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THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
 OF MEMBERS will be held at the
 Co-operative Large Hall, King Street, on
 Thursday, June 17th, 1937. Chair to be
 taken at 8 p.m.

Members will be required to produce
 this Report at the door.

AGENDA :—

1. Minutes of last Meeting
2. Report and Balance Sheet
3. Scrutineers
4. General Business.

Oldham Football Club

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SEASON 1936-37

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Mr. W. Hall	Mr. H. Summerscales
Mr. F. S. Holt	Mr. R. L. Thomas
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NUMBER OF MEETINGS HELD, 66.

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Hutchins, G. F. 66

Acting Vice-President :

Parkinson, J. S. 65 (1 sick)

Honorary Treasurer :

Hutchins, C. 65

Committee :

Beswick, T.	...	...	...	...	63 (3 sick)
Hall, W.	...	...	...	...	53 (12 sick)
Holt, F. S.	...	...	...	...	65
Mills, F.	...	...	...	...	66
Rhodes, G. H.	...	...	...	...	64 (1 sick)
Summerscales, H.	...	...	...	...	66
Thomas, R. L.	...	...	...	...	66
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Report of the Committee

TO OUR MEMBERS,

The Committee herewith present the ANNUAL REPORT and FINANCIAL STATEMENT for 1936-37.

Financial

The Committee are pleased to report that the result of the year's working shows a profit of £668 13s. 10d., as compared with a loss of £392 7s. 1d., for the previous year.

The GATE RECEIPTS total £5102 0s. 4d., against £6133 18s. 0d., a decrease of £1031 17s. 8d. The 19 home league matches produced a revenue of £3575 18s. 6d., against £3849 12s. 3d., a diminution of £273 13s. 9d. The nett receipts from our cup tie games show a decrease of £363 0s. 4d.

The "A" Team gate receipts amount to £325 13s. 3d., for 15 home games, in comparison with £360 14s. 1d., for 14 matches played in the previous season. The income from Members' Subscriptions totals £1665 1s. 0d., against £1629 0s. 3d., being an increase of £36 0s. 9d.

The strictest economy has been exercised in expenditure and many of the items show a considerable reduction as compared with the previous year of 1935-36.

Playing Performances

The Committee regret that again the playing results have been disappointing. In the League Championship the

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team finished in the 13th position, a slight improvement on the previous season when they were 15th and season 1934-35 when they occupied the 18th position. Singularly the playing records are exactly similar to 1935-36, viz:—38 matches played, won 20, lost 17, drawn 1.

Only one trophy was secured—the Oldham and Rochdale Infirmary's Sir A. J. Law Cup. In the Lancashire Cup a narrow defeat was suffered in the first round tie against Salford at Weaste, and in the Challenge Cup first round Wigan achieved a memorable success at Watersheddings.

"A" Team

Our reserve team played 29 matches of which 20 were won, 8 lost and 1 drawn, as compared with 1935-36 when 27 were played, 18 won and 9 lost. Congratulations are tendered to our reserves on their unbeaten record at home during the season, having played 16 matches at Watersheddings, winning 15 and drawing 1.

Membership

The Membership Roll, now 2,094 numerically strong, again shows an increase and is as follows:—

	1936-37	1935-36
Life Members	103	111
Enclosure Members	178	164
"E" Stand Members	46	53
Centre Stand Members	165	165
Side Stand Members	1000	950
Ground Members	500	500
Lady Members	53	55
Boy Members	49	51
	2094	2049

Playing Strength

The following players have been signed on during the year :—

Nutter, J. L., Forward, Workington R.U.F.C.
Hastie, D., Forward, Jed Forest R.U.F.C.
Hall, F., Wing Three-Quarter, Saddleworth
Rangers F.C.
Smith, A. R., Scrum-Half, Llanelly R.U.F.C.
Mitchell, W. S., Centre Three-Quarter, Oldham
(Amateur) St. Mary's R.F.C.

Honours to Players

The Committee heartily congratulate the following players for their honours achieved this season.

A. Givvons	}	Represented Wales versus England,
N. Pugh		France and the Rugby League team.
N. Holt		English Amateurs versus French Amateurs. Lancashire County Amateurs versus Cumberland and Yorkshire County Amateurs.

Obituary

It is with very sincere regret the Committee record the deaths of the following old players :—

J. Ferguson	-	-	-	October 18th, 1936
T. Furness	-	-	-	October 19th, 1936
H. Broome	-	-	-	November 19th, 1936
Sir P. S. Stott, Bart.	-	-	-	March 31st, 1937
G. F. Tyson	-	-	-	May 21st, 1937

Pavilion

The Pavilion Accounts show a profit of £23 2s. 8d. for the year. This is below the average and is due solely to the heavy expenditure incurred for the decorating of the Pavilion interior and the overhauling of the general Bar Fittings.

Nominations for Scrutineers

Nominations must be made by members on their entrance to the Meeting. Slips will be provided, to be filled in by each proposer and seconder. No other nominations will be received.

Ballot Papers

All Ballot Papers to be sent in NOT LATER THAN 5.0 p.m. on THURSDAY, JUNE 24th, 1937. **Only one Ballot Paper to be enclosed in one envelope.** The Ballot Papers will then be opened and votes will be counted, and the result declared the same evening at the Pavilion.

R. E. WYLIE,

Secretary

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JOE FERGUSON:

--: AN APPRECIATION --:

By G. F. HUTCHINS

AND so one more of nature's noblemen in sport has crossed the try-line of life. Joe Ferguson has landed his last goal. If one were to attempt a review of his sterling character and the hundreds of wonderful feats he performed which made him famous throughout the realms of sport the full columns of the "Green Final" would be insufficient.

In his early youth he designed and perfected a pattern for the production of clean and healthy sport, and from the commencement to the finish of his unique career in the Rugby world he never deviated from it. Fortunately, that pattern was never patented, and though he has now laid it aside it still remains for the youth of to-day to work from. And what a pattern it is! It enabled him to produce football skill of a quality which not only gained for him all the honours in the game, but to establish a record which looks like standing for our time at least—that of 24 seasons as an active player in our strenuous outdoor sport. These were the qualities he brought to Oldham 37 years ago and he maintained them until his soul took wing on Sunday last.

HE NEVER SQUEALED

His quiet and retiring disposition was often misinterpreted by those not familiar with him. Joe could take it on the chin with the best of them, and never squealed when the battle for points was at its height. It was his calmness in such circumstances which gained many valuable points for his team and one cannot estimate the many trophies which came to Oldham owing to his outstanding qualities as a goal kicker. Behind that stern expression of his lay a genial disposition which only his intimate friends could appreciate. One personal incident must suffice.

When, in 1928, I was taking leave of him for my first trip to Australasia with the Rugby League tourists, I was surprised to find tears in his eyes. I attributed this at the time to his recalling the fact that he was actually the first player invited to make the first tour to Australasia in 1910, with Jimmy Lomas as captain of the team. A great honour this, which unfortunately he was unable to accept for private reasons. Subsequently, I found that neither envy or jealousy was responsible for Joe's feelings, but a personal regard which I have always been pleased to share with him.

TALES OF OLD TIMES

Visitors to the Pavilion felt they had missed something if they did not have a yarn with "Fergy," and when the business rush was over nothing pleased him more than to prop his elbows on the counter and exchange experiences with his former opponents and admirers. He had the memory of a "Dadas" in football history and could decide an argument in a second by giving dates, teams and scorers as from an encyclopædia. No club has been blessed with a more loyal servant and his popularity was reflected in the crowds which lined the route all the way to his last resting-

place. When, during the Great War, I was acting-secretary, and practically all our players had joined the colours, it was necessary to circularise the few available players asking if they would assist in keeping the club going by playing without fee, Joe's was the first reply—"Twice a week for Oldham, if necessary," was his message.

The Halifax officials have always felt sore in not securing Ferguson's services. Many deputations from Halifax visited him in his native village of Cumberland, but with no success. As a final effort they sent invitations to him, Jimmy Lomas, and Petrie, of Brookland Rovers, to witness the Oldham v. Hunslet cup final at Fallowfield in season 1898-9. After the match they each signed forms for Halifax, whose representative was Mr. Farrar, the father of Reg. Farrar, who afterwards played for Oldham. As Cumberland County had not given them permission the registrations were declined and Ferguson signed for Oldham the following season, Lomas joining Bramley.

