

Test Matches 1938

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Key to Abbreviations

C = chain, DH = dead heat, E = engine or machine failure, EPH = pushed home,
ET = bike problems but finished, F = fell, FRM = remounted, FIL = fell when leading,
L = lapped, LD = laid bike down, N = replaced by reserve, NS = non starter, no reserve,
P = tyre problems, R = non finisher but reason not known, XS = excluded for starting offence,
XT = excluded time limit, XW = excluded, crossed white line, W = wheel problems.

Saturday 28/05/1938		First Test 1938				Score Chart		White with Red Lion											
ENGLAND 52		BELLE VUE				ENGLAND									Total				
AUSTRALIA 56																			
Heat Results					<u>Time</u>	H	A	H	A										
1	Grosskreutz	Charles	Varey	Johnson	76.4	3	3	3	3	1	Frank Varey ©	1	3	2	2	2	2	12	
2	Mitchell	Wilkinson	Kitchen	Parker	77.0	1	5	4	8	2	Frank Charles	2	1	1	0	3	0	7	
RR 3	Newton	Praag (CIL)	Atkinson	Spinks	77.8	4	2	8	10	3	Bill Kitchen	1	1	3	3	3	2	13	
4	Grosskreutz	Johnson	Kitchen	Parker	77.4	1	5	9	15	4	Jack Parker	0	0	N	N	N	N	0	
5	Wilkinson	Atkinson	Newton	Mitchell	77.4	3	3	12	18	5	George Newton	3	1	3	3	0	1	11	
6	Varey	Spinks	Charles	(Praag F)	79.0	4	2	16	20	6	Arthur Atkinson	1	2	0	0	1	0	4	
7	Newton	Grosskreutz	Johnson	Atkinson	76.8	3	3	19	23	7	Bob Harrison (Res)					0	3	3	
8	Wilkinson	Varey	Charles	Mitchell	77.2	3	3	22	26	8	Alec Statham (Res)		2	0				2	
9	Kitchen	Statham	Spinks	Collins	79.6	5	1	27	27	AUSTRALIA		Red with White Kangaroo							52
10	Grosskreutz	Varey	Johnson	Charles	78.0	2	4	29	31	1	Max Grosskreutz ©	3	3	2	3	2	2	15	
11	Kitchen	Wilkinson	Mitchell	Statham	77.0	3	3	32	34	2	Ron Johnson	0	2	1	1	1	3	8	
12	Newton	Rogers	Spinks	Atkinson	78.6	3	3	35	37	3	Bluey Wilkinson	2	3	3	2	2	3	15	
13	Kitchen	Grosskreutz	Johnson	Harrison	77.4	3	3	38	40	4	Clem Mitchell	3	0	0	1	3	1	8	
14	Mitchell	Wilkinson	Atkinson	Newton	79.2	1	5	39	45	5	Lionel Van Praag	2	F	NS	N	N	NS	2	
15	Charles	Varey	Spinks	Rogers	79.4	5	1	44	46	6	Charlie Spinks	0	2	1	1	1	1	6	
16	Johnson	Grosskreutz	Newton	Atkinson	79.8	1	5	45	51	7	Eric Collins (Res)				0			0	
17	Wilkinson	Varey	Mitchell	Charles	79.2	2	4	47	55	8	Bill Rogers (Res)				2	0	0	2	
18	Harrison	Kitchen	Spinks	Rogers	81.8	5	1	52	56								56		

Van Praag fell when leading heat 3 and Newton also came down. The race was rerun. Second time out Van Praag was leading until the home straight when his chain came adrift.

In heat 6 he came down when trying to overtake Frank Varey very close to the fence. Van Praag's bike careered along the fence leaving long rubber marks only inches from the top. Lionel was not fit to continue as he was thrown down the track and badly shaken up.

Thursday 09/06/1938

Second Test 1938

Score Chart

ENGLAND 63

WEMBLEY

ENGLAND

Total

AUSTRALIA 44

Heat Results

				<u>Time</u>	H	A	H	A
1	Van Praag	Charles	Spinks (Croombs F)	75.6	2	4	2	4
2	Wilkinson	Varey	Kitchen Mitchell	75.4	3	3	5	7
3	Newton	Atkinson	Grosskreutz Johnson	75.2	5	1	10	8
4	Wilkinson	Mitchell	Charles Croombs	77.4	1	5	11	13
5	Varey	Kitchen	Johnson (Grosskrtz F)	77.8	5	1	16	14
6	Van Praag	Atkinson	(Newton F) (Spinks F)	76.8	2	3	18	17
7	Grosskreutz	Charles	Croombs (Johnson F)	76.6	3	3	21	20
8	Van Praag	Kitchen	Varey Spinks	76.4	3	3	24	23
9	Wilkinson	Atkinson	Mitchell (Newton F)	77.0	2	4	26	27
10	Van Praag	Charles	Pymar (Spinks F)	76.8	3	3	29	30
11	Wilkinson	Varey	Kitchen Mitchell	77.4	3	3	32	33
12	Newton	Atkinson	Grosskreutz Johnson	77.0	5	1	37	34
13	Charles	Mitchell	Wilks (Wilkinson F)	77.4	4	2	41	36
14	Varey	Kitchen	Grosskreutz Rogers	78.0	5	1	46	37
15	Newton	Van Praag	Atkinson Collins	76.0	4	2	50	39
16	Charles	Croombs	Rogers (Grosskrtz F)	79.4	5	1	55	40
17	Kitchen	Varey	Van Praag Collins	77.4	5	1	60	41
18	Wilkinson	Newton	Atkinson Mitchell	77.4	3	3	63	44

