 114 balls	136
38		Pettiford 3	-	-		
	4.05		W	-	Robertson c Miller leg break edged easy catch to 2 <sup>nd</sup>	2-136
	4.07		<u>Hammond</u>	-	slip, 25 in 45 mins, 44 balls, 3 fours	
			-	-		
			-	-		136
39		Miller 8	-	-		
			1	-	Difficult chance to Hassett at fine leg	
			-	-		
			1	-		138
40		Pettiford 4	1	-	Cover	
			-	-		
			2	-	Square off	
			-	-		
			-	-		141
41		Miller 9	1	-	Mid on	
			3	-	Mid on	
			-	-		
			-	-		145
	4.15	Fishlock 49	Hammond 3	-	Eng 145-2 in 125 mins, 251 balls (incl. 2 w, 3 nb)	
		125 mins	8 mins	-		
		124 balls	12 balls	-		

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Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Fishlock 49	Hammond 3		Eng 145-2
42	4.32	Pettiford 5	2			Third man. Fishlock 51 in 125 mins, 125 balls
			4			Mid off. Eng 151-2 in 126 mins
			-			
			4			Mid off
			-			155
43		Miller 10		1		Third man
			-	-		
			1	-		Mid off
			-	-		
			2	-		159
44		Pettiford 6	-	-		Long leg
			-	-		
			4	-		Square leg
			(1 lb) -	-		
			-	-		164

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45	Miller 11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		(4 b)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
46	Pettiford 7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	168
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
47	Miller 12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	168
	Spell	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	Long leg
	6-1-17-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
48	Pettiford 8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	169
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Hammond 6 off 26 balls
		4	-	-	-	-	-	-	Mid on
4.50	W	3-173	-	-	-	-	-	-	Fishlock b Pettiford, pace off pitch, ball turns from leg to hit middle stump, 69 in 143 mins, 150 balls, 12 fours
	Washbrook	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4.51		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	174
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Mid on
49	Williams 14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Spell	(1 nb)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1-0-2-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		2	-	-	-	-	-	-	Long leg
		(1 lb)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
50	Pettiford 9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	178
		1	-	-	-	-	-	-	Square off
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		2	-	-	-	-	-	-	Long leg
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
51	5.00 Ellis 1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	182
		3	-	-	-	-	-	-	Mid off
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Long leg
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
52	Pettiford 10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	185
		1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		2	-	-	-	-	-	-	Third man
53	Ellis 2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	188
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Washbrook 6 off 19 balls
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
54	Pettiford 11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	188
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Hammond 13 off 40 balls
		(2 lb)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		4	-	-	-	-	-	-	Square leg
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
55	Ellis 3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	194
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
56	Pettiford 12	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	194
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Square off
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		4	-	-	-	-	-	-	Long leg
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	199

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57	5.15	Ellis 4	-		
		Spell	1		Cover. Eng 200-3 in 168 mins
		4-2-4-0	-		
			-		
			-	200	
58		Pettiford 13	-		
		Spell	1		Square off
		13-2-50-2	-		
			1		Cover
59	5.18	Miller 13	-	202	Third man
			4		
			(1 w)		
			(1 w)		
			-		
			(1 w)		
			4		Square off
			-		
			-		
			-	213	
60		Williams 15	(1 w)		
			(nb) 4		Square off
			-		
			(1 w)		
			-		
			-		
			-	219	
61		Miller 14	-		
			- (1 b)		
			-		
			-		
			-	220	
62		Williams 16	- (1 nb)		
			1		Long leg
			-		
			1		Long leg
			-		
			4	227	Hammond 31 off 70 balls
63		Miller 15	-		
			-		
			-		
			2		Square leg
			1	230	Mid off. Washbrook 21 off 51 balls
64		Williams 17	1		Long leg
			2		Third man
		Spell	1		cover
		3-0-20-0	5		Mid on, overthrow
			1		Long leg
			-	240	
65		Miller 16	(1 lb) -		
		Spell	1		Hamd blocks rising ball to square leg, calls for run,
		4-1-14-0	-		Wshbrk dashes, Miller kicks down batsman's
			2		stumps and appeals
			-	245	Mid on
66		Pepper 12	-		
			-		
			-		
			-	245	
67	5.48	Ellis 5	-		
			-		
			-		
			1		Square leg
			-	246	

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68	Pepper 13	-	-	-	-	-
		1	-	247	Mid off	
69	Ellis 6	-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	247		
70	Pepper 14	-	-	-	-	-
	Spell	1	-		Cover	
	3-1-2-0	-	-	-	-	-
		-	-	248		
71	Ellis 7	-	-	-	Bad light	
	Spell	1	-		Mid off	
5.58	2.3-1-2-0	-	-	249	Washbrook appeals against the light	
	Washbrook 31	Hammond 38			Eng 249-3 in 211 mins, 433 balls (incl.7 w, 6 nb)	
	67 mins	94 mins				
	79 balls	87 balls				

Att: 30,937 paid, estimated attendance was 34,000.

Looks as if England are resigned to a draw. Unless there is heavy rain, a draw seems likely.

**Third Day – Wednesday 8 August**

Consent is given by Hammond under Law 38 for Carmody, the twelfth man, to keep wicket. This complies with Law 39.

Fourth Test 3rd day						
Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Washbrook 31	Hammond 38		Eng 249-3
71	11.30	Ellis 7	3	-		Long leg. Eng 253-3 in 212 mins
			-	-	252	
72		Williams 18	-	-	-	-
			-	-	252	Mid off
73		Ellis 8	2	-	-	-
			-	-	254	
74		Williams 19	-	-	-	-
			1	-		Cover
			-	-	255	
75		Ellis 9	-	-	-	-
			-	-	255	Square off
76		Williams 20	1	-	-	-
			1	-		Square off. Washbrook 36 off 99 balls
77		Ellis 10	-	-	257	
			2	-		Square off
			-	-	259	

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78	Williams 21	-	4 (nb)	Mid on
		-	1	Cover. Hammond 46 off 104 balls
		-	-	
		-	-	
79	Ellis 11	-	-	264
	11.56	-	4	Cover. Hammond 50 in 120 mins, 107 balls
		-	1	Mid off
		-	-	
		-	-	269
80	12.00 Williams 22	-	4	Mid off. 100 partnership in 97 mins
		-	-	
		-	-	
		-	-	
81	Ellis 12	-	-	273
		-	1	Third man. Washbrook 39 off 112 balls
		-	-	
		-	-	
		-	1	275 Mid off
82	Williams 23	-	-	
		-	1	Long leg
		-	-	
		-	-	
		-	-	276
83	Ellis 13	-	-	
		-	-	
		-	-	
		-	1	Cover . Hammond 58 off 125 balls
		-	-	277
84	Williams 24	-	-	
		-	-	
		-	-	
		-	-	277
85	Ellis 14	-	-	
		-	-	
		-	4	Mid on
		-	2	Late cut dropped by Pepper at slip
		-	-	283 Washbrook 45 off 123 balls
86	Williams 25	-	-	
		-	-	
		-	-	
		-	1	
		-	-	284
87	Ellis 15	-	-	
		-	4	Mid on
		-	1	Long leg
		-	2	Third man
		-	-	
		-	-	291
88	Williams 26	-	-	
		-	2	Long leg
		-	-	
		-	-	
		-	1	Long leg
		-	-	294
89	Ellis 16	-	4	Mid off.
		-	-	
		-	-	
		-	-	
		-	-	298 Hammond 71 off 150 balls

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90	Williams 27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
91	Ellis 17	-	-	-	-	-	298	Washbrook 47 off 134 balls
92	Williams 28	2	-	-	-	-	298	Square leg Long leg. Washbrook 50 in 127 mins, 136 balls First extra of the morning
	Spell 11-3-21-0	1	- (1 lb)	-	-	-		
		1	-	-	-	-	303	Third man
93	Ellis 18	-	-	-	-	-		
		1	-	-	-	-		Mid on
		-	-	-	-	-		
		2	-	-	-	-		Long leg
94	12.39 Cristofani 5	1	-	-	-	-	306	Hammond 73 off 161 balls Mid on
		-	-	-	-	-		
		4	-	-	-	-		Cover
		1	-	-	-	-		Square off Square off
95	Ellis 19	-	-	-	-	-	313	
		1	-	-	-	-		Third man. Washbrook 55 off 146 balls
		-	-	-	-	-		
		4	-	-	-	-		
96	Cristofani 6	6	-	-	-	-	318	Mid off Square leg. Sweep to first balcony of Grandstand Mid off
		1	-	-	-	-		
		-	-	-	-	-		
		1	-	-	-	-		Mid on
		4	-	-	-	-	330	Square off to Mound stand. Washbrook 66 off 149 balls
97	Ellis 20	-	-	-	-	-	4-330	Hammond c Workman fine low catch scooped up at deep point, 83 in 172 mins, 173 balls, 8 fours
	12.48	-	-	-	-	-		
	12.50	-	-	-	-	-		
		-	-	-	-	-		
		-	-	-	-	-	330	
98	Cristofani 7	-	-	-	-	-		
		1	-	-	-	-		Mid on
		-	-	-	-	-		
		-	-	-	-	-		
99	Ellis 21	-	-	-	-	-	331	
		-	-	-	-	-		
		-	-	-	-	-		
		1	-	-	-	-		Mid on
100	Cristofani 8	-	-	-	-	-	332	
		-	-	-	-	-		
		-	-	-	-	-		
		-	-	-	-	-		
		1	-	-	-	-	333	Mid off
101	Ellis 22	-	-	-	-	-		
		3	-	-	-	-		Long leg. Washbrook 72 off 165 balls
		-	-	-	-	-		
		-	-	-	-	-		
		-	-	-	-	-	336	