GOALS TO REMEMBER

We have all our own opinions as to the finest goals Joe kicked for Oldham. He himself thought the most memorable ones were at Widnes and Salford. The goal at Widnes was from the last kick of the match. Lomas advised him to kick into the air for a follow-up. A strong wind was blowing against Oldham, but Joe said "I'll kick a goal." "Ridiculous," said Lomas. "Against this wind." But to the surprise of everyone Joe landed the goal from halfway, which gave Oldham the fourth position in the league play-off instead of St. Helens. It was a wonderful drop kick that brought the Lancashire Cup to Oldham, when, from halfway, he piloted the ball over the bar at Weaste against Rochdale Hornets.

In his early days he entered a long-kick contest at the sports held at Highmoor Park, Wigton, which he won by kicking 83 yards. The late Sam McClure, of Blackburn Rovers, was second with 62 yards, and Jack Cox, of Liverpool, third with 61 yards. Joe leaves a collection of over thirty gold championship and cup medals, the only one he failed to get being the medal for the Challenge Cup winners, though he had several as runners-up. In this respect Lomas shared his disappointment.

"SHOULDER HIGH"

It was fitting that Joe should be borne to his last resting place by his old playing colleagues, and when they hoisted his remains to their shoulders it brought memories of the days when they were apt to do the same thing at the conclusion of a game in which Joe's goal kicks had brought them victory. And how appropriate are the words of his favourite hymn, "Abide With Me." "Oh grave where is thy victory. Oh death where is thy sting." Time alone can remove the sting of death, but as we took our leave of him at Greenacres Cemetery on Thursday the words persisted. "Oh grave, where is thy victory?"

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122, Eric Street

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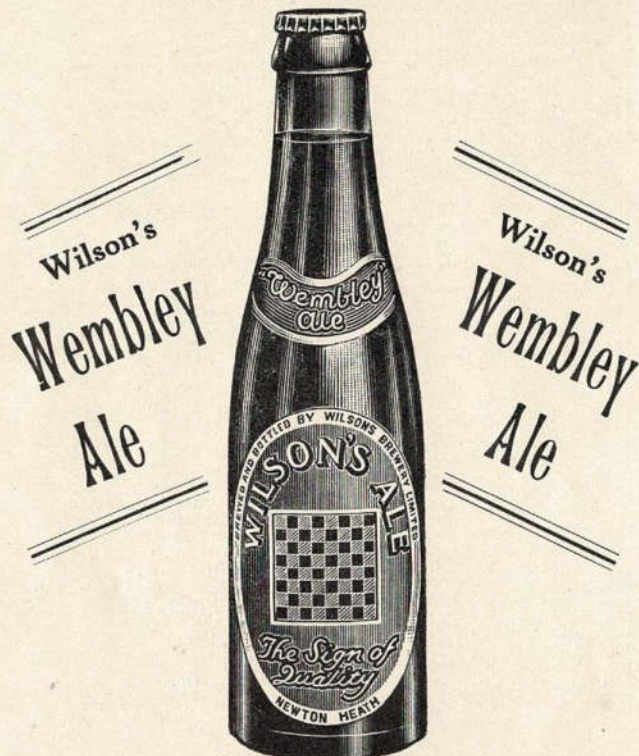
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1890-91	DR. W. PATTERSON	D. GWYNNE.
1891-92	Do.	Do.
1892-93	Do.	Do.
1893-94	J. B. RYE	WM. MCCUTCHEON.
1894-95	Do.	J. HURST
1895-96	E. KEMPSEY	H. VARLEY.
1896-97	Do.	Do.
1897-98	JAMES ASHTON	S. LEES.
1898-99	Do.	Do.
1899-1900	SAMUEL TAYLOR	A. LEES.
1900-01	P. SIDNEY STOTT	Do.
1901-02	Do.	Do.
1902-03	E. KEMPSEY	G. FRATER.
1903-04	JOHN POTTER	Do.
1904-05	Do.	A. LEES.
1905-06	A. E. TETLOW	R. L. THOMAS
1906-07	Do.	Do.
1907-08	DR. R. GOURLAY	J. FERGUSON.
1908-09	Do.	A. E. AVERY.
1909-10	JOSEPH PLATT	J. FERGUSON.
1910-11	Do.	Do.
1911-12	P. INGHAM	E. A. ANLEZARK.
1912-13	Do.	J. FERGUSON.
1913-14	R. THOMPSON	E. A. ANLEZARK.
1914-15	Do.	W. FARNSWORTH
1915-16	G. W. HOLDEN	Do.
1916-17	Do.	Do.
1917-18	Do.	Do.
1918-19	Do.	Do.
1919-20	Do.	Do.
1920-21	T. TAYLOR	W. HALL, J. FERGUSON.
1921-22	Do.	H. HILTON.
1922-23	H. LANGTON	R. B. FARRAR.
1923-24	Do.	E. DAVIES.
1924-25	W. MCCUTCHEON	H. HILTON.
1925-26	Do.	G. HESKETH, R. SLOMAN
1926-27	W. H. GREAVES	R. SLOMAN.
1927-28	Do.	Do.
1928-29	C. HUTCHINS	Do.
1929-30	Do.	S. RIX
1930-31	R. THOMPSON	S. J. STEPHENS
1931-32	Do.	Do.
1932-33	G. F. HUTCHINS	Do.
1933-34	J. S. PARKINSON	W. T. THOMAS
1934-35	H. WHITTAKER	J. READ
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LEAGUE MATCHES

Played 33. Won 20. Lost 17. Drawn 1.
For: 89 goals. 87 tries. 437 points.
Against: 74 goals. 65 tries. 343 points.

Date	Opponents	Grd	Rslt	For G T Pts	Against G T Pts
1936					
Aug. 29	Wigan ...	...	A L	4 1 11	4 3 17
Sept. 5	St. Helens Recs ...	...	H W	2 5 19	0 0 0
17	Barrow ...	...	A L	0 2 6	3 6 24
19	Widnes ...	...	H W	4 3 17	1 1 5
26	Warrington ...	...	A L	2 1 7	3 3 15
28	Liverpool Stanley ...	...	H L	2 0 4	4 2 14
Oct. 3	Salford ...	...	H L	2 3 13	4 3 17
10	Widnes ...	...	A L	0 0 0	2 2 10
17	Keighley ...	...	H W	4 4 20	1 0 2
24	Broughton Rangers ...	...	A D	4 2 14	4 2 14
31	Halifax ...	...	H W	1 5 17	1 0 2
Nov. 7	St. Helens ...	...	A W	2 4 16	2 1 7
14	St. Helens ...	...	H W	4 4 20	1 0 2
28	Barrow ...	...	H W	4 3 17	3 0 6
Dec. 5	Halifax ...	...	A L	0 0 0	0 1 3
14	Hunslet ...	...	A W	4 4 20	1 1 5
19	Liverpool Stanley ...	...	A L	3 1 9	3 3 15
25	Swinton ...	...	H W	2 2 10	1 0 2
26	Rochdale Hornets ...	...	A W	3 2 12	2 0 4
1937					
Jan. 1	Wakefield Trinity ...	...	H W	3 3 15	0 0 0
2	Salford ...	...	A L	1 0 2	1 1 5
9	Streatham and Mitcham ...	...	H W	5 6 28	3 3 15
16	Batley ...	...	H W	4 6 26	1 1 5
23	Wakefield Trinity ...	...	A L	2 1 7	4 3 17
Feb. 6	Keighley ...	...	A L	2 1 7	2 3 13
20	Leigh ...	...	H W	2 4 16	0 1 3
Mar. 6	Bradford Northern ...	...	A L	2 2 10	3 7 27
20	St. Helens Recs ...	...	A L	2 1 7	2 2 10
26	Swinton ...	...	A L	1 0 2	2 2 10
27	Rochdale Hornets ...	...	H W	3 6 24	3 1 9
29	Batley ...	...	A L	0 1 3	5 3 19
Apr. 3	Bradford Northern ...	...	H W	3 4 18	3 3 15
5	Warrington ...	...	H L	1 1 5	2 3 13
10	Leigh ...	...	A W	1 3 11	0 1 3
12	Wigan ...	...	H W	4 1 11	0 1 3
17	Hunslet ...	...	H W	3 0 6	0 1 3
24	Broughton Rangers ...	...	H L	2 1 7	3 1 9
Feb. 27	Streatham and Mitcham (resigned) (points awarded)	...	A W		

CUP TIE RESULTS, Etc.

