



Amy Hudson

1916- 2003

- Attended Petersham High School
- Australian Test debut at age 18
- Test Cricketer 1935-51
- CricketNSW Hall of Fame

An all-round cricketer Amy attended Petersham High School.

Talented from an early age she made her NSW debut three days after her 16th birthday. She was a successful slow bowler and in her first match she took four wickets.

Her NSW performances were outstanding and included the incredible figures of 8 for 7 against

South Australia in 1938-39 and 118 in 1949-50 – seventeen years after her debut.

For Australia Amy debuted aged 18 played in nine Tests between 1935 to 1951. She was the only Australian to go on the first two Women's Cricket tours abroad in 1937 and 1951, in a career that was interrupted by the 2nd World War.

Amy Hudson, Hazel Pritchard and Mollie Flaherty all played together on the 1937 Australian tour to England and for the NSW team many times.



Amy continued to play A grade cricket in Sydney for many years.

Women's Sports: Cricket

S.A. Collapse Against N.S.W.

In their opening match at the Inter-State cricket carnival on Saturday, the strong New South Wales side dismissed South Australia for 24 before lunch.

South Australia collapsed against the opening fast attack of Molly Flaherty and Amy Hudson, who, together, collected nine wickets for 15 runs.

Flaherty then went in to put a quick-scoring 63 on the board, while Hudson was caught for 77. V. Kerr (S.A.), who took three wickets for 42, has recently transferred to Victoria, and is playing her last game with South Australia.

South Australia.—First innings, 24 (Laughton 6, Dow 5; Flaherty 4/6, Hudson 5/9).

New South Wales.—First innings, 9/206 (A. Hudson 77, Flaherty 63, Whiteman 28, Christ 10; V. Kerr 3/42).

ATHLETICS: Southport d. V.R.I., 21-18. 75 yds.: J. Ramsay (V.R.I.), 9.2 High Jump: W. Collingwood (V.R.I.), 4 ft. 8 in. 220-Yds.: S. Ogle (S.P.), 27.1. Discus: O. McGibbon (V.R.I.), 106 ft. 5-1/8 in. Hurdle: W. Collins (V.R.I.), 13.3 440-yds. Relay: V.R.I., 51.4. 880-yds: K. Mears (V.R.I.), 2,27.9.

Collingwood d. Glen Huntly, 37-19. 75-yds.: J. Hanger (C.), 9.4 High Jump: J. Hancock (C.), 4 ft. 3in. 220-yds.: M. Hill (C.), 28.1. Discus: J. Hancock (C.), 83 ft. 2 in. Hurdles: M. Hill (C.), 14.6. Relay: Collingwood, 55.3.

Eastern Suburbs d. Melbourne, 29-26. 75-yds.: S. McCannachie