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102		Cristofani 9	-				
			-				
			-				
			1	3	340	Square off	
103		Ellis 23	-			Third man. Edrich 3 off 13 balls	
			-				
			-				
			-		340	Square off	
104		Cristofani 10	4			Mid on	
			-				
			1				
		Spell 6-0-34-0	-				
			-				
			4		349	Third man	
105		Ellis 24	-				
			-				
			2			Mid on	
			1			Square off. Washbrook 81 off 178 balls	
			-		352		
106	1.10	Miller 17	-				
			-				
			-				
			1			Third man	
			-				
			-		353		
107		Ellis 25	-				
			-				
			-				
			-				
			-		353		
108		Miller 18	-			<i>Edrich hit on the body</i>	
			-				
			2			Long leg	
			-				
			-		355		
109		Ellis 26	-				
			-				
			-				
			1			Mid on. Washbrook 83 off 193 balls	
			-		356		
110		Miller 19	1			Third man	
			-			Long leg	
			1				
		Spell 3-0-5-0	(1 w)				
			-				
			-				
			-		360		
111		Ellis 27	-				
			-				
			-				
			2				
			-				
			-		362		
112		Whittington 1	-			Cover	
			1				
			-				
		Spell 1-0-7-0	4			Mid on	
			-			Square off	
			1		369	Third man	
113		Ellis 28	2			Long leg	
			-				
			4			Long leg. All run	
			-				
			-				
			-		375		
1.30		Washbrook 96	Edrich 13			Eng 375-4 in 331 mins, 693 balls (incl. 8 w, 7 nb)	
		187 m, 207 b	40 m, 42 b				

Weather dull. Draw seems likely.

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Fourth Test 3rd day						
Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Washbrook 96	Edrich 13		Eng 375-4
114	2.10	Williams 29		-		
				-		
				-		
				2		Third man
				1	378	Square off
115		Ellis 29		2		Third man
				-		
				-		
				1	381	
116		Williams 30		1		Third man
			-	-		
			1	-		Square off
			-	-		
			(1 nb) -	1		Mid off
			-	-	385	
117		Ellis 30		-		
				1		Third man. Edrich 22 off 59 balls
			-	-		
			-	-	386	
118		Williams 31		-		
				-		
				-		
				-	386	
119		Ellis 31		-		
				-		
				1		Mid on
				4		Fierce hook to long leg. England lead by 3 runs
			-	-	391	
120		Williams 32		-		
				1		Cover. Washbrook 99 off 221 balls
				-		
				-		
				-	392	
121		Ellis 32		-		
	2.32			1		Washbrook 100 in 209 mins, 223 balls
				-		
				-		
				-	393	
122		Williams 33		-		
		Spell		1		Square off
		5-1-17-0		4		Square leg
				1		Third man. Edrich 31 off 77 balls
			4	-	403	Square off
123		Ellis 33		4		Mid off
				-		
				-		
				-	407	
124		Pepper 15		1		Mid on
				4		Third man
				4		Long leg
				1		Mid on
				-		
				-	417	

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125	Ellis 34	-	-	
		-	-	
		-	-	
		-	-	
126	Pepper 16	-	417	
		1		Mid on. Washbrook 107 off 232 balls
		-		
		-		
		4	422	Third man. Edrich 48 off 96 balls
127	Ellis 35	-		
		-		
		-		
		2		Third man
		-	424	
128	2.50 Pepper 17	4		Long leg. Edrich 52 in 80 mins, 97 balls
		-		
		-		
		1	429	Square off
129	Ellis 36	-		
		1		Third man
	Spell	-		
	29.3-6-74-1	-		
		-		
		1	431	Square leg. Ellis has bowled all day.
130	Pepper 18	1		Mid on
		-		
	Spell	2		Mid on
	4-0-23-0	-		
		-		
131	2.58 Miller 20	-	434	New ball
		-		
		-		
		1		Square leg
		-		
132	Williams 34	-	435	Edrich 56 off 111 balls
		-		
		-		
	3.03	W	5-435	Washbrook c sub (Carmody) wk, edges cut, 112 in
		<u>Pope</u>		240 mins, 252 balls, 8 fours, 1 five, 1 six
	3.05	-	435	
133	Miller 21	-		
		-		
		1		Mid on
		-		
134	Williams 35	-	436	
		-		
		-		
		-	436	
135	Miller 22	-		
		-		
		4		Mid off
		-		
		-	440	
136	Williams 36	-		
		-		
		-		
		-	440	

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137	Miller 23	-	-		
	Spell	-	-		
	4-0-7-0	-	-		
		1	- (2 b)	443	Mid off Edrich 57 off 128 balls
138	Williams 37	-			
3.20		W		6-443	Pope c Hassett mid off, 5 in 15 mins, 16 balls, 1 four
		<u>Griffith</u>			
3.22		(nb) 1			Third man Mid off
			3		
		-			
		-			
139	3.25 Pettiford 14	-		447	
		-			
		-			
		1			Square leg
		-			
140	Williams 38	-		448	
		-			
		-			
3.30		2			Square off. Eng 450-6 in 411 mins
		-			
		-		450	
141	Pettiford 15	1			Square off
		-			
		1			Cover
		-			
		-			
		4		456	
142	Williams 39	2			
		-			
	Spell	-			
	6-3-11-2	2			
		1			
		-		461	
143	Pettiford 16	-			
		-			
		-			
		-			
		1		462	Edrich 70 off 152 balls
144	Cristofani 11	-			
		-			
		-			
		-		462	
145	Pettiford 17	-			
		1			
		-			
		1			
3.45		W		7-464	Griffith c Stanford cover, 7 in 23 mins, 16 balls, 1 four
		<u>Pollard</u>			
146	3.47 Cristofani 12	2			
		-			
	Spell	-			
	2-1-2-0	-			
		-		466	
147	Pettiford 18	-			
		-			
	Spell	-			
	5-0-12-1	-			
		-			
		2		468	
3.50		Pollard 2	Edrich 73		Eng 468-7 dec in 431 mins, 899 balls (incl. 8 w, 9 nb)
		3 mins	140 mins		
		6 balls	165 balls		
			8 fours		

Edrich was hoping to go to a century when Hammond declared.

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**England first innings**

		Runs	Mins	Balls	4s/6s	Fall
L.B. Fishlock	b Pettiford	69	<b>143</b>	<b>150</b>	12	3-173
L. Hutton	lbw b Williams	35	69	69	4	1-73
J.D. Robertson	c Miller (2 <sup>nd</sup> slip) b Pettiford	25	45	44	3	2-136
*W.R. Hammond	c Workman (deep point) b Ellis	83	<b>172</b>	173	8	4-330
C. Washbrook	c sub (Carmody) (wk) b Williams	112	240	252	8/1*	5-435
W.J. Edrich	not out	73	<b>140</b>	165	8	
G.H. Pope	c Hassett (mid off) b Williams	5	15	<b>16</b>	1	6-443
+S.C. Griffith	c Stanford (cover) b Pettiford	7	<b>23</b>	16	1	7-464
R. Pollard	not out	2	3	6	-	
Extras	(b 27, lb 12, nb 4, w 14)	<u>57</u>				
TOTAL	(for 7 wkts dec)	468	431	899		147 overs

D.V.P. Wright and W.B. Roberts did not bat

\* Washbrook 1 five

Bowling	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	nb	W
Miller	23	5	49	0	-	12+
Williams	39	9	109	3	4*	2
Pepper	18	3	63	0	-	-
Cristofani	12	3	41	0	-	-
Pettiford	18	2	62	3	-	-
Ellis	36	9	80	1	-	-
Whittington	1	0	7	0	-	-

+ Miller wides accrued off 6 wide deliveries

\* Williams 5 nb scored off

Workman kept wicket until 249-3; Carmody (sub) thereafter

Eng 66.86 runs per wkt, 65.16 runs per hour, 52.06 runs per 100 balls, 3.18 runs per over

Aus 128.43 balls per wkt, 20 overs 3 balls per hour, 125.15 balls per hour

**Australia Second Innings**

Need 80 to make England bat again

Odd overs from End ??

Even overs from End ??

Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			<b>Whittington</b>	<b>Workman</b>		
1	4.03	Pope 1	1	-		
				2		Long leg
				3		Third man
				6		
2	4.07	Pollard 1	-	-(1 nb)		6
				-		7
	4.08	Break for rain				Rain
2	4.30	Pollard 1	-	-		Aus 7-0 in 5 mins
		ctd	-	-		2 hours play left (plus extra 30 mins). Aus need 73 to make Eng bat again
				4 (nb)		
				-		Square off
				-(1 b)		12
3		Pope 2	-	-		
				-		
	4.35			W	1-12	Workman c Fishlock, short leg, 9 in 10 mins, 16 balls, 1 four
	4.37			<u>Pettiford</u>		
				-		
4		Pollard 2	-	-		
				-		
			(1 nb)	-		
				-		
			(nb) 1	-		
				-		
				-		14
5		Pope 3	4	-		Long leg
				-		
				-		
				-		
				-		18

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6	Pollard 3	4	Long leg
		-	
		2	Square leg
		-	
		-	
		4	28 Third man
7	Pope 4	-	
		1	Mid off
		-	
		1	Mid on. Pettiford 11 off 12 balls
4.50		W	2-30 Whittington lbw, 7 in 25 mins, 17 balls, 1 four
4.52		<u>Hassett</u>	
8	Pollard 4	-	
		3	Third man
		-	
		-	
		-	
9	Pope 5	1	33 Square leg
		-	
		2	Mid on
		-	
		-	
10	Pollard 5	- (1 nb)	36 Pettiford 'bowled'
		-	
		-	
		-	
		-	
		-	
11	Pope 6	-	37
		-	
		-	
		(nb) 1	Long leg
		4	Mid off
		-	
		3	45 Mid off
12	Pollard 6	3	Mid on
		-	
5.08		2	Long leg. Aus 50-2 in 43 mins
		1	Third man
		-	
		2	53 Mid on. Pettiford 27 off 28 balls
13	Pope 7	-	
		-	
		-	
		-	
		1	54 Square off
14	5.13 Pollard 7	W	3-54 Hassett bld, middle stump uprooted, 7 in 21 mins, 24 balls, 0 fours. Aus need 26 to avoid defeat, 75 mins left
		<u>Miller</u>	Lbw appeal
5.15		-	
		-	
		2	Third man
		-	
		1	57 Square leg
15	Pope 8	4	Mid off
		3	Mid off
	Spell	1	Square leg
	8-1-34-2	-	
		2	Square leg
		-	
16	Pollard 8	4	67 Long leg
		-	
		4 (nb)	Long leg
		2	Mid on. One short run
		-	
	(1 nb)	-	
		-	
		-	78

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17	5.25	Wright 1	1	1	Mid on
			1	W	Square off. Innings defeat avoided. Miller 13 off 15 balls
	5.28			<u>Stanford</u>	Pettiford bld, 39 in 51 mins, 35 balls, 5 fours
	5.30			-	
				-	
18		Pollard 9	-	-	80 49 mins (plus extra 30) left if England get to bat again
			-	-	Hammond places 8 fielders close to the bat
			-	-	
			4	-	Long leg
			-	-	
19		Wright 2	-	84	
			4	-	Square off
			-	-	
			-	-	
20		Pollard 10	-	88	
		Spell	3	-	Third man
		10-1-48-1	-	-	
			-	-	
			2	93	Third man
21		Wright 3	-		
			1		Mid on
			4		Square leg
	5.43		4		Square leg. Aus 102-4 in 78 mins
			4		Third man
			-	106	Aus lead by 26
22	5.45	Pope 9	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
23		Wright 4	-	106	Miller 21 off 31 balls
			- (4 b)		100 extras in the match
			-		
			-		
			-		
24		Pope 10	1	110	Square off
			-		
			-		
			-		
			- (1 nb)		
			4	116	Mid off. Stanford 22 off 29 balls
25		Wright 5	-		
			-		
		Spell	-		
		5-1-20-1	1		Square off
26		Pope 11	-	117	
			-		
			-		
			-		
27	6.00	Roberts 1	-	117	Aus lead by 37. 20 mins (plus extra 30 mins) left
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
28		Pope 12	-	117	
			-		
		Spell	1		Cover. Miller 24 off 46 balls
		4-2-8-0	2		Third man
			-		
			-	120	Stanford 24 off 39 balls

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29	Roberts 2	-	-	-	-	(1) -	120	Cover.?Ferguson deletes this single to conform to published score, causing unexplained change of ends. The single does not appear in the MCC scorebook
30	6.10 Pollard 11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
31	Roberts 3	-	-	-	-	1	120	Mid on
32	Pollard 12	1	1	1	-	4	122	Square off. Miller 25 off 62 balls Mid on Long Square leg
33	Roberts 4	-	-	-	-	1	128	Mid on
34	Pollard 13	-	-	-	-	-	129	-
	Spell 3-1-10-0	-	-	-	-	4	133	Square leg
35	Roberts 5	-	1	1	-	1	-	Mid off Mid on Cover
36	Wright 6	1	-	-	-	-	136	Miller 33 off 76 balls
37	Roberts 6	-	-	-	-	-	137	Stanford 32 off 57 balls
	Spell 6-2-7-0 or 6-1-8-0 ??	-	-	-	-	1	138	Mid on
38	Wright 7	-	-	-	-	1	-	Mid off
	Spell 2-0-3-0	-	-	-	-	1	140	Mid on
6.30		Miller 35	Stanford 33					Aus 140-4 in 125 mins, 237 balls (incl.9 nb)
		75 mins	60 mins					
		86 balls	59 balls					
		3 fours	6 fours					

6.30 was the scheduled close of play, with provision for an extra half hour.

During the three days 93,000 watched, 25,000 being present today.

Match drawn. Australia lead series 2-1. If the Ashes were at stake in this series, Australia would now have retained them.



Fourth Victory Test at Lord's

**Australian Services second innings**

		Runs	Mins	Balls	4s/6s	Fall
R.S. Whittington	lbw b Pope	7	<b>25</b>	17	1	2-30
J.A. Workman	c Fishlock b Pope	9	<b>10</b>	<b>16</b>	1	1-12
J. Pettiford	b Wright	39	<b>51</b>	35	5	4-80
*A.L. Hassett	b Pollard	7	21	24	-	3-54
K.R. Miller	not out	35	<b>75</b>	86	3	
R.M. Stanford	not out	33	<b>60</b>	59	6	
Extras	(b 5, nb 5)	<u>10</u>				
TOTAL	(for 4 wkts)	140	125	237		38 overs

+S.G. Sismey, C.G. Pepper, D.R. Cristofani R.G. Williams and R.S. Ellis did not bat

Bowling	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	nb	w
Pope	12	3	42	2	1*	-
Pollard	13	2	58	1	4*	-
Wright	7	1	23	1	-	-
Roberts	6	2	7	0	-	-

\* Pope 1 nb scored off; Pollard 3 nb scored off

NOTE: It is possible that the published score is incorrect (see note to 29<sup>th</sup> over). If so, Miller's score should be 36, the Total 141-4, and Roberts analysis 6-1-8-0.

Aus 35.00 runs per wkt, 67.20 runs per hour, 50.07 runs per 100 balls, 3.68 runs per over  
Eng 59.25 balls per wkt, 18 overs 1½ balls per hour, 113.76 balls per hour

Sismey who had injured his thumb batting was unable to keep wicket and Workman kept on day two but as he conceded 51 extras Hammond allowed D.K. Carmody (12th man) to keep on day three.

**FIFTH TEST at Old Trafford**

Japan has surrendered unconditionally, VJ day on 14 August.

**First Day – Monday 20 August**

Radio commentators Howard Marshall and Rex Alston, assisted after the first day as scorer by a small man in RAF uniform, Arthur Wrigley.

England leave out Roberts.

Australia win the toss and decided to bat. Fine day. 25,000 crowd.

German prisoners have cleaned up debris of two blitzed stands. Bright patches of grass are seen where a German bomb landed.

Umpires F. Chester, H. Elliott.

The Old Trafford heavy roller is in the western desert constructing air strips. Wicket is natural.

**Australia First Innings**

Odd overs [ ↑ from Stretford End

Even overs [ ↓ from Manchester End

Fifth Test 1st day						
Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Whittington	Pettiford		
1	11.30	Phillipson 1	-	-		Two slips and two gullies
			4	-		Long hop pulled to square leg
			2	-		Cover
			-	-		
			-	-	6	
2		Pope 1	-	-		Three short legs
			-	-		
			2	-		Square leg
			-	-	9	
3		Phillipson 2	-	-		Mid off
			-	-		
			2	-		Third man
			-	-		
			-	-	11	
4		Pope 2	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-	11	
5		Phillipson 3	-	2		Square off
			-	4		Off drive
			-	-		
			-	-	17	
6		Pope 3	2	-		Pettiford 11 off 18 balls
			(1 lb) -	- (1 nb)		Square off
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-	21	
7		Phillipson 4	-	-		
			-	-		
			2	-		Third man
			-	-		
			2	-		Third man
			-	-	25	
8		Pope 4	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			2	-	27	Third man

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9	Phillipson 5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
				2				Cover	
			(1 nb)	-					
				2				Cover	
				-			32		
10	Pope 5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Spell	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	5-2-7-0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
				-			32	Pettiford 13 off 35 balls	
11	Phillipson 6	1	-	-	-	-	-	Square off	
				-			-	Gates now closed with 28,000 in	
				-			-		
				-			33		
12	12.05 Pollard 1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
				-			-	-	-
				-			-	-	-
				-			33		
13	Phillipson 7	-	1	-	-	-	-	Square off	
				-			-		
				1			-	Square off	
				-			-	-	-
				-			4		
14	Pollard 2	1	-	-	-	-	39	Third man	
				1			-	Cover	
				-			-	Mid on. Pettiford 19 off 45 balls	
				-			-	-	-
				-			-	-	-
	12.12		W	-			1-41	Whittington c Hammond kicker edged high to 2 <sup>nd</sup> slip, 19	
			<u>Carmody</u>	-			-	in 42 mins, 41 balls, 1 four	
15	12.14 Phillipson 8	-	-	-	-	-	-	Cover	
	Spell	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	
	8-0-31-0	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	
				-			43		
16	Pollard 3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
				-			-	-	-
				(2 nb)	-	-	-	-	-
				1			-	Third man	
				1			47	Square leg	
17	Pope 6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
				1			-	-	-
				-			-	-	-
				-			-	-	-
				-			48		
18	Pollard 4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	12.25			3			-	Mid on. Pettiford 25 off 55 balls. Aus 50-1 in 55 mins	
				-			-	-	-
				-			51		
19	Pope 7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
				-			-	-	-
				-			-	-	-
				-			53	Mid on	
20	Pollard 5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
				-			-	-	-
				1			-	Square leg	
				-			54		
				-			-	-	-