Oldham and Rochdale Infirmarys' Cup

August 22nd, 1936

Opponents	For					Against		
	Grd	Rslt	G	T	P	G	T	P
Rochdale Hornets ...	...	H	W	3	2 12	2	0	4

Lancashire Senior Cup

September 12th, 1936

Salford (1st Round) ...	...	A	L	2	0 4	1	2	8
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Rugby League Challenge Cup

February 13th, 1937

Wigan (1st Round) ...	...	H	L	2	0 4	3	3	15
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"A" TEAM RESULTS

ALL MATCHES

Played 29. Won 20. Drawn 1. Lost 8.

For : 79 goals, 108 tries. 482 points.

Against: 38 goals, 43 tries. 205 points.

Date	Opponents	For					Against		
		Grd	Rslt	G	T	Pts	G	T	Pts
1936									
Aug. 29	Wigan "A" ...	...	H	W	3	1 9	1	2	8
Sept. 5	St. Helens Recs "A" ...	...	A	L	1	0 2	1	2	8
12	*Higginshaw... ..	...	H	W	1	3 11	1	0	2
19	Widnes "A" ...	...	A	W	1	4 14	2	0	4
26	Warrington "A" ...	...	H	W	4	5 23	1	0	2
Oct. 3	Salford "A" ...	...	A	L	3	2 12	7	3	23
10	Widnes "A" ...	...	H	W	5	7 31	1	1	5
17	Liverpool Stanley "A" ...	...	A	L	2	1 7	1	6	20
Nov. 7	St. Helens "A" ...	...	H	W	4	5 23	0	2	6
14	St. Helens "A" ...	...	A	W	3	4 18	0	1	3
21	Hunslet "A" ...	...	H	W	12	13 63	1	0	2
28	Barrow "A" ...	...	A	W	1	4 14	0	1	3
Dec. 5	*Halifax "A" ...	...	H	W	4	4 20	1	1	5
12	Broughton Rangers "A" ...	...	A	L	1	2 8	2	3	13
19	Liverpool Stanley "A" ...	...	H	D	0	1 3	0	1	3
26	Rochdale Hornets "A" ...	...	H	W	6	8 36	1	1	5
1937									
Jan. 2	Salford "A" ...	...	H	W	2	3 13	0	0	0
9	York "A" ...	...	A	L	3	3 15	2	4	16
16	*Halifax "A" ...	...	A	W	1	4 14	2	1	7
23	Wakefield Trinity "A" ...	...	H	W	2	4 16	1	0	2
30	Wigan "A" ...	...	A	L	0	2 6	2	4	16
Feb. 6	*Huddersfield "A" ...	...	H	W	3	3 15	0	1	3
27	Wakefield Trinity "A" ...	...	A	L	1	1 5	4	4	20
Mar. 6	York "A" ...	...	H	W	5	9 37	0	0	0
13	Warrington "A" ...	...	A	W	3	5 21	5	2	16
18	*Higginshaw... ..	...	H	W	3	7 27	1	0	2
20	St. Helens Recs "A" ...	...	H	W	2	1 7	1	0	2
26	Swinton "A" ...	...	H	W	3	1 9	0	1	3
27	Rochdale Hornets "A" ...	...	A	L	0	1 3	0	2	6
							79	108	482
							38	43	205

* FRIENDLY

BALANCE SHEET

Dr		CASH	
	May 31st, 1937—	£	s d
To Ordinary Subscriptions	...	1665	1 0
" Life Members' Subscriptions	...	10	0 0
" Gate and Stand Receipts	...	5102	0 4
" Share of Gates away...	...	321	6 1
" Programmes	...	8	11 7
" Bowling Green—Income	...	7	0 6
" Expenditure	...	10	0 0
		6	10 6
" Transfer Fees Received	...	190	0 0
" Rent Received	...	625	0 0
" Proceeds of Infirmary Cup Match— played at Oldham	...	266	7 3
" Income Tax Reclaimed	...	88	2 10
" Interest on Arrears of Rent	...	23	12 1
" Supporters' Club Donation...	...	1	0 0
" Loan from Pavilion	...	80	9 9
" Cash Owning to Bank	...	1542	17 1

£9,950 18 6

LIABILITIES	BALANCE SHEET.	
Loan from Pavilion	...	1773 6 9
Additional	...	80 9 9
		1853 16 6
Sundry Creditors	...	944 5 10
Cash Owning to Bank	...	1542 17 1
Balance of Assets over Liabilities	...	4321 18 9
		£8662 18 2

To Balance of Assets over Liabilities, 31st May, 1937	...	4321 18 9
Do. do. do. 31st May, 1936	...	3653 4 11

PROFIT for year ... £668 13 10

1936-37.

ACCOUNT		Cr.	
	May 30th, 1936—	£	s d
By Balance Owning Bank	...	2041	10 9
May 31st, 1937—			
" Players' Wages and Bonuses	...	3017	4 7
" Secretary's Salary	...	234	0 0
" Ground Staff, Checkers and Police	...	768	1 5
" Referees and Touch Judges	...	115	14 1
" Hotel Bills and Refreshments	...	247	4 4
" Ground Accounts	...	278	7 8
" Insurances—Players, Stands, &c.	...	227	1 1
" Printing, Posting and Advertising...	...	184	2 6
" Share of Gates to Visiting Clubs	...	454	10 2
" Rugby League Subscriptions	...	9	19 6
" Protecting Ground	...	117	5 0
" Registration Fees	...	4	8 0
" Players' Outfits	...	61	0 8
" Bank Commission and Cheque Books	...	103	2 5
" Railway Fares, Conveyances and Deputations	...	448	2 11
" Taxes	...	130	12 9
" Rates	...	180	19 8
" Telegrams, Telephone and Postages	...	59	2 4
" Sundries	...	7	9 9
" Medical, Hydro and Chemists' Accounts	...	66	2 7
" Entertainment Tax	...	726	9 2
" Audit Fees and Accountancy Charges	...	6	6 0
" Donations to Charities	...	2	2 0
" Corporation Duty	...	42	5 0
" National Insurance	...	46	10 8
" Oldham Junior League	...	4	16 6
" Oldham Continuation League	...	4	10 0
" Schoolboys' Outfits	...	15	0 0
" Rochdale Infirmary	...	133	3 8
" Oldham Royal Infirmary	...	133	3 7
" Gas, Coal and Coke—Pavilion	...	80	9 9
		£9,950	18 6

AS AT 31st MAY, 1937.

	ASSETS	
Land	...	4375 0 0
Sundry Debtors	...	2269 10 0
Loans to Players	...	7 10 0
Balance on Pavilion Account	...	2010 18 2
		£8662 18 2

I have audited the Balance Sheet of the Oldham Football Club, dated the 31st May, 1937, as above set forth, and have obtained all the information and explanations required. The amounts due for Ground Rental, and Advertising Rights, have been taken into account, but have not been apportioned. Subject to the foregoing, I certify that, in my opinion, such Balance Sheet is properly drawn up, so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of affairs, in accordance with the information and explanations received, and as shewn by the books.

PERCY OGDEN, F.C.R.A., Corporate Accountant,

1st June 1937

Oldham Football Club

CASH ACCOUNT

		INCOME		£ s d	
May 30th, 1936—					
To	Cash in Hand	...	...	12	15 1
"	Cash in Bank	...	...	178	5 9
May 31st, 1937—					
"	Bar Receipts	...	...	1509	7 9
"	Sundries	...	...	60	15 6
"	Bank Interest	...	...	2	5 5

£1763 9 6

BALANCE SHEET,

		LIABILITIES		£ s d	
Sundry Creditors	...	...	...	167	9 6
Balance of Assets over Liabilities	...	...	...	2010	18 2

£2178 7 8

Balance of Assets over Liabilities at 31st May, 1937	...	2010	18 2
do. 31st May, 1936	...	1987	15 6
PROFIT for Year	...	£23	2 8

Pavilion Account

For the Year Ended 31st May, 1937.

		EXPENDITURE		£ s d	
May 31st, 1937—					
By	Bar Accounts, including duty	...	...	862	16 11
"	Wages	...	...	226	6 6
"	Gas, Water, Coal and Coke	...	...	55	15 1
"	Rates, Taxes, Telephone and Insurances	...	...	73	2 11
"	Printing, Stationery, Newspapers, Postages & Sundries	...	...	14	13 2
"	Repairs	...	...	141	18 6
"	Police Charges	...	...	15	6 0
"	Cleaning Materials, etc.	...	...	16	17 8
"	Bar Requisites, Glasses, etc.	...	...	6	11 9
"	Licences	...	...	12	6
"	Audit Fees	...	...	3	3 0
"	Bank Charges	...	...	3	11 9
"	Loan to Oldham Football Club	...	...	80	9 9
"	Cash in Bank	...	...	239	0 1
"	Cash in Hand	...	...	23	3 11

£1763 9 6

as at 31st May, 1937.