1	Frank	Charles	2	1	2	2	3	3	13
2	Tommy	Croombs	F	0	1	N	N	2	3
3	Bill	Kitchen	1	2	2	1	2	3	11
4	Frank	Varey	2	3	1	2	3	2	13
5	George	Newton	3	F	F	3	3	2	11
6	Arthur	Atkinson	2	2	2	2	1	1	10
7	Geoff	Pymar (Res)					1		1
8	George	Wilks (Res)						1	1
									63
AUSTRALIA									
1	Lionel	Van Praag	3	3	3	3	2	1	15
2	Charlie	Spinks	1	F	0	F	N	N	1
3	Bluey	Wilkinson	3	3	3	3	F	3	15
4	Clem	Mitchell	0	2	1	0	2	0	5
5	Max	Grosskreutz	1	F	3	1	1	F	6
6	Ron	Johnson	0	1	F	0	N	N	1
7	Eric	Collins (Res)					0	0	0
8	Bill	Rogers (Res)					0	1	1
									44

Wednesday 29/06/1938

Third Test 1938

ENGLAND 47

NEW CROSS

AUSTRALIA 61

Heat Results

				<u>Time</u>	H	A	H	A
1	Van Praag	Kitchen	Varey	59.4	3	3	3	3
2	Greatrex	Johnson	Grosskreutz	61.6	3	3	6	6
3	Wilkinson	Mitchell	Atkinson	62.2	1	5	7	11
4	Kitchen	Johnson	Grosskreutz	61.6	3	3	10	14
5	Wilkinson	Greatrex	Mitchell	61.2	2	4	12	18
6	Van Praag	Atkinson	Croombs	61.0	3	3	15	21
7	Wilkinson	Mitchell	Wotton	62.0	1	5	16	26
8	Van Praag	Greatrex	Wilks	62.3	3	3	19	29
9	Atkinson	Croombs	Johnson	60.6	5	1	24	30
10	Van Praag	Kitchen	Rogers	61.2	2	4	26	34
11	Greatrex	Johnson	Wilks	62.6	4	2	30	36
12	Wilkinson	Atkinson	Croombs	62.7	3	3	33	39
13	Kitchen	Johnson	Longley	61.0	3	3	36	42
14	Wilkinson	Mitchell	Wilks	63.0	1	5	37	47
15	Van Praag	Croombs	Atkinson	62.1	3	3	40	50
16	Wilkinson	Kitchen	Wotton	61.5	3	3	43	53
17	Van Praag	Longley	Wilks	63.4	1	5	44	58
18	Atkinson	Johnson	Rogers	61.1	3	3	47	61

Frank Charles aggravated an old injury in his second ride and did not turn out again.

Score Chart

ENGLAND								Total
Bill	Kitchen	2	3	0	2	3	2	12
Frank	Varey	1	0	N	0	0	N	1
Frank	Charles	0	0	N	N	N	N	0
Stan	Greatrex	3	2	2	3	0	X	10
Arthur	Atkinson	1	2	3	2	1	3	12
Tommy	Croombs	0	1	2	1	2	0	6
George	Wilks (Res)			1	1	1	1	4
Les	Wotton (Res)			1			1	2
								47
AUSTRALIA								
Lionel	Van Praag	3	3	3	3	3	3	18
Charlie	Spinks	0	0	0	N	0	N	0
Max	Grosskreutz	1	1	0	0	N	N	2
Ron	Johnson	2	2	1	2	2	2	11
Bluey	Wilkinson	3	3	3	3	3	3	18
Clem	Mitchell	2	1	2	0	2	0	7
Bill	Longley (Res)						2	2
Bill	Rogers (Res)				1	1	1	3
								61

