

Biographical Record

NORMAN CHADDOCK

Representative of the Sheffield and District Society 1951 - 1969

Yorkshire Association of Change Ringers 1969 - 1975

Honorary Member 1975 - 1978

Attended 23 meetings

Born at Rotherham on 10th June 1914.

Began ringing at Eastwood, Rotherham in 1932.

Subsequently attached to Whiston, Yorkshire from 1939 to 1969; Market Weighton from 1969 to 1976; Inveraray 1976 to 1991; Milnthorpe from 1991 to 1999.

Rang his first peal on 9th June 1934: Plain Bob Major at Eastwood, Rotherham.

His notable achievements include: ringing in the record peal of 42 Spliced Surprise Royal (Rotherham, 23.1.1965); ringing in a father and son peal of Cambridge Surprise Maximus (Evesham, 17.9.1966); training 50 pupils from introduction to first peal (which he conducted) and training many others up to competent inside ringers.

He was a major contributor to the Central Council Education committee; author of 'A Manual of Bell Control'.

Occupation: Schoolmaster.

Died on 17th November 1999.



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in 2000 page 156; in 2001 pages 284-5 and 363*