		ASSETS		£ s d	
Stock	...	...	...	62	7 2
Loan—Oldham Football Club	...	...	1773 6 9		
Additional	...	...	80 9 9		
Cash in Bank	...	...	...	1853	16 6
Cash in Hand	...	...	...	239	0 1
	...	...	...	23	3 11

£2178 7 8

I have audited the Balance Sheet of the Oldham Football Club Pavilion dated the 31st May, 1937, as above set forth. I have obtained all the information and explanations required. I certify that, in my opinion, such Balance Sheet is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of affairs, in accordance with the information and explanations received, and as shewn by the books.

PERCY OGDEN, F.C.R.A., Corporate Accountant,
1st June, 1937. 15, Queen Street, Oldham.

OLDHAM FIRST TEAM

PLAYERS' RECORDS, 1936-37 (ALL MATCHES)

SUMMARY:
Matches played 40. Won 20. Drawn 1. Lost 19.
Scores For: 95 goals. 89 tries. 457 points.
Scores Against: 80 goals. 70 tries. 370 points.

	Appearances	Goals	Tries	Points
Rees, T. E.	39	85	—	170
Cattlin, R.	29	4	9	35
Macrae, G.	36	—	10	30
Taylor, A.	28	—	9	27
Givvons, A.	27	—	7	21
Holt, N.	21	—	7	21
Barnes, H.	22	—	6	18
Davies, C.	22	—	6	18
Greenall, W.	25	—	6	18
Pugh, N.	37	—	6	18
Rees, L.	22	4	3	17
Fairbairn, W.	9	—	4	12
Hall, F.	18	—	4	12
Ashworth, F. W.	37	2	1	7
Ambler, H. D.	23	—	2	6
Hague, I.	3	—	2	6
Matthews, H. J.	14	—	2	6
Brooks, E.	34	—	1	3
Kershaw, H.	13	—	1	3
Marsh, F. E.	2	—	1	3
McNally, J. P.	13	—	1	3
Reynolds, J. B.	3	—	1	3
Smith, A. R.	12	—	—	—
Garnett, A.	9	—	—	—
Bardsley, S.	5	—	—	—
Howard, W. F.	4	—	—	—
Read, J.	4	—	—	—
Green, J.	3	—	—	—
Brooks, W.	2	—	—	—
Bates, E. E.	1	—	—	—
Cunliffe, S.	1	—	—	—
Forshaw, T.	1	—	—	—
Partridge, L.	1	—	—	—
	520	95	89	457

OLDHAM "A" TEAM. PLAYERS' RECORDS, 1936-37 (ALL MATCHES)

SUMMARY:
Matches played 29. Won 20. Drawn 1. Lost 8.
Scores For: 79 goals. 108 tries. 482 points.
Scores Against: 38 goals. 43 tries. 205 points.

	Appearances	Goals	Tries	Points
Bates, E. E.	21	52	4	116
Hague, I.	23	—	26	78
Hall, F.	18	—	14	42
Reynolds, J. B.	11	7	4	26
Rees, L.	12	5	5	25
Cattlin, R.	6	9	2	24
Forshaw, T.	8	—	8	24
Davies, C.	13	—	7	21
Marsh, F. E.	6	—	5	15
Holt, N.	3	1	4	14
Matthews, H. J.	8	—	4	12
Bardsley, S.	12	—	3	9
Brown, H.	17	—	3	9
Hastie, D.	18	—	3	9
Kershaw, H.	9	—	3	9
Partridge, L.	17	4	—	8
Brooks, W.	13	—	2	6
Griffiths, W.	13	1	1	5
Ambler, H. D.	6	—	1	3
A. N. Other	3	—	1	3
Cunliffe, S.	13	—	1	3
Garnett, A.	9	—	1	3
Givvons, A.	1	—	1	3
Howard, W. F.	15	—	1	3
"Jones," J.	2	—	1	3
Naylor, J.	2	—	1	3
Nutter, J. L.	18	—	1	3
Taylor, A.	3	—	1	3
Read, J.	21	—	—	—
Butterworth, W. E.	14	—	—	—
McNally, J. P.	12	—	—	—
Green, J.	6	—	—	—
Hanley, T.	4	—	—	—
Jupp, J.	4	—	—	—
Lynch, J.	3	—	—	—
Smith, A. R.	3	—	—	—
Barnes, H.	2	—	—	—
Greenall, W.	2	—	—	—
Macrae, G.	2	—	—	—
Ashworth, F. W.	1	—	—	—
Brooks, E.	1	—	—	—
Pugh, N.	1	—	—	—
Spencer, S.	1	—	—	—

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PLAYERS WHO HAVE PLAYED FOR THE OLDHAM FOOTBALL CLUB

SEASON 1936-37

FIRST TEAM

August 29th, 1936. **WIGAN.** Away.

T. E. Rees; A. Taylor, C. Davies, G. Macrae, W. Fairbairn;
H. J. Matthews, W. Greenall; F. W. Ashworth, S. Cunliffe,
L. Rees, H. D. Ambler, N. Pugh, A. Givvons.

Result—Lost 11 points to 17.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 4 goals, Greenall 1 try.

Referee—Mr. A. E. Harding, Broughton.

Sept. 5th, 1936. **ST. HELENS RECS.** Home.

T. E. Rees; A. Taylor, C. Davies, G. Macrae, W. Fairbairn;
H. J. Matthews, W. Greenall; F. W. Ashworth, W. F. Howard,
L. Rees, H. D. Ambler, N. Pugh, A. Givvons.

Result—Won 19 points to 0.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 2 goals, Greenall 2 tries, Macrae 1 try,
Pugh 1 try, Fairbairn 1 try.

Referee—Mr. J. W. Webb, Broughton.

September 17th, 1936. **BARROW.** Away.

T. E. Rees; F. Hall, C. Davies, G. Macrae, W. Fairbairn;
H. J. Matthews, W. Greenall; J. Read, E. Brooks, F. W.
Ashworth, H. D. Ambler, N. Pugh, A. Givvons.

Result—Lost 6 points to 24.

Scorers—Fairbairn 1 try, Givvons 1 try.

Referee—Mr. B. Timilty, Broughton.

September 19th, 1936. **WIDNES.** Home.

T. E. Rees; F. Hall, C. Davies, H. Kershaw, W. Fairbairn;
H. J. Matthews, W. Greenall; J. Read, E. Brooks, F. W.
Ashworth, H. D. Ambler, N. Pugh, A. Givvons.

Result—Won 17 points to 5.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 4 goals, Fairbairn 2 tries, Pugh 1 try.
Referee—Mr. P. Cowell, Warrington.

September 26th, 1936. **WARRINGTON.** Away.

T. E. Rees; F. Hall, C. Davies, H. Kershaw, W. Fairbairn;
H. J. Matthews, W. Greenall; J. Read, E. Brooks, L. Rees,
H. D. Ambler, N. Pugh, A. Givvons.

Result—Lost 7 points to 15.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 2 goals, Givvons 1 try.
Referee—Mr. B. Timilty, Broughton.

Sept. 28th, 1936. **LIVERPOOL STANLEY.** Home.

T. E. Rees; F. Hall, C. Davies, H. Kershaw, W. Fairbairn;
H. J. Matthews, W. Greenall; L. Rees, E. Brooks, J. Read,
H. D. Ambler, N. Pugh, A. Givvons.

Result—Lost 4 points to 14.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 2 goals.
Referee—Mr. J. Edden, Swinton.

October 3rd, 1936. **SALFORD.** Home.

T. E. Rees; F. Hall, C. Davies, W. Brooks, W. Fairbairn;
H. Barnes, J. B. Reynolds; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, L. Rees,
H. D. Ambler, N. Pugh, A. Givvons.

Result—Lost 13 points to 17.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 2 goals, Rees (L.) 1 try, Davies 1 try,
Ambler 1 try.

Referee—Mr. A. Holbrook, Warrington.

October 10th, 1936. **WIDNES.** Away.

T. E. Rees; F. Hall, G. Macrae, W. Brooks, N. Holt; H.
Barnes, J. B. Reynolds; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, L. Rees,
H. D. Ambler, N. Pugh, A. Givvons.

Result—Lost 0 points to 10.

Referee—Mr. A. E. Harding, Broughton.

October 17th, 1936. **KEIGHLEY.** Home.

T. E. Rees; A. Taylor, S. Bardsley, G. Macrae, N. Holt;
H. Barnes, W. Greenall; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, A. Garnett,
H. D. Ambler, N. Pugh, R. Cattlin.