Monday 25/07/1938		Fifth Test 1938				Score Chart															
ENGLAND 58		WIMBLEDON				ENGLAND											Total				
AUSTRALIA 49																					
Heat Results					Time	H	A	H	A												
1	Wilkinson	Croombs	Mitchell	(Newton F)	70.6	2	4	2	4	1	George	Newton	F	3	3	1	2	3	12		
2	Van Praag	Collins	Kitchen	Langton	73.2	1	5	3	9	2	Tommy	Croombs	2	2	1	2	1	1	9		
3	Pymar	Jonsn (FRM)	Grosskrtz (E)	(Atkinson F)	73.0	3	3	6	12	3	Bill	Kitchen	1	1	1	1	2	3	9		
4	Wilkinson	Langton	Kitchen	Mitchell	72.2	3	3	9	15	4	Eric	Langton	0	2	2	2	1	0	7		
5	Pymar	Atkinson	Van Praag	Collins	72.0	5	1	14	16	5	Arthur	Atkinson	F	2	1	3	0	2	8		
6	Newton	Croombs	Johnson	Grosskreutz	72.2	5	1	19	17	6	Geoff	Pymar	3	3	2	2	3	E	13		
7	Wilkinson	Pymar	Atkinson	Mitchell	72.4	3	3	22	20	7	Alec	Statham (Res)									
8	Newton	Van Praag	Croombs	Collins	70.8	4	2	26	22	8	Wally	Lloyd (Res)									
9	Grosskreutz	Langton	Kitchen	Johnson	71.6	3	3	29	25	AUSTRALIA											58
10	Wilkinson	Croombs	Newton	Mitchell	72.4	3	3	32	28	1	Bluey	Wilkinson	3	3	3	3	3	3	18		
11	Spencer	Langton	Kitchen	Van Praag	72.0	3	3	35	31	2	Clem	Mitchell	1	0	0	0	N	N	1		
12	Atkinson	Pymar	Johnson	(Grosskrtz F)	73.2	5	1	40	32	3	Lionel	Van Praag	3	1	2	0	2	2	10		
13	Wilkinson	Kitchen	Langton	Spencer	71.6	3	3	43	35	4	Eric	Collins	2	0	0	N	N	0	2		
14	Pymar	Van Praag	Spencer	Atkinson	73.0	3	3	46	38	5	Max	Grosskreutz	1	0	3	F	3	2	9		
15	Grosskreutz	Newton	Croombs	Johnson	72.4	3	3	49	41	6	Ron	Johnson	2	1	0	1	0	N	4		
16	Wilkinson	Atkinson	(Pymar E)	(Spencer E)	72.6	2	3	51	44	7	Bert	Spencer (Res)			3	0	1	E	4		
17	Newton	Van Praag	Croombs	Collins	73.0	4	2	55	46	8	Bill	Longley (Res)						1	1		
18	Kitchen	Grosskreutz	Longley	Langton	73.2	3	3	58	49												49

In heat 3 Pymar and Atkinson led at the end of lap 1. Grosskreutz found a way in between them and then Atkinson fell. Johnson had no chance and took a bad fall. However he gamely got back on and set off in pursuit. Next Grosskreutz's bike packed up. Johnson went by and finished a distant second to Pymar. Max managed to struggle in for a point. It started to rain heavily from heat 7.

Monday 09/05/1938		Unofficial International challenge				Score Chart												
WIMBLEDON		1938				ENGLAND & AUSTRALIA								Total				
ENGLAND & AUSTRALIA	61					Lionel	Van Praag	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	17			
U.S.A & CANADA	46					Les	Wotton	F	F	1	0	F			1			
Heat Results					<u>Time</u>	H	A	H	A	George	Newton	3	3	3	3	F	3	15
1 J Milne	Van Praag	C Milne	(Wotton F)	69.4	2	4	2	4	Ron	Johnson	2	1	2	2	F	2		9
2 Newton	Johnson	Lamoreaux	Kaufman	70.4	5	1	7	5	Bluey	Wilkinson	3	3	3	3	3	3		18
3 Wilkinson	Gibb	Pymar		71.8	4	2	11	7	Geoff	Pymar	1			0	0			1
4 Newton	C Milne	Johnson		69.2	4	2	15	9										
5 Wilkinson	Lamoreaux	Kaufman		70.8	3	3	18	12										
6 Van Praag	Gibb	Chitty	(Wotton F)	70.6	3	3	21	15										
7 Wilkinson	J Milne	C Milne		70.0	3	3	24	18										
8 Van Praag	Kaufman	Wotton (LDRM (Lamreaux F)		71.2	4	2	28	20										
9 Newton	Johnson	Chitty		70.8	5	1	33	21										
10 Van Praag	C Milne	J Milne	Wotton	70.8	3	3	36	24										
11 Newton	Johnson	Lamoreaux	Kaufman	71.4	5	1	41	25										
12 Wilkinson	Chitty	Gibb	Pymar	72.0	3	3	44	28										
13 C Milne	J Milne	(Newton F)	(Johnson F)	72.0	0	5	44	33										
14 Wilkinson	Lamoreaux	Kaufman	Pymar	71.6	3	3	47	36										
15 Van Praag	Gibb	Chitty	(Wotton F)	71.6	3	3	50	39										
16 Wilkinson	C Milne	J Milne		71.4	3	3	53	42										
17 Van Praag	Lamoreaux	Kaufman		72.0	3	3	56	45										
18 Newton	Johnson	Chitty		72.2	5	1	61	46										
					U.S.A & CANADA													
					Jack	Milne	3		2	1	2	1			9			
					Cordy	Milne	1	2	1	2	3	2		11				
					Wilbur	Lamoreaux	1	2	F	1	2	2		8				
					Benny	Kaufman	0	1	2	0	1	1		5				
					Eric	Chitty		1	1	2	1	1		6				
					Jimmy	Gibb	2	2		1	2			7				
															46			