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21	Pope 8	-		
	Spell	-		
	3-0-7-0	-		
		2		
		2	58	Square leg Third man
22	Pollard 6	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-	58	
23	12.40 Phillipson 9	-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-	58	
24	Pollard 7	1		Edge to third man. Pettiford 28 off 70 balls. Pollard brings in a 4 <sup>th</sup> slip
	12.45	W	2-59	Carmody c Hammond, acrobatic catch at 1st slip low to right, 7 in 31 mins, 33 balls
	12.46	<u>Sismey</u>		
		-		
		1	60	Long leg
25	Phillipson 10	4		Wristy flick off pads to square leg
	12.50	W	3-64	Sismey bld, outswinger pitches leg hits off stump, 5, in 4 mins, 6 balls, 1 four
	12.52	<u>Hassett</u>		
		-		
		1	65	
26	Pollard 8	-		
		-		
		1		Mid on
	12.55	W	4-66	Pettiford bld full length in swinger off pads, 28 in 85 mins, 72 balls, 2 fours
	12.57	<u>Miller</u>	67	Cover
27	Phillipson 11	-		<i>Miller plays and misses twice</i>
		-		
		2		Mid on
		-		
		1	70	Square off
28	Pollard 9	4		Leg glance
		4 (nb)		On drive
		4		Off drive
		2		Third man
		-		
		-	84	
29	Phillipson 12	-		
		-		
		1		Third man
		-		
		3	88	Mid off. Miller 21 off 17 balls
30	Pollard 10	1		Cover
		1		Mid on
		-		
		-		
		-	90	
31	Phillipson 13	-		
		1		To square leg
		-		
		-		
		1	92	Square leg

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32		Pollard 11 Spell 11-2-31-3	- 3 (1 nb)	- -	Mid on
33		Phillipson 14	1 1	1 4	96 Square off Cover Off drive off. Aus 102-4 in 110 mins
34		Pope 9	- -	- -	102 Miller 31 off 33 balls
	1.23		W <u>Pepper</u>		5-102 Hassett c Pollard mis-hook to square leg, 6 in 31 mins, 22 balls, 0 fours
	1.24		-		102 Pettiford on stroll nearly run out by Edrich from gully
35		Phillipson 15	- 1	- -	On drive
36		Pope 10  Spell 2-1-1-1	- - 1	- -	103  Square off
	1.30		Pepper 0 6 m, 9 b	Miller 33 33 m, 38 b	104 Aus 104-5 in 120 mins, 221 balls (incl.5 nb)

Fifth Test 1st day

Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
37	2.12	Phillipson 16	Pepper 0	Miller 33		Aus 104-5
			-	-		
			-	-		
			1			Miller struck on ribs by short ball, short break for treatment
38		Pollard 12	-	-	105	Square leg
			1	1		Third man
			1	1		Square leg
			1	1		Third man
			-	-	109	Cover
39		Phillipson 17	-	-		
			1			Mid on
			-	-		
			-	-	110	
40		Pollard 13	-	-		
			2			Square off
			-	-		
41		Phillipson 18	2	1	114	Square leg Square off. Miller 37 off 51 balls
			-	-		
			-	-		
			1		116	Third man
42	2.29	Pollard 14	(nb)(W).1 Stanford		6-117	Pepper run out going for 2nd run, beaten by Hutton's direct hit at 60 yards from deep third man, 9 in 23 mins, 28 balls, 0 fours
	2.30		(1 lb)	-		
			-	-		
			-	1		
			-	-	119	Square leg

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43	Phillipson 19	- - - - 1	120	
44	Pollard 15	2 1		Third man Mid on. Miller 42 off 63 balls
2.38	(1 nb) - (W) 1		7-125	Stanford run out going for 2nd run, sent back by Miller, Hutton throw to Griffith who lobs it to Pollard, 1 in 8 mins, 4 balls
2.40	Cristofani	- - -	125	
45	Phillipson 20	- - - - -	125	
46	Pollard 16	1 - 2 - -	125	Cover Square leg <i>Cristofani beaten four times in the over</i>
47	Phillipson 21	- - - - -	128	
48	Pollard 17	2 2 - 1 -	128	Square leg Square leg Square off
49	Phillipson 22	3 1 - 1 - -	136	Square leg Mid on Square leg
50	Pollard 18	- - -	138	Miller 47 off 78 balls
2.57	W		8-138	Cristofani c Edrich gully, 8 in 17 mins, 19 balls, 0 fours
3.01	<u>Williams</u>	1		Mid on
3.02		4 (nb) 4 (nb) - -		Mid on, near six. Miller 51 in 83 mins, 80 balls
51	Phillipson 23	- - - - -	147	<i>Phillipson still getting massive outswing</i>
52	Pollard 19	- 2 1 - -	147	Long leg Chance to Phillipson at third slip. Aus 150-8 in 176 mins
3.08		- -	150	
53	Phillipson 24	1 - - -	150	Mid on
54	Pollard 20	2 - - - -	153	Mid off Miller 59 off 93 balls

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55	Phillipson 25	2 - -	Cover
3.16		W	9-155 Williams c Griffith wk standing up, 5 in 15 mins, 19 balls
3.17		Ellis -	
56	Pollard 21	2 - 2 2 -	155 Square off Third man Square off
57	Phillipson 26	- - 2 2 -	162 Third man Mid off Long leg
58	Pollard 22	2 - -	167 Mid on Mid on
	Spell 11-1-47-1	1 -	Square off
59	Phillipson 27	- 2 1	170 Long leg Cover
3.30	Spell 19-4-41-3	- -	
	W		10-173 Ellis c Pollard short leg 0 in 13 mins, 7 balls Aus 173-10 all out in 198 mins, 363 balls (incl.9 nb)
	Miller 77 111 mins 112 balls 6 fours		

Australian Services first innings

		Runs	Mins	Balls	4s/6s	Fall
R.S. Whittington	c Hammond (2 <sup>nd</sup> slip) b Pollard	19	42	41	1	1-41
J. Pettiford	b Pollard (off pads)	28	85	72	2	4-66
D.K. Carmody	c Hammond (1st slip) b Pollard	7	31	33	-	2-59
+S.G. Sismey	b Phillipson	5	4	6	1	3-64
*A.L. Hassett	c Pollard (square leg) b Pope	6	31	22	-	5-102
K.R. Miller	not out	77	111	112	6	
C.G. Pepper	run out (Hutton)	9	23	28	-	6-117
R.M. Stanford	run out (Hutton/Griffith/Pollard)	1	8	4	-	7-125
D.R. Cristofani	c Edrich (gully) b Pollard	8	17	19	-	8-138
R.G. Williams	c Griffith (wk) b Phillipson	5	15	19	-	9-155
R.S. Ellis	c Pollard (short leg) b Phillipson	0	13	7	-	10-173
Extras	(lb 2, nb 6)	8				
TOTAL	(all out, for 10 wkts)	173	198	363		59 overs

Bowling	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	nb	w
Phillipson	27	4	72	3	1	-
Pope	10	3	15	1	1	-
Pollard	22	3	78	4	3*	-

\* Pollard 4 nb scored off

Aus 17.30 runs per wkt, 52.42 runs per hour, 47.66 runs per 100 balls, 2.93 runs per over  
Eng 36.30 balls per wkt, 17 overs 5 balls per hour, 110.00 balls per hour

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Odd overs [ ↑ from Stretford End  
Even overs [ ↓ from Manchester End  
Light poor

Fifth Test 1st day

Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman Fishlock	Batsman Hutton	Team	Notes
1	3.50	Miller 1	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			4	-		Cut to third man
			-	-		
				4		

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2	Williams 1	-	
		-	
		- (1 lb)	
		-	
3	Miller 2	-	5
		2	Square off
		-	
		-	
4	Williams 2	1	8 Mid on
		-	
		-	
		-	
5	Miller 3	-	8 Hutton 3 off 16 balls
		-	
		1	Mid off
		-	
6	Williams 3	-	9
		-	
		2	Long leg
		-	
7	Miller 4	1	12 Square leg
		-	
		-	
		1	Mid off
8	Williams 4	-	13
		-	
		-	
		-	
9	Miller 5	-	13
		1	Cover
		-	
		-	
10	Williams 5	-	14
		-	
		-	
		-	
11	Miller 6	-	14 Hutton 4 off 27 balls
		-	
		-	
4.20		W	1-14 Fishlock lbw, slower full length ball, 9 in 30 mins, 38
		<u>Robertson</u>	balls, 1 four
4.21		1	15 Square leg
12	Williams 6	-	
		-	
		-	
		-	
13	Miller 7	-	15
		-	
		-	
		4	Off drive
		-	
		1	20 Mid off



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14		Williams 7	-		
			- (2 lb)		
			3	Mid off	
			-		
			-		25
15		Miller 8	-		
			1	Third man	
			-		
			1	Mid on	
			1	Mid on	
		(1 w)	-	Batsmen must have run this wide	
16		Williams 8	1	Square off	29
			-		
			-		
			1	Square off	
		(nb) 1	-	Square leg	
			-		
17		Miller 9	-		32
			-		
		Spell	1	Square leg	
		9-0-20-1	-		
			-		
18		Williams 9	-		33
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		33
19	4.50	Pepper 1	1	Square off	
			2	Mid on	
			-		
			1	Mid on	
			1	Mid on	
			-		38
20		Williams 10	2	Mid on	
			1	Square off	
			-		
			-		
			1	Square off	
			-		42
21		Pepper 2	-	Hutton 20 off 53 balls	
			4	Mid on	
			-		
	4.57		W	Robertson c Williams scoops from off to square leg, 13	2-46
			<u>Hammond</u>	in 36 mins, 35 balls, 1 four	
	5.00		1		47
22	5.01	Williams 11	4	Mid on. Eng 51-2 in mins	
			2	Square off	
		(1 nb)	-		
			-		
			-		
			4	Mid off	
			4	Mid on	62
23		Pepper 3	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			1	Mid off	63
24		Williams 12	1	Mid on	
			2	Mid on	
		Spell	-	Mid on	
		12-6-30-0	-		
			-		
			-		66