Result—Won 20 points to 2.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 4 goals, Cattlin 1 try, Macrae 1 try, Holt
1 try, Taylor 1 try.

Referee—Mr. J. F. Armstrong, Huddersfield.

Oct. 24th, 1936. **BROUGHTON RANGERS.** Away.

T. E. Rees; A. Taylor, S. Bardsley, G. Macrae, N. Holt;
H. Barnes, W. Greenall; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, A. Garnett,
N. Pugh, H. D. Ambler, R. Cattlin.

Result—Drawn 14 points to 14.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 4 goals, Pugh 1 try, Macrae 1 try.

Referee—Mr. L. Greenwood, Rochdale.

October 31st, 1936. **HALIFAX.** Home.

T. E. Rees; A. Taylor, C. Davies, G. Macrae, N. Holt; H.
Barnes, J. B. Reynolds; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, A.
Garnett, N. Pugh, A. Givvons, R. Cattlin.

Result—Won 17 points to 2.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 1 goal, Cattlin 3 tries, Reynolds 1 try,
Macrae 1 try.

Referee—Mr. A. Hill, Leeds.

November 7th, 1936. **ST. HELENS.** Away.

T. E. Rees; A. Taylor, S. Bardsley, G. Macrae, N. Holt;
H. Barnes, W. Greenall; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, A.
Garnett, H. D. Ambler, J. P. McNally, R. Cattlin.

Result—Won 16 points to 7.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 2 goals, Holt 2 tries, Barnes 1 try,

Referee—Mr. P. Cowell, Warrington.
Greenall 1 try.

November 14th, 1936. **ST. HELENS.** Home.

T. E. Rees; A. Taylor, S. Bardsley, G. Macrae, I. Hague; H. Barnes, W. Greenall; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, A. Garnett, N. Pugh, A. Givvons, R. Cattlin.

Result—Won 20 points to 2.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 4 goals, Cattlin 1 try, Barnes 1 try, Hague 1 try, Givvons 1 try.

Referee—Mr. F. Fairhurst, Wigan.

November 21st, 1936. **HUNSLET.** Away.

T. E. Rees; A. Taylor, H. Kershaw, G. Macrae, N. Holt; H. Barnes, W. Greenall; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, A. Garnett, N. Pugh, A. Givvons, R. Cattlin.

(Match abandoned after playing 36 minutes. Oldham were leading by 7 points to 5.)

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 2 goals, Taylor 1 try.

Referee—Mr. A. E. Harding, Broughton.

November 28th, 1936. **BARROW.** Home.

T. E. Rees; A. Taylor, H. Kershaw, G. Macrae, N. Holt; H. Barnes, W. Greenall; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, A. Garnett, N. Pugh, A. Givvons, R. Cattlin.

Result—Won 17 points to 6.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 4 goals, Greenall 1 try, Taylor 1 try, Macrae 1 try.

Referee—Mr. J. Orford, St. Helens.

December 5th, 1936. **HALIFAX.** Away.

T. E. Rees; A. Taylor, S. Bardsley, G. Macrae, N. Holt; H. Barnes, W. Greenall; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, A. Garnett, H. D. Ambler, J. P. McNally, R. Cattlin.

Result—Lost 0 points to 3.

Referee—Mr. A. Holbrook, Warrington.

Dec. 12th, 1936. **BROUGHTON RANGERS.** Home.

T. E. Rees; A. Taylor, F. E. Marsh, G. Macrae, N. Holt; H. Barnes, W. Greenall; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, A. Garnett, N. Pugh, A. Givvons, R. Cattlin.

(Match abandoned through fog after playing 38 minutes. Broughton Rangers were leading by 1 try to nil.)

Referee—Mr. P. Cowell, Warrington.

Dec. 14th, 1936. **HUNSLET.** Away.

T. E. Rees; A. Taylor, F. E. Marsh, G. Macrae, N. Holt; H. Barnes, W. Greenall; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, A. Garnett, N. Pugh, A. Givvons, R. Cattlin.

Result—Won 20 points to 5.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 4 goals, Taylor 2 tries, Marsh 1 try, Greenall 1 try.

Referee—Mr. A. E. Harding, Broughton.

Dec. 19th, 1936. **LIVERPOOL STANLEY.** Away.

T. E. Rees; A. Taylor, H. Kershaw, G. Macrae, N. Holt; H. Barnes, W. Greenall; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, A. Garnett, N. Pugh, A. Givvons, R. Cattlin.

Result—Lost 9 points to 15.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 3 goals, Givvons 1 try.

Referee—Mr. F. Fairhurst, Wigan.

Dec. 25th, 1936. **SWINTON.** Home.

T. E. Rees; A. Taylor, H. Kershaw, G. Macrae, N. Holt; H. Barnes, W. Greenall; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, J. P. McNally, N. Pugh, A. Givvons, R. Cattlin.

Result—Won 10 points to 2.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 2 goals, Taylor 2 tries.

Referee—Mr. A. Holbrook, Warrington.

Dec. 26th, 1936. **ROCHDALE HORNETS.** Away.

T. E. Rees; A. Taylor, H. Kershaw, G. Macrae, N. Holt; H. Barnes, W. Greenall; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, J. P. McNally, N. Pugh, A. Givvons, R. Cattlin.

Result—Won 12 points to 4.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 3 goals, Barnes 1 try, Kershaw 1 try.

Referee—Mr. A. E. Harding, Broughton.

January 1st, 1937. **WAKEFIELD TRINITY.** Home.

T. E. Rees; A. Taylor, H. Kershaw, G. Macrae, N. Holt; H. Barnes, W. Greenall; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, J. P. McNally, N. Pugh, A. Givvons, R. Cattlin.

Result—Won 15 points to 0.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 3 goals, Ashworth 1 try, Holt 1 try, Taylor 1 try.

Referee—Mr. A. Hill, Leeds.

January 2nd, 1937. SALFORD. Away.

T. E. Rees; A. Taylor, H. Kershaw, G. Macrae, N. Holt;
H. Barnes, W. Greenall; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, J. P.
McNally, N. Pugh, A. Givvons, R. Cattlin.

Result—Lost 2 points to 5.

Scorer—Cattlin 1 goal.

Referee—Mr. L. Greenwood, Rochdale.

Jan. 9th, 1937. STREATHAM & MITCHAM. Home.

T. E. Rees; A. Taylor, H. Kershaw, G. Macrae, N. Holt;
H. Barnes, W. Greenall; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, J. P.
McNally, N. Pugh, A. Givvons, R. Cattlin.

Result—Won 28 points to 15.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 5 goals, Macrae 2 tries, McNally 1 try,
Holt 1 try, Cattlin 1 try, Givvons 1 try.

Referee—Mr. F. Fairhurst, Wigan.

January 16th, 1937. BATLEY. Home.

T. E. Rees; A. Taylor, H. Kershaw, G. Macrae, N. Holt;
H. Barnes, W. Greenall; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, J. P.
McNally, N. Pugh, A. Givvons, R. Cattlin.

Result—Won 26 points to 5.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 4 goals, Givvons 2 tries, Pugh 1 try, Holt
1 try, Cattlin 1 try, Barnes 1 try.

Referee—Mr. J. E. Taylor, Wakefield.

Jan. 23rd, 1937. WAKEFIELD TRINITY. Away.

T. E. Rees; A. Taylor, H. Kershaw, G. Macrae, N. Holt;
H. Barnes, W. Greenall; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, J. P.
McNally, N. Pugh, A. Givvons, R. Cattlin.

Result—Lost 7 points to 17.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 2 goals, Barnes 1 try.

Referee—Mr. J. Orford, St. Helens.

February 6th, 1937. KEIGHLEY. Away.

T. E. Rees; A. Taylor, F. E. Marsh, G. Macrae, N. Holt;
H. Barnes, A. R. Smith; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, L. Rees,
N. Pugh, A. Givvons, R. Cattlin.

Result—Lost 7 points to 13.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 2 goals, Macrae 1 try.

Referee—Mr. A. E. Harding, Broughton.

February 20th, 1937. LEIGH. Home.

T. E. Rees; F. Hall, C. Davies, G. Macrae, I. Hague;
H. Barnes, A. R. Smith; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, L. Rees,
N. Pugh, H. D. Ambler, A. Givvons.

Result—Won 16 points to 3.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 2 goals, Hague 1 try, Davies 1 try,
Macrae 1 try, Barnes 1 try.

Referee—Mr. J. Edden, Swinton.

March 6th, 1937. BRADFORD NORTHERN. Away.