This first match was not part of the official series. It was put on by the Wimbledon management to demonstrate the ability of Americans and Canadians to compete at International level. Many professionals in the sport felt that England v Australia had lost something and that this type of event would bring back the quality desirable for internationals. The Wimbledon management selected the USA/Canada team. England/Aus were selected by leading speedway members of the Press.

Friday 12/08/1938

First Test 1938

Score Chart

BRISTOL

Attendance:12,869

ENGLAND & AUSTRALIA

Total

ENGLAND & AUSTRALIA 53

U.S.A & CANADA 54

Heat Results

				<u>Time</u>	H	A	H	A	
1	Van Praag	Atkinson	J Milne	Gibb	69.6	5	1	5	1
2	C Milne	Kitchen	Johnson	Restall	68.8	3	3	8	4
3	Lamoreaux	Kaufman	Wilkinson	Duggan	68.4	1	5	9	9
4	Kitchen	J Milne	Gibb	Johnson	69.2	3	3	12	12
5	Wilkinson	C Milne	Duggan	Restall	67.6	4	2	16	14
6	Lamoreaux	Van Praag	Atkinson	Kaufman	69.2	3	3	19	17
7	J Milne	Duggan	Wilkinson	Gibb	69.6	3	3	22	20
8	C Milne	Van Praag	Atkinson	Pepper	69.4	3	3	25	23
9	Lamoreaux	Kitchen	Kaufman	(Varey E)	69.4	2	4	27	27
10	J Milne	Gibb	Atkinson	(Van Praag E)	70.0	1	5	28	32
11	Kitchen	C Milne	Wotton	Restall	70.2	4	2	32	34
12	Lamoreaux	Wilkinson	Kaufman	Duggan	69.0	2	4	34	38
13	J Milne	Kitchen	Gibb	Wotton	68.8	2	4	36	42
14	Wilkinson	Duggan	C Milne	Pepper	69.4	5	1	41	43
15	Van Praag	Kaufman	(Atkinson F)	(Lamoreaux R)	68.8	3	2	44	45
16	J Milne	Wilkinson	Duggan	Gibb	69.4	3	3	47	48
17	Van Praag	C Milne	Atkinson	Pepper	69.2	4	2	51	50
18	Lamoreaux	Kitchen	Kaufman	Johnson	67.8	2	4	53	54

1	Lionel	Van Praag ©	3	2	2	E	3	3	3	13
2	Arthur	Atkinson	2	1	1	1	F	1	1	6
3	Bill	Kitchen	2	3	2	3	2	2	2	14
4	Ron	Johnson	1	0	N	N	N	0	0	1
5	Bluey	Wilkinson	1	3	1	2	3	2	2	12
6	Vic	Duggan	0	1	2	0	2	1	1	6
7	Frank	Varey				E				0
8	Les	Wotton					1	0	0	1
U.S.A & CANADA										
1	Jack	Milne ©	1	2	3	3	3	3	3	15
2	Jimmy	Gibb	0	1	0	2	1	0	0	4
3	Cordy	Milne	3	2	3	2	1	2	2	13
4	Goldy	Restall	0	0	N	0	N	N	0	0
5	Wilbur	Lamoreaux	3	3	3	3	R	3	3	15
6	Benny	Kaufman	2	0	1	1	2	1	1	7
7	George	Pepper				0		0	0	0
8	Bruce	Venier				DNR				54

Atkinson came off right in front of Lamoreaux in heat 15. The American swerved, went onto the grass at speed and finished up a long way onto the centre green.

This was a good exciting First Test with a last heat decider. Kaufman and Johnson fought tooth and nail for third in the last race with Kaufman just getting the edge to win the match for his side.