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25	Pepper 4	1		Square leg
		-		
		2		Third man
		-		
		4		
26	5.13 Ellis 1	4	73	Mid on
		1		Mid on
		(2 b) -		Mid on
		-		
		-		
27	Pepper 5	-	80	Hammond 23 off 22 balls
		-		
		-		
		1		Mid off. Hutton 29 off 68 balls
28	Ellis 2	4	85	Mid off
		1		Mid on
		-		
		-		
		1		
29	Pepper 6	1	87	Square off
		4		Square leg
		-		Cover
		-		
		-		
30	Ellis 3	1	92	Mid off
		-		
		-		
		-		
31	Pepper 7	-	93	
		2		Square leg
		-		
		1		Square off
32	Ellis 4	-	96	
		1		Mid on
		2		
	5.28	1	101	Eng 100-2 in mins
33	Pepper 8	-		Mid off
		-		
		-		
		1		Mid on
34	Ellis 5	1	103	Hutton 38 off 83 balls
		-		
		-		
		1		
		-		
35	Pepper 9	1	105	Mid off
		1		Mid off
		-		
		-		
		1	107	
36	Ellis 6	1		
		-		
		1		Mid on
		-		
		1	110	



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49	Cristofani 4	1	-	-	-	151	
50	Pettiford 6	1	-	-	-		
	Spell	1	-	-	-		Mid on
	6-0-21-0		-	-	-		
51	Cristofani 5	1	-	-	-	154	Hutton 60 off 139 balls
			-	-	-		
			4	-	-	158	
52	Williams 13	1	-	-	-		Third man. Edrich 8 off 12 balls
6.22	Spell	W	-	-	-	4-159	Hutton c Sismey wk, chasing outswinger, 64 in 152 mins, 147 balls, 4 fours
	1-0-1-1	<u>Pollard</u>	-	-	-		Night watchman
6.24			-	-	-		
			-	-	-	159	
53	Cristofani 6	-	(2 lb)	-	-		
	Spell	1	-	-	-		Mid off
	5.5-0-17-2		-	-	-		
6.28		W	-	-	-	5-162	Pollard lbw no stroke, 0 in 4 mins, 5 balls
	Edrich 9		-	-	-		Eng 162-5 in 158 mins, 320 balls (incl.1 w, 2 nb)
	20 m, 15 b						

Att: 30,000

Second Day – Tuesday 21 August

Rain in early morning.

17,000 watch England contend with difficult wicket. Sun now shining.

Fifth Test 2nd day

Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
53	2.15	Cristofani 6	Edrich 9	<u>Washbrook</u>	162	Eng 162-5
		ctd		-		
54		Williams 14	1	1		Overthrow from direct hit by Pepper from square leg
			-	-		Third man
			-	-	164	
55		Cristofani 7	-	-		Silly mid on and off
			-	-		
			-	-	164	
56		Williams 15	-	-		
			2	-		Third man
			1	-		Third man
			-	-	167	
57		Cristofani 8	-	-		
			-	-		
			1	-		Square leg
			-	1		Mid on
			-	-	169	
58		Williams 16	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			3	-		Pulls short ball to on side
			-	-	172	



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71	Cristofani 15	- - 1			Square off
72	Pepper 17	- - - - 1	1	205	Square off
73	Cristofani 16	- - 1		206	Cover
74	Pepper 18	- 1 1 4	1	207	Cover Mid off
75	Cristofani 17	- - - - 1	1	214	Mid on Square leg
76	Pepper 19	- 2 - - 1		215	Mid on. Washbrook 35 off 67 balls Long leg
77	3.24 Cristofani 3.25 18	- 1 - - -	W <u>Griffith</u>	218 8-218	Phillipson 2 off 18 balls Washbrook c Carmody full toss hit to deep square leg, 38 in 69 mins, 73 balls, 4 fours. Batsmen cross.
78	Pepper 20	- 2 - - -		219	Third man <i>Griffith sharp chance to Williams at silly mid off</i>
79	3.30 Cristofani 3.31 19	- - - -	W <u>Wright</u>	221 9-221	Griffith c Ellis low at cover, 0 in 5 mins, 4 balls
80	Pepper 21	2 - - - 1		221	Square leg
81	Cristofani 20	1 - 1		224	Mid off Cover
	3.37	- - -			Mid off Phillipson dropped by Pettigrew at silly mid off
82	Pepper 22	- - - -		226	Phillipson 9 off 35 balls
		- - -		226	



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2	Pope 1	-		<i>Four short legs</i>
		-		<i>Pettiford hard chance to Pollard at short leg</i>
		-		
		-		
3	Phillipson 2	1	1	Square leg
		-		
		-		
		-		
4	Pope 2	-	1	
	(nb) 3			To long on
		-		
		-		
		-		
		2		Mid on
5	Phillipson 3	1	2	8 Mid off
		-		Square off
		-		
		-		
		-		
6	Pope 3	- (1 lb)	10	
		1 (nb)		Long leg
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
7	Phillipson 4	2	11	Whittington 4 off 15 balls
	4.28	W		Off pads to square leg
	4.30	<u>Sismey</u>	1-13	Pettiford c Robertson silly mid-off, 8 in 20 mins, 25 balls,
		-		0 fours
		1		Mid on
		-		
8	Pope 4	-	14	
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
9	Phillipson 5	-	14	
		-		
		-		
		-		
10	Pope 5	-	14	
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
11	Phillipson 6	-	14	
		-		
		-		
		-		
		-		
12	Pope 6	-	14	
		-		
		1		Long leg
		-		
		-		
		-	15	Whittington 4 off 32 balls



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13	Phillipson 7	-		
		2		Mid on
		-		
		-		
	4.50	W	2-17	Sisney lbw sweeping, given out by Umpire Chester, 4 in 20 mins, 23 balls, 0 fours
		<u>Stanford</u>		
14	4.51 Pope 7	-		
		-		
		-		
		-	17	
15	Phillipson 8	-		
		-		
		-		
		-	17	
16	Pope 8	3		Lucky edge to third man
		-		
		4		Late cut
		-		
		-	24	
17	Phillipson 9	-		
		1		Long leg
		1		Square leg
		(1 lb) -		
		-	27	Stanford 5 off 13 balls
18	Pope 9	-		
	Spell	-		
	9-4-17-0	-		
		-		
		-	27	Whittington 8 off 49 balls
19	Phillipson 10	-		
	Spell	-		
	10-6-8-2	-		
		-	27	
20	5.10 Pollard 1	-		
		-		
		-		
		-	27	
21	5.12 Wright 1	-		
		-		
		2		Third man
		-		
		-	29	
22	Pollard 2	-		
		(1 nb) -		
		-		
		-		
		-	30	
23	Wright 2	-		
	Spell	2		Third man
	2-0-4-0	-		
		-		
		-	32	Stanford 9 off 31 balls
24	Pollard 3	-		
		-		
		-		
		-	32	Appeal against the light by Whittington, emphatically refused by Umpire Chester

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25	5.27	Phillipson 11	3 2 - - -	Mid off Edge by Whittington hits Pope's knee at 2 <sup>nd</sup> slip
26		Pollard 4  Spell 4-4-0-0	- - - -	37 Whittington 10 off 73 balls. Another appeal against light.
27		Phillipson 12	- -	37 Another appeal against light. Chester consults Umpire Elliott and refuses Sun appears through clouds
	5.37	Spell 11.3-0-5-1	W	3-37 Whittington c Griffith wk, edged hook, great catch left-handed high on leg side, 10 in 89 mins, 76 balls, 0 fours. Off for bad light, then rain Aus 37-3 in 89 mins, 162 balls (incl.3 nb)
			Stanford 12 46 m, 38 b	

Griffith's catch described by Howard Marshall as "a real paratrooper's catch". Griffith was a glider pilot.

Third Day – Wednesday 22 August  
Showers overnight.