T. E. Rees; F. Hall, C. Davies, G. Macrae, I. Hague; H.
Barnes, A. R. Smith; F. W. Ashworth, W. F. Howard, L. Rees,
H. D. Ambler, N. Pugh, R. Cattlin.

Result—Lost 10 points to 27.

Scorers—Ashworth 2 goals, Rees (L.) 1 try, Hall 1 try.

Referee—Mr. A. Holbrook, Warrington.

March 20th, 1937. ST. HELENS RECS. Away.

L. Partridge; F. Hall, C. Davies, G. Macrae, N. Holt, H. J.
Matthews, W. Greenall; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, L. Rees,
N. Pugh, A. Givvons, R. Cattlin.

Result—Lost 7 points to 10.

Scorers—Cattlin 2 goals, Matthews 1 try.

Referee—Mr. L. Greenwood, Rochdale.

March 26th, 1937. SWINTON. Away.

T. E. Rees; F. Hall, C. Davies, G. Macrae, N. Holt; H. J.
Matthews, A. R. Smith; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, L. Rees,
H. D. Ambler, N. Pugh, R. Cattlin.

Result—Lost 2 points to 10.

Scorer—Rees (T.E.) 1 goal.

Referee—Mr. F. Fairhurst, Wigan.

March 27th, 1937. ROCHDALE HORNETS. Home.

T. E. Rees; F. Hall, C. Davies, G. Macrae, A. Taylor; H. J.
Matthews, A. R. Smith; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, L. Rees,
H. D. Ambler, N. Pugh, R. Cattlin.

Result—Won 24 points to 9.

Scorers—Rees (L.) 2 goals 1 try, Rees (T.E.) 1 goal, Davies
1 try, Matthews 1 try, Taylor 1 try, Pugh 1 try, Ambler 1 try.

Referee—Mr. B. Timilty, Broughton.

March 29th, 1937. BATLEY. Away.

T. E. Rees; F. Hall, C. Davies, G. Macrae, A. Taylor; H. J. Matthews, A. R. Smith; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, L. Rees, H. D. Ambler, N. Pugh, R. Cattlin.

Result—Lost 3 points to 19.

Scorer—Brooks 1 try.

Referee—Mr. J. Edden, Swinton.

April 3rd, 1937. BRADFORD NORTHERN. Home.

T. E. Rees; F. Hall, C. Davies, G. Macrae, N. Holt; H. J. Matthews, A. R. Smith; L. Rees, F. W. Ashworth, J. P. McNally, H. D. Ambler, N. Pugh, R. Cattlin.

Result—Won 18 points to 15.

Scorers—Rees (L.) 2 goals, Rees (T.E.) 1 goal, Holt 1 try, Cattlin 2 tries, Hall 1 try.

Referee—Mr. A. Hill, Leeds.

April 5th, 1937. WARRINGTON. Home.

T. E. Rees; F. Hall, C. Davies, G. Macrae, T. Forshaw; E. E. Bates, A. R. Smith; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, L. Rees, H. D. Ambler, N. Pugh, R. Cattlin.

Result—Lost 5 points to 13.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 1 goal, Macrae 1 try.

Referee—Mr. J. Edden, Swinton.

April 10th, 1937. LEIGH. Away.

T. E. Rees; F. Hall, C. Davies, G. Macrae, A. Taylor; J. Green, A. R. Smith; L. Rees, E. Brooks, J. P. McNally, N. Pugh, A. Givvons, R. Cattlin.

Result—Won 11 points to 3.

Scorers—Cattlin 1 goal, Hall 2 tries, Pugh 1 try.

Referee—Mr. P. Cowell, Warrington.

April 12th, 1937. WIGAN. Home.

T. E. Rees; F. Hall, C. Davies, G. Macrae, A. Taylor; J. Green, A. R. Smith; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, L. Rees, N. Pugh, J. P. McNally, R. Cattlin.

Result—Won 11 points to 3.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 4 goals, Davies 1 try.

Referee—Mr. P. Cowell, Warrington.

April 17th, 1937. HUNSLET. Home.

T. E. Rees; F. Hall, C. Davies, G. Macrae, A. Taylor; J. Green, A. R. Smith; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, L. Rees, H. D. Ambler, J. P. McNally, R. Cattlin.

Result—Won 6 points to 3.

Scorer—Rees (T.E.) 3 goals.

Referee—Mr. L. Thorpe, Wakefield.

April 24th, 1937. BROUGHTON RANGERS. Home.

T. E. Rees; F. Hall, C. Davies, G. Macrae, A. Taylor; H. J. Matthews, A. R. Smith; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, L. Rees, N. Pugh, R. Cattlin, A. Givvons.

Result—Lost 7 points to 9.

Scorers—Rees (T.E.) 2 goals, Taylor 1 try.

Referee—Mr. A. Holbrook, Warrington.

CUP TIE MATCHES, Etc.

OLDHAM and ROCHDALE INFIRMARIES' CUP.

August 22nd, 1936. ROCHDALE HORNETS. Home.

T. E. Rees; A. Taylor, C. Davies, G. Macrae, W. Fairbairn;
H. J. Matthews, W. Greenall; F. W. Ashworth, W. F. Howard,
L. Rees, H. D. Ambler, N. Pugh, A. Givvons.

Result—Won 12 points to 4.

Scorer—Rees (T.E.) 3 goals, Davies 2 tries.

Referee—Mr. A. E. Harding, Broughton.

LANCASHIRE SENIOR CUP.

First Round.

September 12th, 1936. SALFORD. Away.

T. E. Rees; A. Taylor, H. Kershaw, G. Macrae, W.
Fairbairn; H. J. Matthews, W. Greenall; F. W. Ashworth,
W. F. Howard, L. Rees, H. D. Ambler, N. Pugh, A. Givvons.

Result—Lost 4 points to 8.

Scorer—Rees (T.E.), 2 goals.

Referee—Mr. L. Thorpe, Wakefield.

RUGBY LEAGUE CHALLENGE CUP.

First Round.

February 13th, 1937. WIGAN. Home.

T. E. Rees; A. Taylor, C. Davies, G. Macrae, N. Holt; H.
Barnes, W. Greenall; F. W. Ashworth, E. Brooks, L. Rees,
N. Pugh, H. D. Ambler, R. Cattlin.

Result—Lost 4 points to 15.

Scorer—Rees (T.E.) 2 goals.

Referee—Mr. A. S. Dobson, Featherstone.

"A" TEAM

August 29th, 1936. WIGAN "A". Home.

L. Partridge; I. Hague, S. Bardsley, H. Kershaw, F. Hall;
J. Jupp, S. Spencer; J. Read, W. F. Howard, J. P. McNally,
H. Brown, J. L. Nutter, D. Hastie.

Result—Won 9 points to 8.

Scorers—Partridge 3 goals, Bardsley 1 try.

Referee—Mr. F. W. Wright, Warrington.

Sept. 5th, 1936. ST. HELENS RECS. "A". Away.

L. Partridge; I. Hague, S. Bardsley, H. Kershaw, F. Hall;
E. E. Bates, J. Naylor; J. Read, S. Cunliffe, A. Garnett,
J. L. Nutter, T. Hanley, R. Cattlin.

Result—Lost 2 points to 8.

Scorer—Bates 1 goal.

Referee—Mr. W. Connelly, Wigan.

Sept. 19th, 1936. WIDNES "A". Away.

L. Partridge; I. Hague, S. Bardsley, W. Brooks, T. Forshaw;
H. Barnes, J. B. Reynolds; L. Rees, W. F. Howard, J. P.
McNally, H. Brown, J. L. Nutter, W. E. Butterworth.

Result—Won 14 points to 4.

Scorers—Reynolds 1 goal, Forshaw 1 try, Hague 1 try, Nutter
1 try, Howard 1 try.

Referee—Mr. E. Houghton, Warrington.

Sept. 26th, 1936. WARRINGTON "A". Home.

L. Partridge; I. Hague, S. Bardsley, W. Brooks, N. Holt;
H. Barnes, J. B. Reynolds; J. P. McNally, W. F. Howard,
A. Garnett, W. E. Butterworth, J. L. Nutter, R. Cattlin.

Result—Won 23 points to 2.

Scorers—Reynolds 2 goals, Cattlin 1 goal, Partridge 1 goal,
Holt 3 tries, Hague 2 tries.

Referee—Mr. G. S. Phillips, Widnes.

October 3rd, 1936. SALFORD "A". Away.

L. Partridge; I. Hague, S. Bardsley, G. Macrae, N. Holt;
J. Jupp, J. Naylor; J. P. McNally, W. F. Howard, T. Hanley,
H. Brown, W. E. Butterworth, R. Cattlin.