Saturday 27/08/1938

Second Test 1938

Score Chart

HARRINGAY

ENGLAND & AUSTRALIA 44

U.S.A & CANADA 64

Heat Results

				<u>Time</u>	H	A	H	A
1	J Milne	Parker	Gibb	72.2	2	4	2	4
2	C Milne	Atkinson	Restall	74.6	2	4	4	8
3	Kaufman	Lamoreaux	Kitchen	73.8	1	5	5	13
4	C Milne	Wilkinson	Parker	74.4	3	3	8	16
5	Lamoreaux	Kaufman	Van Praag	73.6	1	5	9	21
6	J Milne	Duggan	Kitchen	73.8	3	3	12	24
7	Lamoreaux	Kaufman	Wilkinson	73.0	1	5	13	29
8	J Milne	Statham	Van Praag	72.6	3	3	16	32
9	C Milne	Kitchen	Wotton	72.2	3	3	19	35
10	J Milne	Wilkinson	Parker	71.8	3	3	22	38
11	C Milne	Atkinson	Van Praag	73.8	3	3	25	41
12	Statham	Lamoreaux	Kaufman	72.0	3	3	28	44
13	C Milne	Wilkinson	Parker	74.8	3	3	31	47
14	Lamoreaux	Atkinson	Kaufman	72.6	2	4	33	51
15	J Milne	Kitchen	Statham	73.4	3	3	36	54
16	Lamoreaux	Wilkinson	Kaufman	73.0	2	4	38	58
17	J Milne	Van Praag	Atkinson	74.8	3	3	41	61
18	C Milne	Duggan	Kitchen	73.8	3	3	44	64

ENGLAND & AUSTRALIA

Total

1	Bluey	Wilkinson	0	2	1	2	2	2	9
2	Jack	Parker	2	1	0	1	1	0	5
3	Lionel	Van Praag	0	1	1	1	0	2	5
4	Arthur	Atkinson	2	0	N	2	2	1	7
5	Bill	Kitchen	1	1	2	0	2	1	7
6	Vic	Duggan	0	2	N	N	N	2	4
7	Les	Wotton (Res)			1				1
8	Alec	Statham (Res)			2	3	1		6
									44

U.S.A & CANADA

1	Jack	Milne	3	3	3	3	3	3	18
2	Jimmy	Gibb	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
3	Cordy	Milne	3	3	3	3	3	3	18
4	Goldy	Restall	1	0	0	0	N	0	1
5	Wilbur	Lamoreaux	2	3	3	2	3	3	16
6	Benny	Kaufman	3	2	2	1	1	1	10
7	George	Pepper (Res)						0	0
8	Bruce	Venier (Res)					DNR		64

Saturday 17/09/1938

Third Test 1938

Score Chart

BELLE VUE

ENGLAND & AUSTRALIA 63

U.S.A & CANADA 45

Heat Results

				<u>Time</u>	H	A	H	A	
1	J Milne	Atkinson	Kitchen	Pepper	77.2	3	3	3	3
2	Wilkinson	C Milne	Croombs	Restall	76.8	4	2	7	5
3	Lamoreaux	Langton	Kaufman	Van Praag	77.4	2	4	9	9
4	C Milne	Atkinson	Restall	Kitchen	78.0	2	4	11	13
5	Wilkinson	Croombs	Kaufman	Lamoreaux	77.8	5	1	16	14
6	J Milne	Langton	Van Praag	Pepper	79.2	3	3	19	17
7	Kitchen	Atkinson	Lamoreaux	Kaufman	79.0	5	1	24	18
8	Wilkinson	J Milne	Pepper	Croombs	78.4	3	3	27	21
9	C Milne	Langton	Restall	Van Praag	80.0	2	4	29	25
10	Kitchen	J Milne	Atkinson	Pepper	83.2	4	2	33	27
11	Wilkinson	Croombs	C Milne	Restall	81.4	5	1	38	28
12	Langton	Kaufman	Lamoreaux	Johnson	81.0	3	3	41	31
13	Kitchen	C Milne	Atkinson	Restall	82.2	4	2	45	33
14	Wilkinson	Croombs	Kaufman	Lamoreaux	83.4	5	1	50	34
15	Langton	J Milne	Pepper	Harrison	82.4	3	3	53	37
16	Lamoreaux	Kitchen	Atkinson	Kaufman	81.6	3	3	56	40
17	Wilkinson	J Milne	Croombs	Pepper	82.2	4	2	60	42
18	C Milne	Langton	Harrison	Restall	81.8	3	3	63	45

ENGLAND & AUSTRALIA

												Total
1	Bill	Kitchen	1	0	3	3	3	2				12
2	Arthur	Atkinson	2	2	2	1	1	1				9
3	Bluey	Wilkinson	3	3	3	3	3	3				18
4	Tommy	Croombs	1	2	0	2	2	1				8
5	Eric	Langton (c)	2	2	2	3	3	2				14
6	Lionel	Van Praag	0	1	0	N	N	N				1
7	Bob	Harrison (Res)						0	1			1
8	Ron	Johnson (Res)					0					0
												63

U.S.A & CANADA

1	Jack	Milne ©	3	3	2	2	2	2				14
2	George	Pepper	0	0	1	0	1	0				2
3	Cordy	Milne	2	3	3	1	2	3				14
4	Goldy	Restall	0	1	1	0	0	0				2
5	Wilbur	Lamoreaux	3	0	1	1	0	3				8
6	Benny	Kaufman	1	1	0	2	1	0				5
7	Elwood	Stilwell (Res)						DNR				
8	Bruce	Venier (Res)						DNR				
												45

Heats 10 to 18 were spoiled by heavy rain which began to fall during the interval after heat 9. It continued for the rest of the match. Frank Varey's absence was due to a crash in the Manx Grand Prix on the famous isle of Man TT Course.