Fifth Test 3rd day					
Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman Miller	Batsman Stanford 12	Team Notes
27	11.30	Phillipson 12 ctd	2 1	-	Aus 37-3 Back foot drive to mid on Mid off
28		Pollard 5	- - - -	1	40  Long leg
29		Phillipson 13	- - - -	-	41
30		Pollard 6	- - - -	-	41  <i>Stanford hit on fingers by short ball.</i>
31		Phillipson 14	- - - -	-	41 Miller dropped by Hammond at 1 <sup>st</sup> slip, or just dropped short Miller skies head high ball into empty short leg area
32		Pollard 7	- - - -	-	41  <i>Interruption for invading dog. Pollard adds a third slip</i>
33	11.50 11.51	Phillipson 15	- W <u>Hassett</u> 1	- 1	41 Stanford 12 off 52 balls 4-41 Miller c Griffith flashing at swinger to wk, 4 in 20 mins, 21 balls Square off
34		Pollard 8	- - 1 - -	- - 1	43 Long leg  Square off  44

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35		<b>Phillipson</b>	-		
		<b>16</b>	-		
			2		<b>Cover</b>
			-		
			-		
			-		
36		<b>Pollard 9</b>	-		<b>46 Stanford 16 off 63 balls</b>
	12.00		W		
			<u>Pepper</u>		<b>5-46 Hassett c Griffith, trying to withdraw gloves fast</b>
	12.01		2		<b>rising ball to wk, 1 in 9 mins, 7 balls</b>
			-		<b>Edge through slips</b>
			-		
			-		<b>48</b>
37		<b>Phillipson</b>	-		
		<b>17</b>	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		<b>48</b>
38		<b>Pollard 10</b>	-		
			-		
			-		
			1		<b>Square off</b>
			-		
39		<b>Phillipson</b>	-		<b>49</b>
		<b>18</b>	-		
	12.10		3		<b>Long leg. Aus 52-5</b>
			-		
			-		
			-		<b>52</b>
40		<b>Pollard 11</b>	4		<b>Long leg</b>
			-		
			(1 nb)		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
41		<b>Phillipson</b>	1		<b>57 Pepper 10 off 19 balls</b>
		<b>19</b>	-		<b>Long leg. Stanford 17 off</b>
			-		
			-		
			-		
			1		<b>59 Square off</b>
42		<b>Pollard 12</b>	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-		<b>59</b>
43		<b>Phillipson</b>	4		<b>Mid off</b>
		<b>20</b>	-		
		<b>Spell</b>	-		
		<b>8.3-3-17-1</b>	1		<b>Square off</b>
			-		
			-		<b>64</b>
44		<b>Pollard 13</b>	-		
			-		
		<b>Spell</b>	-		
		<b>9-4-9-1</b>	-		
			-		
			-		<b>64</b>
45	12.30	<b>Wright 3</b>	1		<b>Square leg</b>
			-		
			1		<b>Cover</b>
			1		<b>Square off</b>
			-		
			-		<b>67</b>
46	12.33	<b>Pope 10</b>	-		
			-		
			-		
			2		<b>Mid on</b>
			-		
			-		<b>69 Pepper 15 off 40 balls</b>

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47	Wright 4	-	-	-	
	12.38	W			6-69 Stanford c Griffith late cut snicks top spinner to wk, 23 in 114 mins, 92 balls, 2 fours
	12.40	<u>Cristofani</u>			Australia need one run to avoid innings defeat
		-			69
48	Pope 11	-	-	-	Pepper drive stopped by bowler's wicket
		4			On drive. Australia lead by three runs. 285 mins left.
		1			Glance to long leg
		1			75
49	Wright 5	-	4		Third man
		2			Long leg
		-			
		-			81
50	Pope 12	-	3		Long leg
		-			
		2			Mid on
		-			86 Cristofani 9 off 13 balls
51	Wright 6	-	-		
		-			
	12.55	W			7-86 Pepper c Griffith pulling against spin, wk, 23 in 54 mins, 51 balls, 2 fours
	12.57	<u>Carmody</u>			
		-			86
52	Pope 13	1	2		Long leg
		-			Long leg
		-			
		-			89
53	Wright 7	-	2		Third man
		2			Mid off
		-			
		4			97 Mid on. Cristofani 18 off 20 balls
54	Pope 14	-	-		
	Spell	-			
	5-1-16-0	-			
		-			97
55	Wright 8	2	-		Cover
		-			
	1.10	Spell	1		Mid off. Aus 100-7 in 189 mins
		6-2-25-2	1		Third man
			4		Swing high to leg
			-		105
56	1.13	Pollard 14	W		8-105 Carmody c Griffith wk, 3 in 16 mins, 15 balls
			<u>Williams</u>		
	1.15		-		
			-		
			-		105
57	1.16	Phillipson 21	4		Cover
			1		Square off
			-		
		(1 lb)	-		
			1		112 Square off. Cristofani 31 off 29 balls
58	Pollard 15	-	-		
		2			Mid off
		3			Mid on
		1			Long leg
		-			118

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59	Phillipson 22	- - 1	- - 1	120	Long leg Square off
60	Pollard 16	- - - - -	- - - -	120	
1.30	Williams 2 15 m, 12 b	Cristofani 37 50 m, 42 b		Aus 120-8 in 209 mins, 364 balls (inc.4 nb)	

Australia 50 ahead. About 235 mins play left

Fifth Test 3rd day

Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
61	2.15	Phillipson 23	Williams 2	Cristofani 37	Aus	120-8
			- 1	- -		Mid on
62		Pollard 17	- - -	- -	121	
63		Phillipson 24	(1 lb) - - - -	- -	122	
64		Pollard 18	- - -	- 2 4	128	Square leg. Late cut through slips. Cristofani 43 off 51 balls
65		Phillipson 25	- - - -	- -	128	Williams 3 off 33 balls
66	2.32	Pollard 19	(1 nb) - -	- 3 4		Over mid on Williams 'bowled'. Batsmen ran? Cut to third man. Cristofani 50 in 67 mins, balls
67		Phillipson 26	- - -	- -	136	
		Spell 6-3-9-0	- -	- -	136	
68		Pollard 20	- 2 4 4 (nb) -	- 2 4 -		Mid off On drive High pull to square leg, almost six
69	2.42	Wright 9	- 1 4 1 1 -	- 1 4 1 -	148 155	Mid on Cover Down the wicket to drive straight Square off Cristofani 67 off 67 balls

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70		Pope 15	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			1	156	Third man. Williams 6 off 49 balls
71		Wright 10	-		
			1		Third man
		Spell	1		Square off
		2-0-9-0	-		
			-		
			-	158	
72		Pope 16	-		
			-		
			4		Mid off
			-		
			-		
			2	164	Square off
73	2.55	Edrich 1	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	164	
74		Pope 17	-		
			-		
			-		
			2		Square off
			-		
			-	166	Cristofani 76 off 80 balls
75		Edrich 2	-		
			1		Mid on
		Spell	1		Long leg
		2-1-2-0	-		
			-		
			-	168	Williams 8 off 65 balls
76		Pope 18	-		
			6		To mid wkt almost into Pavilion
		Spell	1		Long leg
		4-0-16-0	-		
			-		
			-	175	Australia lead by 105. About 180 mins left.
77	3.08	Phillipson 27	-		
			4		Mid off
			4		Mid off
		Spell	-		
			-		
			1	184	Cover. Cristofani 93 off 90 balls
78	3.11	Pollard 21	- (1 b)		
			1		Third man
			1		Square off
			-		
			-		
			-	187	
79		Wright 11	2		Mid on
			1		Mid off
			-		
			-		
			-	190	
80		Pollard 22	-		
			1		Third man
			1		Long leg
			1		Square off
			-		
			-	193	Williams 10 off 79 balls
81	3.22	Wright 12	2		Skied to mid wkt, over running Hutton. Cristofani 101 in 117 mins, 98 balls. Big ovation
			1		Mishit skied to leg slip gap, Hammond runs from slip to try to catch it
			-		
			-		
			-	196	Appeal against the light by Cristofani refused. Umpires clear crowds from sight screen

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82		<b>Pollard 23</b>	-		
		<b>Spell</b>	-		
		<b>3-0-6-0</b>	-		
			-		
			1	197	Mid on
83		<b>Wright 13</b>	-		
		<b>Spell</b>	-		
		<b>3-1-6-0</b>	-		
			-		
			-	197	<b>Cristofani 103 off 111 balls</b>
84	3.33	<b>Edrich 3</b>	2		<b>Square off</b>
		<b>Spell</b>	-		
		<b>1-0-2-0</b>	-		
			-		
			(1 lb) -	200	<b>New ball. Australia lead by 130. About 155 mins left</b>
85	3.37	<b>Phillipson</b>	W	9-200	<b>Williams c Griffith touches outswinger low to wk, 12 in</b>
		<b>28</b>	<u>Ellis</u>		<b>97 mins, 90 balls, 0 fours. Williams cheered off</b>
	3.38		-		
			3		Mid on
			-		
			2	205	Mid on
86		<b>Pope 19</b>	-		
		<b>Spell</b>	-		
		<b>1-1-0-0</b>	-		
			-		
			-	205	
87		<b>Phillipson</b>	-		
		<b>29</b>	4		<b>Square leg</b>
		<b>Spell</b>	-		
			-		
			1		<b>Square off</b>
	3.48		W	10-210	<b>Ellis c Pollard turned square leg, 3 in 10 mins, 9 balls</b>
			<b>Cristofani</b>		<b>Aus 210-10 all out in 302 mins, 528 balls, (incl.6 nb)</b>
			<b>110</b>		
			<b>143 mins</b>		
			<b>119 balls</b>		
			<b>13 fours</b>		
			<b>1 six</b>		

Australia lead by 140; about 140 mins left.

Having just been set free from a Japanese prisoner of war camp in Kanchanaburi in Thailand, E.W. Swanton gets to a nearby village and from a radio hears the voice of Rex Alston commentating on a century by Cristofani.

**Australian Services second innings**

			Runs	Mins	Balls	4s/6s	Fall
R.S. Whittington	c Griffith (wk, leg side) b Phillipson		10	89	76	-	3-37
J. Pettiford	c Robertson (silly mid-off) b Phillipson		8	20	25	-	1-13
+S.G. Sismey	lbw b Phillipson		4	20	23	-	2-17
R.M. Stanford	c Griffith (wk) b Wright		23	114	92	2	6-69
K.R. Miller	c Griffith (wk) b Phillipson		4	20	21	-	4-41
*A.L. Hassett	c Griffith (wk) b Pollard		1	9	7	-	5-46
C.G. Pepper	b Wright		23	54	51	2	<b>7-86</b>
D.R. Cristofani	not out		110	<b>143</b>	119	13/1	
D.K. Carmody	c Griffith (wk) b Pollard		3	16	15	-	8-105
R.G. Williams	c Griffith (wk) b Phillipson		12	<b>97</b>	90	-	9-200
R.S. Ellis	c Pollard (square leg) b Phillipson		3	10	9	-	10-210
Extras	(b 1, lb 5, nb 3)		<u>9</u>				
Total	(all out, for 10 wkts)		210	302	528		87 overs

NOTE: All published sources, except *The Cricketer*, incorrectly state fall of 7<sup>th</sup> wicket at 87.