Result—Lost 12 points to 23.

Scorers—Cattlin 2 goals, Holt 1 goal 1 try, Naylor 1 try.

Referee—Mr. F. Condren, Broughton.

October 10th, 1936. **WIDNES "A".** Home.

L. Partridge; I. Hague, S. Bardsley, H. Kershaw, C. Davies;
E. E. Bates, J. Lynch; J. P. McNally, W. F. Howard, H. Brown,
J. L. Nutter, W. E. Butterworth, R. Cattlin.

Result—Won 31 points to 5.

Scorers—Cattlin 5 goals 1 try, Hague 5 tries, Bates 1 try.

Referee—Mr. E. Houghton, Warrington.

Oct. 17th, 1936. **LIVERPOOL STANLEY "A".** Away

L. Partridge; I. Hague, W. Griffiths, H. Kershaw, T. Forshaw;
E. E. Bates, J. Lynch; T. Hanley, S. Cunliffe, L. Rees,
H. Brown, J. Read, W. E. Butterworth.

Result—Lost 7 points to 20.

Scorers—Bates 2 goals, Brown 1 try.

Referee—Mr. H. C. Norrey, Swinton.

Nov. 7th, 1936. **ST. HELENS "A".** Home.

W. Griffiths; F. Hall, C. Davies, H. Kershaw, I. Hague;
J. B. Reynolds, J. Lynch; J. Read, W. F. Howard, T. Hanley,
J. L. Nutter, H. Brown, D. Hastie.

Result—Won 23 points to 6.

Scorers—Reynolds 4 goals 1 try, Hague 2 tries, Hall 1 try,
Kershaw 1 try.

Referee—Mr. F. Condren, Broughton.

Nov. 14th, 1936. **ST. HELENS "A".** Away.

W. Griffiths; F. Hall, W. Brooks, H. Kershaw, C. Davies;
E. E. Bates, J. B. Reynolds; J. Read, W. F. Howard, L. Rees,
J. P. McNally, J. L. Nutter, D. Hastie.

Result—Won 18 points to 3.

Scorers—Bates 3 goals, Davies 1 try, Kershaw 1 try, Reynolds
1 try, Hall 1 try.

Referee—Mr. W. Connelly, Wigan.

Nov. 21st, 1936. **HUNSLET "A".** Home.

W. Griffiths; F. Hall, S. Bardsley, C. Davies, I. Hague;
E. E. Bates, J. B. Reynolds; J. Read, W. F. Howard, L. Rees,
H. D. Ambler, J. L. Nutter, D. Hastie.

Result—Won 63 points to 2.

Scorers—Bates 12 goals 1 try, Hall 3 tries, Hastie 3 tries,
Hague 2 tries, Bardsley 2 tries, Reynolds 1 try, Rees (L.) 1 try.

Referee—Mr. C. C. Snowdon, Cheadle Hulme, Stockport.

Nov. 28th, 1936. **BARROW "A".** Away.

L. Partridge; F. Hall, C. Davies, S. Bardsley, I. Hague;
E. E. Bates, J. B. Reynolds; J. Read, W. F. Howard, J. P.
McNally, H. Brown, J. L. Nutter, D. Hastie.

Result—Won 14 points to 3.

Scorers—Bates 1 goal, Hall 2 tries, Hague 1 try, Reynolds
1 try.

Referee—Mr. J. Molloy, Wigan.

Dec. 12th, 1936. **BROUGHTON RANGERS "A"** Away

L. Partridge; F. Hall, W. Brooks, A. N. Other, I. Hague;
E. E. Bates, J. B. Reynolds; J. Read, W. F. Howard, L. Rees,
J. P. McNally, C. Davies, D. Hastie.

Result—Lost 8 points to 13.

Scorers—E. E. Bates 1 goal, Hall 1 try, Hague 1 try.

Referee—Mr. W. Connelly, Wigan.

Dec. 19th, 1936. **LIVERPOOL STANLEY "A".** Home

W. Griffiths; F. Hall, H. J. Matthews, W. Brooks, I. Hague;
E. E. Bates, J. B. Reynolds; J. Read, W. F. Howard, L. Rees,
J. P. McNally, C. Davies, D. Hastie.

Result—Draw 3 points to 3.

Scorer—Hague 1 try.

Referee—Mr. E. S. Kennedy, Salford.

Dec. 26th, 1936. **ROCHDALE HORNETS "A".** Home

W. Griffiths; F. Hall, H. J. Matthews, W. Brooks, I. Hague;
E. E. Bates, J. B. Reynolds; J. Read, W. F. Howard, L. Rees,
H. Brown, W. E. Butterworth, D. Hastie.

Result—Won 36 points to 5.

Scorers—Bates 6 goals, Hague 4 tries, Rees (L.) 1 try, Brooks
1 try, Hall 1 try, Matthews 1 try.

Referee—Mr. G. S. Phillips, Widnes.

January 2nd, 1937. **SALFORD "A".** Home.

L. Partridge; F. Hall, F. E. Marsh, W. Brooks, I. Hague;
H. J. Matthews, E. E. Bates; J. Read, W. F. Howard, W. E.
Butterworth, H. D. Ambler, C. Davies, D. Hastie.

Result—Won 13 points to 0.

Scorers—Bates 2 goals, Marsh 1 try, Ambler 1 try, Hague 1 try.

Referee—Mr. J. Heaton, Rochdale.

January 9th, 1937. YORK "A". Away.

L. Partridge; F. Hall, F. E. Marsh, W. Brooks, I. Hague;
H. J. Matthews, E. E. Bates; J. Read, S. Cunliffe, L. Rees,
H. Brown, J. L. Nutter, W. E. Butterworth.

Result—Lost 15 points to 16.

Scorers—Bates 3 goals, Matthews 1 try, Hall 1 try, Hague 1 try.
Referee—Mr. G. A. Blaymire, Leeds.

Jan. 23rd, 1937. WAKEFIELD TRINITY "A". Home

W. Griffiths; F. Hall, J. Green, W. Brooks, I. Hague; J. Jupp,
E. E. Bates; J. Read, S. Cunliffe, L. Rees, H. D. Ambler,
J. L. Nutter, D. Hastie.

Result—Won 16 points to 2.

Scorers—Rees (L.) 1 goal 1 try, Griffiths 1 goal, Hague 2 tries,
Hall 1 try.
Referee—Mr. J. Blan, Wigan.

January 30th, 1937. WIGAN "A". Away.

W. Griffiths; F. Hall, H. Kershaw, W. Brooks, I. Hague;
H. J. Matthews, W. Greenall; J. Read, S. Cunliffe, H. D. Ambler,
J. L. Nutter, C. Davies, D. Hastie.

Result—Lost 6 points to 16.

Scorers—Brooks 1 try, Davies 1 try.
Referee—Mr. F. W. Wright, Warrington.

Feb. 27th, 1937. WAKEFIELD TRINITY "A". Away

W. Griffiths; A. Taylor, H. Kershaw, A. N. Other, N. Holt;
E. E. Bates, A. R. Smith; A. Garnett, S. Cunliffe, H. Brown,
J. L. Nutter, D. Hastie, W. E. Butterworth.

Result—Lost 5 points to 20.

Scorer—Bates 1 goal 1 try.
Referee—Mr. E. Willis, Hull.

March 6th, 1937. YORK "A". Home.

L. Partridge; T. Forshaw, F. E. Marsh, H. J. Matthews,
W. Brooks; J. Green, E. E. Bates; J. Read, S. Cunliffe, A.
Garnett, H. Brown, D. Hastie, W. E. Butterworth.

Result—Won 37 points to 0.

Scorers—Bates 5 goals 1 try, Forshaw 2 tries, Marsh 2 tries,
Matthews 2 tries, Brown 1 try, Garnett 1 try.
Referee—Mr. H. Barrett, St. Helens.

March 13th, 1937. WARRINGTON "A". Away.

L. Partridge; F. Hall, F. E. Marsh, C. Davies, I. Hague;
H. J. Matthews, A. R. Smith; L. Rees, E. Brooks, A. Garnett,
H. D. Ambler, N. Pugh, W. E. Butterworth.

Result—Won 21 points to 16.

Scorers—Rees (L.) 3 goals 1 try, Davies 3 tries Hall 1 try.
Referee—Mr. J. Blan, Wigan.

Mar. 20th, 1937. ST. HELENS RECS. "A". Home.