Wednesday 28/09/1938

Fourth Test 1938

NEW CROSS

ENGLAND & AUSTRALIA

U.S.A & CANADA

This test was cancelled for surely the most unusual reason ever. The political situation in Europe was grim and the country was thought to be on the brink of war. Amazingly with little notice the Army commandeered the New Cross stadium to carry out secret manoeuvres. These related to the testing of sound equipment to give early warning of air attack. Sadly there was no room on the fixture list to restage the Test.

Saturday 23/07/1938

Second Test 1938

Score Chart

ENGLAND 38

NORWICH

ENGLAND

Total

DOMINIONS 69

Heat Results

				<u>Time</u>	H	A	H	A	
1	Wilkinson	Morton	Lamont	Bravery	77.8	2	4	2	4
2	Gibb	Greenwood	Evans	Bishop	79.6	2	4	4	8
3	Spencer	Hart	Watson	Allott	77.8	1	5	5	13
4	Morton	Bravery	Evans	Gibb	78.4	5	1	10	14
5	Greenwood	Hart	(Spencer E)	(Bishop F)	79.8	3	2	13	16
6	Wilkinson	Lamont	Watson	Lee	80.2	1	5	14	21
7	Spencer	Morton	Bravery	Hart	78.2	3	3	17	24
8	Lamont	Wilkinson	Bishop	Greenwood	79.8	1	5	18	29
9	Gibb	Evans	Griffiths	Watson	80.4	1	5	19	34
10	Wilkinson	Morton	Bravery	Langton	80.2	3	3	22	37
11	Greenwood	Gibb	Evans	Bishop	79.4	3	3	25	40
12	Spencer	Lee	Watson	Hart	79.0	3	3	28	43
13	Morton	Gibb	Evans	Bravery	80.2	3	3	31	46
14	Spencer	Greenwood	Hart	Bishop	77.0	2	4	33	50
15	Wilkinson	Jones	Griffiths	Watson	82.2	1	5	34	55
16	Spencer	Hart	Lee	(Morton E)	78.4	1	5	35	60
17	Wilkinson	Greenwood	Jones	Bishop	79.0	2	4	37	64
18	Evans	Gibb	Griffiths	Watson	80.2	1	5	38	69

Wal	Morton	2	3	2	2	3	E	12
Ted	Bravery	0	2	1	1	0	N	4
George	Greenwood	2	3	0	3	2	2	12
Phil	Bishop	0	E	1	0	0	0	1
Colin	Watson	1	1	0	1	0	0	3
Tommy	Allott	0	N	N	N	N	N	0
Danny	Lee (Res)		0		2		1	3
Syd	Griffiths (Res)			1		1	1	3
DOMINIONS								
Bluey	Wilkinson	3	3	2	3	3	3	17
Billy	Lamont	1	2	3	N	N	N	6
Ernie	Evans	1	1	2	1	1	3	9
Jimmy	Gibb	3	0	3	2	2	2	12
Bert	Spencer	3	F	3	3	3	3	15
Tiger	Hart	2	2	0	0	1	2	7
Steve	Langton (Res)				0			0
Bert	Jones (Res)					2	1	3
69								

Wednesday 03/08/1938

Third Test 1938

Score Chart

ENGLAND 53
DOMINIONS 55

SOUTHAMPTON

ENGLAND

Total

Heat Results

				<u>Time</u>	H	A	H	A
1	Goulden	Wilkinson	Morton	68.8	4	2	4	2
2	Gibb	Jones	Gregory	72.0	1	5	5	7
3	Duggan	Spencer	Craven	71.6	1	5	6	12
4	Goulden	Jones	Morton	70.8	4	2	10	14
5	Griffiths	Duggan	Gregory	71.4	4	2	14	16
6	Dallison	Wilkinson	Craven	69.6	4	2	18	18
7	Goulden	Duggan	Morton	70.4	4	2	22	20
8	Wilkinson	Griffiths	Kilmister	71.4	2	4	24	24
9	Gibb	Jones	Craven	71.6	1	5	25	29
10	Wilkinson	Goulden	Kilmister	69.2	2	4	27	33
11	Jones	Gregory	Griffiths	71.0	3	3	30	36
12	Dallison	Duggan	Spencer	70.8	3	3	33	39
13	Goulden	Jones	Gibb	71.4	3	3	36	42
14	Duggan	Griffiths	Gregory	70.8	3	3	39	45
15	Dallison	Bishop	Kilmister	71.4	5	1	44	46
16	Goulden	Duggan	Rogers	71.0	3	3	47	49
17	Griffiths	Wilkinson	Gregory	70.4	4	2	51	51
18	Jones	Dallison	Gibb	70.2	2	4	53	55