Bowling	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	nb	w
Phillipson	29	12	58	6	-	-
Pollard	23	11	46	2	3*	-
Pope	19	6	49	0	-*	-
Wright	13	3	44	2	-	-
Edrich	3	1	4	0	-	-

\* Pope 2 nb scored off; Pollard 1 nb scored off

Aus 21.10 runs per wkt, 41.72 runs per hour, 39.77 runs per 100 balls, 2.41 runs per over  
Eng 52.80 balls per wkt, 17 overs 1½ balls per hour, 104.90 balls per hour

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**England Second Innings**

England need 141 to win in 143 mins  
Weather dull and clouds darker.

Odd overs ] .... from End  
Even overs ] .... from End  
Corrected to accord with published score

Fifth Test 3rd day						
Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman	Batsman	Team	Notes
			Fishlock	Hutton		
1	4.07	Miller 1	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		0
2		Williams 1	-	1		Mid on
			-	-		
			4	-		Mid off
	4.12		W	-	1-5	Fishlock bld, 4 in 5 mins, 9 balls, 1 four
	4.14		<u>Robertson</u>	-		
			<u>n</u>	-		5
			-	-		
3		Miller 2	-	1		Square leg
			4	-		Long leg
			1	-		Square leg
			-	-		
			-	-		11
4		Williams 2	4	-		Square off
			1	-		Square leg. Robertson 10 off 5 balls
			-	4		Mid off
			-	-		
			-	-		20
5		Miller 3	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			1	-		21
6		Williams 3	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			1	-		22
7		Miller 4	1	-		Square off
			-	-		Long leg
			-	-		
			-	-		
			1	-		24
8		Williams 4	-	-		Cover
			-	-		Robertson 13 off 19 balls
			-	-		
			-	-		
			1	-		25
9		Miller 5	-	-		Long leg. Hutton 8 off 19 balls
			-	-		
			1	-		25
			-	-		Hutton hit
			1	-		Square leg
			-	-		
			1	-		27
10		Williams 5	-	-		Mid on
			-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		
			1	-		27
			-	-		
			-	-		
			1	-		32
			-	-		Square off
			4 (nb)	-		
			-	-		





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23		Pepper 4	-	-	1	Mid on
			-	-		
			-	-		80
24		Cristofani 6	-	1	Mid off	
			-	1	Mid off. Edrich 1 off 10 balls	
			-	-		82
25		Pepper 5	-	-		Hammond 11 off 13 balls
			-	-		
			-	-		82
26		Cristofani 7	2	-	Long leg	
		Spell 7-0-25-0	1	-	Mid on	
			-	-		85
27		Pepper 6	1	2	Mid off	
			-	-	Mid on	
			-	-		
			1	-		89
28	5.27	Williams 7	-	2	Third man	
			-	-		
			-	-		95
29		Pepper 7	-	-	Square leg. Edrich 10 off 29 balls	
		Spell 7-3-8-2	-	-		
			-	-		95
30	5.35	Williams 8	(nb) 6	-	Hammond 15 off 24 balls	Long on. Eng 101-3 in 88 mins, need 40 in 55 mins
		Spell 2-0-13-0	1	-	Square off	
			-	-		102
31	5.39	Miller 9	-	2	Square leg	
			-	-		104
32		Ellis 1	-	-	Edrich 19 off 39 balls	
			-	-		
			-	-		104
33		Miller 10	2	-	Long leg	
			-	-		
			-	-		
			4	-	Mid off	
			-	-		110
34		Ellis 2	-	-		
			-	-		
			-	-		110
			-	-	Hammond 15 off 39 balls	

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35		Miller 11	-		
		Spell	-		
		3-0-13-0	4		
			1		
			-	115	Third man Long leg. Edrich 30 off 50 balls
36		Ellis 3	(2 lb) -		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			4	121	Mid off
37	5.54	Pepper 8	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	121	Mid on
38		Ellis 4	2		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	123	Edrich 36 off 62 balls
39		Pepper 9	-		
			-		
			-		
			1		Third man. Hammond 16 off 50 balls
			-	124	
40	6.00	Ellis 5	W	4-124	Hammond c sub (E.A. Williams) jumps out to go for six, ct above head at long on, 16 in 52 mins, 51 balls, 2 fours. England need 17 in 28 mins
	6.02		<u>Washbrook</u>		Mid on.
			-		
			4		
			-		
			-	128	
41		Pepper 10	-		
			-		
			-		
			-		
			-	128	
42		Ellis 6	-		
			1		Mid on
			-		
			1		Mid on
			-	130	
43		Pepper 11	-		
			2		Mid on
			-		
			3		Long leg
			-	135	
44		Ellis 7	-		
			-		
		Spell	1		Mid off
		7-2-13-1	-		
			-		
			-	136	Edrich 41 off 76 balls
45		Pepper 12	4		Square off
			-		
		Spell	-		
		5-2-10-0	-		
			-		
			-	140	
46	6.15	Hassett 1	1	141	Square off
		Spell			
		0.1-0-1-0			
		Edrich 42	Washbrook 11		Eng 141-4 in 128 mins, 273 balls (incl.2 nb)
		62 mins	13 mins		
		77 balls	23 balls		
		5 fours	1 four		
		1 six			

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England win by 6 wkts with 15 mins to spare  
Attendance 23,000, and for the three days 72,463 paid £11,627. The profits go to English and Australian service charities.

**England second innings**

		Runs	Mins	Balls	4s/6s	Fall
L.B. Fishlock	b Williams	4	5	9	1	1-5
L. Hutton	lbw b Pepper	29	60	52	4	2-69
J.D. Robertson	lbw b Pepper	37	57	61	3	3-70
*W.R. Hammond	c sub (E.A. Williams) (long on) b Ellis	16	52	51	2	4-124
W.J. Edrich	not out	42	62	77	5/1	
C. Washbrook	not out	11	13	23	1	
Extras	(b 2)	<u>2</u>				
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>(for 4 wkts)</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>273</b>		<b>45.1 overs</b>

Bowling	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	nb	w
Miller	11	1	41	0	-	-
Williams	8	0	41	1	-*	-
Cristofani	7	0	25	0	-	-
Pepper	12	5	18	2	-	-
Ellis	7	2	13	1	-	-
Hassett	0.1	0	1	0	-	-

\* Williams 2 nb scored off

Eng 35.25 runs per wkt, 66.09 runs per hour, 51.65 runs per 100 balls, 3.12 runs per over  
Aus 68.25 balls per wkt, 21 overs 1 ball per hour, 127.97 balls per hour

**England Second Innings – Version according to Ferguson**

*Version according to Ferguson, in which it appears that he mixed up Hutton and Robertson in overs 17 to 21.*

Fifth Test 3rd day [Ferguson version]						
Ov	Time	Bowler	Batsman Robertson	Batsman Hutton	Team	Notes
16		Cristofani 2	-	1		Third man
			-	1		Mid on
			-	-	62	England need 79 in 90 mins. Unexplained change of ends?
17	5.00	Pepper 1	1	1		Mid on Mid on. Robertson 33 off 47 balls
			-	-	64	Hutton 27 off 47 balls If the published score is correct all 4 of these runs were scored by Robertson, none by Hutton. All runs scored to mid on.
18		Cristofani 3	-	1		
			-	1	68	Mid on. Hutton 30 off 50 balls
19		Pepper 2	-	1		
	5.07		W		2-69	Robertson lbw, 35 in 53 mins, 56 balls, 3 fours
20	5.08	Cristofani 4	<u>Hammond</u>	-		
			-	1	70	Third man
21	5.11	Pepper 3	W	3-70		Hutton lbw, 31 in 64 mins, 57 balls, 4 fours. England need 71 in 78 mins
	5.13		<u>Edrich</u>	-		
			-	-	70	

England win by 6 wickets and square the series.