W. Griffiths; T. Forshaw, S. Bardsley, J. 'Jones', I. Hague;
E. E. Bates, A. R. Smith; J. Read, S. Cunliffe, A. Garnett,
J. P. McNally, J. L. Nutter, W. E. Butterworth.

Result—Won 7 points to 2.

Scorers—Bates 2 goals, 'Jones' 1 try.
Referee—Mr. E. Houghton, Warrington.

March 26th, 1937. SWINTON "A". Home.

L. Partridge; D. Hastie, S. Bardsley, A. Taylor, T. Forshaw;
J. Green, E. E. Bates; J. Read, S. Cunliffe, A. Garnett, J. L.
Nutter, H. Brown, W. E. Butterworth.

Result—Won 9 points to 3.

Scorers—Bates 3 goals, Forshaw 1 try.
Referee—Mr. C. C. Snowdon, Cheadle, Hulme.

Mar. 27th, 1937. ROCHDALE HORNETS "A". Away

L. Partridge; T. Forshaw, S. Bardsley, J. 'Jones', I. Hague;
J. Green, E. E. Bates; J. Read, S. Cunliffe, A. Garnett, D.
Hastie, H. Brown, W. E. Butterworth.

Result—Lost 3 points to 6.

Scorer—Hague 1 try.
Referee—Mr. J. Blan, Wigan.

**"A" TEAM.
FRIENDLY MATCHES.**

September 12th, 1936. HIGGINSHAW. Home.

L. Partridge; I. Hague, S. Bardsley, J. Jupp, F. Hall; J.
Green, J. B. Reynolds; A. Garnett, S. Cunliffe, J. P. McNally,
H. Brown, J. L. Nutter, R. Cattlin.

Result—Won 11 points to 2.

Scorers—Cattlin 1 goal 1 try, Hague 1 try, Hall 1 try.
Referee—Mr. S. Duncan, Stretford, Manchester.

December 5th, 1936. **HALIFAX "A". Home.**

L. Partridge; F. Hall, F. E. Marsh, A. N. Other, I. Hague;
E. E. Bates, J. B. Reynolds; L. Rees, W. F. Howard, J. L.
Nutter, H. Brown, C. Davies, D. Hastie.

Result—Won 20 points to 5.

Scorers—Bates 4 goals, Marsh 1 try, Davies 1 try, Hague 1
try, A. N. Other 1 try.

Referee—Mr. W. Connelly, Wigan.

January 16th, 1937. **HALIFAX "A". Away.**

W. Griffiths; F. Hall, F. E. Marsh, W. Brooks, T. Forshaw;
H. J. Matthews, E. E. Bates; J. Read, S. Cunliffe, L. Rees,
H. Brown, C. Davies, D. Hastie.

Result—Won 14 points to 7.

Scorers—Rees (L.) 1 goal 1 try, Marsh 1 try, Davies 1 try,
Forshaw 1 try.

Referee—Mr. P. Hughes, Bramley.

February 6th, 1937. **HUDDERSFIELD "A". Home.**

W. Griffiths; F. Hall, C. Davies, W. Brooks, I. Hague; E. E.
Bates, W. Greenall; J. Read, W. F. Howard, H. Brown, H. D.
Ambler, J. L. Nutter, D. Hastie.

Result—Won 15 points to 3.

Scorers—Bates 3 goals, Hall 1 try, Griffiths 1 try, Brown 1 try.

Referee—Mr. S. Duncan, Stretford.

March 13th, 1937. **HIGGINSHAW. Home.**

W. Griffiths; A. Taylor, H. Kershaw, G. Macrae, T. Forshaw;
J. Green, E. E. Bates; J. Read, S. Cunliffe, F. W. Ashworth,
J. P. McNally, A. Givvons, R. Cattlin.

Result—Won 27 points to 2.

Scorers—Bates 3 goals, Forshaw 3 tries, Taylor 1 try, Givvons
1 try, Cunliffe 1 try, Kershaw 1 try.

Referee—Mr. J. Heaton, Rochdale.

Rugby League

FINAL TABLE—SEASON 1936-37

										For		Against		Pts
										P.	G.	T.	P.	
1	Salford	...	...	38	29	6	3	83	121	529	38	40	196	61
2	Warrington	...	...	38	28	7	3	75	106	468	42	35	189	59
3	Leeds	...	...	38	28	9	1	111	135	627	68	42	262	57
4	Liverpool Stanley	...	...	38	26	9	3	88	83	425	50	42	226	55
5	Wigan	...	...	38	26	12	0	108	125	591	76	61	335	52
6	Castleford	...	...	38	25	11	2	80	110	490	65	65	325	52
7	Hull	...	...	38	24	12	2	86	121	535	60	64	312	50
8	Wakefield	...	...	38	23	14	1	77	96	442	66	80	372	47
9	Barrow	...	...	38	20	13	5	83	105	481	59	69	325	45
10	St. Helens Rees.	...	...	38	21	15	2	64	94	410	68	69	343	44
11	Huddersfield	...	...	38	21	16	1	103	155	671	84	79	405	43
12	Hunslet	...	...	38	21	17	0	94	108	512	93	73	405	42
13	OLDHAM	...	...	38	20	17	1	88	87	437	74	65	343	41
14	Halifax	...	...	38	19	16	3	67	65	329	74	90	418	41
15	Bradford	...	...	38	19	17	2	84	87	429	69	74	360	40
16	Swinton	...	...	38	19	17	2	81	68	366	60	64	312	40
17	Broughton Rangers	...	...	38	18	17	3	72	73	363	79	65	353	39
18	Keighley	...	...	38	19	19	0	61	91	395	73	70	356	38
19	Hull K. Rovers	...	...	38	17	20	1	66	94	414	63	87	387	35
20	Widnes	...	...	38	17	20	1	51	56	270	64	60	308	35
21	Rochdale	...	...	38	15	22	1	61	63	311	84	100	468	31
22	St. Helens	...	...	38	13	21	4	59	75	343	73	95	431	30
23	Streatham & M.	...	...	38	14	24	0	63	80	366	54	77	389	28
24	York	...	...	38	14	24	0	86	80	412	94	116	536	28
25	Batley	...	...	38	12	24	2	86	60	352	97	132	590	26
26	Dewsbury	...	...	38	12	25	1	62	47	295	83	116	514	25
27	Bramley	...	...	38	10	27	1	76	57	323	104	153	667	21
28	Leigh	...	...	38	5	29	4	48	47	237	96	141	615	14
29	Newcastle	...	...	38	5	32	1	60	60	300	154	194	890	11
30	Featherstone	...	...	38	5	33	0	67	61	317	126	202	858	10

CHAMPIONSHIP SEMI-FINALS

Salford	...	15 pts.		Warrington	...	12 pts.
Liverpool Stan.	...	7 pts.		Leeds	...	2 pts.

FINAL

At Wigan ... SALFORD 13 pts. to WARRINGTON 11 pts.

Lancashire League.

Final League Table for Season 1936-37

	Played	W.	L.	D.	Pts. for G. T.	Total	Against G. T.	Total Pts
Salford	28	22	4	2	67	96	422	27
Liverpool Stanley	28	22	5	1	66	63	321	34
Warrington	28	20	6	2	53	74	328	29
Wigan	28	20	8	0	87	99	471	58
Barrow	28	15	9	4	63	68	330	41
OLDHAM	28	14	13	1	61	61	305	54
Swinton	28	14	13	1	58	48	260	49
St. Helens Rees.	28	13	13	2	38	50	226	52
Widnes	28	13	14	1	40	42	206	45
Halifax	28	12	13	3	42	46	222	55
Broughton	28	12	14	2	57	51	267	64
St. Helens	28	5	19	4	34	31	161	60
Rochdale.	28	6	21	1	32	23	133	66
Streatham & M.	28	6	22	0	30	32	156	45
Leigh	28	3	23	2	31	28	146	80

Lancashire Rugby League Combination

Final Table for Season 1936-37

	Played	W.	L.	D.	Pts for	Agst.	Pts
Wigan	22	18	3	1	264	149	37
Liverpool Stanley	22	16	5	1	273	141	33
Swinton	20	13	7	—	200	168	26
OLDHAM	19	12	6	1	259	146	25
Barrow	22	12	9	1	304	158	25
Broughton	20	12	8	—	208	150	24
Widnes	21	10	10	1	189	191	21
Salford	21	9	11	1	196	181	19
St. Helens Rees	23	9	14	—	221	243	18
Warrington	20	7	13	—	184	235	14
Rochdale	22	7	15	—	192	325	14
St. Helens	17	3	14	—	102	250	6
Leigh	15	2	13	—	61	364	4

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