Frank	Goulden	3	3	3	2	3	3	17
Wal	Morton	1	1	1	0	0	0	3
Eric	Gregory	1	1	N	2	1	1	6
Syd	Griffiths	F	3	2	1	2	3	11
Malcolm	Craven	1	1	1	0	N	N	3
Billy	Dallison	0	3	0	3	3	2	11
Phil	Bishop (Res)					2	F	2
Ernie	Rickman (Res)			0				0
DOMINIONS								
Bluey	Wilkinson	2	2	3	3	0	2	12
Wally	Kilmister	0	0	1	1	1	0	3
Jimmy	Gibb	3	0	3	0	1	1	8
Bert	Jones	2	2	2	3	2	3	14
Vic	Duggan	3	2	2	2	3	2	14
Bert	Spencer	2	0	0	1	0	N	3
Bill	Rogers (Res)						1	1
55								

A terrific match run in beautiful weather with a big attendance. Kilmister made a rocket finish to heat 8 to just pinch third from Rickman.

In heat 15 Bishop flew out of nowhere to pass both Wilkinson and Kilmister for a 5/1. The way he did it excited the crowd who yelled in support of their old favourite. Malcolm Craven was not having a good match and the crowd yelled for spectacular Phil to come out again in the last heat decider. The team manager had already decided to do that but the crowd were making so much noise that the substitution could not be announced. When it was the crowd erupted again. However there was no fairy tale ending. Phil fell off in his attempts to catch Jones. All too frequent for Phil at this time.

Saturday 13/08/1938

FourthTest 1938

Score Chart

ENGLAND 30
DOMINIONS 77

LEEDS

ENGLAND

Total

Heat Results

					Time	H	A	H	A												
1	Grosskreutz	Lamont	Bowden	Greenwood	81.4	1	5	1	5	George	Greenwood	0	3	1	R	3	3				10
2	Johnson	Hodgson	Rogers	Allott	82.6	2	4	3	9	Les	Bowden	1	0	0	R	0	0				1
3	Duggan	Pepper	Bravery	Goulden	82.8	1	5	4	14	Frank	Hodgson	2	1	2	0	1	2				8
4	Grosskreutz	Lamont	Hodgson	Allott	82.8	1	5	5	19	Billy	Dallison				DNR						
5	Rogers	Johnson	Bravery	Goulden	93.0	1	5	6	24	Ted	Bravery	1	1	0	0	N	N				2
6	Greenwood	Duggan	Pepper	Bowden	81.8	3	3	9	27	Frank	Goulden	0	0	1	1	0	1				3
7	Lamont	Grosskreutz	Goulden	Bravery	83.4	1	5	10	32	Tommy	Allott (Res)	0	0	0	3	0	1	2	0		6
8	Rogers	Johnson	Greenwood	Bowden	81.8	1	5	11	37												30
9	Duggan	Hodgson	Pepper	Allott	83.6	2	4	13	41	DOMINIONS											
10	Lamont	Grosskreutz	(Greenwood R)	(Bowden R)	94.2	0	5	13	46	Max	Grosskreutz	3	3	2	2	2	N				12
11	Allott	Rogers	Johnson	Hodgson	83.0	3	3	16	49	Billy	Lamont	2	2	3	3	3	N				13
12	Duggan	Pepper	Goulden	Bravery	83.6	1	5	17	54	Ron	Johnson	3	2	2	1	N	N				8
13	Lamont	Grosskreutz	Hodgson	Allott	81.8	1	5	18	59	Bill	Rogers	1	3	3	2	3	2				14
14	Rogers	Langton	Allott	Goulden	84.4	1	5	19	64	Vic	Duggan	3	2	3	3	2	3				16
15	Greenwood	Duggan	Collins	Bowden	84.0	3	3	22	67	George	Pepper	2	1	1	2	N	1				7
16	Collins	Allott	Goulden	Langton	83.0	3	3	25	70	Steve	Langton (Res)				2	0	1				3
17	Greenwood	Rogers	Langton	Bowden	81.6	3	3	28	73	Eric	Collins (Res)				1	3					4
18	Duggan	Hodgson	Pepper	Allott	83.2	2	4	30	77												77

The large crowd were disappointed by the performance of the England side. It was felt the selectors had not done their best to ensure the sides would be of broadly equal strength.

The start was delayed half an hour because several members of the Dominions team had not arrived. Billy Dallison was unable to ride through injury and was replaced by Tommy Allott.