### Fifth Victory Test at Old Trafford

#### England second innings

		Runs	Mins	Balls	4s/6s	Fall
L.B. Fishlock	b Williams	4	5	9	1	1-5
L. Hutton	lbw b Pepper	29	60	52	4	2-69
J.D. Robertson	lbw b Pepper	37	57	61	3	3-70
*W.R. Hammond	c sub (E.A. Williams)(long on) b Ellis	16	52	51	2	4-124
W.J. Edrich	not out	42	62	77	5/1	
C. Washbrook	not out	11	13	23	1	
Extras	(b 2)	<u>2</u>				
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>(for 4 wkts)</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>273</b>		<b>45.1 overs</b>

Bowling	Overs	Mdns	Runs	Wkts	nb	w
Miller	11	1	41	0	-	-
Williams	8	0	41	1	-*	-
Cristofani	7	0	25	0	-	-
Pepper	12	5	18	2	-	-
Ellis	7	2	13	1	-	-
Hassett	0.1	0	1	0	-	-

\* Williams 2 nb scored off

Eng 35.25 runs per wkt, 66.09 runs per hour, 51.65 runs per 100 balls, 3.12 runs per over

Aus 68.25 balls per wkt, 21 overs 1 ball per hour, 127.97 balls per hour

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**England**

	Runs	Wkts	Mins	Balls	Overs. Balls
1st Test Lord's	267	10	270	606	100.1
	294	10	312	697	115.4
2nd Test Sheffield	286	10	313	675	110.5
	190	10	194	448	73.4
3rd Test Lord's	254	10	309	651	107.1
	164	9	210	468	77.3
4th Test Lord's	468	7	431	899	147.0
5th Test Old Trafford	243	10	254	521	86.2
	141	4	128	273	45.1
Totals	2307	80	2421	5238	863.3

England scored 28.84 runs per wkt, 57.14 runs per hour, 44.03 runs per 100 balls, 2.67 runs per over  
 Australia bowled 65.47 balls per wkt, 21 overs 2½ balls per hour, 129.81 balls per hour

**Australia**

	Runs	Wkts	Mins	Balls	Overs. Balls
1st Test Lord's	455	10	390	757	125.3
	107	4	70	136	22.4
2nd Test Sheffield	147	10	167	324	52.5
	288	10	313	619	102.4
3rd Test Lord's	194	10	232	436	71.1
	225	6	240	470	77.0
4th Test Lord's	388	10	420	797	130.3
	140	4	125	237	38.0
5th Test Old Trafford	173	10	198	363	59.0
	210	10	302	528	87.0
Totals	2327	84	2457	4667	766.2

Australia 27.70 runs per wkt, 56.83 runs per hour, 49.86 runs per 100 balls, 3.04 runs per over  
 England 55.56 balls per wkt, 18 overs 4½ balls per hour, 113.97 balls per hour

## Victory Test Averages

### Victory Test Averages

#### Australia – Batting

Services rank (Age on 1 May 1945) (RHB unless otherwise stated)	M	I	No	Runs	HS	Av	Mins	Balls	4/6	Runs per hour	Runs per 100 balls	Ct/St	Part run out
F/O K.R. Miller (25)	5	10	3	443	118	63.28	804	784	36/1	33.06	56.50	1	
F/O D.R. Cristofani (24)	3	4	1	164	110*	54.77	231	207	19/1	42.60	79.23	-	
Sgt C.G. Pepper (26)	5	9	1	249	57	31.12	446	430	23/3	33.50	57.91	6	
W/O A.L. Hassett (31)	5	10	0	277	77	27.70	551	580	23	30.16	47.76	6	
F/O R.M. Stanford (27)	3	5	1	108	49	27.00	302	300	10	21.46	36.00	1	
F/O J. Pettiford (25)	2	4	0	107	39	26.75	237	215	12	27.09	49.77	1	
Sq Ldr S.G. Sismey (28)	5	8	0	182	59	22.75	586	564	15	18.63	32.27	9/6	1
Capt R.S. Whittington (32)	5	10	0	215	61	21.50	502	485	21	25.70	44.33	2	
Sgt C.F. Price (27) (LHB)	2	4	1	56	35	18.67	98	95	5/1	34.29	58.95	1	
Fl Sgt J.A. Workman (28)	4	7	0	122	63	17.43	438	438	5	16.71	27.85	2	
Fl Lt D.K. Carmody (26)	3	6	0	99	42	16.50	184	175	9	32.28	56.57	3*	
W/O R.G. Williams (29)	5	7	1	82	58	13.67	237	234	11	20.76	35.04	1	
Capt. A.G. Cheetham (29)	3	6	1	42	18	8.40	135	126	3	18.67	33.33	1	
F/O R.S. Ellis (27)	3	7	4	14	9	4.67	47	34	-	17.87	41.18	1	

\* Carmody one ct as wk; one ct as wk sub  
W/O E.A. Williams took one catch as sub.

#### Australia – Bowling

	Type	Balls	O	M	R	W	Av	Extras from nb/w	Balls per wkt	Runs per 100 balls	BB	5wI/ 10wM
Price	SLC	214	35.4	4	99	7	14.14	-	30.57	46.26	3-18	-
Cristofani	LBG	501 + 1	83.3	15	213	14	15.21	-/1	35.86	42.43	5-55	2
Pettiford	LB	146	24.2	2	84	4	21.00	-	36.50	57.53	3-62	-
Miller	RF	726 + 10	121	19	277	10	27.70	2/13 +	73.60	37.64	3-42	-
Ellis	SLA	1135 + 1	189.1	43	373	13	28.69	-/1	87.38	32.83	3-43	-
Cheetham	RFM	450 + 12	75.1	11	213	7	30.43	5	66.00	46.10	3-47	-
Pepper	LBG	1083 + 6	180.3	34	492	14	35.14	3	77.79	45.18	4-80	-
Williams	RFM	912 + 30	152	10	402	10	40.20	10/4	94.20	42.68	3-109	-
Whittington		12	2	0	8	0	-	-	-	66.66	-	-
Hassett	RM	1	0.1	0	1	0	-	-	-	100.00	-	-

+ Miller's 13 wides accrued off 7 wide deliveries  
[ 912 + 30 means 912 legitimate deliveries bowled and 30 no-ball or wide deliveries.]

#### Wicket-keepers

Sismey 15 dismissals (9 ct 6 st) conceded 27 byes  
Workman 0 dismissals conceded 24 byes (as deputising wk)  
Carmody 2 dismissals (2 ct) conceded 6 byes (1 ct for 3 byes as deputising wk; 1 ct for 3 byes as substitute acting as wk)

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**England – Batting**

Services rank (Age on 1 May 1945) (RHB unless otherwise stated)	M	I	No	Runs	HS	Av	Mins	Balls	4/6	Runs per hour	Runs per 100 balls	Ct/St	Part run out
Sq Ldr W.J. Edrich (29)	5	9	2	331	73*	47.28	701	812	27/2	28.33	40.76	3	2
Fl Sgt C. Washbrook (32)	5	9	2	329	112	47.00	742	791	25/1*	26.60	41.59	-	1
W.R. Hammond (41)	5	8	0	369	100	46.12	703	824	33/2	31.49	44.78	8	
L. Hutton (28)	5	9	0	380	104	42.22	898	924	24*	25.39	41.13	1	3
Lt. J.D. Robertson (28)	4	7	0	239	84	34.14	447	521	16/3	32.08	45.87	2	1
Sq.Ldr. L.E.G. Ames (39)	1	2	0	64	57	32.00	139	156	5/1	27.63	41.03	1	
L.B. Fishlock (38) (LHB)	2	3	0	82	69	27.33	178	197	14	46.07	41.62	3	
Sq.Ldr. R.W.V. Robins (38)	1	2	0	38	33	19.00	64	62	4	35.62	61.29	-	
Col. J.W.A. Stephenson (37)	1	2	0	32	31	16.00	62	75	2	30.97	42.67	-	
J.G. Dewes (18) (LHB)	1	2	0	27	27	13.50	90	104	2	18.00	25.96	-	
Lt.Col. S.C. Griffith (30)	5	8	1	93	36	13.29	246	231	10	22.68	40.26	12/1	3
Sgt. R. Pollard (32)	4	6	2	48	25	12.00	116	132	4	24.83	36.36	7	1
G.H. Pope (34)	3	4	0	43	35	10.75	118	126	6	21.86	34.13	-	
Hon. L.R. White (18)	1	2	0	15	11	7.50	61	62	0	14.75	24.19	1	
Lt. D.V.P. Wright (30)	5	7	2	29	9	5.80	62	73	3	28.06	39.73	4	
Col. E.R.T. Holmes (39)	1	2	0	8	6	4.00	17	29	0	28.24	27.59	-	
Sgt. W.B. Roberts (30)	3	4	0	11	6	2.75	24	30	1	27.50	36.67	1	
D.B. Carr (18)	1	2	0	5	4	2.50	13	19	0	23.08	26.32	-	
A.R. Gover (37)	1	2	1	1	1	1.00	7	12	0	8.57	8.33	-	
Fl.Sgt. W.E. Phillipson (34)	1	1	1	18	18*	-	46	48	0	23.48	37.50	-	

\* Washbrook 1 five; Hutton 1 five

**England – Bowling**

Type	Balls	O	M	R	W	Av	Extras from nb/w	Balls per wkt	Runs per 100 balls	BB	5wI/ 10wM	
Phillipson	RFM	336 + 1	56	16	130	9	14.44	1	37.44	38.58	6-58	1
Pope	RFM	807 + 15	134.3	36	316	15	21.07	9	54.80	38.44	5-58	1
Pollard	RFM	1137 + 44	189.3	42	591	25	23.64	30 +	47.24	50.04	6-75	2
Roberts	SLA	372	62	19	134	5	26.80	-	74.40	36.02	2-24	-
Stephenson	RFM	282	47	4	167	6	27.83	-	47.00	59.22	5-116	1
Wright	LBG	994 + 1	165.4	34	436	13	33.54	1	76.54	43.82	3-122	-
Gover	RF	220 + 3	36.4	4	141	2	70.50	1	111.50	63.23	1-51	-
Edrich	RFM	319* + 3	54	5	163	2	81-50	3	160.50	50.62	1-37	-
Carr	SLA	54	9	3	23	0	-	-	-	42.59	-	-
Hutton	LB	12	2	0	14	0	-	-	-	116.67	-	-
Robins	LBG	60	10	0	45	0	-	-	-	75.00	-	-

+ one of Pollard's nbs accrued 2 extras

\* One of Edrich's overs contained one ball (retired hurt)

[ 807 + 15 means 807 legitimate deliveries bowled and 15 no-ball or wide deliveries.]

**Wicket-keepers**

Griffith 13 dismissals (ct 12, 1 st) conceded 59 byes