Saturday 03/09/1938

Fifth Test 1938

Score Chart

ENGLAND 40

HACKNEY WICK

ENGLAND

Total

DOMINIONS 67

Heat Results

				<u>Time</u>	H	A	H	A												
1	DH Wilkinson/Spinks	Greenwood	Hodgson	74.5	1	5	1	5	Frank	Hodgson	0	0	XU	2	3	0				5
2	Duggan	Wells	Longley	73.8	2	4	3	9	George	Greenwood	1	2	1	0	R	1				5
3	Spencer	Bishop	Restall	74.8	2	4	5	13	Doug	Wells	2	1	3	2	2	2				12
4	Wilkinson	Spinks	Wells	74.6	1	5	6	18	Stan	Dell	0	0	1	0	0	3				4
5	Duggan	Goulden	Longley	75.0	2	4	8	22	Phil	Bishop	2	0	0	1	1	2				6
6	Hart	Greenwood	Restall	75.6	2	4	10	26			N	N	N	N	N	N				DNR
7	Wilkinson	Spinks	Goulden	75.6	1	5	11	31	Frank	Goulden	0	2	1			0				3
8	Duggan	Longley	Greenwood	74.6	1	5	12	36	Jim	Boyd				3	2					5
9	Wells	Restall	Dell	75.3	4	2	16	38												40
10	Wilkinson	Hodgson	Spinks	74.8	2	4	18	42	DOMINIONS											
11	Duggan	Wells	Longley	73.8	2	4	20	46	Bluey	Wilkinson	2.5	3	3	3	3	3				17.5
12	Boyd	Hart	Bishop	74.6	4	2	24	48	Charlie	Spinks	2.5	2	2	1	1	1				9.5
13	Wilkinson	Wells	Spinks	75.4	2	4	26	52	Bill	Longley	1	1	2	1	0	2				7
14	Duggan	Boyd	Bishop	74.8	3	3	29	55	Vic	Duggan	3	3	3	3	3	3				18
15	Hodgson	Rogers	(Greenwood R (Restall R)	75.6	3	2	32	57	Bert	Spencer	3	N	0	N	N	N				3
16	Wilkinson	Bishop	Spinks	75.2	2	4	34	61	Goldy	Restall	1	1	2	0	R	0				4
17	Duggan	Longley	Greenwood	75.6	1	5	35	66	Bill	Rogers (Res)						2				2
18	Dell	Wells	Hart	79.2	5	1	40	67	Tiger	Hart (Res)		3		2		1				6
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Heat 8 Hodgson was excluded for boring out Vic Duggan on the last bend at the end of a tremendous battle.

Thursday 15/09/1938

Sixth Test 1938

Score Chart

ENGLAND 65
DOMINIONS 43

SHEFFIELD

ENGLAND

Total

Heat Results

				<u>Time</u>	H	A	H	A	
1	Wilkinson	Greenwood	Bravery	Rogers	78.0	3	3	3	3
2	Bishop	Williams	Wise	Langton	77.2	5	1	8	4
3	Gibb	Hargreaves	Price	Spinks	77.8	3	3	11	7
RR 4	Wilkinson	Hodgson	Williams	(Rogers FX)	78.6	3	3	14	10
5	Hargreaves	Price	Langton	Wise	78.0	5	1	19	11
6	Spinks	Gibb	Greenwood	Bravery	79.6	1	5	20	16
7	Wilkinson	Price	Hargreaves	Pepper	78.0	3	3	23	19
8	Greenwood	Bravery	Langton	Wise	78.2	5	1	28	20
9	Williams	Hodgson	Gibb	Spinks	80.2	5	1	33	21
10	Greenwood	Wilkinson	Bravery	Pepper	76.0	4	2	37	23
11	Wise	Williams	Langton	Hodgson	79.8	2	4	39	27
12	Price	Hargreaves	Spinks	Gibb	79.4	5	1	44	28
13	Wilkinson	Hodgson	Pepper	Williams	79.2	2	4	46	32
14	Price	Hargreaves	Langton	Wise	79.8	5	1	51	33
15	Greenwood	Spinks	Bravery	Gibb	78.4	4	2	55	35
16	Wilkinson	Price	Pepper	Hargreaves	79.0	2	4	57	39
17	Greenwood	Bravery	Wise	Langton	78.0	5	1	62	40
18	Hodgson	Spinks	Pepper	Williams	79.8	3	3	65	43

George	Greenwood	2	1	3	3	3	3
Ted	Bravery	1	0	2	1	1	2
Stan	Williams	2	1	3	2	0	0
Phil	Bishop	3	FN	N	N	N	N
Norman	Hargreaves	2	3	1	2	2	0
Ernie	Price	1	2	2	3	3	2
Frank	Hodgson (Res)	2	2	0	2	3	
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DOMINIONS							
Bluey	Wilkinson	3	3	3	2	3	3
Bill	Rogers	0	FX	N	N	N	N
Dicky	Wise	1	0	0	3	0	1
Billy	Lamont					DNR	
Jimmy	Gibb	3	2	1	0	0	N
Charlie	Spinks	0	3	0	1	2	2
George	Pepper (Res)		0	0	1	1	1
Steve	Langton (Res)	0	1	1	1	1	0

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George Greenwood's win over Bluey Wilkinson in heat 10 was hard won and well deserved. George got a slight lead at the first bend and just about held onto it over 4 furious laps.

Lamont did not arrive. Bishop and Rogers had a bad crash in heat 4. Bishop had internal injuries and Rogers broke his leg.

